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NEW WAY OF BEING CHURCH

10<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

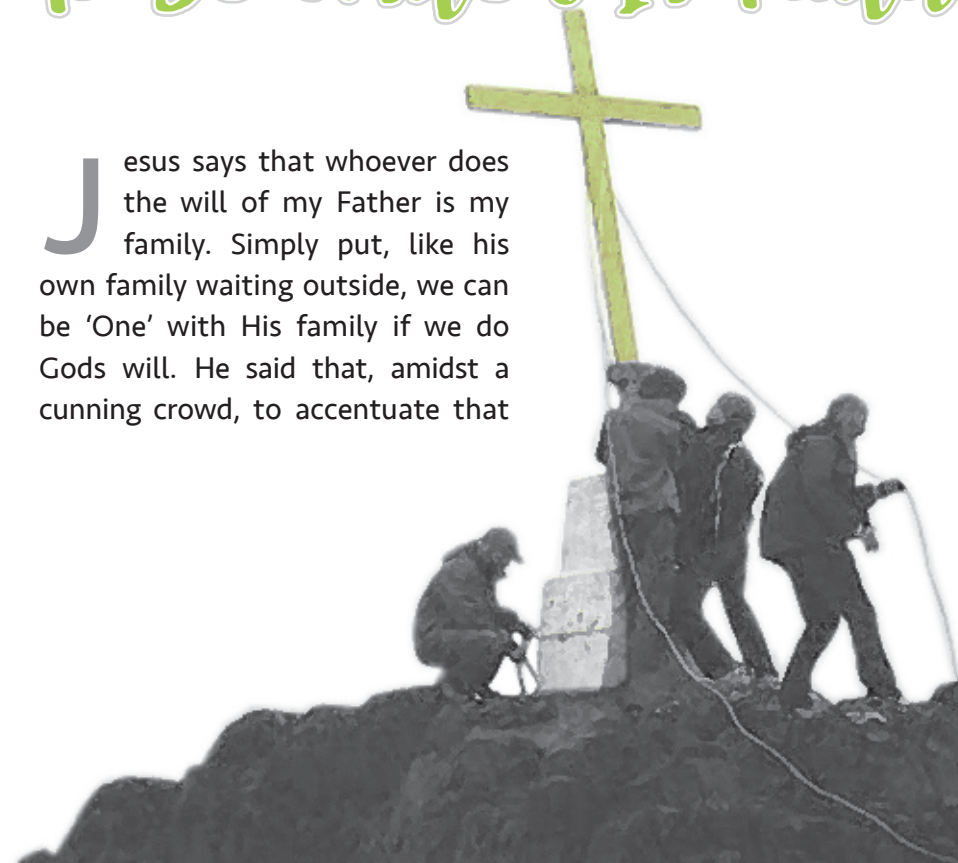
B E D I S C I P L E S O F H O P E

MONTHLY THEME:

## Take, Break and Give in Christ

# To Be United In Faith

Jesus says that whoever does the will of my Father is my family. Simply put, like his own family waiting outside, we can be 'One' with His family if we do Gods will. He said that, amidst a cunning crowd, to accentuate that



Unity grows along the way; it never stands still. Unity happens when we walk together.

– Pope Francis

God wants you to believe in Him through His Son and what the Son does. The Son is the Word. The Son shows the Father's Love. The Son is the promise. Jesus goes so far as to say that if you believe this, you will not be condemned. Jesus asks us to demonstrate this unity, that no one can take this away from us – 'if a house is divided, it will not stand'. The Father, Jesus and The Spirit are One, we need to be One too, through The Son.

Israel couldn't comprehend how this special man could drive out demons and do so much. *"He must be possessed"*. Jesus was showing them clear visible signs and they were still looking for the invisible. St Paul contrasts their view as 'momentary' against the backdrop of the 'eternal'. They wanted miracles but could not see the greatest of all. They came for the favours but didn't believe the biggest revelation of all time – Jesus! We ourselves sin against His Spirit when we sometimes choose to whitewash this truth.

The Bible paints a frightening image of the serpent who led Eve astray. The punishment was to crawl on its belly. God seems clear about this sin – that if we fail to believe in Him, there are eternal consequences. Our faith, professed in unity, ensures that our house is never divided against itself. When we profess this, as we do, God is pleased. We are not transitory people but eternal believers, even in the unseen. **We are never in chaos, especially when we are united.** We are with the Father in all things, because we believe in His Son. This unity as 'one family' allows us to walk in Spirit and Truth and always say as the Psalmist, *"with the Lord there is Mercy and fullness of Redemption"*. †

Weekly  
WORD

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**DISCIPLESHIP : BE DISCIPLES OF HOPE.**  
**Hope : Take, Break, Give in Christ (June) 2018**  
*Towards 170 years of the Parish of Visitation*  
**(1848 - 2018)**

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**  
 Monday - Friday  
 8.30am - 5.30 pm  
 Saturday : 8.30am - 7.30 pm  
 Sunday: 8.30 am - 3.00 pm  
 Confessions in Church ½  
*hour before all Weekend*  
**MASSES at availability of**  
**priests**



**OUR PROGRAMME 09 - 17 JUNE 2018**

**10<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME :** Gen 3, 9, 15, Ps 129, 1-2, 3-4, 5-7a,7bc-8, 2 Cor 4, 13 - 5, 1 Mk 3, 20-35  
**"With The Lord There Is Mercy And Fullness Of Redemption" (Psalm 129)**

Sat	09	5.00 pm 6.00 pm	Rosary / Novena / Benediction Eucharist (E) (Animation : Youth)	Bible Knowledge (BK) : 2.30 pm in the Visitation Hall (U/S) (Form 3, 4 & 5)
Sun	10	7.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am 1.00 pm	Eucharist (T) (Animation : St. Patrick) Eucharist (E) (Animation : St. Catherine) Eucharist (C) 4.30 pm : Titi (M) Eucharist (BM)	RE(T): 8.45-10.15 am; RE(C) :9- 10.30 am : RE(E) & (BM) 10.45 -12.15pm
Mon	11	6.45 am	Eucharist	Charismatic (E) 7.30 pm at Visitation Hall. We welcome All to join in praising God in Song.
Tues	12	6.45 am	Eucharist	Charismatic (M) 7.30 pm at Visitation Hall. We welcome All to join in praising God in Song.
Wed	13	6.45 am	Eucharist	
Thur	14	6.45 am	Eucharist	Charismatic (T) 7.30 pm at Visitation Hall. We welcome All to join in praising God in Song.
Fri	15	6.45 am	Eucharist	

**11<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME :** Ez17, 22-24 Ps 91, 2-3, 13-14, 15-16 2 Cor 5, 6-10, Mk 4, 26-34  
**"It Is Good To Give You Thanks O Lord. It Is Good To Give You Thanks O Lord" (Psalm 91)**

Sat	16	5.00 pm 6.00 pm	Rosary / Novena / Benediction Eucharist (E) (Animation : St. Rose)	Bible Knowledge (BK) : 2.30 pm in the Visitation Hall (U/S) (F. 3,4,5) <b>7.00 pm : Infant Baptism</b>
Sun	17	7.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am 1.00 pm	Eucharist (T) (Animation : St. Monica) Eucharist (E) (Animation : RE : Form 4) Eucharist (C) Eucharist (BM)	No RE Classes.

**We welcome new Parishioners/Students** from University / Colleges in the vicinity of Seremban. Kindly register at the parish office or email us at: [serembanvisitation@gmail.com](mailto:serembanvisitation@gmail.com). You will receive a Prayer Card (Magnificat). Pray it daily.

- i) **Parish Weekend Collections :**
  - a) 02/03 June 2018 : RM10,371.65
  - b) Min. of Social Concern : RM5,580.20  
**God Bless All Generous Donors**
- ii) **Parish office** will be closed on Hari Raya, 15 & 16 June 2018 (Public Holiday)
- iii) **VSPF – Dinner & Dance (25<sup>th</sup> August)**  
 Tickets are available. Contact : Maridass (06-7612777) or Margie (018-3950546)

**Pray for the Departed soul of :**  
 Joseph John Sta Maria (d.o.d : 31/05/2018)  
*May the Perpetual Light shine upon him*

- We appeal to Parishioners to write out **stories of miracles** at Visitation (Church/Grotto/Our Lady). You may write/email to the Parish Priest.
- **Bible Knowledge (BK)** : We encourage Form 3 students to join BK (Sat-2.30 pm) At the moment we have Form 4 & 5. Call Helton (012-2370982)
- The **BK students** will be having a **Breakfast Sale on 10<sup>th</sup> June (Sun)**. Kindly give them your support. They will be having a Special Camp at P.D., 10<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> June 2018.
- **Fund-raising for Wesley (Methodist) school**  
 Food sale at a later date at Visitation Canteen. For more info called Stephen - 016-6110681 / 016 - 2681531

**Thank you for Mass Animation :** Youth and BEC St. Catherine (Seremban 2) for this weekend.

- **New Tabernacle** - (replica of Minangkabau) We take pride as the Mother Parish of Negeri Sembilan. This New Tabernacle now is spacious ; gives us a deeper sense of Adoration and Closer Union with the Lord.
- 170<sup>th</sup> Anniversary **Cornerstone "Coffee Table" Magazine comes with History 'CD'** Call Jerome : 019 790 8071 or visit the parish office. Get a copy today ! Make an order to get your copy. Effective June 1<sup>st</sup>, with no charge of GST, we save some money here. We take a grace period of 2 weeks for the delivery. We regret for the inconvenience caused. Thanks . (170<sup>th</sup> Feast Anniversary Team)
- **Confirmation** will be on July 21<sup>st</sup> (Sat) at 6.00 pm Mass. We invite all confirmands to involve in **BECs / Parish Ministries**. Fr. George will personally meet each candidate soon.
- **A Special Meeting** of all people of **Kg. Orang Asli** (Kg. Sebir, Belihoi & Tekir ) will be on 14<sup>th</sup> June (Wed). All Frs. of Negeri Sembilan & Archbishop will be there. Keep them in prayers.
- **Tabung Harapan** at Visitation will be on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> June at all Masses - weekend collections will be sent to Archdiocesan Finance office (K. L.) to be given collectively to Ministry of Finance.
- **Special Booklet** on the 8 Cluster groups from the Archdiocesan given to each BEC leaders / Ministries. Kindly get a copy from John Maynard (BECAT).

- Fr. George Harrison is away for **Alpha Conference** at Halifax, Canada from 08 - 16 June 2018
- 17<sup>th</sup> June : 2.30 pm - **KUBM Re-Election Meeting** in Visitation Hall
- **19 & 20<sup>th</sup> June 2018 - Priests Monthly Recollection**
- **22<sup>nd</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> June 2018 - Marjorie, Feast of Sacred Heart of Jesus**
- **27<sup>th</sup> June 2018 - BECCOT Gathering**
- **MCCD 2018** - All Clergy will be away on 16<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018 at Majodi, JB Clergy special assembly.

*Wishing all our Muslim brothers & sisters*  
**"Selamat Hari Raya" Maaf Zahir dan Batin**