



CHURCH OF THE VISITATION
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THEME FOR 2020
DISCIPLESHIP : SENT WITH JOY TO HEAL.
Theme for January 2020
Evangelise/Call : Opening our hearts and eyes

PARISH OFFICE HOURS
 Monday - Friday
 8.30am - 5.30 pm
 Saturday : 8.30am – 7.00 pm
 Sunday: 8.30 am - 3.00 pm
 Confessions in Church ½
hour before all Weekend
Masses at availability of
priests



OUR PROGRAMME 18 – 26 JANUARY 2020
SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME : Is 49, 3, 5-6, Ps 39 2 and 4 ab 7 -8 a 8b -9, 10 1 Cor 1, 1-3 Jn 1, 29-34
"Here I Am Lord I Come To Do Your Will. Here I Am Lord I Come To Do Your Will" (Psalm 39)

Sat	18	5.00 pm 6.00 pm	Rosary : 5.30 pm : Novena; 5.45 pm: Benediction Eucharist (E) (Animation : St. Martha)	
Sun	19	7.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am 1.00 pm	Eucharist (T) (Animation : Catechist) Eucharist (E) (Animation : Catechist) Eucharist (C) Eucharist (BM)	RE(T): 8.45-10.15 am; RE(C): 9-10.30 am : RE(E) & (BM) 10.45 -12.15pm RCIA (T) 9.00 -10.30 am ; RCIA (BM) 11.00 am -12.30pm RCIA (E) 11.00 -12.30pm ; RCIA(M) : 8.45 -10.15 am
4.00 pm : Ponggol Mass followed by cultural games and fellowship				
Mon	20	6.45 am	Eucharist	Charismatic (E) 7.30 pm at Visitation Hall. We welcome All to join in praising God in Song
Tues	21	6.45 am	Eucharist	
Wed	22	6.45 am	Eucharist	8.00 pm : BECCOT Gathering
Thur	23	6.45 am	Eucharist	7.30 pm : Holy Hour followed (T) at Chapel Sacred Heart, Marjorie
Fri	24	6.45 am	Eucharist	9.00 pm : CNY Mass at Titi (M)

THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME : Is 8, 23b -9, 3 Ps 26, 1, 4, 13-14 1 Cor 1, 10-13, 17 Mt 4, 12-23
"The Lord Is My Light And My Help, The Lord Is My Light And My Help" (Psalm 26)

Sat	25	5.00 pm 6.00 pm	Rosary : 5.30 pm : Novena; 5.45 pm: Benediction Eucharist (E) (Animation : St. Martin)	9.00 am : CNY Mass (Performance of Lion dance before the Mass at 8.30 am)
Sun	26	7.00 am 9.00 am 11.00 am 1.00 pm	Eucharist (T) (Animation : St. Patrick) Eucharist (E) (Animation : St. Joseph) Eucharist (C) Eucharist (BM)	RE(T): 8.45-10.15 am; RE(C): 9-10.30 am : RE(E) & (BM) 10.45 -12.15pm RCIA (T) 9.00 -10.30 am ; RCIA (BM) 11.00 am -12.30pm RCIA (E) 11.00 -12.30pm ; RCIA(M) : 8.45 -10.15 am 6.00 pm : Mass (M/L) of Feast of St. Paul the Hermit, Rahang followed by fellowship. All are welcome!

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. You will receive a Prayer Card (Magnificat). Pray it daily.

NEWS / EVENTS FOR JANUARY 2020

- i) **Parish Weekend Collections :**
 11/12 Jan : RM9,411.45
God Bless All Generous Donors
- ii) **BECS** to ensure monthly gathering is done with Sharing from the Monthly Reflections paper.

Wedding Bells - Congratulations to :

- a) Jason & Dhachaynee on 01/02/20 @ 3.30 pm
- b) Daniel Cruz & Vanishwari on 08/02/20 @ 11 am

iv) **PIHDM Food Bank** : Thank you to all of you for your generous contributions to the Food Bank. For February distribution, we still need Rice 5 kg (65 pkts), sardine (60 tins) , biscuits (20 pkst), milk powder (15 pkts) , Milo (36 pkts), Cond milk (57 tins), instant mee (10 pkts), For more info please call PIHDM, John Davidson (017-6158961). Please continue to give your support.

vi) **Catholic Leaders Evangelization Seminar (Tamil)**
 Place : APC, Kuala Lumpur
 Date n 31st Jan to 02nd Feb 2020
 Contact : Stephen Dionisappu (016-6110681)

Thank you for Mass Animation: BEC St Martha (Rahang) & Catechists for this weekend.

➤ **Religious or Faith education** is deemed an important area in the life of the Church for it leads a child to a greater consciousness and connectedness to God. Only such an education can serve as a guiding compass towards one's spiritual path. Without such, the child can be easily duped by many dubious vices in today's society. As we celebrate Catechetical Sunday on January 19 (next week), the Church would like to remind and exhort parents to be the primary movers towards this effort for it is your prerogative before you let the Faith educators to guide them on. "Please show interest in the faith life of your child"

➤ **Any Plans for Marriage?** First, fill up your personal particulars at parish office and meet the parish priest (at least 1 year before Marriage) **For Marriages in 2020**, kindly make appointment to see parish priest. Dates of marriage courses are available.

➤ **Cleanliness of Toilets & Church surroundings:** Please ensure the toilets are kept clean after use before you leave. Tissues/diapers/sanitary towels etc are to be properly disposed in the disposal bins provided. Do not litter the church grounds/surroundings & pews.

- ~ Nailing on walls, stickers, glue etc are not permitted.
- ALWAYS ENSURE **House of God** is well maintained and looked after by ALL.
- ~ **Tables and Chairs** etc from RE classrooms /Church premises are not to be removed at all time. They are to be kept in good use and not to be tampered.

➤ **Chinese New Year Celebration:** New Year Mass :
 • 24 January 2020 (Fri) @ 9pm (Mandarin) - Titi
 • 25 January 2020 (Sat) @ 9am (Mandarin) Lion Dance at the entrance of the Church, followed by mass

- **Ponggol** : 19 January 2020 (Sun) Mass (Tamil) at 4 pm followed by cultural games & fellowship
- **BECCOT Gathering** : 22 January 2020 @ 8.00 pm at Visitation Hall

Parish office will be closed for CNY on 25th & 26th January 2020.
Wishing all Chinese Brothers & Sisters a "Happy Chinese Lunar Year 2020"