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SALT OF THE EARTH AND LIGHT OF THE WORLD:
CELEBRATING, LISTENING AND WALKING TOGETHER IN A SPIRIT OF
COMMUNION, PARTICIPATION AND MISSION (MATTHEW 5: 13-16).

MONTHLY FOCUS

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO HAVE GONE BEFORE US

Practical Love is the Heart of Our Faith



The first reading from Deuteronomy reminds us of the Shema (the daily prayer of the Jews): *"Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is one Lord; you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your might."*

"The Christian who unites his own death to that of Jesus views it as a step toward him and an entrance into everlasting life."

(CCC, 1020)



SCRIPTURE of the DAY

Deuteronomy 6: 2-6

Psalms 17: 2-4, 47, 51

Hebrews 7: 23-28

Mark 12: 28-34

This call to love invites us to cultivate a relationship with God that is deep, authentic, and transformative.

When the scribe asks Jesus, "Which is the first of all commandments?". Jesus responds with a call to love by connecting the love of God with the love of neighbour. This is the kind of commitment of love that Jesus is asking of us. Loving God not only calls us to be mindful of His presence in our lives, but also prompts us to reflect on how this love is manifested in our interactions with others. Jesus' teachings guide us to a deeper truth: that love is at the heart of our faith. This love compels us to act justly, show compassion, and seek the well-being of others.

So, we have to ask ourselves, do we reach out to offer support or help to the needy in our BEC or neighbourhood? Could we, perhaps take a copy of the parish bulletin or Herald to an elderly or homebound person or offer a word of comfort to someone who has lost a loved one or join in the 7-day prayers. Being regular for Sunday Masses but closing an eye to the needs of our neighbour is equivalent to living half of today's gospel.

As we contemplate the inter-connection of loving God and loving neighbor, we are reminded that our faith is lived out in community. **We are called not just to love in theory but to embody love in practical ways.** This is a call to action that can transform both our lives and the world around us. ✚

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2024 THEME
NOVEMBER

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NOVEMBER – MONTH OF INCLUSIVITY, CARE & UNITY

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	MASSES IN THE PARISH
Nov 03 (Sun) <i>Deut 6:2-6 Heb 7:23-28 Mk 12:28-34</i>	8.00 am 10.30 am	MASS (M) MASS (E)	31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) No Livestream Livestream
Nov 04 (Mon)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS (E)	St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop No Livestream
Nov 05 (Tue)	6.40 am 7.00 am	Lauds MASS (E)	No Livestream
Nov 06 (Wed)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS (E)	No Livestream
Nov 07 (Thu)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS (E)	No Livestream
Nov 08 (Fri)	6.10 pm 6.30 pm	Vespers MASS (E)	No Livestream
Nov 09 (Sat)	6.40 am 7.00 am 5.30 pm 6.00 pm	Lauds MASS (E) Novena to OMPH followed by MASS (E)	THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA, FEAST No Livestream Livestream
Nov 10 (Sun) <i>1 Kgs 17:10-16 Heb 9:24-28 Mk 12:38-44</i>	8.00 am 10.30 am 5.30 pm	MASS (M) MASS (E) MASS (T)	32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B) No Livestream Livestream No Livestream

E = English M = Mandarin T = Tamil BM = Bahasa Malaysia

MARRIAGE BANNES

Nov 09 (Sat)	11.00 am	Wedding Service (M) of Zi Xuen & Celine Chong Zhi Ying
Nov 23 (Sat)	11.00 am	Wedding Service (E/M) of Raymond Tan Yan Kai & Rachel Tay Mee Yee
Nov 23 (Sat)	2.00 pm	Wedding Mass of Joshua Bernard Chai Kok Keong & Maria Natcha Khattiyamam

PARISH NEWS

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Offerings of Mass Intentions, financial giving of monthly tithing, love offerings or donations to the Parish can be made through online transfers to the following designated bank account:-

Online Payment for	Donations Mass Offering Hall Booking Wake Room Booking	Tithes	Sharing Hope Project Outreach Projects
Bank	Public Bank Berhad	RHB Bank Berhad	RHB Bank Berhad
Account Number	309 3049812	20708 2000 39510	20708 2000 39928
Account Name	Cathedral of the Holy Spirit	Cathedral of the Holy Spirit	Cathedral CHS

Email Bank-in-Slip to admin@holyspiritcathedral.com

Our Collection on 26 & 27 October 2024: RM 8,125.40
2nd Collection on 02 & 03 November 2024 is for the poor and needy

“God loves a cheerful giver.” – 2 Cor. 9:7

1. **WESTERN ROAD CEMETERY VISIT | 03 NOVEMBER 2024**

In conjunction with the month of ICU and All Souls' Day, CHS is organizing a visit to the **Western Road Cemetery** on Sunday, 03 November 2024. During this visit, we will light a candle and say a prayer for the souls of unattended graves. We will gather in CHS compound at 3pm on 03 November 2024, after which we will carpool to the Western Road cemetery. The whole prayer session is expected to finish by 7pm.

In order to determine the headcount and arrangement of transportation, kindly scan the following QR code or browse the following link for registration:- <https://tinyurl.com/chs-3nov2024>

Let us all come together as a community to pray for the departed souls, especially those whose graves are unattended, in the hope that they will be granted indulgence, that is the remission of temporal punishment (c.f. Code of Canon Law No. 992-994, Catechism of the Catholic Church No. 1471).

Note:

A **plenary indulgence**, applicable only to the souls in Purgatory, is granted to any of the faithful who:-

- on one of the days from 01 to 08 November visit devoutly a cemetery or who simply pray mentally for the dead;
- on All Souls' Day (or else with the permission of the Ordinary, on the Sunday that precedes or follows, or else on All Saints' Day) visit a church or chapel with devotion and there recite the Our Father and the Creed.

A **partial indulgence**, applicable only to the souls in Purgatory, is granted to any of the faithful who:-

- visit devoutly a cemetery or who simply pray mentally for the dead;
- recite devoutly the Lauds or Vespers of the Office of the Dead, or the invocation of Eternal rest grant..... (requiem aeternam dona...) (Manual of Indulgences, edition of 1999, concession 29).

2. **ALTAR SERVERS INSTALLATION 2024 | 03 NOVEMBER 2024**

Date: **03 November 2024 (Sunday)**

Time: **10.30 am**

Since their journey towards becoming Altar Servers in March 2024, our newest batch of Altar Servers are finally ready for their long-awaited Altar Servers Installation. They will be presented with a special blessing by our Parish Priest, as well as their very own Altar Servers Cross. Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare for this glorious event.

3. **INSTALLATION OF NEW EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION (EMHC)**

It has been 3 years since our last installation of EMHC and we are in the midst of reviewing the new candidates. Additional EMHC are needed due to increasing pastoral needs to care for the elderly. Kindly keep us in prayer as we go thru the discernment and selection process.

4. **GLOWING EMBERS: AN EVENING OF FLOWERS AND FRILL AND BOW TIES**

Date: **17 November 2024 (Sunday)**

Time: **3 – 6 pm**

Venue: Dewan Holy Spirit

Entry fee: RM30 donation

Tickets available after weekend Masses and can also be bought from Parish Office

5. **CANTORS FOR LAUDS AND VESPERS**

We are looking for cantors to help sing for Lauds or Vespers before the daily Masses. If you are able to help with the singing, please contact Dcn Andrew at our parish office.

6. **PENANG ISLAND ADVENT CONFESSIONS 2024**

Church of Our Lady of Sorrows, Jalan Macalister

- 03 Dec (Tue), 10 am and 8 pm

Church of Immaculate Conception, Pulau Tikus

- 09 Dec (Mon), 10 am and 8 pm

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, ISLAND PARK

- 10 Dec (Tue), 10 am and 8 pm

Church of the Risen Christ, Air Itam

- 11 Dec (Wed), 10 am and 8 pm

Church of the Divine Mercy, Sungai Ara

- 12 Dec (Thu), 10 am and 8 pm

Church of Holy Name of Jesus, Balik Pulau

- 13 Dec (Fri), 10 am (Mandarin) and 8 pm

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All Souls' Day
Western Road Cemetery Visit

Date: **03 November 2024 (Sunday)**
Time: **3pm (gather in CHS compound)**

Scan QR code for transport arrangement

**Inclusivity
Care
Unity**

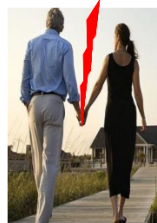
Cathedral of the Holy Spirit, Penang

Seminar Pembaharuan Janji Kahwin

Adakah perkahwinan anda masih lagi berpaut pada dasar kasih dan kesetiaan atau ada sudah tanda-tanda keretakan?

Tarikh:
~~26-27 Oktober 2024~~
17 Nov 2024

"Membangun keluarga di atas dasar yang kukuh dengan berlandaskan kasih dan kesetiaan."



Tempat :
**Minor Basilica St. Anne
Bukit Mertajam.**

Tarikh Tutup :
~~23 Oktober 2024~~
13 Nov 2024



Adakah perkahwinan anda selama ini menjadi "garam" dan "terang" bagi dunia ?

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ANJURAN APOSTOLAT BAHASA MALAYSIA KEUSKUPAN PULAU PINANG

Apa cabaran umat Kristian masa kini dan ingin mengetahui bagaimana untuk melaluinya dan terus maju ke hadapan?
Ingin merenungi bagaimana perjalanan kehidupan doa dan iman kita sepanjang tahun ini?
Tertanya-tanya tentang tema Gereja tahun Jubli 2025?

**Tempat : Minor Basilica St. Anne,
Bukit Mertajam, P. Pinang**

Tarikh : 23 Nov 2024

Tarikh tutup penyertaan : 20 Nov 2024

Untuk mengetahuinya.. Mari, sertai retret ini.

"Menjadi Penziarah Pembawa Harapan"



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