

CANTEEN

Come to the Canteen and have a sumptuous breakfast after the 7.15am and 9.15am Masses.
 This weekend: **THE JOO CHIAT NCC.**
 Next weekend: **CHILDREN'S LITURGY.**



DIVINE MERCY

There will be only **ONE** Mass at **8.30am on Tuesday, 9th August** as it is a public holiday. There will be **NO** evening Mass. The **Parish Office and the Columbarium** will be opened from **9.00am/9.30am to 12.00pm.**

The Divine Mercy Prayer Night will be held on **Friday, 12th August 2016 @ 7.15pm.**
 Venue: Adoration Room. All are welcome!



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There will be a **2nd Collection this weekend** for the Society of St Vincent de Paul, to support the poor and needy families. Cheques should be made payable to:

"SSVP Holy Family Conference"

HOLY FAMILY INTERCESSORY PRAYER GROUP

Holy Family Intercessory Prayer Group is holding a (1-hour) Intercessory prayer session from **8-9pm on the 2nd Thursday, 11th August @AVA Room #02-01 Sea Avenue.** Come & join us intercede the prayers of our Parish & also the needs of our brothers & sisters in Christ. Call **Ivy Lee @ 9694-9422** to know more information or placing prayers.

HOLY FAMILY CHARISMATIC COMMUNITY

We will be having **Session 3** of our 5-week series of "Growing In The Holy Spirit" this **Fri 12 Aug 2016 from 8.15 pm to 9.45 pm at the Function Room, Level 4.** The topic is **"The Main Prerequisite to Receiving the Spirit"**. We warmly invite you to join us for this time of Praise & Worship, Prayer and Formation as we seek to grow in faith through the help of the Holy Spirit.

BEDOK SOUTH NCC

Join us as we gather together as brothers & sisters in Christ for our neighbourhood mass on **18 August 2016 (Thursday) at 8pm** in the home of Lynette & Patrick at **Block 68 Bedok South Ave 3 #10-522** to be celebrated by Rev Fr Donatien Davaine. All are welcome!

Celebrating Church of the Holy Family 80th Anniversary

Theme: "Holy Family, Joyfully Sharing God's Mercy"
 Family Day / Food and Fun Fair — Sunday, 11th September 2016
 Feast Day Celebrations — Friday, 30th December 2016

GOSPEL OF LUKE

Join us in our next bible study on the Gospel of Luke conducted by Fr. Eugene Vaz. Total of 12 Sessions, on Fridays, starting on **9 September, 2016.**

Time: **8:00 pm – 9:45 pm.**

Venue: Holy Family Church (main Church). Register by email: hfcbat@yahoo.com

MILESTONE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY (MWA) 2016.

Family Life Ministry (FLM) will be organising a special mass for couples celebrating their wedding anniversary on the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th ... 40th, and beyond.

Date/Day: 27th Aug 2016/Saturday Time: 10.00 a.m.

Venue: Church of the Holy Family Theme: We Still Do!

The MWA will be a special time for married couples to give thanks to God for the gift of the Sacrament of Marriage and renew their promises to each other in the presence of the community. A small reception will be held immediately after the mass.

Registration forms may be found at the Parish Office as well as at the entrances of the church. You will be able to download the event registration form at the Church's website: <http://holyfamily.org.sg/>

FURTHER CONSULTATION AND INPUT ON THE PARISH CENTRE

The building known as the "Father's House" is to be demolished and in its place a Parish Centre built to address the growing needs of our parish. A survey was held earlier in the year and based on the input obtained and in consultation with the architects who sought to make best use of space, as permissible under the prevailing laws, a concept plan was put before the Parish Assembly held on Sunday, 24th July 2016, at which some additional input had been provided. Given the importance of this endeavour and its long term impact on our Parish, it has been considered important to conduct a further consultation to ensure that all and any further input on this project be obtained.

To enable this, the concept plans for the Parish Centre are displayed at 3 Sea Avenue and the exits of the Church. Do view them and provide any input on the concept for the Parish Centre or any other issue relating to it, by handing in a note to the parish office, marked attention to the Parish Pastoral Council or sending it by email to dnayar7@yahoo.com.sg. Further, if you wish to clarify or discuss matters pertaining to the building, an input session has been scheduled for **22nd August 2016 from 7.30 pm - 9.30 pm in the Function Hall (4th floor)** and you are all invited to attend."



**80th
Anniversary
Family
Carnival**

We gather as one big family to celebrate our parish's 80th Anniversary with a Family Carnival on Sun 11 Sept from 8am to 3pm. Enjoy delicious food, games, live band, art and craft and shopping at the bazaar! Coupons (\$10 per coupon sheet) will be on sale after all Masses next weekend **(13 and 14 Aug)**.

Parishioners who wish to put up food stalls, please refer to <https://goo.gl/jc4yoy>. Call **Vivien Theseira @ 94503996** or **Francisco Furtado @ 97360875** for enquiries.

Those who are interested to set up bazaar stalls, please call **Raymond at 9616 0306** or **Edwin at 9026 7495**.

Abilities Beyond Limitations and Expectations (ABLE), a member of Caritas Singapore provides rehabilitation therapy, training and job support to enable physically challenged clients return to suitable and sustainable employment. **ABLE** also offers respite services to family caregivers and their physically challenged care recipients. Do take home a copy of our August 2016 newsletter, **ConnectABLE** for more information and stories of our beneficiaries. Find out more about us at www.able-sg.org or email us at enquiries@able-sg.org



“Quench” is a 3D2N Youth Retreat organised by Jesus Youth Singapore “An International Catholic Lay Movement Approved by the Holy See.” If you are looking for warmth and simplicity in this busy world, we welcome you with wide open arms! Date & Venue : **10th to 12th September at Choice Retreat House**.

Theme: **“Let anyone who is thirsty come to me” John 7:37**.
Age Group: **18 - 35 years old**. You can register online @ www.singapore.jesuyouth.org. For more details email singapore@jesuyouth.org or contact **Fionne (9006 1884)** or **Jennifer (8368 2118)**



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Mass Times
<u>Weekdays:</u> 6.15 am (Mondays to Saturdays) 6.15 pm (Mondays to Fridays) 8.30 am (Public Holidays)
<u>Saturday Sunset Masses:</u> 6.00 pm (English) 8.00 pm (Mandarin)
<u>Sunday Masses:</u> 7.15, 9.15 & 11.30 am & 6.00 pm (Confession 30 minutes before weekend masses)
<u>Novena:</u> 5.00 pm Saturday

Adoration Room	Mon– Sat 7am to 10 pm , Sun / Public Holidays: 7am to 8.30pm
Columbarium	Mon-Sat: 9.30am to 6pm - Sunday: 8.30am to 6pm 9.00am to 12.00pm - Public Holidays
Infant Baptism (monthly)	Preparation last Sunday at 3pm; Baptism 1st Sunday at 4pm
Liturgy of the Word for Children	Every Saturday, 6pm Mass or Every Sunday, 11.30am Mass
Elders Catechism (Dialect)	Every Thursday, 1pm to 3pm @ Meeting Room, Priest House
Meditation Classes	Tuesdays/Thursday 8pm : Wednesdays 7.30pm
Weddings	Apply at Parish Office at least 6 months in advance

**19th Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

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Faith is based on witness. Abraham and Sarah had faith because God kept his promises and they saw his works. The people in exile had faith because God kept his promises and they remembered his works. Our faith requires remembering God’s works with our ancestors. They lived and died in the light of the resurrection of Jesus—the way, the truth, and the life leading to the New Jerusalem, our heavenly homeland. We must stand ready to meet the Lord when he returns! Maranatha!

Sunday Missal Readings for next weekend - 14 Aug

Apocalypse 11:19; 12:1-6 1 Cor 15:20-26 Lk 1:39-56