



# St Joseph's Church (Bukit Timah)

Weekly Parish Bulletin • 04 June 2023 • Trinity Sunday (Year A)

620 Upper Bukit Timah Road  
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Gate Opening Hours:  
8.00am to 9.00pm

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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)

### Mass in Honour of St Joseph :

First Wednesday @ 8.00pm  
in Main Church

### Divine Mercy :

Every Friday @ 8.00pm (except First Fri)  
in the Chapel of St Joseph

### Garden Rosary :

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

### Blessing of Expectant Mothers:

Every Fourth Sunday of the month

## From the Desk of the Parish Priest



### Trinity Sunday

We celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity this weekend and renew our faith in the unity of God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, Three Persons in one God.

### 2023 Parish Census

A reminder to all parishioners to register yourselves with our Parish.

We ask that the Catholic head of the household take the lead to complete the information for your family.

It will take a few minutes to fill in the form once you have the following information on your household members:

Name/Year of Birth/Baptism Year/Confirmation Year/Marriage Year

You can either scan the QR code or  
click on the link below

to access the Parish Census form :

<https://mycatholic.sg/link/sjcbltcensus>

Thank you for participating in our 2023 Parish Census. All your information will be kept in confidence.

### Corpus Christi Procession (after the Sun 5.30 pm Mass)

Our second procession of the year falls on Corpus Christi – the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ.

At this Mass, the children will also be receiving their First Holy Communion.

Come and celebrate this occasion as a community.

# Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Introduce a friend to the faith... invite them to RCIA.



## Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) *A new journey begins...*



### English RCIA

Commencing : Mon 26 June  
Time : 8 pm – 9.45 pm  
Venue : St Joseph AVA Room

### Chinese RCIA

Commencing : Thurs 13 July  
Time : 7.45 pm – 9.45 pm  
Venue : St Joseph AVA Room.

Do note that RCIA is for non-Catholics only.

To register, go to the Church website <https://stjoseph-bt.org.sg/services> and scroll down to RCIA and download the registration forms. Alternatively, you can also pick up a hardcopy from the Parish Office.

### Sign-Up for English RCIA

This weekend, the English RCIA team will be on hand after all English Masses to assist with registration. Should you have any questions or need to find out more about RCIA, please do approach the team.

Do your part to recommend a non-Catholic friend to sign up for RCIA.



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# LAUDATO SI'

## "Sale" of Pre-loved items

*By popular demand,  
we are back!*

To encourage re-use in our community, we will be organizing a "sale" of the pre-loved item. All proceeds will go to SSVP to support our Friends-in-Need.

### DATES

Sat 3 Jun & Sat 10 Jun:

5pm to 7pm

Sun 4 Jun & Sun 11 Jun:

9am to 1pm & 5 pm to 7 pm

**Venue : St Joachim Room**

**(located at the base of the staircase to the main Church)**

Prayer thru Music (Fri 23 June @ 8 pm)



## *"Prayer thru Music"*

*brought to you by SAHOP –  
(Sing A Hymn of Praise to GOD)*



## **Guest Speaker: Bro Dominic Yeo-Koh**

*(Praise God all the Time!)*

**Date: 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023 (Friday) at 8pm**

**Venue: Level 3, AVA Room  
(Parish Community Hall)**

*"He Who Sings Prays Twice" – St. Augustine*

Mass Timing for Thu 29 June

The timing for the Public Holiday Mass is at 8 am in the Main Church.

# AROUND THE PARISH

## First Wednesday Mass in Honour of St Joseph (resuming on 2 Aug @ 8 pm)



Resuming every First Wednesday from August  
8.00 pm in Main Church

- 02 Aug
- 06 Sep
- 04 Oct
- 06 Dec

There will still be the 6.30 am Mass in the Chapel.  
There will be NO 6.30 pm Mass in the Chapel.

# AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

## A Closer Walk With You (1 – 30 Jun)





Catholic  
Family Life



Scan & Walk  
to Support  
our Mission

# A Closer Walk With You

A **Charity** walk with  
family, for families

**1 June - 30 June 2023**  
**Join & Donate**  
**Walk & Raise Funds**





BIT.LY/SSVPYOUTHCAMP2023

# YOUTH CAMP

DO YOU FEEL CALLED TO SERVE  
THE LESS FORTUNATE?

CALLING ALL YOUTH AGES 14-35



"HE HAS SENT ME TO BRING  
GOOD NEWS TO THE POOR"

LUKE 4:18

2-4 JUNE  
**2023**

**\$40/YOUTH\***  
\*\$35/YOUTH IF YOU BRING A FRIEND

 FMM RETREAT HOUSE  
49 HOLLAND RD  
SINGAPORE 258849

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2023 **CARITAS  
YOUNG  
ADULTS**

SCAN TO REGISTER



**Life Without Strife:**  
Choosing What Is Truly Important



3 June 2023



10 AM - 12 PM



CANA at Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo St. Level 3

Fee: Free (Love offering welcome)



How can I find true meaning in life ?

How can I find value in the work that I do ?

How can I find a community in a place that is foreign to me ?

# ABUNDANT & BETTER LIFE ABROAD (AbBA)

COMMUNITY | GROUP SHARING | REFLECTION

A **four-week values formation programme** run by migrants for migrants!

Discover more about **yourself, people that you meet, work and community** through experiential learning.

Joint collaboration between:



### DETAILS

**4, 11, 18, 25 June (Sundays)\***

**1pm to 5pm**

**Church of St Bernadette,  
12 Zion Rd  
Singapore 247731**

*\*Please take note of the rooms:*

- Canteen (For lunch and tea break)
- Parish Hall (For sessions)

Scan the QR code to register



## Tea@Cenacle (Sat 10 Jun)

Open to single ladies between 18-35yo.

Hang out with the Cenacle Sisters for an easy afternoon of chats, stories and questions at their new house. Let our curiosity flow as we listen to one another on how our gifts and lifestyles as lay singles and religious can meet the spiritual hunger of our world today.

Details and registration at <https://forms.gle/kjb6xB5hFSYdiUUL7>



AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Living Joy (Fri 16 Jun @ 2 pm)



Kickstart (23-24 Jun)



AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

CHARIS Humanitarian Forum and Fair (24 Jun)



Humanitarian  
Forum and Fair

Saturday, 24 June 2023

9:00 am - 6:00 pm

Catholic Junior College  
(Performing Arts Centre)

"We are many parts of one body, and we all belong to each other".



MASS CELEBRANT



Cardinal William Goh  
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Singapore

His Eminence Cardinal William Goh assumed  
the office of Archbishop of Singapore in 2013,  
and he was elevated to the College of Cardinals in 2022.

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Dr Noeleen Heyzer  
United Nations Special Envoy

First woman to serve as Executive Secretary  
of the United Nations Economic and Social  
Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP),  
between 2007 and 2014.



Friar Derrick Yap, OFM

Custos (Regional Superior) for the friars  
in Singapore and Malaysia as well as  
the Spiritual Assistant to the Secular  
Franciscans in Singapore.

Join us as we learn from practitioners of  
humanitarian work as they share their  
experiences whilst serving in areas of  
natural disasters, refugees and the poor.

Visit our website to register via our online form:  
[www.charis-singapore.org/hff2023](http://www.charis-singapore.org/hff2023)



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Jesus Encounter Retreat (29 Jun – 2 Jul)



29 JUN-2 JUL  
THUR – SUN

RETREAT FEE  
**\$320**  
(8% GST included)

**EARLY BIRD  
DISCOUNT** **\$270**

REGISTER BEFORE 4 JUNE 2023

 CATHOLIC SPIRITUALITY CENTRE  
Encountering God • Healing Hearts • Empowering Lives

JESUS  
ENCOUNTER  
RETREAT **2**

**RE-EXPERIENCE**  
God's merciful love  
poured into your heart ~ Rm 5:5

**RE-DISCOVER**  
your dignity as a child of  
our Loving Father ~ Gen 1:27

**RE-IGNITE**  
the faith given to you  
through baptism ~ Col 2:12



Registration opens on  
**12 MAY 2023**

SCAN ME



Spiritual Landscapes (14-16 Jul)

The Cenacle Sisters will be conducting a stay-in weekend of Prayer and Reflection on the different "terrains" of our spiritual life. Each session will reflect on the landscapes of our different life experiences and will invite us to look more deeply at the way God was present in those experiences, and how they have impacted us and our relationships.

Programme details and registration at <https://forms.gle/rjrzsVWkSXUwWQJM9>

Venue : La Salle House



Landings



PHONE

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**Whether you've been away from church for a short while or a long time, know that you are never alone. We are here for you, ready to listen, support, and uplift you. Reconnect with your Catholic roots and rediscover the love and mercy of our faith.**

Missed Call



[returning@landings.org.sg](mailto:returning@landings.org.sg)



[www.landings.org.sg](http://www.landings.org.sg)

VERBUM DEI FAMILY CAMP

# A Family that Prays TOGETHER Stays TOGETHER

1 - 3 SEPTEMBER 2023  
LE GRANDEUR PALM RESORT  
(SENAI, JB)

## This is your chance!

Extremely difficult to find time to pray as a family? Or... no idea how to even start? Come away with your kids to our family camp with our Verbum Dei Missionaries and families this September holidays!

Hear from fellow Catholic parents about their life experiences and sharings on how to grow closer to God as a family. Kids programme for ages 3 – 12 years will be provided. We promise a spirit-filled getaway with plenty of fun, food and fellowship!

**Date:** 1 - 3 September 2023 (3 days, 2 nights)

**Venue:** Le Grandeur Palm Resort (Senai, JB)

**Cost:** Twin - Sharing  
\$270 per adult  
\$120 per child  
(5-12 years old with no extra bed)  
\$160 per child (with extra bed)  
(Free for children below 5)

**Meals:** Full board (2 x breakfast, 2 x lunch, 2 x dinner and 2 x tea breaks included)

**Transport:** Own transport

**Free WiFi**

**Registration Closing Date:** 16 July 2023

For enquiry, please contact Diana:  
Email: [vdeifamilies@gmail.com](mailto:vdeifamilies@gmail.com)  
Mobile: 9689 0919

Scan the QR code or visit <https://tinyurl.com/VdeiFC2023> to register.





# Clarity Circle - Gather

Mental health journeys can often be difficult or isolating. To encourage **psychosocial support**, Gather is a monthly gathering for individuals with lived experience/mental health concerns to **connect, grow, and spend quality time** with one another. Gather provides a platform for individuals with mental health concerns to journey together through **meaningful activities** and be part of a **supportive mental health community**.

**ADULT (36-55 YEARS OLD): 11AM-12PM**  
**YOUTH (18-35 YEARS OLD): 3PM-4PM**

**Online via Zoom**

**17 MARCH**  
**19 MAY**  
**21 JULY**  
**15 SEPTEMBER**  
**17 NOVEMBER**

**F2F at Clarity Yishun**

**21 APRIL**  
**16 JUNE\***  
**18 AUGUST**  
**20 OCTOBER\***

\*Combined adult and youth session, timing will be 2pm-4pm  
(Dates are subject to change)

Register at: [tinyurl.com/ccgather2023](https://tinyurl.com/ccgather2023) or scan the QR code



# CBN Leadership Program

## "Journey with Christ" 2023

*How to be an effective leader in the workplace?*



**16 Weeks + 6-12 months of Individual Mentorship  
Designed by a Panel of Catholic Leaders & Priests**

**Inviting all Aspiring, Young Christian Leaders seeking a  
Spiritual Journey with meaningful careers.**

June – September 2023

\$500 (Individual) | \$800 (Corporate)



**Scan QR Code for more information and to register**  
**Contact us: [errolmas65@gmail.com](mailto:errolmas65@gmail.com)/91117325**

