

## Catholic Church of the Holy Trinity

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time, 17 July 2022



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#### **Parish Priests**

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#### **Parish Office**

Monday - Friday 9.00 am - 6.00 pm Saturday 9.00 am - 1.00 pm Sunday 9.00 am - 1.00 pm

#### Columbarium

Monday - Friday 9.00 am - 11.30 am 2.00 pm - 5.00 pm Saturday 10.30 am - 1.00 pm Sunday & Public Holiday Closed

#### Weddings

Preparations to be made one year in advanced. Enquire at the Parish Office

#### Go make disciples of all nations. 7

Thinking about bringing the faith to the next generation? Join us as a catechist.

- Primary level, text Bernadette 9226 3334.
- Youth level, text Bernard 9369 1696 / Denise 9878 8050



# REVISION OF WEEK MASS TIMES

Effective 24th July 2022

Saturday Sunday

6.30 am

5.30 pm

6.45 am

8.30 am (Mandarin)

10:15 am

12:00 pm

5:30 pm



SafeEntry REQUIRED for these Masses

#### SUNDAY MEDITATION

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Year C Genesis 18:1-10, Psalm 14(15):2-5, Colossians 1:24-28

Luke 10:38-42

The Lord appeared to Abraham. (Genesis 18:1)

Isn't it mysterious? Genesis 18:1 tells us that "the Lord appeared to Abraham." But then, Abraham sees "three men" (18:2). The visitors are later identified as angels, but one seems to be the Lord himself (18:20-22). It's hard to know exactly what Abraham saw and at what point he realized that he was in the presence of almighty God.

Here's another mystery: this same Lord will be with everyone gathered at every Mass today. We will hear his voice in the readings and see him in the unlikely appearance of bread and wine. So let's take a look at how Abraham responded to God's presence to see how we can respond today.

First, Abraham gave God his full attention. He stopped what he was doing and "ran" to meet God (Genesis 18:2). As Mass begins, you can imitate Abraham as you try to put aside distractions and be attentive to the Lord.

Next, he bowed down. While this might have been a traditional greeting, it also showed that Abraham recognized his visitors' dignity. Imagine yourself bowing low as you pray the Gloria and praise God in the responsorial psalm.

Then, Abraham offered to God the best he had—fine flour and a choice steer. When the gifts are brought to the altar, you can offer your life to the Lord. Give him your love and fidelity.

#### Parish Hour of Prayer 🏠



Prayer, Reflection, and Intercession. Join us every 1st & 3rd Mon of the Month @ 8pm in the Chapel.

#### Join us as a Mass Volunteer 😃



Have a heart of service? Enquire at the Parish Office. Finally, Abraham waited on his guests. That's something you can do after Holy Communion, as you pray quietly in adoration. Enjoy your time with the Lord and listen to him.

So when you come to Mass, remember Abraham. Let the mysterious, surprising presence of God fill you with reverence and generosity. Offer him your attention, your worship, the best of who you are. As you do, you'll come to see him more and more clearly. Just like Abraham.

"Lord, you reveal yourself to me in mystery. Help me to respond to you wholeheartedly!"

Reflection from Word Among Us.

#### Weekday Rosary Devotions



Join us for the rosary before masses at 5.30pm in the Chapel. Rosary at Grotto every 1st Friday of the month after the evening mass.

#### "Restore, Rekindle and Renew your marriage 🚲

Sign up for Marriage Encounter Weekend and deepen your couple relationship. 2nd - 4th Sept 2022. Contact Joe & Reenie at 9670-5390 or email mewkend@amail.com"

### **CA+HOLIC FOUNDATION**



29 Sep at the Barracks Hotel Sentosa and Village Hotel Sentosa, Cardinal-elect William Goh, will share the archdiocese's pastoral vision and plans. All proceeds from table sales will go to the Catholic Hub building project. To find out more, visit catholicfoundation.sa/cfdinner or scan the QR code. Or, call 6338-0348 or email cfdinner@catholic.org.sg