



Catholic Church of the Holy Trinity

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, 24 September

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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

Wedding bookings to be made
1 year in advance. Please
enquire at the Parish Office.



“Why be envious because I’m
generous?”
Matthew 20:15

Infant Baptism

Saturday, 21 Oct

Application forms can be found at foyer.
Please submit all documents to Secretariat
by 29 Sept.

Sunday Meditation

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Isaiah 55:6-9; Psalm 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Philippians 1:20-24, 27;
Matthew 20:1-16

You too go into my vineyard.
(Matthew 20:4)

Jesus told this parable to help us better understand how generous and merciful God is. But the seeming unfairness of the landowner's decision can still leave us feeling a bit unsettled. We might react differently, however, when we consider the lives of two people who, like the workers in this parable, came to the vineyard later in life.

Felix Leseur was raised Catholic in nineteenth-century France but lost his faith in medical school and became an atheist. His wife, Elisabeth, on the other hand, grew closer to God and began praying fervently for her husband's conversion. After her death at the age of forty-seven, Felix began reading her diary. The deep faith he saw there touched him, and he returned to the Lord at the age of fifty-six and eventually became a priest.

St. Angela of Foligno was born in 1248 to a wealthy family in Umbria, Italy. Married at a young age, she revelled in the worldly life and all its trappings. But a series of natural disasters and an ongoing war led her to reexamine her priorities. At the age of thirty-seven—considered midlife for that time—she sought the Lord's mercy in Confession. Then after the premature deaths of her husband, mother, and two children, she gave up all her possessions and became a lay Franciscan.

When we hear about people like Felix and Angela, we don't begrudge them the heavenly reward they are now enjoying. It doesn't matter that they came later to the vineyard. God and his angels in heaven still rejoiced, and so should we anytime we hear of someone turning to God later in life.

God is always inviting people to "go into my vineyard" (Matthew 20:4). Today at Mass, pray for the people you know who have not yet accepted his invitation. May they one day receive the reward he so graciously has in store for them!

"Father, I praise you for your mercy and generosity, which have no bounds!"

Reflection from Word Among Us

Parish Activities

Sunday (24 Sept)

10:00am – 11:20am : Mandarin Divine Mercy Devotion

4:00pm – 5:00pm : Legion of Mary for children (Mother of Holy Innocents)

Monday (25 Sept)

7:30pm – 9:30pm : Jesus Youth

7:45pm – 9:30pm : RCIA Mandarin

Tuesday (26 Sept)

7:30pm – 9:30pm : Legion of Mary Mandarin (天主之母)

8:00pm – 9:00pm : Christian Meditation

Wednesday (27 Sept)

9:00am onwards : Church cleaning (by Willing Hands)

10:00am – 12:00pm : JOY Ministry, for the elderly

Thursday (28 Sept)

9:30am – 12:00pm : Bible Study in Mandarin

- 10:00am – 11:30am : Legion of Mary
(Mary, Full of Grace)
- 10:00am – 12:00pm : Catholic Praying Mothers
- 7:30pm – 9:30pm : Legion of Mary
(Our Lady of Charity)
- 7:45pm – 9:30pm : RCIA
- 8:00pm – 9:30pm : Lectors
- 8:00pm – 9:30pm : Legion of Mary Mandarin
(圣母升天)

Friday (29 Sept)

- 7:15pm – 9:15pm : Legion of Mary Mandarin
(圣母领报)
- 7:30pm – 9:30pm : Pastoral Care for the Infirm
- 8:00pm – 9:30pm : Divine Mercy Devotion

Saturday (30 Sept)

- 9:00am onwards : Church Cleaning
(by Willing Hands)
- 9:30am – 12:00pm : Mid-Autumn Celebration
- 10:00am – 12:00pm : Holy Trinity Youth
- 1:00pm – 2:30pm : Legion of Mary Youth (Mary, Star of the New Evangelisation)
- 3:30pm – 5:00pm : Legion of Mary (Queen of Angels)
- 5:30pm – 9:30pm : Couples for Christ: Christian Life Program
- 7:30pm – 9:30pm : Neo-Catechumenal Way Mass

Other Timings

- Rosary Prayer
Weekdays: 5:25pm @ Chapel
Saturday & Sunday: 4:55pm @ Main Church

Parish News

Infant Baptism

Infant baptism will take place on Saturday, 21 Oct. A compulsory preparatory session for parents and godparents will be on Saturday, 14 Oct. Application forms can be found in the foyer. Kindly submit all documents to the secretariat by 29 Sept.

Mid-Autumn Celebration

Saturday, 30 Sept
9:30am to 12:00pm

The Chinese Group will be celebrating Mid-Autumn with music, food, and life sharing.

Society of St Vincent de Paul Commissioning

The society will be having their commissioning at this Saturday's 5:30pm Mass.

Holy Family Rosary Devotion Recruitment

The ministry is recruiting parishioners to host the Holy Family Shrine or join as part of the service team to conduct prayers. Learn more from the members at the foyer this weekend at the booth.

Lectors Recruitment

Do you feel a stirring for the word of God? The ministry is recruiting. Please scan the QR code to register your interest or contact the parish office at 6784 2332 or htadmin@holytrinity.org.sg.



Archdiocese Events

Evening of Prayer with the Songs of Taizé

Saturday, 30 Sept
8:00pm to 9:30pm
Church of St Teresa,
510 Kampong Bahru Rd

Come and pray together as an Archdiocese for the Synod of Bishops and Christian Unity. No prior registration is required.

Versatile Tools for Today's Social Issues

Every Thursday, 2 to 30 Nov
7:30pm to 9:30pm
CANA at Catholic Centre
55 Waterloo St, Level 3

Jesus challenges us to interpret the signs of the times. Let us turn to the Church's social teachings to obtain the tools to think about today's challenges. For the church and the wider society we live in. Please scan the QR code to register.



Focolare Mariapolis

Saturday, 11 Nov
9:00am to 9:00pm
Agape Village
7A Lor 8 Toa Payoh

With the theme "Called by Love and Sent", learn how to live the Mission today through the spirituality of unity. There will be talks, testimonials, group sharing, games and creative workshops for all ages. Please scan the QR code to register.



Picnic with Jesus

Saturday, 4 Nov
9:00am to 12:00pm
Labrador Nature Reserve
Berlayer Shade, Port Rd

Come away as a couple for a scripture-based mini retreat with a Picnic with Jesus at Labrador Park. Organized by the Verbum Dei Missionary Disciples. Please scan the QR code to register.

