



# Church of Our Lady of Lourdes

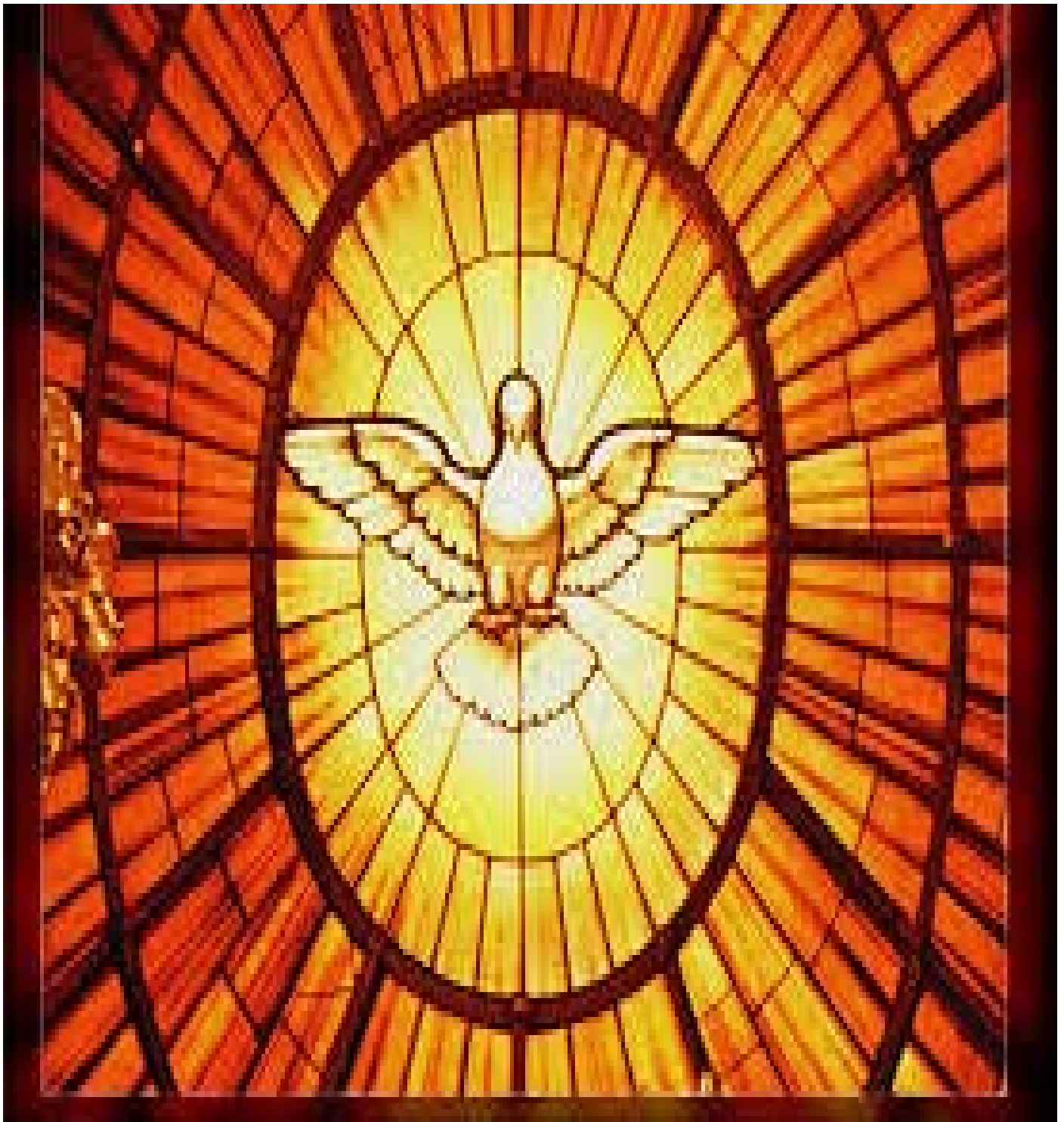
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*Our warmest Welcome to all who worship with our Parish family. We thank God for you. If you are not registered, Please do so with the Parish Office.*

**4<sup>th</sup> June 2017 - Year A  
Pentecost Sunday**

### Readings for 4th June 2017

Ac	2: 1- 11	Ps	103: 1ab and 24ac. 29bc-30. 31 and 34.
1Cor	12: 3b- 7. 12-13.	Jn	20: 19- 23.



## In and Around the Parish

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection

2<sup>nd</sup> Collection taken during Masses this weekend will be for the poor of St Vincent de Paul Society. Thank you for your kind donation.



### First Holy Communion

Four children of our parish, Chung Ming Kang Darius, Amal Ramesh Rogester, Elijah Sim Jing Rong and Gabriel Lee will be receiving their First Holy Communion on Sunday the 18<sup>th</sup> of June 2017.

Please pray for them to experience the joy of having Jesus dwell in their hearts. Refreshments will be served at the Parish Hall for the children and their families.



## Church Cleaning

Date : Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> June 2017  
Time : 2.30pm

Church will be closed for cleaning  
from 2.30pm to 4.00pm

All are welcome to help  
No registration is required

**Lets keep The  
Church Clean  
Together**

**If you're free &  
can come down to help,  
please do!**

**Do your part to help  
keep God's House clean**

**The Rosary Apostolate presents a 5Day/4Night pilgrimage cum retreat to the following churches in Malaysia.**

\* St Louis - Taiping/Perak

\* St Michael - Alor Setar/Kedah

\* Our Lady of Fatima - Kangar/Perlis

to commemorate the centennial year of the apparitions at Fatima.

Theme: Journey into the heart of the Fatima Messages - 100 years on.

Dates : Wed 11th Oct 2017 - Sun 15th Oct 2017.

Invited speakers : Fr Eugene Jude Miranda & Fr Charles Chin

For further details please contact the following: Carol Ben Nair (via sms only @ 9880 8501)  
Vincent Miranda (9199 6714)

Dear Parishioners, kindly be aware of people who profess to pray over others in the Parish Grounds, and/ or in your homes for the purpose of soliciting funds without the approval of the Archdiocese and Priests of the Parish.

The building project of Our Lady of Lourdes parish is at present under review, and its fund raising project is being put on hold until further notice by the Archdiocese. Meanwhile, please do not send the parish any further donations for this building project.

Thank you.

## Archdiocesan News

### Charities Week 2017

Your donation will provide much needed funding to support our Catholic Charities and Agape Village, a project of Caritas Singapore, to serve over 50,000 beneficiaries in need such as the poor, families, youth and children, prisoners, migrant workers, and persons living with HIV / AIDS. Please pick up an appeal envelope and give generously. Your donation will enjoy a tax deduction of 250 percent.

### INTRODUCTION TO FRANCISCAN SPIRITUALITY

The basic insights of Sts Francis and Clare of Assisi will be explored in relation to the themes of: Incarnation, Church, Eucharist, Care for Creation, Peace-making and Care for the Emarginated. The theological developments of these topics from other Franciscan authors, notably St Bonaventure and Bl John Duns Scotus, help to fill out the broader picture of the Franciscan tradition of Spirituality. Some attention will be given to 16th century writers in Spain as well: Francisco de Osuna, Bernadino de Laredo and Pedro de Alcantara. The relevance of Franciscan Spirituality today will be suggested by comparisons with the recent documents of Pope Francis, "Evangelii Gaudium" and "Laudato Si." Talks will be by Friar William Short OFM.

Date: 5 and 6 June 2017, Cathedral of the Good Shepherd, Time: 7.30 pm,  
Contribution: Love Offering. Registration: singaporeofs@gmail.com

It takes that 1 weekend to inspire you for the rest of your life. Come away for a Choice Weekend - it is by the choices we make that we define what our life is all about.

Date : 23 - 25 Jun 2017 (Friday evening to Sunday evening)

Venue: Choice Retreat House, 47 Jurong West Street 42, Singapore 649368

Enquiries: Hillary 9790 0537 or Francesca 9710 9680

Register & Info: [http://www.choice.org.sg/?page\\_id=131](http://www.choice.org.sg/?page_id=131)

### ART & SOUL: A way to God through Art by Cenacle Sisters & team

Date : 21 July (8pm) to 23 July (1pm)

Venue: Montfort Spirituality Centre

Contribution: \$350/person (includes materials)

See how art, life & creativity can lead to "finding God in all things".

This is not an art workshop, but a time for prayer & reflection, non-artists are most welcome.

Register at [www.cenaclemission.com/register](http://www.cenaclemission.com/register); Tel: 65652895;

Email: [cenaclemissionsingapore@gmail.com](mailto:cenaclemissionsingapore@gmail.com)

### Silence in Church & No Eating or Drinking

*The Church is a Sacred place of prayer and worship. People come to spend time in prayer. Kindly maintain silence when you are in church. Please turn off your mobile devices when you are in our Lord's House.*

## Mass Schedule

Weekdays (Eng)	12:30pm & 6:30pm
1st Friday	7.30pm
Sat (Sunset - Eng)	6:00pm & 7:30pm
Sunday (English)	7:30am, 11:30am & 1.00pm
Sunday (Tamil)	9:30am & 6:30pm
Public Holiday (Eng)	9:00am
Public Holiday (Tamil)	10:00am



## Parish Activities

Our Lady of Lourdes Novena (Sat)	5:30pm
Rosary Recitation (Eng) Mon - Fri	11.55am
Monday & Wednesday	5.55pm
Holy Hour with Benediction (1st Friday)	6.30pm
followed by Mass	7.30pm
Sacred Heart Devotion	6.30pm
followed by Mass (All other Fridays)	
Divine Mercy (Tues - Eng)	5:45pm
Divine Mercy (Fri - Tamil)	5:45pm
Infant Jesus (Tues - Tamil)	4:30pm
Infant Jesus (Thurs - Eng)	5:45pm
Charismatic (Every Fri - Eng)	7:45pm
Community of the Risen Lord	
(Tues - Eng)	7:30pm
Rosary & OLOL Devotion	
(1st Sun - Tamil)	8:30am
Legion of Mary (Tuesdays - Eng)	7.30pm
Legion of Mary (Sundays - Eng)	9.45am
OLPS Novena (Every Sat - Tamil)	8:00pm



## Parish Details

### Priests

Rev Fr Michael Sitaram - Parish Priest  
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Rev Fr Nithiya Sagayaraj Devarajan -  
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Rev Fr Paul Yeo - Assistant Parish Priest  
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### Parish Office

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# CHILDREN & YOUTH

## Questions for Deeper Reflection

- *Why is Pentecost the birthday of the Church?*
- *What happened on Pentecost?*
- *How does the Holy Spirit help Jesus' disciples?*

## The Gospel in Life

*How can the Holy Spirit help you to see the goodness in yourself and others this week?*

**Mass Offerings** are to be dropped into the Box located outside the Parish Office by **3pm every Friday** for the following week's intentions.

**Infant Baptism** is scheduled every 4th Sunday in English and every 3rd Sunday in Tamil @ 4.00pm. Register at the Parish Office.

Please provide **photocopy of church marriage certificate of parents, birth certificate of infants and confirmation certificate of Godparents.**



### Wedding Arrangements

Church Wedding bookings should be made at least 1 year in advance. Please contact the Secretariat.



### Lourdes Prayer Hall

For bookings contact  
Parish Office 62940624

### Holy Communion for the Homebound



Register with the  
Parish Office.

**Anointing** See a priest before planned admission to hospital.