

Our Pilgrimage



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The Most Holy Trinity

Liturgical Reflection

“The mystery of the Most Holy Trinity is the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the mystery of God in himself. It is therefore the source of all the other mysteries of faith, the light that enlightens them. It is the most fundamental and essential teaching in the hierarchy of the truths of faith” (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 234).

We get a glimpse into this mystery in Genesis 1:26 - "God said, let us make man in our own image, in the likeness of ourselves." These words reveal to us the nature of God.

The feast of the Holy Trinity is also known as Trinity Sunday.



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'The Spirit of truth will lead you to the complete truth'

John 16:12

First Reading: Proverbs 8:22-31
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 8:4-9
Second Reading: Romans 5:1-5
Gospel: John 16:12-15



OUR LOGO

The two 'C' stand for the Christ (outer circle) encompassing the community (inner circle).

Christ Jesus is always present in his Church. The golden stylised sword represents the community rooted in the word of God ready to move as represented by the wings spread out to bring the Kerygma as represented by the cross to everyone.

- The colours are that of the Archangel
- The sword and wing represent the Archangel who is always there as our guardian.

VISION

A vibrant loving community of **disciples making disciples** for the Kingdom of God

MISSION

To Create moments of God encounters

To Form Disciples in Christ

To Nurture community spirit through the Word of God

Liturgical Reflection (con't)

This day is notable for being the only major Christian festival that celebrates a doctrine of the church rather than an event in its sacred history. It is dedicated to the Christian belief in the Trinity – Father, Son and Holy Spirit – and falls on the Sunday following Pentecost each year.

Why is this feast celebrated at this particular time?

All three Persons contributed to and shared in the work of redemption. The Father sent His Son to earth, for



"GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD AS TO GIVE HIS ONLY-BEGOTTEN SON."

The Father called us to the faith. The Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, became man and died for us. He redeemed us and made us children of God.

After Christ's ascension, the Holy Spirit was sent down to become our Teacher, our Leader, our Guide, our Consoler.

We should note that every Sunday is devoted to the honor of the Most Holy Trinity, that every Sunday is sanctified and consecrated to the triune God.

Do we come for Sunday mass with the right mindset and attitude or just to fulfil our day of obligation?

Sunday after Sunday we should recall in a spirit of gratitude the gifts which the Blessed Trinity is bestowing upon us.

ARE WE GRATEFUL FOR THE COUNTLESS BLESSINGS GOD HAS BESTOWED UPON US DURING THE WEEK?



The Father created and predestined us; on the first day of the week He began the work of creation.



The Holy Spirit sanctified us, made us His temple; on Sunday the Holy Spirit descended upon the infant Church.

Sunday, therefore, is the day of the Most Holy Trinity.

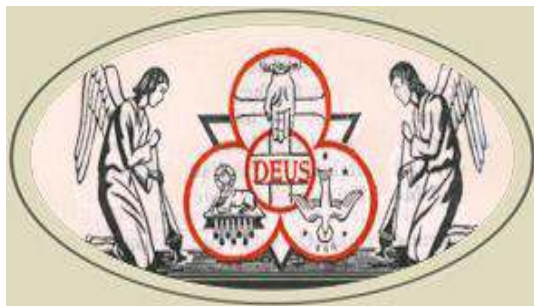
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PRAYER ON TRINITY SUNDAY

"Blessed be the Holy Trinity" (Introit)
"In the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit" (Gospel).

The Most Adorable Trinity! **"All things"** good, in nature and grace, flow from and return to the Trinity; **"from Him,"** God the Father, our Creator; **"through Him"** God the Son, our Redeemer; **"unto Him,"** God the Holy Spirit, our Sanctifier (*Epistle*).



May we ever be **"on the alert"** to the presence of the Trinity in our souls! At Baptism we became the adopted **"sons of the Father,"** **"co-heirs with Christ,"** **"temples of the Holy Spirit!"**

In our offering of Holy Mass, **"we will give glory to"** the Trinity (*Introit*), and God will show **"mercy to us"** (*Offertory, Communion*). On this Feast we should also renew our baptismal vows that this **"profession of our faith. . .may be of profit to our health, in body and soul"** (*Post communion*).

Excerpted from My Sunday Missal, Confraternity of the Precious Blood

By Terry Yee



Easter Celebrations In Review



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GIFT Generously

This weekend, 15/16 June, being the 3rd weekend of the month, there will be a second collection to receive your monthly pledges and contributions for the GIFT (Giving in Faith & Thankfulness) campaign to support the organisations and projects of the archdiocese. Every Catholic is encouraged to sign up for a pledge to help with continued support for the numerous archdiocesan organisations needed for the mission of the church. More info is available at gift.catholicfoundation.sg.

Choice Weekend

Delight yourself in building authentic relationships and it'll reward you for a lifetime. Experience what really matters in life. Come to know, to love and to serve as Jesus has shown us. All found in a Choice weekend - treat yourself. **Sign up today at our booth.** This is applicable only to single adults.

Ages (18 - 34): Sep 27 & Nov 29

Ages (35- 45): Jun 28

Venue: Choice Retreat House

Cost: \$90 (room and board)

Personal Moral Compass Course 2019

By Rev Fr David Garcia, OP.

The Personal Moral Compass Course is for all Catholics and all people of goodwill interested in formation in the foundations of Ethics and Moral Theology. It is a one-year systematic course in Moral Theology consisting of 6 individual modules. This course is organised by Caritas Singapore.

Module 4: "Ethics of Love, Sex and Marriage" is starting on 12 July 2019 for 7 Sessions.

The course will be held weekly **on Fridays, 7:30pm to 9:30pm**, in **Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo Street**. For more information and registration, please refer to the Caritas Singapore website: www.caritas-singapore.org or email to formation@caritas-singapore.org

Calling all Early Childhood Educators, Educarers and EIPIC teachers!

CANOSSAVILLE is recruiting Childcare teachers with relevant Early Childhood qualifications (L1, L2 Teaching Certification) to be part of our dynamic Canossian Catholic family. We have vacancies for English, Chinese, Educarers and EIPIC Teachers. Excellent remuneration and benefits provided. We warmly invite those interested to send in your resumes to HR@canossaville.org.sg. For more info, contact us at 8131 8614.

Journey into the Woods Pilgrimage cum Retreat

The Rosary Apostolate from the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes invites the faithful to a 5Day/4Night Pilgrimage cum Retreat to the following Churches in West Malaysia:
Church of Our Lady of Lourdes: Ipoh
St. Joseph's Church: Batu Gajah, Perak
Church of Our Mother of Perpetual Help: Ipoh

Retreat Theme: Journey into the woods - Dialogue with God: In the light of the messages of the Marian Apparitions in Lourdes and Fatima.

Dates: Wednesday, 16th Oct 2019 - Sunday, 20th Oct 2019

Invited speakers: Rev Frs Victor Emmanuel (Archdiocese of Hyderabad) & Augustine Joseph (Fr AJ) (Archdiocese of Singapore)

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Priests of the Parish

Parish Priest: Fr. Terence Pereira (ext. 6)

Asst. Parish Priest: Fr. John Van Dich MEP (ext. 5)

Asst. Parish Priest: Fr. Augustine Joseph (ext. 10)

Parish Collection

Weekend Collections

\$6050

Celebrant Schedule

Date	Eucharistic Celebration	Celebrant	Preacher
15 June	5.30 pm	Fr Terence	Fr Terence
16 June	10 am	Fr Terence	Fr Terence
16 June	5.30pm	Fr Augustine	Fr Terence
22 June	5.30 pm	Fr Augustine	Fr Augustine
23 June	10 am	Fr Augustine	Fr Augustine
23 June	5.30pm	Fr Augustine	Fr Augustine

Eucharistic Celebration

Opening Hours

Weekend Eucharist
Sat Sunset: 5.30 pm (E)
Sun: 8 am (M), 10 am (E),
 5.30 pm (E)
Confession:
 30 mins before EC

Weekday Eucharist
Mon - Fri: 6.30 am & 6 pm
Sat: 6.30 am

Eucharist on Public Holidays
 7.30 am only

Holy Hour
 7.30 pm,
 1st Fri of the month only.

Parish Admin Office
Mon - Fri: 8.30 am to 5 pm
Sat: 8.30 am to 11 am;
 2 pm to 4.30 pm
Sun: Closed

Adoration Room
 Daily: 7 am to 10 pm

Columbarium
 Daily: 7 am to 7 pm
 Prayers:
 every 3rd Sun of the month only.
 9 am (M) & 11.30 am (E)

Canteen
 Sun: 7 am to 12 pm

(M): Mandarin; (E) English;
 (EC) Eucharistic Celebration

Notices

Priests' Retreat 1 – 5 July 2019

Fr Terence, Fr John, and Fr Augustine will be away from 1 – 5 July for the archdiocesan annual Priests' Retreat.

There will be no Eucharistic Celebrations on these days. There will be only Communion Service at 6pm during these dates.

Please note that Eucharistic Celebrations are still available on these dates/times: 1 July, Monday at 6.30am and 5 July, Friday after Holy Hour at 8.30pm.

Wedding Bells

Those who desire to enter into the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony will have to book their wedding dates one year in advance. The booking will be confirmed only when the necessary documents are signed.

Infant Baptism

1st Saturday of Aug, Oct and Dec

Preparation for Infant Baptism

To help families prepare early for their baby's baptism, we invite pregnant mothers in their **second trimester** to register with the Parish Admin Office.

Email: csm.secretariat@catholic.org.sg.

Get your E-bulletin

In our effort to do something for the environment, we encourage you to register with us for the E-bulletin by emailing our secretary @ csm.secretariat@catholic.org.sg.

Hardcopy bulletins are given out to those without email addresses/ elderly.

24 Hours with the Lord

21 to 22 Jun,

Friday 7.30pm to Saturday 7.30pm

Worship Hall

As we are going to celebrate the feast of Corpus Christi, we invite you to prepare for this by spending 24 hours with the Lord and bathing in His love.

Please note: Adoration Room will be closed during this period.

Consecration of the Family to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

28 Jun, Friday

@ 6pm Eucharistic Celebration

On this day, we will have the consecration of the family to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Those interested, please take note.



Holy Hour

5 July, Friday @ 7.30pm

Eucharistic Celebration @ 8.30pm

Come abide with the Lord. Let us open our hearts to listen to our God whom we adore.

Bible Mondays

Father Terence will be teaching about Prophet Amos!

Dates: 15 Jul to 16 Sept, on Mondays

Time: 7.45PM to 9.45PM


Venue: Worship Hall

No registrations will be required. Bring your Bibles!

Evening Brew

19 July, Friday @ 7.30pm

Have a question about the Faith or Theology that needs quenching? Come you who are thirsty! Come and unpack your deepest queries over a cuppa (of tea).



"If I take the wings of dawn
and dwell beyond the sea,
Even there your hand
guides me, your right hand
holds me fast."
Psalm 139: 9 -10



A Better Parish

Would you like this to be a better Parish?
Would you like to tell us?
Give it some thought ... and stay tuned for more.