



SCRIPTURE of the DAY

Isaiah 42: 1-4, 6-7
Psalm 28: 1-4, 9-10
Acts 10: 34-38
Matthew 3: 13-17



**"In families,
we learn to experience
the basic practices
needed for
a Synodal Church."**

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'A bruised reed he shall not break, and a smouldering wick he will not quench,' shows a servant of compassion and steadfastness. **The servant's mission is to establish 'a covenant for the people, a light for the nations.'** And his work is one of liberation 'to free the captives, and to give sight to the blind,' amongst all social justice.

The vision comes to life at the River Jordan. Paradoxically, we see Jesus the Sinless One, being given a baptism of repentance by John the Baptist. But Jesus takes it on 'to fulfil all righteousness.' By plunging into the water, Jesus sanctifies it from within even as he stands in solidarity with us, humanity in our fallen state.

The baptism of Jesus thus marks the beginning of his public ministry, where He is revealed by the Father as *His Beloved Son, the humble servant* foretold in Isaiah's vision. The baptism also reveals the movement of the Holy Spirit as he descends upon Jesus.

What is our takeaway this week? That our baptism connects us to two essential aspects of our identity: An inward reality which is, building us into the Body of Christ, and an outward mission, commissioning us to be the Light of the World and the Salt of the Earth. That is to say, when we are baptised in the name of the Trinity, we become beloved children of the Father, the foundational touchstone of all that we are about as Christians. We belong to one another even as we share in Christ's mission, supporting each other with the gifts we are endowed with. With the Spirit within us, we are to be gentle, quiet and compassionate as we go about our God-given vocation, *not crying out, not shouting, not making our voice heard in the street.*

May we emulate Christ, savour His Word in scriptures, and walk in his footsteps as the Beloved of the Father, and Servant to all.✙

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WALKING TOGETHER TOWARDS A SYNODAL AND PROPHETIC CHURCH

A People for Missionary Discipleship

MONTHLY FOCUS: FAMILY: Building Trust

The Beloved Son, A Humble Servant

As we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord, the readings point to a prophecy of Isaiah, and its fulfilment at the River Jordan. Isaiah envisions a Servant-Messiahship blueprint. God presents his servant with characteristics that contrast worldly expectations.



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Fr Mitchel's Diary

JANUARY 2026

Jan 1: New Year Mass 2026
Jan 2: 1st Friday – Holy Hour & Mass
Jan 3: Infant Baptism
Jan 12-15: CAPA
Jan 18: Ponggal celebration

Interested to Serve in a Ministry?

Family Life

Christopher Cheong 012-7990774
& Christine Chua 012-3142864

Evergreens' Ministry

Mona Victor (016-2039549)

Street Shepherd Outreach (SSO)

Stanley Sim (017-3931975) &
Sharom (012-3111251)

Orang Asli Ministry

Lajarus Tabin (011-26234498)

Medical Mission

Dr Tony Henderson Jeyarajah
(016-5979086)

Ministry of the Poor/PIHD Rep

Nicholas Anthony (012-6870905)

Prison Ministry

Michael Yap (012-3993096)

Justice & Peace

(formerly Women's Desk)

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Theresa Janey (012-2367316)

Youth Ministry

Cavan (012-8977116)

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**RACHEL'S
VINEYARD...** The AD
Family Life Commission
organizes this annual
Retreat for anyone going
thru emotional or
spiritual pain of an
abortion.

This will be held from
Jan 30 – Feb 1, 2026 in
KL. You may contact or
email them at:

healinggracerachelsvineyard@gmail.com

All correspondence is
strictly confidential.

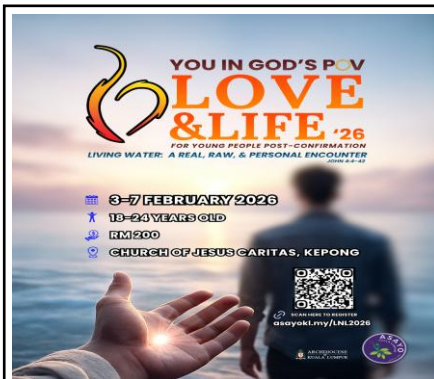
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THIS
WEEKEND!

Please,
register now

WEEKEND COLLECTION & Others

January 3 - 4: RM6,369.40
RM4,459.30 (PIHD)

**2026 THEME: Walking Together Towards A Synodal and Prophetic Church
(A People for Missionary Discipleship)**

January 2026:

'Building truest through shared prayer, regular dialogue, & faith expressed in daily actions.'

The home is the first school of faith (Col 3:15-16)

PCC Chairperson: Gerard Sebastian (012-6528751)

PFC Chairperson: Andrew Eapen (012-2096461)

BECOT Coordinator: Michael Joseph (018-4020199)

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)

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

Mondays & public holidays (closed)

*"O God be gracious and bless us and may the
year 2026 bring us peace, joy & hope!"*

CLERGY ANNUAL PASTORAL ASSEMBLY (CAPA) 2026

The Archdiocesan Clergy Annual
Pastoral Assembly (CAPA) to be
held from January 12 - 15, 2026 at
Archdiocesan Pastoral Centre, KL
We keep our Bishops and Clergy
of the Archdiocese in prayer for a
fruitful gathering.

**Note: There will be no Mass
celebrated @ GSC from 12 - 15 January**

**REGISTRATION OPEN TODAY (11/01)
FOR SUNDAY CATECHISM CLASSES
@ Function Hall, 1st Floor**

1. Tamil: 8.45am – 10.00am
2. English: 11.00am - 12.00pm
3. Mandarin: 12.30pm – 1.45pm
4. BM: 2.00pm – 3.30pm

Parents can meet with catechism teachers to
register and discuss other relevant matters

WEEKLY HEALTH CLINIC @ CR1 (Sundays: 10.30am – 12 noon)

Apart from the blood pressure and blood
sugar tests done by our nurse, Rina, we also
have a young physiotherapist
(Isaac Fernandez) who is offering a simple
check & advice for those who may require
help in this area.

UNITY MASS ON THE OCCASION OF 'PONGGAL' (HARVEST FESTIVAL)

Date: **January 18, 2026**

Time: **9.30am Unity Mass**

The Tamil-speaking community
welcome you to join them in
fellowship, & cultural time after
Mass in the church grounds.
Those who wish to contribute
in cash (at the Parish Office)
or kind are most welcome.

Contact person for info:

Devan Nesan 016-3824012



WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

The 2026 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity
is held annually from January 18-25 with this
year's theme being:

**'There is one body and one Spirit, just as you
were called to the one hope of your calling'
(Eph 4:4)**

Let us pray as One and renew our
commitment towards this Ecumenical Unity.

PARISH INFANT BAPTISM

The next Infant Baptism will be held on
February 7 (9.00am).

Preparation session for the parents and
godparents will be held on 31/01/26.

Do register now!

BM MASS...resumes today, Jan 11 (12.45pm)

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD
8, Jalan Air Putih, Setapak, 53200 Kuala Lumpur
Parish Priest: Rev Fr Mitchel Anthony Joseph

January 10 - 17, 2026

Saturday **10th January: 5.15pm Rosary; 6.00pm Sunset Mass (E)**

Feast of the Baptism of the Lord (A)

Is 42:1-4,6-7; Acts 10:34-38; Mt 3:13-17

Souls: Aloysious Seow, Annie Chiew Kim Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Deceased parents/relatives of Regina Tay, Elsie Christina Gan, Joachim Joseph, Maria John, Henry Jayasuria, M Vincent, Dennis Khoo Chuan Aun, Philip & Ann Chong, Hensie Peters, Francis Ng Sun Hi & Maria Low Yon Moy, Matthew Lim, Philomena Chu, Amoros Francis, Richard Ng Cheng Kit, Mary Ann Jane Goh, Maureen Selvaratnam, Baby Seow Yean (litte fate), Brady Baradhan, Charlie Chia, Lily Lim, Souls in purgatory (by Vanda Gomes, by Diana Lim)

Sp Int: Choo fly, Andrea Ann Fernandez & fly, Joseph Thomas, Navin Dave (health), Rachel & Ben Ong, Baby Caleb Gan (health), Sarah Thomas Dulis, Rosalind Margaret Lourdes, Evelyn Purnima Kurup, Mr & Mrs Joshua Wei Lian Yip, Andrea Shu Yin Yip, Joshua Wei Liang Yip, Sr Grace Lee (speedy recovery)

Thanksg: Charmaine Amanda David (44th b'day), Harry Daniel Solomon & fly (SA), Albert & Jean, Angela Stevenson (OLG), Cliff Fdz, Roseline & fly (SHJ), Josephine Tan Choo, Tae Young Kim, Hannah Sally, Chen Poh Lan & fly, Diana, Daphne, Allan & fly

Sunday **11th January: Masses: 7.30am (T); 9.30am (E); 11.15am (M); 12.45pm (BM) Psalter I**

FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Is 42:1-4,6-7; Acts 10:34-38; Mt 3:13-17

Souls: Annie Chiew Kim Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Deceased parents/relatives of Regina Tay, Peter Foo Loong Fong, Sathi Rajoo, Barbara Ann Phillips, Harvey Gerard Krishnan, Wong Ah Mook, Siew Choon Heong, Francis De Rozario, Tharmaraja Verarathi, Francis Ng Sun Hi & Maria Low Yon Moy, Gary R Gomez, Joseph Foong Fock Yong, Rajina Mary Anthony, Elizabeth Mary, Richard Ng Cheng Kit, Olga Phillips, Xavier Saverimuthu, Steven Seng Kim Hoe, Mr. & Mrs. Patrick David, Alphonse Reginald D'cruz, Dr. Anthonysamy (B'day), Arokianathan Anthonysamy, Souls in purgatory & forgotten souls (by Alfonsa Fernandez, by Christina Choo, by Amy D'cruz)

Sp Int: Joan Wong, Marie J, Leong Poh Sun, Natasha Anne, Yeo fly, Eapen Thomas & Mary Selaine Michelle Gunaselan, Kraal fly, Hannah Sally

Thanksg: Tan Kim Yip, D'cruz fly, Amy D'cruz, Harry Daniel Solomon & fly (H.T)

Monday **12th January: 1st Week in Ord Time** **(Office closed)**

1 Sam 1:1-6; Mt 1:14-20

NO MASS

Tuesday **13th January: 1st Week in Ord Time**

1 Sam 1:9-20; Mk 1:21-28

NO MASS

Wednesday **14th January: 1st Week in Ord Time**

1 3:1-10,19-20; Mk 1:29-39

NO MASS

Thursday **15th January: 1st Week in Ord Time (St Paul the Hermit)**

1 Sam 4:1-11; Mk 1:40-45

NO MASS

Friday **16th January: 7.00pm Mass (1st Week in Ord Time)**

1 Sam 8:4-7,10-22; Mk 2:13-17

Souls: Annie Chiew Kim Neo & Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Mary Lourdes (19th Ann), Horace George Fernandez, Arthur Henry Row, Anne Theresa Chong M F, Hensie Peters (1st Ann), Joseph Peters, Clara Peters, Wilhelmina Peters, Maryanne Chung Bin (1st Ann), Gerad Ronald Krishnan, Richard Ng Cheng Kit, Steven Seng Kim Hoe, George E. Keyworth, Nellan Mathawan,

Sp Int: Jacintha Yap, Hugh Keyworth

Thanksg: Angela Stevenson (OMPH), Keyworth fly, Marie J

Saturday **17th January: 5.15pm Rosary; 6.00pm Sunset Mass (E)**

2nd Sunday of the Year (A)

Is 49:3,5-6; 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34

Souls: Annie Chiew Kim Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Elsie Christina Gan, Joachim Joseph, Maria John, Henry Jayasuria, Dennis Khoo Chuan Aun, Philip & Ann Chong, Hensie Peters, Francis Ng Sun Hi & Maria Low Yon Moy, Savarinathan & Mariamah, Dr Anthonysamy, Amboros Francis, Patricia Anne Nicholas, S. Anthonymmal, Augustine Choo, Steven Seng Kim Hoe, Ian Chua Ming Soon, Melisha Lim Bee Mee, Rajina Mary Anthony Muthu (1st Ann), Souls in purgatory (by Angela Stevenson, by Alena Chin), Souls of aborted babies (by Alena Chin)

Sp Int: Collin Bhaskaran & fly

Thanksq: Harry Daniel Solomon & fly (AS), Albert & Jean, Yvonne Jeremiah, Roseline & fly (SHJ), Josephine Tan Choo

Sunday: **18th January: Masses: 7.30am (T), 9.30am (E), 11.15am (M); 12.45pm (BM)**

2nd Sunday of the Year (A)

Is 49:3,5-6; 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34

Souls: Annie Chiew Neo, Magdalene Tan Poh Ghaik, Peter Foo Loong Fong, Barbara Ann Phillips, Harvey Gerard Krishnan, Wong Ah Mook, Siew Choon Heong, William Lai Yew Wah, Mary Choo Soon, Simon Yong Chong Yin, Francis De Rozario, Tharmaraja Verarathi, Joseph Foong Fock Yong, Francis Ng Sun Hi & Maria Low Yon Moy, Steven Seng Kim Hoe, Fr. Chan Ying Hong, Toh Soh Han, grandparents Chan Yat Phoon, Brady Baradhan, Mr. & Mrs. Narayanan Nair, Forgotten souls in purgatory (by Onesimus Chan), All souls (by Angela Stevenson)

Sp Int: Joan Wong

Thanksq: Angela Stevenson (DH), Harry Daniel Solomon & fly (SHJ),