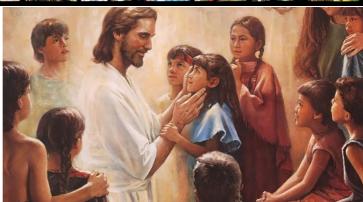


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# Catholic Church of the Holy Trinity

6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter, 14 May 2023





"He who has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me."

#### **Priests**

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## **Mass Timings**

Weekday

6:30am; 6pm Saturday

6:30am; 5:30pm Sunday

6:45am; 8:30am (Mandarin); 10:15am; 12pm & 5:30pm

#### Parish Office

Monday - Friday

9am - 6pm

Saturday/Sunday

9am - 1pm

**Public Holidays** 

Closed

#### Columbarium

Monday - Friday

9am - 6pm

Saturday

10:30am - 6pm

Sunday

Open during Mass timings

**Public Holiday** 

Closed

#### Weddings

Preparations to be made 1 year in advance. Enquire at Parish Office

(John 14:1-12)

**Eastertide Prayers** Every Friday, 3pm @ Chapel

Ascension of the Lord (Day of Obligation) 18 May, Thursday 6:30am, 6pm and 8pm @ Main Church

Holy Trinity Feast Day Triduum Mass

31 May, 8pm (no 6pm mass) 1 June, 8pm (no 6pm mass)

2 June, 9am (public holiday)

All triduum masses @ main church.

### Sunday Meditation 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter, Year A Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Psalm 66:1-7, 16, 20; 1 Peter 3:15-18; John 14:15-21

They laid hands on them and they received the Holy Spirit. (Acts 8:17)

Philip was having great success in Samaria. As the result of his preaching and ministry, many Samaritans came to believe in the Lord. Not only that, but unclean spirits were being routed and people were being healed of all kinds of afflictions. Crowds of people were being baptized into Jesus' death and resurrection and were experiencing the joy of their redemption.

So why did the apostles in Jerusalem even bother to send Peter and John to Samaria? What more could the people possibly need?

The Holy Spirit, that's what! Just as he had made all the difference for the apostles on the day of Pentecost, so did he make all the difference for the people of Samaria—and for us.

What is that difference? Here are some examples.

It is clearly amazing to witness a miraculous healing as the Samaritans did—or even to receive one yourself as some of the Samaritans did. But when the Spirit comes to dwell in you, he can bring healing to your wounded memories and free you from lifelong patterns of sin and guilt and shame.

It's a good thing to be able to memorize prayers or passages from Scripture. But it's even more wonderful to have the Spirit alive in you, breathing new life and joy into your heart through these prayers and passages and giving you new insights into his love.

It's one thing to muster what strength you have to fight sin, but it's apnother thing altogether to experience the indwelling Spirit giving you his own grace to say no to temptation and keeping your faith alive in times of difficulty. The truth is, we need the Holy Spirit to renew our minds, to fill our hearts, and to keep us connected to Jesus.

Pentecost is just two weeks away. What do you need the Holy Spirit to do in you?

"Come, Holy Spirit, and fill the hearts of your faithful. Come, fill my heart!"

**Reflection from Word Among Us** 

#### **Parish Activities**

#### Sunday (14 May)

 $10{:}00am-11{:}20am:Mandarin\ Divine$ 

Mercy

4:00pm-5:00pm: Legion of Mary Jr

(Mother of Holy Innocents)

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Tuesday (16 May)

7:30pm-9:30pm: Legion of Mary,

Mandarin (天主之母)

8:00pm-9:00pm: Christian Meditation

8:00pm – 9:00pm : Pastoral Care for the Infirmed

8:00pm - 9:30pm: Lectors

#### Wednesday (17 May)

9:00am onwards : Church cleaning

(by Willing Hands)

8:00pm – 9:30pm : Charismatic Meeting

Talk by Br Dominic

#### Thursday (18 May)

Ascension of the Lord

#### Friday (19 May)

3:00pm-4:00pm: Eastertide Prayers

 $7{:}00pm-9{:}30pm\ : Couples\ for\ Christ$ 

Teaching Night

7:15pm – 9:15pm : Legion of Mary

Mandarin (圣母领报)

8:00pm – 9:00pm : Divine Mercy

Devotion

## Saturday (20 May)

9:00am onwards

8:30am – 5:30pm : First Holy Communion Preparation Day

: Church Cleaning

(by Willing Hands)

10:00am – 11:00am : Legion of Mary

(Mary, Star of the New Evangelization)

 $10{:}30am-12{:}00pm:Holy\ Trinity\ Youth$ 

### **Other Timings**

Rosary Prayer

Weekdays: 5:25pm @ Chapel Sunday: 4:55pm @ Main Church

#### **Parish News**

# **Holy Trinity Feast Day Theme: Evangelization**

Triduum Mass @ Main Church:

31 May, 8pm – The Great Commission

by Fr Simon Ho

1 June, 8pm – My Response by Fr Kenson Koh

2 June, 9am – Our Faith in Action by Fr Justin Yip

All are invited for fellowship and light snacks after Mass.

#### **Feast Day Food Fare:**

4 June, 7:30am – 12 pm Join us in celebration with food and drinks

#### **Mother's Day**

Fr Frederick, Fr Luke, Deacon Shaun and office staff wish all mothers a happy Mother's Day!

## **Traffic Ministry**

Parishioners concerned with traffic safety, contact Raymond (9863 5371) or Ronald (9822 1142) to contribute your time and safer traffic flow in church.

#### **Eastertide Prayers**

Come for a time of prayer and reflection on the resurrection of Jesus during this Easter season.

#### RCIA 2023-2024

A new journey of RCIA will begin on 8 June, Thursday. Application forms can be found at the foyer, the notice board and parish office, or contact <a href="mailto:rciaht@gmail.com">rciaht@gmail.com</a>.

#### **Infant Baptism**

The next infant baptism will be on 17 June. Registration forms must be submitted to the parish office by 31 May. A preparatory session for godparents and parents will be help on 10 June at 11am. Forms are available at the foyer and notice board area.

# Commissioning Mass for

## **Hospitality Ministry**

Our Hospitality Ministry will have their commissioning this Saturday, 13 May at the 5:30pm Mass.

#### <u>Fire Drill</u>

A fire drill will be conducted on Sunday, 21 May after 5:30pm Mass.

## **Archdiocese Events**

## St Louie Marie De Montfort –

# A Prophet of our Times

Saturday, 20 May, 2:30pm – 5:30pm Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo Street, Lvl 2

As we celebrate the 350th anniversary of St. Montfort's birth, come and discover how his spirituality of a perfect devotion to Mary is especially needed for the renewal of our Church and our lives as disciples of Christ today.

Sign up @

www.montfortcentre.org/events-1/the-heart-of-living-2023

#### **Archdiocese Events**

## My Personal Compass:

Module 3 - Christian Morality

Every Thursday, 25 May – 13 July (excluding 29 June), 7:30pm Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo St. Lvl 3

What is Christian morality? Is Christian morality meant to be kept private within Christian communities? Explore with us why Christian morality may be the answer to the wounded human nature and the role of God's grace.

Sign up @ tinyurl.com/MPC3CM

#### Via Mary – Monfortian Experience Retreat

Friday to Sunday, 26 – 28 May Montfort Centre 624 Upp Bukit Timah Rd

Come, discover and experience in this retreat how doing everything through, with, in and for Mary, helps us do everything more perfectly through, with, in and for Jesus! Sign up @ www.montfortcentre.org/events-1/viamaria-2023

#### **SSVP Youth Camp**

Friday to Saturday, 2 – 4p June Franciscan Missionaries of Mary, House of Prayer and Formation, 49 Holland Rd

"He has sent me to bring good news to the poor" Luke 4:18 Feeling the call to walk in Christ's footsteps and serve the less fortunate in our community? Calling all youths ages 14-35. Join us at our SSVP Youth Camp! Sign up @ bit.ly/ssvpyouthcamp2023

#### **Archdiocese Events**

# Abundant and Better Life Abroad - Programme for Migrants

All Sundays in June, 1pm – 5pm Canteen and Parish Hall @ Church of St Bernadette, 12 Zion Rd

Join ACMI's upcoming programme in collaboration with Couples for Christ (CFC) Singapore. This values formation programme seeks to help participants find meaning in various aspects of their lives through reflection and sharing sessions. Sign up @ bit.ly/42CBeda

## Living Joy – Outreach for Sec 4 & 5

Friday, 16 June, 2:00pm – 5:00pm Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo St, Lvl 8

The Office for Young People is excited to bring to an outreach programme for Secondary 4 and 5 students! On this day, we gather to experience the joy of the Lord in the midst of their busy school life. Sign up @ tinyurl.com/junesecoutreach

#### Kickstart 2023

Friday to Saturday, 23 – 24 June Office for Young People 2 Lor Low Koon

Join us for a retreat with fellowship and formation for all incoming university freshmen (studying locally or overseas)! Hear the faith stories of other university students and learn more about the universities you are entering from the seniors.

Sign up @ bit.ly/oypks23

Bulletin online @ holytrinity.org.sg/weekly-bulletin/