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Psalter Week II (Year A)

For Private Circulation Only

31st Aug ~ 7th Sept 2008

22nd SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

1ST READING

Jeremiah 20 : 7 - 9

2ND READING

Romans 12 : 1 - 2

GOSPEL

Matthew 16 : 21 - 27



RESPONSORIAL PSALM

For you my soul is thirsting, O Lord my God.

A Sunday Reflection

MERDEKA ! MERDEKA ! MERDEKA ! by Fr. Marshall



Let us Thank God for giving us such a lovely country to BE in - whether as citizens, 2nd Homers, temporary residents, migrant workers, tourists, etc.

Let us thank the Lord for the peace, harmony, neighbourliness and justice we have at present.

Let us pray seriously & deeply for just one intention this year: That the Lord will touch our hearts & minds & senses that we will do our part - however small - to help make zone, state country, environment a much better people & place to BE in... Selamat Merdeka & God Bless. ☩

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER ANNI-VERSARY AND FAMILY DAY MASS

The ME is celebrating its anniversary & family day Mass on **Sun, 07 Sept** at **5 pm**, College General Chapel followed by pot-luck dinner. Kindly confirm attendance by **Mon, 01 Sept**. Any enquiry please contact James (012 - 4386623) or Martina (012 - 4306233). ☩

PARISH ASSEMBLY

The Parish assembly will be held on **Sat, 15 Nov** from **9:00 am - 12:00 pm** at Parish Hall. By way of an early announcement, parishioners are encouraged to plan your appointments and attend the Assembly. Leaders of all ministries/groups are required to submit your progress report by **Wed, 15 Oct**. Kindly obtain the report format from the Parish Office. ☩

PRIESTS' ANNUAL RETREAT

During the month of September the priests in Peninsular Malaysia will be away for their annual retreat. Fr. Marshall will be away for the first session which is from **2 Sept - 9 Sept** while Fr. Mark will be away for the third session which is from **18 Sept - 25 Sept**. Pray for all priests who are attending the coming retreats especially our Parish Priest, Fr. Marshall and also Fr. Mark, that they will be renewed in body, mind and spirit. ☩



BEWARE !

Please be reminded that you make sure you don't leave any valuables exposed in your car. ☩

MEETINGS

Chinese Apostolate Meeting	Thu 04/9	8:15 pm
Altar Servers Meeting	Sat 06	3:00 pm

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

RCIA Session (Mandarin)	Tue 2/09	7:30 pm
RCIA Session (English)	Tue 2/09	8:15 pm
Qi Gong Session	Wed 03	8:00 am
Qi Gong Session	Sat 06	8:00 am
Line Dancing	Sat 06	3:00 pm
Catechism Classes	Sun 07	10:00 am

MASS COLLECTIONS : 23 & 24 AUG 2008

Mass	Parish Fund (RM)	Publication Fund
6:30 pm	1,487.50	573.80
8:30 am	1,645.50	729.20
11:15 am	213.00	-
6:00 pm	1,297.60	457.80

This weekend's 2nd Collection : NIL

GOD BLESS YOUR GENEROSITY !!!

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND GROWTH RETREAT

There will be a 30 mins Intercessory Prayers on every Thursday beginning **4, 11, 18 & 25 Sept** after **6:00 pm** mass in church. All are cordially invited. Retreatants and prayer warriors please come and pray for the success of this retreat. ☩



IMPROPER BEHAVIOUR !

Please take note that the Eucharistic Celebration is a holy public worship. Anyone who disrupts the celebration by improper behaviour, kindly and gently accompany the person concerned out of the church. Fr. Mark. ☩

CAR WASH THIS SUN, 31 AUG AT 8:30 AM

WEDDING BANN

There is a promise of marriage between...



♥ Mr. Peter Lim Hiang Tiang & Ms. Yoon Siew Mei on **Sat, 13 Sept** at **10:00 am**. (English Wedding Service)

LITURGY & DEVOTIONS

SUN 31	22nd SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
8:30 am	Mass
11:15 am	NO MASS
6:00 pm	Mass
MON 1/9	Weekday.
7:00 am	NO MASS
5:30 pm	Fr. Francis Xavier 25th Jubilee Anniversary Mass at St. Anthony Church N. Tebal
TUE 02	Weekday.
7:00 am	Mass
WED 03	Weekday, St. Gregory, Pope & Doctor.
7:00 am	Mass
THU 04	Weekday.
6:00 pm	Mass
8:15 pm	Shalom Healing Service
FRI 05	Weekday.
6:00 pm	Mass
	Followed by Novena to Divine Mercy
SAT 06	Weekday.
7:00 am	NO MASS
5:30 pm	Rosary, Novena & Benediction
6:30 pm	Mass
SUN 07	23rd SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
8:30 am	Mass
11:15 am	Tamil Mass
6:00 pm	Mass

NEWS IN BRIEF

- ✗ There will be NO CATECHISM class on **Sun, 31 Aug**. Sunday Catechism classes will resume on **Sun, 7 Sept**. Kindly take note.
- ✗ Parish Office will be closed on **Mon, 1 Sept**. Kindly take note.
- ✗ Western Road Columbarium will be opened everyday from **4 pm - 6 pm**. If you want to go at other time, kindly contact Fr. Michael Thoo.
- ✗ "The Facemakers" - Watch this new series on Astro Channel 733 (Mon). Very helpful.



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