



Sixteen Sunday in Ordinary Time 20th July 2025

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA)

Thursdays • 7.30pm - 9.30pm • All Saints Hall

Invite your friends to know Jesus, the Light (John 8:12).

RCIA started on 3 July 2025.

Registration is still open until 6 Sept 2025.

To register, please scan the QR code or via link
tinyurl.com/holycrosschurch-rcia

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



BIBLE STUDY: THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

What does it mean for a community to follow Jesus? With full benefit of the Holy Spirit, the earliest believers shaped communities of faith from Jerusalem to Rome and all points in between. Paul, a model of courage and missionary spirit, becomes our primary guide as the Gospel sinks its roots into the soil of our world.

Date: 30 Jul - 15 Oct 2025 (10 sessions)

No session on 10 and 17 Sep.

Venue: Church of the Holy Cross

Time: Every Wed, 7.45pm – 9.45pm

Cost: \$30



Register by scanning the QR code.

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LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR (LISS) 2025

Tuesdays • 19 Aug - 14 Oct 2025 • 8pm

Do you desire to be renewed and empowered by the Holy Spirit? The Life in the Spirit Seminar is a series of 10 weekly in-person sessions. 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.

To find out more or register, scan the QR code or click tinyurl.com/HCLISS2025



WELCOME NEW STAFF

- 1) Gerard Chua has joined the parish office as the Pastoral Assistant (Liturgy and Life).
- 2) Timothy Chong joined on 14th July as the Youth Coordinator.

FAITH ENRICHMENT

RCIA • Saturdays • 10am - 12pm • All Saints Hall

You are invited to attend the sessions to enrich your faith. *Pre-registration is NOT required.* All are welcome!

19 July Jesus and the Kingdom of God

26 July Holy Spirit and the Church

02 Aug No Session

CHARISMATIC RENEWAL MOVEMENT (CRM)

COME join us every **Tuesday, 8pm at All Saints Hall** for an evening of PRAISE and WORSHIP to GIVE GLORY TO GOD and hear more of God's word!



22 July

Gifts of the Holy Spirit Part 1 by Fr Henry Siew

29 July

Gifts of the Holy Spirit Part 2 by Philip Kok

5 August

CRM 45th Anniversary Mass and Fellowship

~ All are welcome ~

GIFT CONTRIBUTION

This weekend, being the 3rd weekend of the month, there will be a 2nd collection for Catholic Foundation's GIFT (Giving in Faith & Thankfulness) programme to fund the Archdiocese's organisations and initiatives for youth, evangelisation, catechesis, formation and others.

For more information, visit catholicfoundation.sg.

Thank you for your generosity.



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ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Deacon Timothy Soo

Date: Saturday, 9 Aug 2025 (National Day)

Time: 10am

Venue: Church of St. Francis Xavier

Deacon Timothy Soo will be ordained to the priesthood by Cardinal William Goh.

All are welcome to attend the Mass and the lunch reception that follows. Please keep Deacon Timothy in your prayers.

No parking on-site. Please use public transport or park at nearby public carparks.



SFXMS DIOCESAN VOCATION RETREAT 2025

Have you felt a desire to give more? Do you think the Lord may be inviting you to consider the diocesan priesthood?

The St Francis Xavier Major Seminary invites all young men aged 21 to 35 for their annual Vocation Retreat happening from 22 to 24 Aug 2025. Priority will be given to first timers.

To register, please scan the QR code or the link: tiny.cc/vocation2025

Closing date: 3 Aug 2025.



RETROUVAILLE WEEKEND

If you are considering separation, divorce, or are already divorced and want to get back together, Retrouvaille may just be what you need as a couple.

Retrouvaille is an international programme that came to Singapore in 1993. The programme aims to help troubled couples mend their relationships.

The Retrouvaille Weekend starts on Friday, 26 Sep at 8pm and finishes on Sunday, 28 Sep at 6pm. This is a Couple stay-in weekend.

Register via link: bit.ly/RetroWE or scan the QR code. For any query or information, contact Joan at 9628 0188.



PRO-BONO COUNSELLING BY CATHOLIC FAMILY LIFE (CFL)

Struggling with life's issues?

Pro-bono counselling is available to anyone who requires support. To book your session, please visit the website: pbc.familylife.sg.

For more info, please call 6631 8963 (Monday – Friday).



WALK WITH CARITAS FAMILY 2025

Saturday • 23 Aug 2025 • 8am - 11am • Gardens by the Bay (The Meadows)

Join us for a meaningful 4km walkathon that brings together people of all ages and all walks of life to support those in need.

Organised by Caritas S'pore, together with Canossaville Children & Community Services and CHIJ Sanctuary for Children, this flagship community event unites over 12 Catholic charitable organisations walking in solidarity to support the most vulnerable in our community.

Participants will receive an event T-shirt and coloured socks representing the cause they're walking for. After the walk, enjoy a vibrant community carnival and sustainability marketplace, a fun-filled morning of faith in action for everyone in the family!

Register TODAY using the QR code or link: bit.ly/wwcf2025



PIETA SINGAPORE

PIETA is a support group for bereaved parents who have united in faith to seek God's comfort, wisdom and hope. Our next session on **Tuesday, 22 July 2025** will be on Zoom from 7:30pm to 9:15pm.

If you wish to join us, pls email us directly at pieta.singapore@gmail.com for the Zoom link.

Visit pieta.familylife.sg for more information.



DON'T WASTE A GOOD FIGHT

Thursday • 21 August 2025 • 8pm - 10pm

It is common for spouses to have disagreements and even heated arguments. Don't waste a good fight - what have you learnt from the previous fight that you can use to build your marriage further?

Organised by Catholic Family Life - John and Joann, married for 40 years and raised 6 children will include the following in their sharing:-

- How do you fight?
- What are you really fighting about?
- How do you recover after a fight?
- How do you minimize fights?

Venue: CANA, The Catholic Ctr (L3).

Fee: \$20 per pax, \$35 per couple.

Register via bit.ly/DWAGF_Reg or scan the QR code.



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 - 7am & 8.30am

OTHERS Adoration Room - Daily till 10pm

Holy Hour - Every 1st Friday at 8pm

Novena Devotion - Every Saturday at 3.30pm