

October 8, 2023

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take care of this vine,  
and protect what your  
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Psalms 80:15-16

Twenty-Seventh  
**SUNDAY**  
in Ordinary Time

**OCTOBER ROSARY PRAYERS  
AT THE GROTTA**

All are welcome to pray the rosary every Sunday after the 5pm Mass in October, the month of the Rosary to honour our Blessed Mother.



**MOVIE NIGHT - Guang 光 (89 minutes)**

*Friday, 20 October, 8pm @the Auditorium*

Wen Guang, an autistic young man, is cared for by his younger brother. Things are taking a toll on the brother and he sends Wen Guang out to look for work, but holding on to his job is a difficult task. The challenge is complicated by Wen Guang's secret passion which becomes a full-blown compulsion causing even more exasperation to his brother and desperation to himself. *~ Free Admission. ~*



Free dinner is available at the Canteen from 7.00pm. Love offering is welcome.

**FAITH ENRICHMENT**

You are cordially invited to join the sessions to enrich your faith. Pre-registration is NOT required.



**\*All are welcome!\***

**RCIA (Thursday), 7:45 pm, All Saints Hall**

- 12 Oct: Jesus and the Greatest Commandments
- 19 Oct: Jesus and the Greater Righteousness
- 26 Oct: Jesus and the Kingdom of God

**RCIA (Saturday), 10am, All Saints Hall**

- 14 Oct: The Our Father
- 21 Oct: Catholicism and Christianity
- 28 Oct: The Last Things

**FORMED - THE CATHOLIC FAITH.  
ON DEMAND**

Free sign up! A digital platform that provides excellent Catholic resources for all ages.

Log on to: [holycross.formed.org](http://holycross.formed.org)

**THE MARRIAGE KIT**

Calling all married couples!

Experience and use the Marriage Kit to improve communication, learn or relearn conflict resolution techniques, fortify your marriage.



Time: 7.30 pm to 10.00 pm

Venue: St Michael's Room,  
**Church of the Holy Cross**

You are welcome to attend any session:

- 2 Nov: Marriage
- 9 Nov: Love Deconstructed
- 16 Nov: Let's Talk
- 23 Nov: Let's Talk... About Sex
- 30 Nov: Couple Decisions

Register at [tinyurl.com/MKHolyCross](http://tinyurl.com/MKHolyCross)

**UNDERSTANDING AND MANAGING  
CHALLENGING BEHAVIOURS**

Inviting teachers, catechists, families & friends with special needs children.



Date: Saturday, 28 October

Time: 10 am to 12 noon

Venue: St Michael's Room,  
Church of The Holy Cross

To register, join our Telegram Channel for details or join link [tinyurl.com/HC-UMCB](http://tinyurl.com/HC-UMCB)



**INFANT BAPTISM**

*Sunday, 5 November 2023 at 12.45pm*

Closing date for registration:  
**Sunday, 22 October 2023**

Compulsory preparatory session for parents and God-parents:  
**Saturday, 28 October at 1pm**



Venue: St Michael's Room



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### VOLUNTEERS FOR INDIVIDUALISED CATECHESIS

We are forming a pool of volunteers to provide individualised catechesis to those who are unable to join our regular RCIA programme due to their nature of work, health, age, or other difficulties.

If you feel called to exercise this service, sign up via QR code or link [tinyurl.com/IndividualCatForm](https://tinyurl.com/IndividualCatForm)



A briefing will be organised in due course and training will be provided.

### CHARIS' HUMANITARIAN MONTH

Caritas Humanitarian Aid & Relief Initiatives, Singapore (CHARIS), is making its annual appeal for their Humanitarian Aid Fund which supports the Archdiocese's overseas humanitarian aid and disaster relief efforts.



Donation envelopes are available in the parish. Alternatively, you can send a crossed cheque payable to "Humanitarian Aid Fund" with your name and contact information to: CHARIS, 55 Waterloo Street #07-02 Catholic Centre S187954.

Contact CHARIS at 6337 4119 or visit the website [charis-singapore.org](https://charis-singapore.org) for more information.

### TREASURE #15: A CATHOLIC ENCOUNTER RETREAT FOR YOUNG WORKING ADULTS (AGE: 21 - 35) 23 Nov (Thur) 7.45pm to 26 Nov (Sun) 6pm

Have the demands and worries of life left you feeling lost, empty or broken-hearted? The Lord invites us to Begin Again with Him.

Full stay-in at OYP (2 Lorong Low Koon S536449)

Cost: \$162 (incl. 8% of GST)

Sign up via link: [tinyurl.com/OYPTreasure15](https://tinyurl.com/OYPTreasure15)

Email [treasure.oyp@catholic.org.sg](mailto:treasure.oyp@catholic.org.sg) for info.

### PIETA MEMORIAL MASS 2023 - FOR CHILDREN WHO HAVE DIED

*Friday, 10 November, 8pm at Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour (OLPS)*

Parents who wish to include their children's names for the Memorial Mass, please register via the link [tinyurl.com/Pieta-MM2023](https://tinyurl.com/Pieta-MM2023)



Closing date: 1 Nov 2023

For more information or details : email [pietamass@gmail.com](mailto:pietamass@gmail.com) or visit [pietasingapore.org](https://pietasingapore.org)

### "FOOD FOR THE JOURNEY" - ORGANISED BY WCCM SINGAPORE

Join Fr Laurence Freeman OSB & discover how Christian meditation can help you to deepen your prayer life and grow closer to God.

· Two Evening Talks on 2 and 3 Nov (Thu & Fri) 7.30pm - 9.30pm. Venue: SFX Upp Bt Timah.

· Weekend Retreat on Saturday, 4 Nov 9am - 5pm and Sunday, 5 Nov 9am - 4pm

For more details and to register, please scan the QR code.



Enquiries: Audrey Lim 9295 2862 or Josephine Lee 9773 3387

### FOCOLARE MOVEMENT

*Saturday, 11 Nov 2023, 9am - 9pm*

The Focolare Movement whose charism is based on unity is organising its annual One Day Mariapolis Gathering at Agape Village. This year's theme is: Mission: Called by Love and Sent!



Programme includes lunch, dinner and Mass. Separate programmes for children under 12.

Register via the link: [tinyurl.com/Foco-Movt](https://tinyurl.com/Foco-Movt)

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### MASS SCHEDULE

**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