# The kingdom of heaven

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Matthew 13:44



### LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR (LISS) 2023 "ALIVE IN GOD'S LOVE!"

Do you desire a new life in the Holy Spirit? Romans 5:5 ".... because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us."



The Life in the Spirit Seminar is a series of 9 weekly in-person sessions from Tuesday, 22 August to 17 October 2023 at 8pm. Join us for praise and worship and rediscover God's love for you!

If you missed Confirmation at a younger age, you can attend this as a preparatory course.



For more info, visit the booth at church entrance.



Hallelujah! Come SING PRAISES, THANK the LORD and PRAY for healing with us. Tuesdays, 8pm @ All Saints Hall

### **TOPICS FOR TALKS IN AUGUST 2023**

1 Aug: CRM 43rd Anniversary Celebration

\*All are welcome!\*

8 Aug: St John Vianney by Fr Andrew Lin

### AIR-CON REPLACEMENT - FINAL APPEAL

Thank you for your kind support & contribution. The total cost for the project is \$890,418. As of 27th July 2023, we have raised \$575,493.

Please support by cash, cheque payable to "Church of the Holy Cross" or PayNow: UEN: T08CC4054D (Indicate Aircon").

Thank you for your continued support and generosity. The accounting for this project will close on 31 July 2023.

### **PARISH HOLY HOUR**

### Friday, 4 August 2023 at 8pm

"Gaze upon him, consider him, contemplate him, as you desire to imitate him." St Clare of Assisi



Come, spend an hour in the presence of Jesus.

# SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (DAY OF OBLIGATION)

Monday, 14 August (Eve) 6.30pm & 8.15pm (Mandarin)





### Offering of flowers to our Lady - \$20 & \$50.

Donation coupons will be available at the entrance of the church this weekend and 5/6 August 2023.

You can fill in your petitions / thanksgiving on the back of and drop them into the boxes.

### **INFANT BAPTISM**

### Sunday, 3 September 2023 at 12.45pm

Closing date for registration: **Sunday, 20 August 2023** 

Preparatory session for parents and God-parents:

Saturday, 26 August at 1pm Venue: St Michael's Room



### **HC PARISH SENSING SURVEY 2023**

### Part 3: Willingness to bring non-Catholic friends to Church

### Summary:

- 73.5% said 'YES' versus 26.5% said 'NO'
- Majority understood our call as missionary disciples to share the good news



Sunday in Ordinary

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#### **PUBLIC HOLIDAY - NATIONAL DAY**

### Wednesday, 9 August 2023

Masses at 7.30am and 9am.

\*NO noon and evening Masses \*



### **HOLY CROSS' NCC DAY**

### Mass & Fellowship: 9 Aug 2023 @ 9.00am

Inviting all parishioners in the following estates to come celebrate NCC Day (Neighbourhood Christian Community Day) with the Eucharist, followed by fellowship and refreshment.

Dover Estate	Blocks 1 to 5, 12 to 20, 21 to 28, Heritage View, Dover Parkview
Casa Clementi Ave 1 / C'wealth Ave West	Blocks 410 to 425, 418 to 425
Clementi Ave 2	Blocks 349 to 366, 328 to 388
Clementi Ave 3	Blocks 426 to 462
Clementi Ave 5	Blocks 339 to 348, 377 to 381, 324 to 327

For purpose of food preparation, please register by 31 July 2023.

Scan the QR code or use the link: tinyurl.com/HCNCCDay.



### PRO-BONO COUNSELLING BY CATHOLIC FAMILY LIFE

Struggling with life's issues? Pro-bono counselling is available to anyone who requires support. Complete Family Life

To book your session, please visit: pbc.familylife.sg. For more information, please call 6631 8963 (Monday - Friday).

### CHURCH OF HOLY CROSS SPECIAL NEEDS PARENTS' SUPPORT

Come join us build community, safe for love to dwell. Come, hear and see what Faith and Light Community has to offer.

Information session on Sunday, 10 September 2023 from 8pm to 9.30pm via Zoom (link on Telegram). Join our Telegram Channel for details via QR Code or link: tinyurl.com/HC-SNPS.



### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR **ADULTS (RCIA) 2023/24**

### Thursdays, 7.45pm to 9.45pm

RCIA has begun on Thursday, 13 July 2023. Registration is still open. To register, scan the QR code or use the link:



tinyurl.com/holycrosschurch-rcia

For more information, contact Daniel Ng at 9776 7432 or holycrosschurch.rcia@gmail.com

Registration closes on 9 Sept.



### **FAITH ENRICHMENT**

2. JOIN US You are welcome to sit-in during the sessions to enrich your faith. Pre-registration is NOT required.

#### RCIA (Sat), 10am, All Saints Hall

5 Aug: **Baptism and Confirmation** 

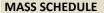
12 Aug: The Eucharist

#### RCIA (Thu), 7:45 pm, All Saints Hall

The Holy Trinity simply explained 3 Aug:

10 Aug: God our Heavenly Father

\*All are welcome!\*



Weekdays: Lauds - 6.15am & Mass - 6.30am Lunchtime Mass - 12.15pm Evening Mass & Vespers - 6pm. Saturday: 7.30am Saturday Sunset Mass - 4.10pm & 6pm (Mandarin) Sunday - 7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am & 5pm Public Holidays - 7.30am & 9am

**OTHERS** Adoration Room - Daily till 10pm

Holy Hour - Every 1st Friday at 8pm Novena Devotion - Every Saturday at 3.30pm





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