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Nearest Mrt : Mattar station DT25(Exit B)

Bus services: From Aljunied Road (entry through front gate) Bus 62, 64, 100

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

16 August 2026

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



MASSES

Saturday Sunset Mass: **5.30pm**

Sunday Masses : **9.00am**

11.00am

5.30pm

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 : **4.45pm**

Divine Mercy Devotion: Sunday: **10.15am**

Office: Level 1, in front of main Church entrance.

Office opening hours: Monday to Friday
9.00am to 5.00pm

Bookshop opening hours:
Saturday 5.00pm to 6.30pm
Sunday 9.00am to 12.30pm

COURSES-Catechism

Sun 9.00am (English)

Coordinator: Elvin Wee HP 9171 3881

SSVP:

President : Jude HP 98305080

Parish Priest:

Rev. Fr. Cornelius Ching

cornelius.ching@catholic.org.sg

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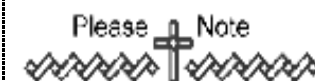
Tel: 6747 0062 (direct line)

Priest-in-Residence

Rev. Fr. John Lau

john.lau@catholic.org.sg

Tel: 6747 0065 (direct line)



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.

Wake enquiries: Faith Liu 9763 8225

READINGS OF THE WEEK

Sun: Rev 11:19, 12:1-6, 10, 1 Cor 15:20-26

Lk 1:39-56

Mon : Ez 24:15-24, Mt 19:16-22

Tue : Ez 28:1-10, Mt 19:23-30

Wed : Ez 34:1-11, Mt 20:1-16

Thur : Ez 36:23-28, Mt 22:1-14

Fri : Ez 37:1-14, Mt 22:34-40

Sat : Is 9:1-6, Lk 1:26-38



19th Sunday in Ordinary Time : Year A

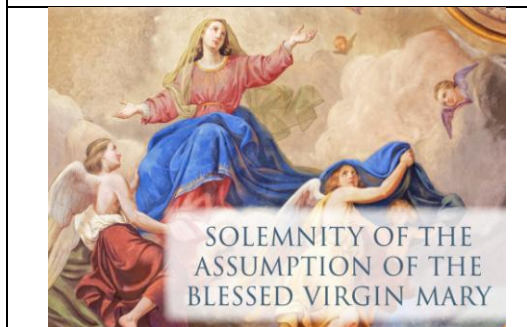
Sun 16th : The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, *Solemnity*

Wed 19th: St John Eudes, *Priest*

Thur 20th: St Bernard, *Abbot and Doctor, memorial*

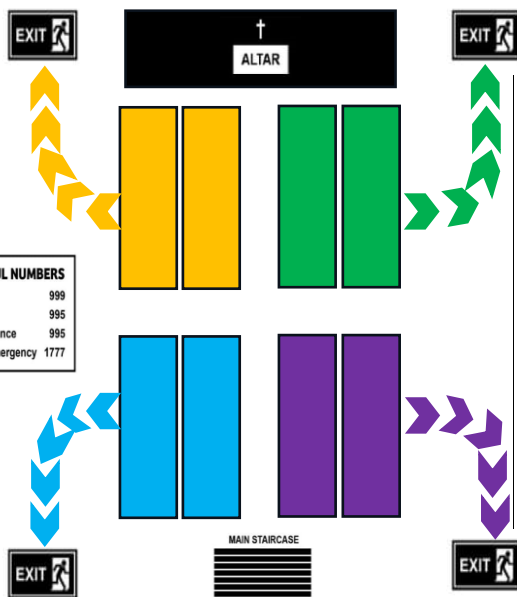
Fri 21st : St Pius X, *Pope, memorial*

Sat 22nd : The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary, *memorial*



SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

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



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



GIFT CONTRIBUTION

Care for Shepherds

Our priests dedicate their lives to serving God and His people. Let us care for them in return by supporting the GIFT programme's Clergy Welfare & Retirement Fund, which provides for their healthcare, welfare and retirement needs after a lifetime of service.

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CONFESSION BEFORE WEEKEND MASS

Confession is available half an hour before Mass starts.

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 to UEN T08CC4047JDBS**.

KEY IN: 1)MASS INTENTION 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.

RESPONDER PLUS PROGRAMME (RPP) conducted by SCDF

Date : 12 December 2026, Saturday

Time : 9am – 12.30pm

Venue: Church of St Stephen

The RPP equips participants with essential lifesaving skills in First Aid, CPR-AED, Basic Firefighting. The programme comprises classroom learning with hands-on practice.

Specially organised for our Parish, those interested to learn this lifesaving skill please sign up at the office or call 67471433 or email css.secretariat@catholic.org.sg

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Closing date 1 October.

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED

VIRGIN MARY – Day of Obligation

MASS TIMINGS

15th August, Saturday 5.30pm

16th August, Sunday 9am, 11am and 5.30pm

+Rosary@4.45pm on Saturday followed by Mass.

Come and pray the Rosary together as we honour Our Blessed Mother.

CELEBRATING THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

✨ A Celebration of Faith, Food & Fellowship
Come together as one parish family as we celebrate the Assumption of our Blessed Mother Mary with a joyful morning of prayer, fellowship and, of course... good food! ❤️

Sunday, 16 August

10.00 am – 1.30 pm

Church Canteen

COME HUNGRY!

We'll be serving a delicious spread of:



Chicken Curry, Fried Bee Hoon
Assorted Pies, Fresh Salad, Cream of Mushroom Soup. And there's more than food!



Kids' Colouring Corner

Bring the little ones along for some creative fun with Mother Mary-themed colouring activities.



Petitions to Our Lady

Write your personal prayer or petition to our Blessed Mother and entrust your intentions to her loving intercession.



Religious Items for Sale

Browse a selection of beautiful religious items for yourself or as meaningful gifts for family and friends.



Let us honour Mary together — with prayer in our hearts, joy in our fellowship and plenty of food on our plates! Bring your family, invite your friends and stay awhile.



Come celebrate. Come fellowship.
Come honour our Blessed Mother.



DONATION TO CHURCH

For donations to Church of St Stephen via

PayNow, key in our Parish UEN

T08CC4047JDBS or scan QR code below



Key in under reference:

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



DONATION TO SSVF

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



DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

"The Holy Spirit does not speak to a soul that is distracted and garrulous. He speaks by His quiet inspirations to a soul that is recollected, to a soul that knows how to keep silence." Diary, 552
Join us to pray the Chaplet on Sundays at 10.15am.

CATHOLIC HUB LOGO SELECTION

As the Catholic Hub takes shape, we invite you to help discern its visual identity. Two logo concepts have been shortlisted, and we would like to hear which one best represents the Catholic Hub as a place for prayer, formation and fellowship. View the two logo concepts and make your selection by 21 August. Scan the QR code below, go to mycatholic.sg/cathub-vote, or visit the myCatholicSG app.



Your feedback will help the Catholic Hub Team discern the final logo as we prepare to welcome our Catholic community to the Catholic Hub in 2027.

FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN IN CELEBRATION OF THE CANOSSIAN VILLAGE'S 85TH ANNIVERSARY

The Canossian Village celebrates its 85th Anniversary on 15 August. As part of this milestone celebration, Sr Theresa embarked on and successfully completed the Camino de Santiago pilgrimage in June. She dedicated her journey to raising funds and awareness for Canossaville and every step was taken in support of the Canossian mission that has transformed lives of children and their families for the past 85 years.

You can support Sr Theresa walk by making a donation and sharing her campaign with your family and friends.

Your donation will help Canossaville continue its mission of providing care, support, and opportunities to children and families in need. Thank you! Donate Here:



For more info, visit:

<https://canossaville.org.sg/step-up-with-canossaville/>

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND 2026

Upcoming Weekend Dates

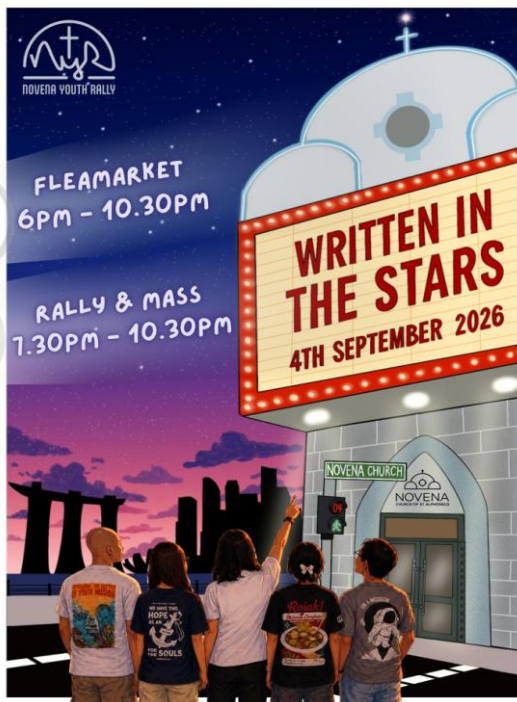
ENGLISH	28 - 30 Aug 2 - 4 Oct 4-6 Dec
MANDARIN	18 - 20 Sep
BAHASA INDONESIA	16 - 18 Oct



FRIDAY 8PM - SUNDAY 6PM
201 PUNGGOL SEVENTEENTH AVE
SINGAPORE 829651

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INTERCESSION RETREAT

A weekend retreat about praying for others. The retreat will help you gain a deeper understanding of intercession. Learn to intercede and grow in confidence in praying spontaneously. Apply what you learn by becoming intercessors for your family and loved ones. Learn to lead communal intercession. Form intercessory groups to support parish needs.

RETREAT DATE:

5-6 SEP 2026 (Sat & Sun)

8:30am - 6.45pm

Conducted by: CSC Retreat Team

Mass by: Msgr Peter Zhang

RETREAT FEE:

\$109 (including 9% GST)

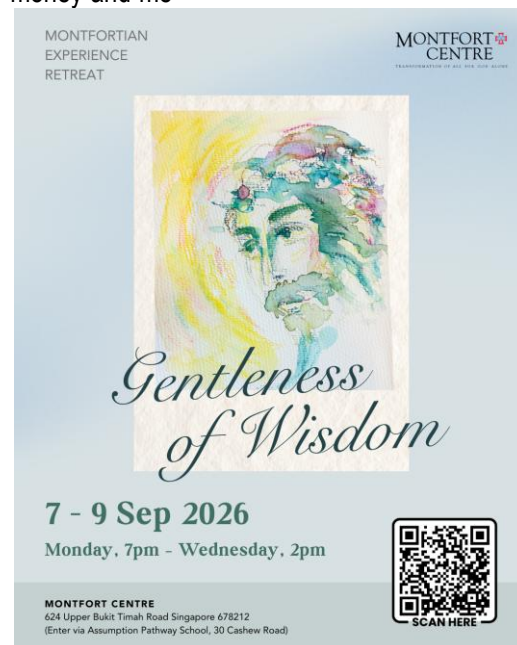
REGISTRATION CLOSES:

26 AUG 2026

REGISTER at [HTTPS://BIT.LY/CSCIR11](https://bit.ly/CSCIR11)

GOD, MONEY & ME

God Money & Me blends practical financial tools with Catholic principles, helping you build healthy habits, make values-based decisions, and experience the freedom of faithful stewardship. Orientation on Sat, 5 Sep (10am – 12pm) Sessions on Sat 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31 Oct (9am – 1pm) at Catholic Centre, 55 Waterloo Street. Sign up here: catholicfoundation.sg/god-money-and-me



RETRouvaille WEEKENDS

25 Sep to 27 Sep 2026

Venue: ME House, 201 Punggol Seventeenth Avenue, Singapore 829651

The programme starts on Friday 8pm and finishes on Sunday 6pm. This is a Couple stay-in weekend. Registration fee: \$50 per couple Retrouvaille is an international programme that came to Singapore in 1993. The programme aims to help troubled couples mend their relationships. If you are considering separation, divorce, or are already divorced and want to get back together, Retrouvaille may just be what you need as a couple. Register here via bit.ly/RetroWESep26.



Help needed to ideate solutions for various archdiocesan organisations. Sign up now to be part of building the church of tomorrow with your talents! Signups close by 30 August.



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