



NEW BATCH OF RCIA

Our parish will launch a new batch of RCIA
**on Saturday morning, 10am-12 noon,
starting 2nd March to mid October 2019.**

We invite those called by the Lord to serve as facilitators and sponsors
to sign up now. Registration form available at the information slots.

For more information, contact Agnes Tiong at 9824 5926
or email: agnestiong31@gmail.com

2019 CATECHISM REGISTRATION FOR PRIMARY LEVEL

Compulsory registration for all children who will participate
in catechism sessions the coming year.

(Including those who are already attending catechism.)

Registration: <https://tinyurl.com/2019-Cat-Registration>



INVITATION TO BE A CHILDREN CATECHIST, ASSISTANT CATECHIST AND TRAINEE

To find out how you can be part of this exciting ministry of
drawing our young people to Christ, please register your
interest. We will contact you to attend a meet-us session for
you to find out more about us before you commit your
registration with us.

<https://tinyurl.com/HC-Catechist-Registration>



BE A FACILITATOR

CATECHISM FACILITATOR RECRUITMENT (SECONDARY LEVEL)

We warmly present you an opportunity to help build our future church.
You will be intimately and meaningfully involved in guiding our youth
through teen-hood and towards God. Many of our youth in Holy Cross
have testified to the immense impact of their facilitators.

You can be a part of this too.

TO HELP YOU DISCERN, WE'RE CONDUCTING A TRIAL
FACILITATORS WORKSHOP JUST FOR YOU.

To sign up for this workshop, follow the link:

<https://goo.gl/mjLjrj>

or scan the QR code to register.

If you have any queries, contact our Catechists
Aaron 8228 9138 / Stephanie 9726 6712



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*OUR VISION: To be a communion of communities with intentional disciples
centred on Jesus Christ, commissioned to evangelize and to serve.*

10 & 11 Nov 2018

**THIRTY-SECOND
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

First Reading

1 Kings 17:10-16

Second Reading

Hebrews 9:24-28

Gospel

Mark 12:38-44

Reflection



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THE CALL TO DISCIPLESHIP

The core vocation in the Gospel of Mark is the
vocation, or call, to discipleship. Today's Gospel
passage provides us with one last example of what
the vocation to discipleship means, and one example
of what it doesn't mean. A destitute widow shows us
that discipleship means following Jesus' way of
service, even if it requires giving one's livelihood (or
life). The scribes show us by their bad example that
discipleship should entail a vocation to extend God's
care to those who are most in need.

In our reading from the book of Kings another widow
and her son are close to death. They too give what
little they have, but they are rewarded by Elijah with
food enough for a year. And the reading from the
Letter to the Hebrews reminds us that Jesus sacrificed
his life "to bring salvation to those who eagerly await
him" (Hebrews 9:28). Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays:

Lauds - 6.15am, Mass - 6.30am
Vespers - 6pm, Mass - 6.15pm
Lunchtime Mass - 12.15pm

Saturday:

Lauds - 6.15am, Mass - 6.30am
Novena - 4.15pm
Sunset Mass - 5pm
Mandarin - 6.30pm

Sunday:

7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am & 5pm
Tagalog (Every 2nd Sun) - 2.30pm

Public Holiday:

Morning Mass @ 8am
No Lauds before Mass

P.A.R.I.S.H Holy Hour:

Every 1st Friday at 8pm

Prayer Room Opening Hours:

Everyday - 7am to 10pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

15 minutes before evening Masses
on Saturday and all masses on
Sunday.

Infant Baptism:

@12.45pm 1st Sunday of:

Jan, Mar, May, July, Sep & Nov.

Funeral Arrangements:

Please check with the Parish Office
for the availability of the Priest
and Church before confirming the
timing for cremation or burial.

Wedding:

Please contact the
Secretariat, at least six months
before for availability of dates.

Para Counselling Services:

Call 63820688 from Monday-Friday
between 10am - 5pm to make
an appointment.

2nd Collection

1st week of the month - for the
Apostolate of St Vincent de Paul.

3rd week of the month - for GIFT
Program of Catholic Foundation.



CHRISTMAS PAGEANT 2018

Monday, 24 December @6.30pm

CHILDREN AND ADULTS OF ALL AGES ARE WELCOME.

Volunteers needed:

Actors/Actresses, Playwriters, Props, Costumes,
Support Music, Food providers, etc.

To register: <https://tinyurl.com/ChristmasPageant2018>
or scan the QR code by 11 Nov 2018.



WEEK OF GUIDED PRAYER (WOGP)

18 - 24 NOVEMBER (SUN - SAT)

AT CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS - ALL SAINTS HALL

Learn how to pray with Scripture and develop a closer relationship with the Lord.

Sun, 18 Nov (2pm-5pm): Orientation Talk.

Mon-Fri, 18-23 Nov (9am-10pm): Daily personal prayer and meeting
with prayer guide.

Sat, 24 Nov (2pm-5pm): Concluding session.

Offering: \$30/participant

Register now via Website: www.sojourners.sg,
email: wogp@sojourners.sg, Parish Office
or Church Foyer: on 10-11 Nov 2018 at weekend Masses.



CHARISMATIC RENEWAL MOVEMENT

Come PRAISE and THANK the LORD with us
on Tuesdays 7.45pm @ All Saints Hall, Level 1

Topics for Talks in November & December 2018

13 Nov: Growth – The World & Christian Community	Nicholas Chia
20 Nov: Growth – Overcoming The Flesh	Fr Anthony Vinay
27 Nov: -----Fellowship -----	
4 Dec: Growth – Repairing Wrongdoing	Terrence Francisco
11 Dec: Growth – Overcoming The Works of The Evil One	Fr Henry Siew
18 Dec: -----Break for Christmas -----	
25 Dec: -----Break for Christmas -----	



* All are Welcome *

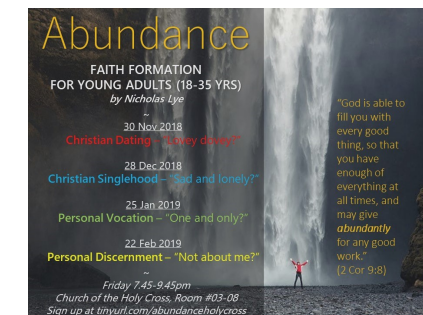
Abundance

FAITH FORMATION FOR YOUNG ADULTS (18-35 YRS)

Friday 7.45 - 9.45pm

@ Church of the Holy Cross, Room 03-08

By Nicholas Lye



30 Nov 18: Christian Dating - "Lovey dovey?"

28 Dec 18: Christian Singlehood - "Sad and lonely?"

25 Jan 19: Personal Vocation - "One and only?"

22 Feb 19: Personal Discernment - "Not about me?"

Sign up at tinyurl.com/abundanceholycross

IS BLIND FAITH A VIRTUE?

The "heart" is often contrasted against "head knowledge" in the Christian faith. Is it actually more virtuous to rely less on the intellect when it comes to matters of religion? What then is faith and what is the role of reason? Explore this issue through the teaching of John Paul II's encyclical Faith and Reason and discover how this is critical in the task of evangelization.

Date: 20 Nov 2018, 7.30 - 9pm

Venue: CANA The Catholic Centre (55 Waterloo Street #02-01)

Speaker: Mr Kelvin Ng

Your enquiries and registrations to:
theology.sg@gmail.com or call Nick at Mobile 97843682

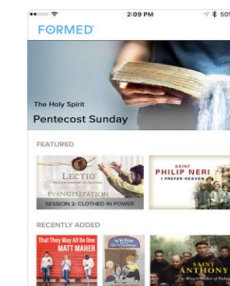
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GIFT PROGRAM OF CATHOLIC FOUNDATION



Next weekend, 17/18 November, 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.