

Services for the Week

29th March to 4th April 2009

- SUN 29th** **Fifth Sunday of Lent (I)**
7.30 am *Mandarin:* For the souls of Wong Ah Siew and Loi Teck Meng
9.00 am For the soul of Teo Teck Chye Robert
10.45 am For the intention of all parishioners (*see notice board*)
12.30 pm El Shaddai Praise and Worship
5.30 pm For the soul of Mary Sunita
- MON 30th**
(2 Kgs 4:18-21,32-37 Ps 16:1,6-8,15 Jn 11:1-45)
7.00 am For the soul of Jenny Yeo Im Neo
8.30 am Birthday blessings for Clement Patrick
6.00 pm For the soul of Paul Nadarajah and all souls
- TUE 31st**
(Num 21:4-9 Ps 101:2-3,16-21 Jn 8:21-30)
7.00 am For the soul of Agnes Loh Poh Kum
8.30 am For the soul of Magdalene Wee Kian Neo
6.00 pm For the soul of Agnes Loh Poh Kum
- WED 1st**
(Dan 3:14-20,91-92,95 Ps Dan 3:52-56 Jn 8:31-42)
7.00 am In thanksgiving – William Tan and family
8.30 am For the soul of Anne Ong Siew Luan
6.00 pm For the souls of Wong Ah Siew & Loi Teck Meng
6.30 pm St Joseph's Prayer in Tamil
8.00 pm Penitential Service
- THU 2nd**
(Gen 17:3-9 Ps 104:4-9 Jn 8:51-59)
7.00 am For soul of Edward Png Tee Seng
8.30 am In thanksgiving – Martha Lim and family
6.00 am Birthday blessings for James Keasberry
- FRI 3rd**
(Jer 20:10-13 Ps 17:2-7 Jn 10:31-42)
7.00 am Healing for Benedict Robin, Mary Low and Mervin Gabriel
8.30 am For the soul of Paul Sit How Yik
6.00 pm For the souls of Rosalin Tan, Paul Ng, James Koh & Margaret Lim
8.00 pm Charismatic Praise and Worship
9.00 pm Over night Vigil
10.30 pm Blessings for Harold and Keasberry families
- SAT 4th** **Ss Cyril and Methodius** (Ez 37:21-28 Ps Jer 31:10-13 Jn 11:45-56)
4.30 am For the soul of Rose Yee and all souls
7.00 am In thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart- Didier family
8.30 am For the soul of Catherine Lim
4.00 pm Confessions
5.00 pm Novena in honour to Our Lady of Fatima
6.00 pm For the souls of Rosalin Tan, Paul Ng, James Koh & Margaret Lim
- SUN 5th** Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

In Brief

PALM SUNDAY- 5TH APRIL 2009

Next Sunday, 5th April 2009, is Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion. Palm leaves will be distributed from 8.15am, and the Mass will begin at 8.45am with procession into the church instead of 9.00am.

RCIA IN ENGLISH

Our next RCIA in English will commence on Thursday, 16th April 2009, (7.30pm-9.00pm). Invite your friends, neighbours, colleagues and relatives to come and join us. Application forms are available at church office and church entrances.

CANONISATION- BLESSED DAMIEN

We are organizing a pilgrimage to Rome and Lourdes for the canonization of Blessed Damien on 11th October 2009. Dates: 9th -23rd Oct. We will be visiting the birthplace of Blessed Damien, in Tremelo and his grave at Louvian, Brussels. For more info please obtain a copy of the itinerary from the church office. Cost: \$4500/=.

Fr Gerardus Suyono SS.CC. will be the speaker at the next Lenten sharing on Tuesday, 31st March, in Damien Hall, 8.00pm.

PENITENTIAL SERVICE at Blessed Sacrament Church is on **Wednesday, 1st April 2009** – service starts at 8.00pm.

NOVENA TO THE DIVINE MERCY

Novena to the divine Mercy will commence from Good Friday, 19th April to Easter Saturday 18th April, on Good Friday it will begin at 5.00pm an Holy Saturday at 3.00pm and from 11th-18th April at 8.00pm. Divine Mercy Feast-day Mass on 19th April will be at St Anne's Church. Archbishop Nicholas Chia is the main celebrant.

BLOCK ROSARY

Block Rosary Prayers in the month of April will be at:
13th-15 April @ Blk 49 Strathmore Ave #17-219 (Anthony Tan)
20th-23rd April @ Blk 49 Strathmore Ave #16-219 (Agatha Tserng)
27th-29 April @ Blk 49 Strathmore Ave #02-209 (Joachim Tan)
Prayers start at 8.00pm. All are welcome.

A "K(arate)-Do Workshop for Parents & Children" is being organised on 4 Apr 09 (Sat), from 9am-12pm. Aim of the workshop is to enhance Parent-Child bonding and to learn & experience facets of Karate-do. Limited to 10 Parent/Child pair. Fees are \$20 per Pair. Email to bscgoju@gmail.com. to register or for enquiries."

TUESDAY ROSARY GROUP- will be reviving the recitation of the Rosary in front of the statue of Our Lady of Fatima on Tuesday, 14th April 2009 at 6.45pm and thereafter on every Tuesday. All are welcome.

MASS IN TAGALOG

Tagalog Mass will be celebrated at the Church of The Holy Spirit on every 3rd Sunday of the month. Celebrant: Fr Angel Luciano, CICM.

MALAYALAM LENTEN PROGRAMME –

The Malayalam Lenten programme are as follows:

1. Palm Sunday 5th April - Mass at the Church Our Lady of Lourdes at 4.00pm
2. Monday 6th April – Retreat at the Church of Christ the King, at 7.00pm.
3. Tuesday 7th April – Retreat at the Church of the Risen Christ, at 7.00pm
4. Wednesday, 8th April- Retreat at Church of St. Francis of Assisi.
5. GOOD FRIDAY 10th April – The service at St Stephen's Church at 10.15am.
Stations of the Cross, Good Friday Service.

Shuttle service from Aljunied MRT to St. Stephen's church will be provided at 9.30am, 9.45am, and 10.00am.

INTER-POLY EASTER FIESTA- all Poly students you are invited to this event on 18th April 2009, 9.00am-1.00pm, at Nanyang Polytechnic. To register call John Tan: 97956647 by 10th April 2009.

Indonesian Charismatic of Holy Spirit (KKIHS) will conduct "The Letter from St. Paul to The Corinthians" seminar, on April 3-5, 2009, at Holy Spirit Church, 4th Floor Attic room in Bahasa Indonesia by Fr. Robert Wowor, OFM. Fee: \$20 (adults) / \$10 (students). To register contact Li Hua (9017 1946) & Vonny Sjahman (9615 9551).

Salvation History by Msgr Eugene Vaz

20 Mondays (9.30am-11.30am) or (7.45pm- 9.45pm) April 6,13,27, May 4, 11, 18, 25, June 29, Jul 6, 20, 27, Aug 3, 17, 24, Sept 7, 14, 28, Oct 5, 12, 19.

Contribution: \$20/=. At CAEC, 2 Highland Road, Singapore 549102.

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INNER FREEDOM – TALKS AND RETREAT

Fr Vijayanand S.J. will be giving talks on Inner Freedom on the 9th and 10th May 2009 at Blessed Sacrament Church at all Masses.

A Triduum to Our Lady of Fatima at St Joseph's Church, Victoria Street, on 11th May to 13th May with healing session starting at 6.15pm.

Inner Freedom Retreat by Fr Vijayanand S.J from 16th-22nd May and 23rd – 29th May at \$350 per pax full board and lodging at Lifespring Canssian Spirituality Centre, 100 Jalan Merbok. Contact: Teresa Li: 97848570.

DAVID WEEKEND

THE Youth Ministry Office invites youth (15 & above) to a fun and experiential retreat with other youth in the Archdiocese on 17th April 2009, 5.30pm to Sunday, 19th April 2009, 1.00pm. at Catholic Archdiocese youth Centre, 2, Lorong Low Koon. Cost \$30/=. For more info call 62852571 or email: mariana@cayconline.org

ST JOSEPH TAMIL PRAYER GROUP will be celebrating their 3rd anniversary of Divine Mercy Prayers from 10th April- 19th April at 6.30pm followed by Holy Mass at 7pm. All are welcome.

Mary in the Christian Tradition by Sr Christine Santhou, FDCC

5 sessions on Friday beginning 17 April, 7.30pm – 9.30pm, CAEC 2 Highland Road

Contribution: love offering. **To register:** Call 6858 3011 Fax 6858 2011

Email: spi@catholic.org.sg For more info & registration visit, www.catholicspi.org

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