



St Joseph's Church

(Bukit Timah)

Weekly Parish Bulletin • 08 Jan 2023 • Epiphany (Year A)

📍 620 Upper Bukit Timah Road
Singapore 678116

🕒 Gate Opening Hours:
8.00AM to 9.00PM

🌐 stjoseph-bt.org.sg/ 📘 facebook.com/sjcbt/

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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKDAY MASSES (Chapel of St Joseph)

Mon – Fri : 6.30am, 6.30pm
Sat : 6.30am

WEEKEND MASSES

Sat : 5.30pm (Sunset)
Sun : 7.30am (Mandarin),
9.30am, 11.30am and 5.30pm

CONFESSIONS

15 mins before all weekend Masses in
the open foyer of the main Church

OTHER SERVICES

ADORATION ROOM

Mon – Fri : 8.00am to 9.00pm
Sat : 9.30am to 7.00pm
Sun : 8.00am to 7.00pm
Public Holidays : 8.00am to 4.00pm

COLUMBARIUM / ROSARY GARDEN / STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Mon – Sun : 8.00am to 8.00pm

MEDIA CENTRE (BOOKSHOP)

Sat : 4.30pm to 7.00pm
Sun : 8.30am to 1.00pm
Every 2nd Sunday : 8.30am to 1.00pm,
5.30pm to 7.00pm

DEVOTIONS

Holy Hour : First Friday @ 8.00pm in
Main Church (unless otherwise stated)

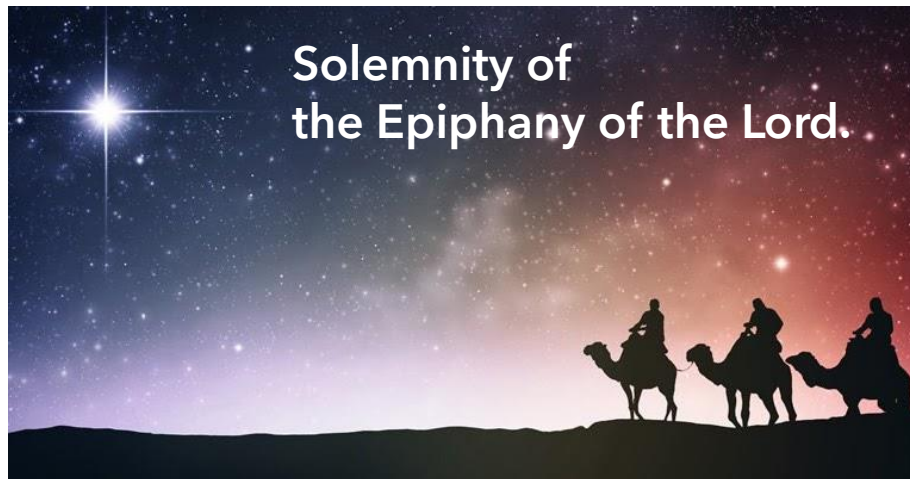
Divine Mercy : Every Friday
(except First Friday) @ 8.00pm in the
Chapel of St Joseph

Garden Rosary : Every First Saturday
after the 5.30pm Mass

Grotto Rosary : Every 13th of the month
after 6.30pm Mass (weekdays only)

Holy Hour for Vocations :

Every Third Thursday of the month in
the Chapel of St Joseph @ 8.00pm



Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chinese New Year Mass Timings

Chinese New Year Mass Schedules



Day & Date	Time	Occasion
Sat 21 Jan 2023	4.30 pm	Sunset Mass for CNY
Sun 22 Jan 2023	7.30 am (M) / 9.30 am / 11.30 am / 5.30 pm	Distribution of Oranges at all Sunday Masses
Mon 23 Jan 2023	9.00 am	Public Holiday Mass
Tue 24 Jan 2023	9.00 am	Public Holiday Mass

新年快樂
Happy Chinese New Year

Divine Mercy Prayer Group 21st Anniversary (Fri 13 Jan)



Divine Mercy Prayer Group 21st Anniversary
Celebration (in Main Church)

7.00 pm : Divine Mercy Prayers
7.30 pm : Holy Mass
8.00 pm : Potluck
All are Welcome.

Please note that there will be no 6.30 pm Mass in
the Chapel.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Car Wash (14 & 15 Jan)



NEW YEAR CAR WASH



14th January: 5.30pm Mass

15th January:
7.30am, 9.30am & 11.30am Mass

Fundraising for the youth going for World Youth Day 2023 (Portugal)
Please support us.

Resumption of Catechism Classes

Primary Catechism

Primary Catechism classes will resume on Sat 28 Jan 2023 from 3.15 pm to 4.45 pm. Please assemble in the Parish Community Hall on the first day.

Secondary Catechism

Secondary Catechism will resume on Sun 15 Jan 2023 from 9.30 am to 11.15 am.

Level 7 children are to assemble in the Parish Community Hall.

Level 8 to Level 10 are to meet in the same classrooms as last year.

All those who are joining Secondary Catechism for the first time are to meet in the Parish Community Hall.



Holy Hour for Vocations (Thu 19 Jan @ 8 pm)



Come, join our seminarians from St Francis Xavier Major Seminary as they facilitate this Holy Hour to pray for vocations.

Venue : Chapel of St Joseph

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Infant Baptism – Closing Date for Registration : 10 Feb 2023

Upcoming Infant Baptism Schedule

- Parents seeking Baptism for their infant or child, please submit the registration form to the Parish Secretary.
- Registration forms can be obtained from our Church website : <https://stjoseph-bt.org.sg/services> under the section on Infant Baptism



Rite of Baptism	Preparation Session 1 @ 2 pm (Online Session) For parents & godparent	Preparation Session 2 @ 2 pm (St Joseph AVA Room) For parents & godparent	Closing date for registration
Sun 2 Apr 2023 @ 2.30 pm	Sun 5 Mar 2023	Sun 26 Mar 2023	Fri 10 Feb 2023

SSVP Christmas Gifting – Thank You for your Generosity and Support

SSVP Conference of St Joachim thanks parishioners for sharing Christmas Joy with our Friends-in-Need (FIN). Through your generous contribution, every FIN family received their Christmas gift as well as a goodie bag.

We also received bookshop vouchers to support our FIN children and SSVP free tuition programme.

God Bless You!



SSVP Tuition Programme – Registration for New Students



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SSVP has been providing free tuition to Primary, Secondary and ITE students from underprivileged families over the past 15 years. Students are provided with 2-way transport, breakfast and educational materials.

If you know of any children who are in need of free tuition, please contact Agnes @ 98323060.

Do note that SSVP conducts an assessment of the family before student enrolment.

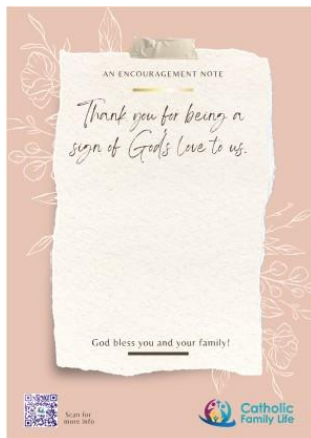
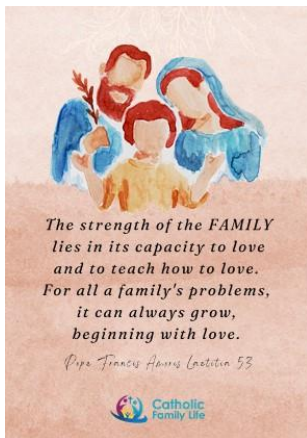
Canteen Closure

Please note that the Canteen will be closed on : 22 Jan 2023 : Chinese New Year



AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Family Cards



Catholic Family Life has prepared a Family Card for parishioners to write an encouragement note to encourage and affirm another family if they have been an inspiration to you in the way they live out their vocation of family life.

Raising a family can be challenging and lonely at times, yet families are the very places we often witness the beauty of love, joy, and sacrifice. Let's be one community in supporting each other to build love-filled and faith-filled families, affirm a family this weekend! Please do take a card and share your message of love and hope to a family.

The Family Cards can be obtained at all the entrances to the Church.

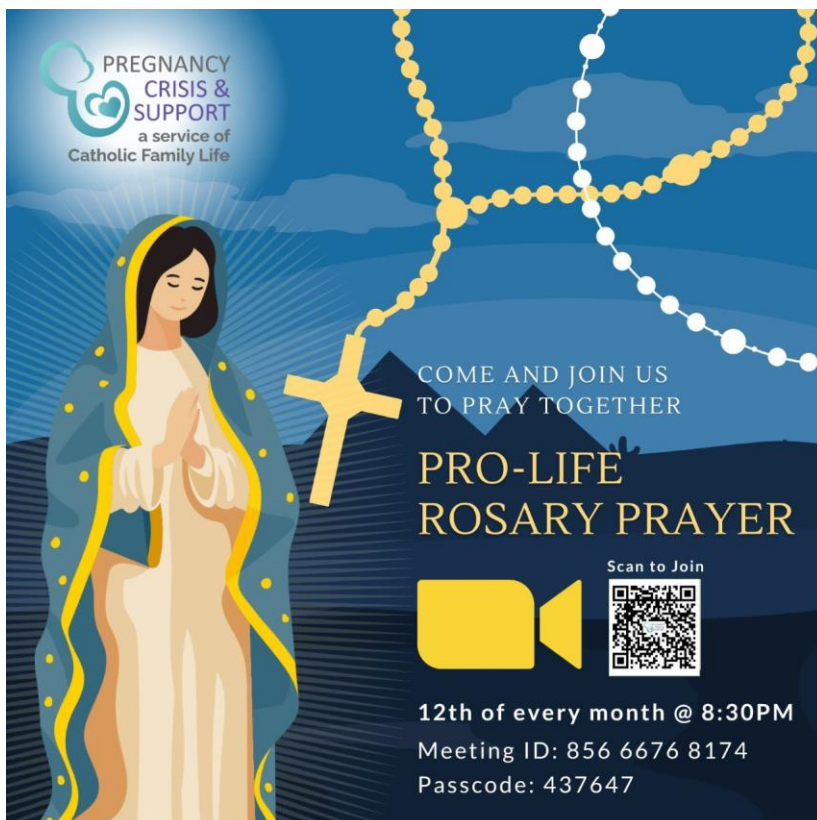
Jan 2023 GIFT Contributions

Next weekend's GIFT (Giving in Faith and Thankfulness) contributions will support the Catholic Hub building project – a spiritual oasis with prayer spaces, retreat facilities, a multi-purpose hall and a senior clergy residence.

Please give generously to build a more vibrant, evangelising and missionary Church!

Learn more: www.catholicfoundation.sg/the-catholic-hub

Pro-Life Rosary Prayer (12th of every month @ 8.30 pm via Zoom)



Returned (Fri 13 Jan)



Landings
Singapore

*The magic thing about home is that it feels good to leave,
and it feels even better to come back.*

RETURNED!
A Landings Testimony Event
(Scan QR code to register)

If you or someone you know is seeking for a way to come home, we welcome you to come listen to the testimonies of how others have returned through Landings! During the session, you will also have the opportunity to experience how Landing works.

Date: Friday, 13th January 2023
Time: 8:00pm - 10:00pm (Registration starts at 7:30pm)
Venue: Church of St Ignatius (Level 1, Ignatius Hall)
120 King's Rd, Singapore 268172



Marriage Encounter Weekends



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marriage
encounter
Singapore

Restore · Rekindle · Renew
your marriage at the ME Weekend
3rd - 5th Feb or 14th - 16th April 2023

 Joe and Reenie 96705390 or  mewkend@gmail.com



Annual Retreat 2023

"Simon, son of Jona, do you love me?" (John 21:16)



Rev. Fr. Jose Uppani & Team
Chittoor Retreat Centre, Kochi

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21 to 24 Jan 2023

(During CNY holidays)

8am to 6pm

Children's Retreat (5-12Y)

Chittoor Retreat Team

Holy Innocents' High School

1191 Upper Serangoon Rd, S-534786

Teens Retreat (13-18Y)

(Stay-in, 21 to 23 Jan 2023)

Youth Formation (19Y+)

(23 evening & 24 Jan 2023)

Rev. Fr. Soji Olikkal & team

(Anointing Fire Catholic Ministry (AFCM), India)

SFX Seminary, Punggol, Singapore 829645



Organised by **Malayalam Charismatic Group (MCG)**

Affiliated to Singapore Archdiocesan Catholic Charismatic Renewal (SACCRC)

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Register Here

Vocation Seminar for Young Single Women (Sat 4 Feb)



verbum dei
Singapore

What does
God want
from me?

**VOCATION SEMINAR FOR
YOUNG SINGLE WOMEN 17~28 YEARS OF AGE**

DATE: 4TH FEBRUARY 2023, SATURDAY
TIME: 2 TO 6 PM
PLACE: 4 SOMMERVILLE ROAD S358228
SESSIONS BY SR. SANDRA SEOW

An afternoon to learn more about consecrated life
and vocation discernment with time for personal
prayer and tea with the Verbum Dei Missionaries.

Register by 28th January 2023

Email verbumdeispore@yahoo.com.sg
to register

"What does God want from me?"

Vocation Seminar for young single women 17-28 years of age.

Join us for an afternoon to learn more about consecrated life and vocation discernment with time for personal prayer. Tea will be provided. This seminar will be led by Sr. Sandra Seow, FMVD.

Date: Sat 4 Feb 2023

Time: 2 to 6 pm

Place: Verbum Dei House
4 Sommerville Road
Singapore 358228

Register by 28 Jan 2023

Email verbumdeispore@yahoo.com.sg to register.

Landings



Start your Journey

Landings
Singapore

EACH OF US HAS THE POWER TO OUR SPIRITUAL AWAKENING WITHIN OUR GRASP. YOU COULD BE LOST, SEARCHING OR YEARNING TO BE FOUND. KICKSTART YOUR JOURNEY TO A PERSONAL ENCOUNTER WITH CHRIST THROUGH LANDINGS.

SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER

LOST
FOUND
SEARCHING

NEW JOURNEY COMMENCES

23RD FEB 2023, EVERY THURSDAY 8:00PM TO 10:00PM THROUGH TO 18 MAY 2023 AT THE CHURCH OF ST IGNATIUS

24TH FEB 2023, EVERY FRIDAY 7:30PM TO 9:30PM THROUGH TO 19 MAY 2023 AT THE CATHEDRAL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

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