



FIFTH SUNDAY OF Lent

22nd March 2026

LENT PENITENTIAL SERVICES WEST DISTRICT CHURCHES @ 8PM



Monday, 23 Mar	Church of the Holy Cross
Tuesday, 24 Mar	Church of St Francis of Assisi
Wednesday, 25 Mar	Church of St Mary of the Angels
Thursday, 26 Mar	Church of the Blessed Sacrament

CHRISM MASS 2026

Thursday • 2 April 2026 • 10.30am

This year, the Chrism Mass will be held at Church of Christ the King. The priests will renew their priestly commitment and the three holy oils will be blessed by William Cardinal Goh.



****No 6.30am and 12.15pm Masses.****



Holy Week

28/29 March - Palm Sunday

Mass as per usual Saturday and Sunday timing.
Gather at church foyer for procession before Mass.

2 April - Holy Thursday: Mass of the Lord's Supper

6pm (Mandarin) and 8pm
Eucharistic Adoration after 8pm Mass at
Main Church till midnight

3 April - Good Friday: The Passion of the Lord

Fasting and Abstinence

7am, 9am, 11am (Mandarin),
1pm, 3pm and 5pm

4 April - Easter Vigil: Holy Mass

5pm (Mandarin) and 8pm

No morning Mass and Novena devotion.

5 April - Easter Sunday

Mass as per usual Sunday
7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am and 5pm

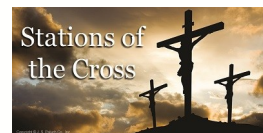
STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Friday:

27 March 2026

Mass: 6.30pm.

Stations of the Cross: 7pm.



2026 LENT PRAYER WALL

Drop your prayer requests at the EHMCS Prayer Wall outside the church entrance for prayers at Altar of Repose on Maundy Thursday.



Join the EHMCS for rosary at the Grotto after Saturday/Sunday Masses till 29 Mar 2026. Park responsibly - do not obstruct others.

CPF & Your Retirement

Plan Well. Retire Well. Live Well.

- Understanding your CPF accounts
- Overview of CPF schemes explained simply
- How CPF supports you at different life stages
- What to expect from your retirement payouts
- Q&A session by CPF Board officers

Tuesday, 24 March 2026 | 10:00am – 11:30am

All Saints Hall, Church of the Holy Cross



EASTER FAMILY MASS & POST MASS ACTIVITIES

Sunday • 5 April • 9.30am and 11.30am Masses

Join us at the church foyer after Mass for Easter Family Activities with prizes to be won!

Front pews in church will be reserved for families on a first-come, first-served basis.

There is **NO** Primary Catechism on 5 April 2026.



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CATECHISM CLASSES FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS - FROM 5 TO 15 YEARS OLD

Registration for Catechism Classes for Children with Special Needs is now open! These sessions are tailored to provide a supportive environment for every child to encounter God's love and participate in the life of the Church.

Parents and guardians who wish to enrol their children may register by scanning the QR code. Registration closes on **5 April 2026**. Any query, please contact Judith Chng at holycrosscatechism@gmail.com



CATECHISM MINISTRY - SETTING UP OF PARENT ENGAGEMENT TEAM

The team is looking for individuals dedicated to supporting parents in their role as the first catechists of their children. This role includes working with the Catechism Ministry to:



- identify and address areas of need in parent faith formation
- organise parents' sessions and retreats

If you are keen to learn more, contact the Religious Education Coordinator, Judith Chng, via email at holycrosscatechism@gmail.com or 9341 2822.

PIETA PRAYER SUPPORT FOR BEREAVED PARENTS

The group invites any parent who has lost a child (regardless of age and no matter how recent or long ago) to meet to pray and support each other. The next session on **Tuesday, 24 Mar 2026** will be on Zoom from 7:30pm to 9:15pm.



If you wish to join the session, please email pieta.singapore@gmail.com for the Zoom link. Visit pieta.familylife.sg for more information.

Note: In April, it will be meeting in person at Catholic Family Life at Highland Road. Please email for details.

CHARITIES WEEK 28TH FEB TO 10 MAY 2026 THEME: MERCY CANNOT WAIT

Join us in transforming lives in real, tangible ways. Through the Caritas Family, your donation will bring comfort and hope to the vulnerable communities - regardless of race or religion. Together, we can respond to their urgent needs, before it's too late.

Pick up a Charities Week envelope or scan the QR code or visit link: caritas-singapore.org/donate.



Meet the volunteers at the booth outside the church entrance on Sunday, 22 March to find out more.



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)

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) SATURDAY - SPONSORS REQUIRED

We welcome practicing and committed Catholics to join us to share our faith with the inquirers. Sign up now as Sponsors for the RCIA (Saturday).

Any query, email: holycrossrciasat@gmail.com.

CHARISMATIC RENEWAL MOVEMENT (CRM)

Tuesdays • 8pm • All Saints Hall

**Lent: A season of Renewal,
Freedom and New Fire**

Speaker: Philip Kok Date: 24 Mar 2026

All are welcome!



THREADS OF GRACE - EXHIBITION OF LITURGICAL VESTMENTS AND EMBROIDERY

10 - 24 April 2026 • Carlo Catholic Services L2

You are invited to visit the exhibition. Timing as follows:

Mon - Sat: 10.30am to 6.30pm

Sun: 10.30am to 4pm

Talk: History & Spirituality of Liturgical Vestments

by Fr. Reginald, OCD & Fr. Bartolo, OCD

Wednesday, 15 April, 7.30pm - 9.30pm

The Bethany Hall@ St Peter and Paul Church

Sharing and Demo by Mr. Heath Yeo
19/4 (Sun) 2pm - 4pm Level 2 @ Carlo

Workshop by Mr. Heath Yeo
15/4 (Wed) or 18/4 (Sat) 2pm - 4pm Level 2 @ Carlo
Fee: \$20 (Materials included) 12 pax. Register before 10/4

Organiser: Carlo Catholic Services
Registration and enquiry: Agnes, HP 8085 3241

YOUTH LENTEN EVENING @ CATHOLIC JUNIOR COLLEGE

Friday • 27 March • 129 Whitley Rd S297822

Calling all youths aged 15 to 19!

Catholic Junior College (CJC) is hosting its annual Lenten Evening programme, and you're warmly invited to attend. Cost: Free. Time:

- 5.30 to 6.30pm: Registration and Dinner
- 6.30 to 9.30pm: Programme including input, prayer, group sharing, praise and worship, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation

Scan the QR code or visit this link: go.gov.sg/cjclent26 to sign up by Friday, 20 March 2026.



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