

BEHOLD, I AM  
THE HANDMAID OF THE LORD.  
MAY IT BE DONE TO ME  
ACCORDING TO YOUR WORD.  
LUKE 1:38

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## MASS SCHEDULE

**\*Reminder: attend both 4th Sunday of Advent  
& Christmas Masses to fulfil your obligations.\***

### CHRISTMAS EVE - SUNDAY, 24 DEC 2023

\*Carolling 30 mins before Mass\*

7.30pm: English Mass

9.45pm: Mandarin Mass

12mn: Midnight Mass



### CHRISTMAS DAY - MONDAY, 25 DEC 2023

7.30am, 9.30am and 11.30am.

\*No evening Mass.\*

### NEW YEAR'S EVE - SUNDAY, 31 DEC 2023

7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am and 5pm

Thanksgiving Mass: 7pm (Bilingual)

### PUBLIC HOLIDAY: MONDAY, 1 JAN 2024

#### SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

7.30am and 9am.

\*No evening Mass.\*



## WELCOME CARDINAL GIORGIO MARENGO

Cardinal Giorgio Marengo, head of Apostolic Prefecture of Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia will be celebrating Mass on Sunday, 7 Jan 2024 at 5pm.

He will meet and bless well wishers in the canteen after Mass.



## 2024 CATECHISM REGISTRATION

Registration for 2024 Catechism is now open! Both new and existing students need to register online via [myCatholic.sg](http://myCatholic.sg).

For more information or enquires, email to [holycrosscatechism@gmail.com](mailto:holycrosscatechism@gmail.com).



Time slots:

K1 - Pri 6: Sundays 8am - 9.15am,  
Sundays 10am - 11.15am

Sec 1 - 3: Saturdays 1.30pm - 3.30pm

Blessed & Merry Christmas to all!

From: Fr Henry Siew,  
Fr Robertus Sarwiseso,  
Fr Andrew Lin &  
Fr Anthony Ho



## PARISH ROSARY

Friday, 29 Dec 2023 • 8pm • via Zoom

ID: 724 702 0490

Password: 129955

Theme: "Thanksgiving."

Let us pray as one Community!



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## PARISH HOLY HOUR

Friday, 5 January 2024 • 8pm

"When you look at the crucifix, you understand how much Jesus loved you then. When you look at the Sacred Host, you understand how much Jesus loves you now." - Saint Teresa of Calcutta.



Come, spend an hour in the presence of Jesus.

## INFANT BAPTISM

Sunday, 7 January 2024 • 12.45pm

Closing date for registration:  
**Sunday, 24 December 2023**

Compulsory preparatory session for parents and God-parents:

**Saturday, 30 December at 1pm**  
Venue: St Michael's Room



## PRO-BONO COUNSELLING BY CATHOLIC FAMILY LIFE

To book a session, visit: [pbc.familylife.sg](http://pbc.familylife.sg). For more info, call 6631 8963 (Monday – Friday).

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF  
**ADVENT**  
December, 24th 2023



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## TIME FOR TEA - BE OUR GUEST

Organised by Special Needs Parents' Support Group. Let's come together to shape our 2024 plan! Join us for the tea session:-

Date: Saturday, 6 Jan 2024

Time: 1.15pm - 3.15pm

Venue: All Saints Hall  
Church of the Holy Cross

Register via the QR Code or use this link:  
[tinyurl.com/CHCTimeforTea](https://tinyurl.com/CHCTimeforTea)



## FAITH ENRICHMENT

You are invited to attend the sessions to enrich your faith. Pre-registration NOT required.

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



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

- 04 Jan: The Communion of Saints
- 11 Jan: Devotions & Sacramentals - Home session with Rosary
- 18 Jan: Catholicism & Christianity
- 25 Jan: No session

## RECRUITMENT FOR RCIA SERVICE TEAM (SATURDAY 10AM - 12NN)

Our RCIA Team prepares adults to receive the sacraments of Christian initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Eucharist). The new batch will begin after Chinese New Year 2024.

We welcome practicing and committed Catholics to join us as missionary disciples to share our faith with the inquirers. Training will be provided.

Come! Sign up now as Ministry members or Sponsors by scanning the QR code or use the link:  
[tinyurl.com/RCIA-SAT](https://tinyurl.com/RCIA-SAT)



For more information, contact Nicholas Ng at 8826 5121 via WhatsApp.

## NOW HIRING: YOUTH PASTORAL COORDINATOR

We are looking for a Christ-centred individual with contagious faith to empower our young people to live as disciples of Jesus Christ in our world today. You will be primarily responsible for journeying with and spiritually developing our growing youth community.

Please enquire or send your resume to Fr Andrew Lin at [andrew.lin@catholic.org.sg](mailto:andrew.lin@catholic.org.sg)



## MY PERSONAL COMPASS: SHORTENED EDITION BY FR DAVID GARCIA, OP

**18 January to 21 March 2024 •**

**7.30pm - 9.30pm • CANA at Catholic Ctr**

My Personal Compass returns in a shortened edition this year. Come and get introduced to the basics of morality in an increasingly complex world. 10 sessions. Fee: \$100.

To register, visit: [tinyurl.com/y38faeyr](https://tinyurl.com/y38faeyr)

For enquiries, please email Caritas Singapore at [mPMC@caritas-singapore.org](mailto:mPMC@caritas-singapore.org)

## FAMILY CONFERENCE 2024 - BUILDING STRONGER FAMILIES IN A CONNECTED YET DISCONNECTED WORLD

**Friday, 27 Jan 2024 • 9.00am – 5.00pm • Saint Francis Xavier Seminary Building**

The conference aims to unpack the challenges and opportunities of modern family life, with a focus on building resilience, understanding, and unity, by integrating our Catholic faith and values in family life.

Calling Parents, Grand-parents, Caregivers and Educators, join us at our Family Conference 2024! To register, scan the QR code. For more information, visit [familylife.sg/FamilyConference2024](https://familylife.sg/FamilyConference2024)



## 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

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