"Family begins with the creation of humanity in the image of God who is love and calls man and woman to love according to his likeness."

Pope Francis





SCRIPTURE of the DAY

Acts 10: 25-26, 34-35, 44-48

Psalm 97: 1-4

1 John 4: 7-10

John 15: 9-17

magine when someone whom you care about, says to you he loves you. Imagine the joy and the myriad of emotions that flow within you at that precious moment. Listen to today's Gospel reading. We have Jesus standing in front of all his disciples who have shared His journey right up to His resurrection and you are among them. And you hear Him say He loves you. He wants you to remain in His love and share His joy. This is the greatest love story of them all.

In the first reading, Peter is witness to the outpouring of grace by the Holy Spirit upon Jews and non-Jews alike. Those present were amazed by the power of that love upon those who have not yet known Him. Then, we have John in his letter, urging us to love one another because God loves us. He sent His only Son into the world so that we may have life. He sent His only Son into the world to die for our sins! For our salvation! What other proof of love of God for us do we need? And yet, we sometimes doubt.

If this exhortation is not convincing enough, let Jesus speak to us Himself. In the Gospel today, He tells us that he wants us to remain in His love. He wants our joy to be complete. He continues to tell us that he loves us and commands us to love one another as He has loved us. How many times do we need to be told? Jesus' love for us is active love. He reminds us that He has laid down His life for us. Such a profession of love for us cannot but demands a response of the same. He does not want passive love. No lip service. He wants us to go out and bear fruit that will last, to bear witness to Him. And more, if we do as He says, God our Father will give us what we ask of Him.

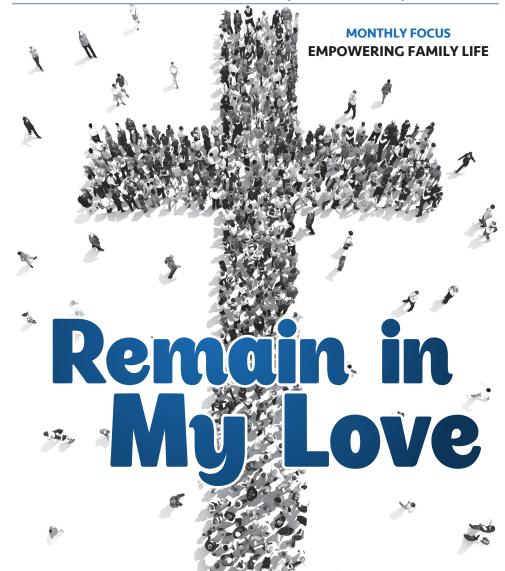
In Joy we await the coming of the Spirit of God's love upon our Church as we go out and witness to the world His love for everyone.

NEW WAY OF BEING CHURCH 6th Sunday of Easter

SALT OF THE EARTH AND LIGHT OF THE WORLD:

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CELEBRATING, LISTENING AND WALKING TOGETHER IN A SPIRIT OF COMMUNION PARTICIPATION AND MISSION (MATTHEW 5: 13-16).



Church of the Good Shepherd, 8, Jalan Air Putih, Setapak, 53200 K L Tel: 03-48216332 Parish Priest: Fr Mitchel Anthony Joseph

FR MITCHEL'S DIARY

MAY 2024

May 1	Worker's Day
May 3	1st Friday/H/Hour
May 5	Children's Liturgy
May 9	Ascension Thursday
May 12	Mother's Day
May 14-15	Clergy Recollection
May 19	Pentecost
May 25	Wedding Mass
May 31	Closing of the
	Month of the Rosary

CAUTION!

Renovation works in progress in the Canteen area!

Interested to Serve

in a Ministry?

Family Life

Christopher Cheong & Christine Chua 012-7990774 / 012-3142864

Evergreens' Ministry
Desmond Nathan (012-2017210)

Street Shepherd Outreach (SSO) Stanley Sim (017-3931975) &

Sharom (012-3111251) Orang Asli Ministry

Carrol Lawrence (012-4300616)

Medical Mission

Dr Tony Henderson Jeyarajah (016-5979086)

Ministry of the Poor

Nicholas Anthony (012-6870905) **Prison Ministry**

Andrea Dias (012-6530480)

Justice & Peace

(formerly Women's Desk)
Andrea Fernandez (012-3079844)
Migrant Ministry

Theresa Janey (012-2367316)

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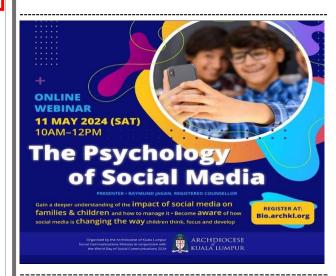
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THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA)

- 1. These classes are for Enquirers wanting to know the Catholic Faith;
- 2. They are also for Catholics who have not received the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist and Confirmation;
- 3. It is also for Christians wanting to be received into the Catholic Faith;
- **4.** And it is also very much for Catholics who want to grow in their faith!
 - ★ BM (Sundays): 2.30pm 4.30pm Celestina Gabriel (011-36088834)
- **Tamil & Mandarin (Thu) : 8.00pm − 10.00pm**Olivia Carine Woo (M) (012-7601669)
- Susela Mary (T) (016-9855438)

 English (Saturdays): 3.00pm 5.30pm

 Michael & Jacintha Yap (019-3168639)



NOTICE OF MEETS

Parish Finance Committee – Tue, May 7 (7.30pm) @ CR2

Zone Leaders Meet – Thu, May 16 (8.00pm) @ CR 2 MONTFORT OPEN HOUSE CHARITY CARNIVAL – JUNE 9 (Sale of Carnival Coupons)

Montfort Staff & students will be in our Parish the coming Sun, May 12. We ask for your usual support. TO

2024 THEME: SALT OF THE EARTH, LIGHT OF THE WORLD - Communion. Participation and Mission -

'Family Love: A Vocation and a Path to Holiness' (August 2023 - July 2024)

May 2024: Empowering Family Life (Eph 4:2-3)

PCC Chairperson: Edmond Anthony (012-3926709) PFC Chairperson: Peter Xavier (012-6320530)

BECOT Coordinator: Michael Joseph (018-4020199)

Any donations & other offerings may be made payable to: 'Gereja Katolik Good Shepherd'(Affin Bank) A/C No. 1001-9000-7211.

Please state your payment preference

Mass times: Sundays -: 7.30am (T), 9.30am (E), 11.15am, (M), 12.45pm (BM)

Saturdays

Sunset Mass - 5.15pm Rosary; 6.00pm (Mass - English)

Weekdays: Tue-Thu: 6.30am; Fri (7pm) (Check Mass list for any weekly changes)

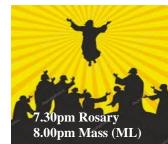
Parish Office: Tue – Fri (9.00am-5.00pm)

Sat: (9am-1pm; 3.30pm-6pm); Sun: (8.30am-1.00pm)

Mondays & public holidays (office closed)

THE LORD IS RISEN, ALLELUIA! WE ARE AN EASTER PEOPLE!

FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD - MAY 9



This is a day
of
obligation,
a day set
aside
for
worship
&
thanksgiving



May 5 - Chapel @ 9.30am. For children of the ages 7 - 9 years

AOHD LENTEN OFFERING ENVELOPES

Thank you to all who contributed your Lenten Offering 2024.

A total of **RM10,509.00** was received @ GSC through cash and cheques. We also thank those who sent your donations directly to the Archdiocesan Office for Human Development.

Remain blessed!

CONGRATULATIONS -

60TH PRIESTLY ANNIVERSARY OF AB EMERITUS MURPHY PAKIAM

Live stream 10.30am: https://TV.ArchKL.org



We thank God for Archbishop Emeritus Murphy Pakiam who celebrates his 60th Priestly Anniversary on May 10. Let us remember him in our prayers.

MARY, MOTHER OF GOD, PRAY FOR US



Let us welcome our Blessed Mother Mary into our homes, our BECs, our Parish community as we gather for the praying of the Rosary during the month of May.

THANK YOU - FROM BRO ALBERT @ CDM



Grateful thanks to Fr Mitchel and parishioners of GSC who guided, encouraged and uplifted me in prayer during my time @ GSC. God bless you!!

WEEKEND COLLECTION & OTHERS

April 27 - 28 = RM6833.55 & for Vocations = RM3225.15.

This weekend's 2nd collection is for PIHD needs. The next weekend (May 11-12), there will also be a 2nd collection for Social Communication works.

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

8, Jalan Air Putih, Setapak, 53200 Kuala Lumpur *Parish Priest: Rev Fr Mitchel Anthony Joseph*

May 4 - 11, 2024

<u>Saturday</u> 4th May: 5.15pm Rosary; 6.00pm (Sunset Mass – E)

6th Sunday of Easter (Year B)

Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17

Souls: Dennis Khoo Chuan Aun, Sebastian Khoo Tain Chai & Grace Wong Gaik Choo,

G L Gomez, Joseph (Mani) Fernandez, George Wong Kim Hoy, Katherine Wong Chock Choo, Elsie Wong Lian Choo, Lilian Wong Poh Choo, Annie Tung Ah Har, Mandy Yeong Mow Yoong, Nancy Kok Fatt Chun, Joyce Lim, Annie Chiew Kim Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Henry Jayasuria, Francis Ng Sun Hi & Maria Low Yon Moy, Thomas Ng Ah Hoon & Maria Lim Lak Mooi, Richard Ng Cheng Kit, Teresa @ Toh Liew Yoke, Francis De Rozario, Philip & Ann Chong, John Low Teik Ban, Pauline Iruthayaraj (2nd Ann), Roger Anthony Child (2nd Ann), Mary Lourdes, Wong Ah Mook, Siew Choon Heong, Souls in purgatory (by Mrs Fernandez, Bernard Morden, Theresa Jayasuria)

Sp Int: Sarah Inez, Milla Sophia, Chua Li Ann (studies), Ramesh Seeridaran, Joshua Thomas

Lee, Brendan Mak, Joan Wong, Olivia Woo, Angeline Lowe (health), Anthony Simon &

Pradeep families

Thanksg: Sharon De Padua, Andrea, Harry Daniel Solomon & fly (SJ), Robert Samy (b'day),

Maria Moses, Andrea, Tae Young Kim, Andrea Yip

Sunday 5th May: Masses: 7.30am (T), 9.30am (E), 11.15am (M), 12.45pm (BM)

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER (Year B)

Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48; 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17

Souls: Harvey Gerard Krishnan, G L Gomez, John Lim Sin Chai, Anthony Tan Yang Ngee,

Annie Chiew Kim Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Luciana Mary Nunis, Albert Ashton Fernandez, Anthony Wee Whatt Chai, Alexander John Noronha, Mary Chang Siew Yoke, Francis Ng Sun Hi & Maria Low Yong Moy, Thomas Ng Ah Hoon & Maria Lim Lak Mooi, Lily Mathew, Chong Kok Leong, Richard Ng Cheng Kit, Wilfred Johnson (41st Ann), Christopher Peris, Deceased of D'cruz & Compez families, Tony & Alice Antoine, Jude Antoine, A S D'cruz, Theresa Bek Ah Chwn, Christina Roosa Da Costa, Francis De Rozario, Gerard D'cruz, John Low Teik Ban, Vernon Sibert, Eugenia Abing Tongco, Nicomedus Tongco, P M Karunakaran Pillai & N Prabhavathi Amma Nair, Peter, Jamie Felicia Gan, Souls in purgatory (by Bernard Morden, Amy D'cruz, Ursula

Wong, Sylvia De Souza)

Sp Int: Amy Tan (health), Annie & Tyler, M Savrimuthu, Chua Li Ann (studies), Irene Chan,

Fabian Anthony, Ursula & fly, Christine, Carol Edwin, Margaret Tan, Linda

Thanksg: Leong Poh Sun & fly, Iverson Lee Yoong Jie, Mr & Mrs Palavendran, Richardson D'cruz

& fly, Mariam Thomas, Cynthia Joseph (IJ/MM), Ian, Carol Edwin, Mr & Mrs Vincent,

Linda

Monday 6th May: (6th Week of Easter) (Office closed)

Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26 - 16:4

NO MASS

<u>Tuesday</u> 7th May: 6.30am Mass (6th Week of Easter)

Acts 11:19-26; Jn 10:22-30

Souls: Mr & Mrs Narayanan Nair, Annie Chiew Kim Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik,

Richard Ng Cheng Kit, Agapita Michael, Francis De Rozario, John Low Teik Ban

Sp Int: Clergy of K L Archdiocese

Thanksg: Julia Chai

Wednessday 8th May: 6.30am Mass (6th Week of Easter)

Acts 17:15,22-18:1; Jn 16:12-15

Souls: Annie Chiew Kim Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Richard Ng Cheng Kit,

Francis De Rozario, John Low Teik Ban

Sp Int: Tyler (good health)

Thanksg: -

Thursday 9th May: SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD – Day of obligation

7.30pm Rosary; 8.00pm - MASS (ML)

Acts 1:1-11; Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7,11-13; Mk 16:15-20

Souls: Anna Morden, Annie Chiew Kim Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Richard Ng Cheng Kit,

Wilfred Johnson, Francis De Rozario, John Low Teik Ban, Pauline Iruthayaraj (2nd Ann),

Roger Anthony Child (2nd Ann)

Sp Int: Clergy of K L Archdiocese **Thanksg:** Angela Stevenson (SHJ)

Friday 10th May: 7.00pm Mass (6th Week of Easter) St John De Avila, Priest & Doctor

Acts 18:9-18; Jn 16:20-23

Souls: Deceased of Van Weiringen fly, Deceased of Dias fly, Annie Chiew Kim Neo, Magdalene

Tan Poh Ghaik, Richard Ng Cheng Kit, LTM Aaron W Stevenson, Francis De Rozario,

John Low Teik Ban, Souls in purgatory (by Angela Stevenson)

Sp Int: Clergy of KL Archdiocese **Thanksg:** Mary Angelina D'cruz

Saturday 11th May: 5.15pm Rosary; 6.00pm (Sunset Mass – E)

7th Sunday of Easter (Year B)

Acts 1:15-17,20-26; 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11-19

Souls: Dennis Khoo Chuan Aun, G L Gomez, Mandy Yeong Mow Yoong, Annie Chiew Kim

Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Francis Ng Sun Hi & Maria Low Yon Moy, Richard Ng Cheng Kit, Francis De Rozario, John Low Teik Ban, Philip & Ann Chong, Antonio Vaz, Tamilselvam Loganathan, Evelyn Louisa, Souls in purgatory (by Bernard Morden)

Sp Int: Yvonne & Jeremiah, Angeline Lim, Roy Khoo & fly, Sarah Inez, Alphonsia Margaret,

Joseph Thomas

Thanksg: Sharon De Padua, Angela Stevenson (IHM), Siti & Adrian, Andrea, Joshua Thomas Lee,

Harry Daniel Solomon (SHJ)