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From Mattar Road (entry through back gate) Bus 40, 61, 63, 65, 135, 154, 155, 158



29 March 2026

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



MASSES

Saturday Sunset Mass: **5.30pm**(English)

Sunday Masses : **9.00am, 11.00am**(English)

5.30pm(English)

1st Sunday: **3.00pm** (Tagalog)

2nd Sunday: **2.00pm**(Malayalam)

Eve/Day of Obligation if it is a weekday:

6.30am & 7.00pm

Weekday Masses: **6.30am**

(**7.30am** on Public Holidays)

Rosary Devotion: Saturday **4.55pm**

Divine Mercy Devotion: Sunday **10.15am**

COURSES-Catechism

Sun 9.00am (English)

Coordinator: Elvin Wee HP 9171 3881

SSVP:

President : Jude HP 98305080

FREE LUNCH: Willing Hearts at Blk 42

Chairman: Tony HP 9690 2086

Monday to Saturday 9.00am to 11.00am

Parish Priest: **Rev. Fr. John Bosco**

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Tel: 6461 3745 (direct line)

Assistant Priest: **Rev. Fr. John Lau**

john.lau@catholic.org.sg



Confession: Half an hour before Mass

Weddings: One year notification.

Infant Baptism: Please call office

Funerals: Please notify the priest immediately and discuss with him in person on funeral services before you make any arrangement with the casket Co

READINGS OF THE WEEK

Sun: Is 50:4-7, Phil 2:6-11, Mt 26:14-27:66

Mon: Is 42:1-7, Jn 12:1-11

Tue : Is 49:1-6, Jn 13:21-33,36-38

Wed: Is 50:4-9, Mt 26:14-25

Thur: Ex 12:1-8,11-14,1 Cor 11:23-26,
Jn 13:1-15

Fri : Is 52:13-53:12, Heb 4:14-16,5:7-9,
Jn 18:1-19:42

Sat : Gen 1:1-2:2, Ex 14:15-15:1

Ez 36:16-28, Rom 6:3-11, Mt 28:1-10

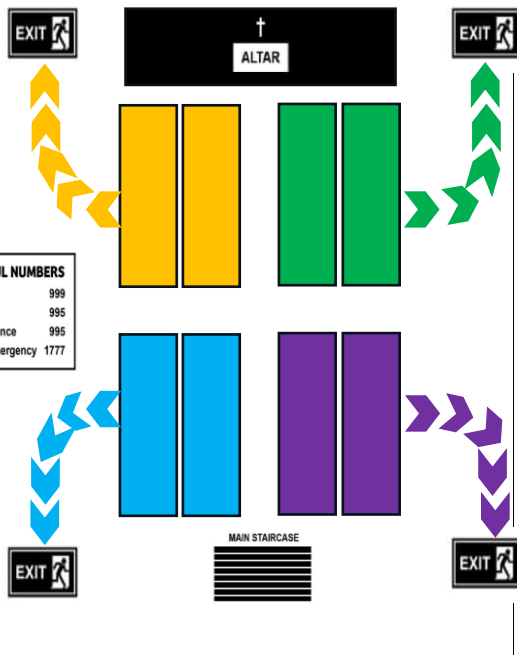


Palm Sunday :Year A

Thur 2nd: Holy Thursday

Fri 3rd : Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord

Sat 4th : Holy Saturday



**THESE ARE THE EMERGENCY EXITS.
PLEASE USE THE EXITS
NEAREST TO YOU.**

USEFUL NUMBERS
Police 999
Fire 995
Ambulance 995
Non-emergency 1777

MASS TIMING FOR HOLY WEEK

PALM SUNDAY

28th MARCH 2026, 5.30pm

29th MARCH 2026, 9am, 11am and 5.30pm

Do take one palm per family available at the Church foyer.

HOLY THURSDAY

2nd APRIL 2026 (no morning Mass)

7.00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper.

ADORATION TILL MIDNIGHT

Please observe silence in and around the Church.

GOOD FRIDAY

3rd APRIL 2026

10.00am and 2.30pm Stations of the Cross

10.30am and 3.00pm Good Friday Service of the Lord's Passion

A day of penance for the whole Church to be marked by fasting and abstaining from meat.

HOLY SATURDAY

4th APRIL 2026 (no morning Mass)

7.30pm Easter Vigil

Please take one candle available at the Church entrance. You are encouraged to witness the Blessing of the Fire outside the Foyer.

EASTER SUNDAY

5th APRIL 2026, 9am, 11am and 5.30pm

COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY LAND

On Holy Thursday, there will be a collection for the mission of the Holy Land. Our brothers and sisters in the Holy Land has preserved and maintained the holy places of Christianity in the region, ensuring they remain living shrines for both local Christians and pilgrims. This mission depends greatly on the solidarity and generosity of Catholics throughout the world. Please give generously.



DONATION TO CHURCH

For donations to Church of St Stephen via PayNow, key in our Parish UEN T08CC4047J. Key in under reference:

- 1) Mass collection,
- 2) Donation to Church or
- 3) Church Maintenance



DONATION TO SSVV

Kindly do bank transfer to SSVV St Stephen, DBS account number 004- 018497-1.



WEEKLY ROSARY @ CSS

Please note that there is NO Rosary recitation on 4 April, Easter Vigil.



DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

"During Holy Mass, Jesus stood before me and said, Look into My Heart and see there the love and mercy which I have for humankind, and especially for sinners. Look, and enter into My Passion. In an instant, I experienced and lived through the whole Passion of Jesus in my own heart" – Diary 1663

Join us to pray the Chaplet on Sun at 10.15am.

CHRISM MASS 2026

The Chrim Mass will be on Thursday, 2 April, at 10.30am at Church of Christ The King.

GENTLE REMINDER ON FIRE SAFETY

In compliance with the SCDF Fire Safety Act and for the safety of everyone, please note NO Standing and Overcrowding in the Church. The aisles, stairs, walkways and emergency exits must always remain unobstructed.

VOLUNTEERS FOR BOOKSHOP

Our bookshop is open during weekend mass timings. We encourage anyone who enjoy meeting people to volunteer at the bookshop. For more info, call Church office at 67471433.

CATHOLIC NEWS IS HERE!

Inside: Holy Week activities for children; Q&A with Fr Clarence Yue on fasting; Children - burden or gift from God? Grab your copy today!

MASS INTENTIONS

Kindly drop your envelope into the mass intention box at least one week ahead. Mass is \$10 per name per mass. Alternatively, you may use PayNow. Key in:

- 1) Mass Intention followed by your **name** on the reference.
- 2) Take a **screenshot** of your payment and email to css.secretariat@catholic.org.sg. Please indicate your mass intention in the email.

THE GIFT

(6-session CaFE module: Apr–May, in preparation for Pentecost)

Faith formation in the Easter season as we prepare our hearts for Pentecost—to receive anew what God desires to give, and to live as Spirit-filled disciples.

Dates: 15 April – 20 May (6 sessions)

Time : 7.30 pm – 9.00 pm

Venue: Church Multi-Purpose Hall (Level 3)



THE GIFT



Are you and your partner ready for the next step—engagement, marriage, or getting a home together?

Discern how to build a future that honours God and the family you hope to create through the lens of our Catholic faith.

Session Objectives: Understanding Readiness; Which Comes First—Engagement or House; Building a Home, Not Just Buying a House.

10 APRIL 2026 (FRIDAY), 8PM–10PM

CANA THE CATHOLIC CENTRE, LEVEL 3
55 Waterloo St, Singapore 187954

\$20 per pax / \$35 for two



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Embracing the Slow Path:
A Spirituality of Retirement

22-23 April 2026
at La Salle House



In this retreat, we embrace this journey as a kind of spiritual sabbatical, a profound season of grace where the primary work is simply to be present as Beloved before THE Beloved.



Concilio Programme

Exhibition of Liturgical Vestments and Embroidery (10 to 24 April)

Carlo Catholic Services will be hosting an Exhibition of Liturgical Vestments and Embroidery, featuring several sets of liturgical vestments from different periods, and also including vestments crafted with Sulam embroidery and Kebaya craftsmanship. There will also be a series of programmes related to the theme, including: Talks on the History & Spirituality of Liturgical Vestment by Fr. Reginald (OCD) and Fr. Bartolo (OCD) , Workshops and Embroidery demonstrations by Mr Heath Yeo, a kebaya and sulam maker. For more info, Agnes 8085 3241

2:27 PM

SNAPCHATS & TIKTALKS

TUNING IN, REACHING OUT

Teens speak in short answers, texts, and silence. This session will explore the world of today's children through real-life case studies and provide practical tools to tune in, build trust, and respond with empathy. 2:26 pm

Mad rizz right there. 2:26 pm

25 April 2026, Saturday
9.30am–11.30am
Church of St Vincent de Paul,
#04-02 2:26 pm

Say less I'm in fam. 2:27 pm

PRESENTED BY:
Daniel Ng,
Principal therapist
Catholic Family Life

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CHARITY WEEK 2026

Mercy Cannot Wait. Your donation changes lives. This is a call to all of us to respond to Charities Week, our Archdiocesan annual fundraiser where your donation goes directly to support our brothers and sisters who are the poor, elderly, persons with disabilities, migrants and itinerant, youth-at-risk, and many more. Inspired by Dilexi te where our Pope Leo XIV reminds us that God's love calls us to respond without delay, we too, need to stand up and be counted through timely acts of compassion and generosity. Your almsgiving makes a difference – it enables essential programmes and services to reach those who need help most. Four ways to donate: Drop the Charities Week envelope at our parish, mail it to Caritas Singapore or visit bit.ly/cw26bulletin. Donations of \$10 and above are eligible for 250% tax deduction.

Feast of Divine Mercy

Jesus, I Trust in You

Join us for Divine Mercy Devotion, Reconciliation, Eucharistic Celebration and Healing Service in Tamil Followed by Fellowship.

Come and Encounter the Boundless Mercy of Our Lord!

Saturday, 11 Apr, 2026
7.30pm

Church of Divine Mercy
19, Pasir Ris Street 72,
Singapore 518771
Bus No. 88, 89, 58

92385651 & 98507256

Mass Collection PAYNOW - T08CC4044K

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CONVERSATIONS THAT MATTER

WITH FR DAVID GARCIA, OP & NICHOLAS GABRIEL LIM

NAVIGATING SEXUALITY & VALUES WITH YOUR TEEN

In a culture of conflicting messages on intimacy and identity, many parents feel unsure how to begin these conversations with their teens.

Date 25 April 2026 (Sat)
Time 1.30pm - 4pm
Venue Church of the Holy Spirit
Fee \$20 per pax | \$35 for 2 pax

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familylife.sg/CTM_A

Explore how to communicate values with empathy, build trust, and keep meaningful dialogue open.

REVIEW OF LIFE WORKSHOP

We are called to nourish the world with spiritual fruits. How can faith break into our daily actions?

SAT 25 APR 2026
9.30AM - 1.30PM

CANA The Catholic Centre,
55 Waterloo St, Level 2

LOVE OFFERING WELCOME

REGISTER HERE

God and Me in my Autistic World

Organised by Mamre Oaks, Faith and Light

1 May 2026 (Friday) 9am – 1pm
Church of St. Mary of the Angels, St Clare Hall,
5 Bukit Batok East Ave 2, Singapore 659918
\$10 per pax (Love offering would be much appreciated)

This talk is a special invitation to persons with autism with low support needs and their families to join us at Church of St. Mary of the Angels for "God and Me in my Autistic World".

It explores what happens in the soul of a person with autism when they connect with God.

Scan to Register



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SERVE WITH LOVE

Junior Leste

JOIN NOW!

SPONSOR
If you cannot join, consider sponsoring someone willing to serve but unable to afford the expenses.

DONATE
Support by donating preloved or surplus items. Please do not buy these items as they can be purchased much cheaper in Timor Leste and would not add to our baggage allowance.

VOLUNTEER
Be a part of the mission and experience the joy of serving Christ by bringing hope to this community of marginalised families through programs that restore dignity and create opportunities.

In one of the most deeply Catholic nations in the world, we will travel to Dili to serve vulnerable communities together with the **Canossian Daughters of Charity**, who have been caring for the poor, the marginalized, and the forgotten for generations.

COMBINED WITH PILGRIMAGE TO CRISTO REI, A BELOVED CATHOLIC LANDMARK
ORGANISED BY: **Gebirah** IN SUPPORT OF: **CANOSSIAN DAUGHTERS OF CHARITY**



"Don't let your life be sterile. Be useful. Blaze a trail. Shine forth with the light of your faith and of your love." - St. Josemaria Escriva

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