

# Catholic Church of the Holy Trinity

3rd Sunday of Easter, 4 May 2025





#### **Priests**

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#### **Mass Timinas** Weekday 6.30am; 6pm

Saturday 6.30am; 5.30pm

Sunday

6.45am; 8.30am (Mandarin); 10.15am: 12.00pm and 5.30pm

**Public Holiday** 9am

#### **Parish Office** Monday - Friday 9am - 6pm Saturday/Sunday

9am - 1pm

**Public Holidays** 

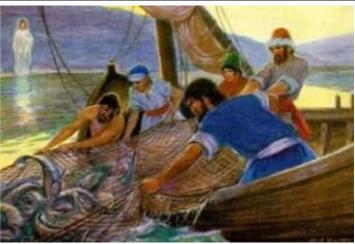
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#### Columbarium Daily

6.30am - 6pm

#### **Church Wedding**

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



"So they dropped the net, and there were so many fish that they could not haul it in." John 21:6

> **Grow Our Faith and Hour of Prayer** - Christ the Centre of Our Family 5 May (Monday) 8pm, Chapel

#### **Eastertide Prayer**

9 May (Friday) 3pm, Chapel Join us for a time of prayer and reflection.

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Acts 5:27-32, 40-41; Psalm 30:2, 4-6, 11-13

**Apocalypse 5:11-14; John 21:1-19** 

You have filled Jerusalem with your teaching. (Acts 5:28)

The Acts of the Apostles contains such amazing stories that it can sometimes seem like we are reading a work of fiction. But that's just not the case. Take today's first reading, for example. There really were men and women who, in the face of severe persecution, kept filling Jerusalem with the good news. Peter and the apostles really were questioned, tortured, and imprisoned. But they didn't back down. Instead, they replied, "We must obey God rather than men" (Acts 5:29).

It might be hard to relate to such boldness. So let's imagine how, in our own day and age, we can "fill" the places we inhabit with the good news of Jesus Christ.

Think about a place that you go to regularly, a place that involves some waiting. Maybe it's the school pickup line or a subway ride or the time between your classes. Now picture those places as your own "Jerusalem" (Acts 5:28). Imagine the good news of the saving love and mercy of God bubbling up inside of you, filling you with life and joy. You feel as if you can't contain it. So instead of scrolling on your phone, you hold your head high, your smile widens, and you look around for someone to share it with.

As you keep this posture of openness and connection to the joy of the gospel, you will naturally start getting to know some of the people who are also waiting with

you. That will lead to new friendships. After a while, the crossing guard might tell you about her upcoming surgery, opening up a space for you to offer to pray for her. Some of your classmates might appreciate your openness, and you could strike up a conversation about your faith. Or maybe you end up engaging with a fellow subway passenger.

This is you, filling your own "Jerusalem" with the gospel!

"Holy Spirit, give me the boldness to share the good news wherever I go."

Reflection from Word Among Us

## **Parish Activities**

#### Monday, 5 May

7.30pm - 9.30pm : Legion of Mary

- Our Lady of Charity

7.45pm – 9.30pm : RCIA Mandarin

8.00pm – 9.00pm : Hour of Prayer / Grow our Faith

#### Tuesday, 6 May

7.30pm - 9.30pm : Legion of Mary

Mandarin - 天主之母

8.00 pm - 9.30 pm: Christian

Meditation

## Wednesday, 7 May

9.00am onwards : Church Cleaning

by Willing Hands

10.00am – 12.00pm : JOY Ministry

for the elderly

#### Thursday, 8 May

10.00am - 11.00am: Catholic Praying

Mothers

10.00am - 11.30am : Legion of Mary

– Mary, Full of

Grace

7.00 pm - 9.00 pm: Legion of Mary Our Lady of

Charity

7.30 pm - 9.30 pm

: Society of St

Vincent de Paul

: Bible Sharing 8.00 pm - 9.30 pm

7.45 pm - 9.30 pm: RCIA 8.00 pm - 9.30 pm: Lectors

8.00 pm - 9.30 pm: Legion of Mary

Mandarin

#### Friday, 9 May

3.00pm onwards : Eastertide Prayer 7.15 pm - 9.15 pm

: Legion of Mary

Mandarin

- 圣母领报 7.00pm - 9.00pm

: Divine Mercy Devotion

## Saturday, 10 May

8.00am onwards

: Church Cleaning by Willing Hands

11am onwards

: Infant Baptism Preparation

10.30am – 12.30pm: Holy Trinity Youth

1.00 pm - 2.30 pm

3.15pm - 5.00pm

: Legion of Mary Youth – Marv.

Star of the New

Evangelization

: Legion of Mary

- Queen of Angels

7.30 pm - 9.30 pm: Neo-Catechumenal

Way

#### **Other Timings**

Rosary Prayer before Mass

Weekdays: 5.25pm at Chapel Weekends: 4.55pm at Main Church

**Prayer for Priests** 

Tuesdays: 4:50pm at Chapel

## **Parish News**

## RCIA 2025/2026

RCIA journey begins on 19 June in

English and 7 July in Mandarin. Application forms are available at

foyer and notice board.

For enquiries: rcia@holytrinity.org.sg

## **Archdiocese Events**

#### CTIS 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester 2025

- Certificate in Theology

Information Night – 8 May 2025, 8pm at CTIS Bukit Timah.

For further enquiries call 69028700.

## **Events by Catholic Family Life**

#### 1. Bored of the Game

9 May, 7.30pm – 10pm Catholic Archdiocesan Education Centre, (St Gabriel's Hall/Canteen)

Calling all singles for a meaningful discussion on modern dating, relationships, and faith. Please register at https://bit.ly/CFLBOTG

2. Beyond Because I said So 10 May, 10am – 12.30pm Cathedral of the Good Sheperd, Annex Building, Level 3

A parenting workshop on positive discipline, understanding children's misbehaviour and effective communication. Please register at https://bit.ly/CFL\_PD

## Review of Life Workshop by Caritas Singapore

10 May

Cana at Catholic Centre,

55 Waterloo Street (Level 2)

Come for a guided and facilitated discussion on personal and social issues. Please scan QR code to register.

## St Anthony's Canossian Primary School Open House

16 May, 3pm – 4.30pm 1602 Bedok North Ave 4 S469701 Tel: 64492239



Please scan the QR code for more information.

## **Events by Catholic Leadership Centre**

1. Facilitate Participative Meetings

17 May or 14 June Agape Village

A workshop for leaders to facilitate effective group discussions and meetings.

2. At the Feet of the Good Shepherd Retreat

24-25 May, 1-2 Nov Punggol Retreat Centre

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A retreat for leaders' emotional and

To register or find out more for both events: https://www.catholicleader.sg

spiritual needs to be tended to by the