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2020 Theme 主题: SENT WITH JOY TO HEAL 喜悦中被派遣去治愈

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PASTORAL LETTER FROM THE CATHOLIC BISHOPS OF PENINSULAR MALAYSIA DATED 12TH OF MARCH 2020 SUSPENSION OF MASSES AND OTHER PUBLIC GATHERINGS OF THE FAITHFUL IN THE FACE OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

1. All weekend and weekday public masses will be suspended from 14th of March to the 29th of March 2020. This coincides with the public school holidays. We therefore exempt all Catholics from fulfilling their Sunday obligation of assisting/ attending Mass during this period. This exemption is a temporary measure in the face of the current crisis. We will continue to monitor and review the situation to determine if the above period of suspension needs to be extended beyond the 29th of March 2020. Please note that the Archdiocesan Social Communication Ministry of the Archdiocese of Kuala Lumpur is making arrangements to broadcast Masses over the weekends in the various major languages and weekday Masses in English.

2. Priests are still required to offer Masses in private for the spiritual good of the Church, the intentions of the faithful, and the alleviation of the present crisis.

3. All catechism classes should be closed and catechetical programmes and activities should be cancelled during this same period.

4. All meetings, gatherings, formations, RCIA sessions, fellowships and events in church or in the BEC are to be cancelled and put on hold during this period.

5. Any weddings or funerals are to be conducted privately with guests limited to immediate family members and close friends. Please contact your parish priest for further details.

6. For the sacraments of penance (confession), anointing of the sick and Holy Communion for the home bound, kindly contact the parish office for an appointment with your parish priest. The priests are to take the necessary health precautions in administering the Sacraments.

7. Churches, chapels or prayer rooms (where applicable), shall remain open for private and personal prayer and Eucharistic adoration according to the times scheduled by the respective parishes. Please contact your parish office/ parish website for details.

8. We also declare that the 19th of March 2020, Solemnity of Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, protector of the Church, be designated as a day of prayer and fasting to invoke Saint Joseph's intercession and God's intervention for an end to this crisis.

May Almighty God bless you and your families with good health, peace and abundant graces.

For more details & information, please refer to Parish Notice Board.

NEW EVENTS

(1) Parish office will be open as usual.

(2) Season of Lent

(a) Almsgiving for the poor and needy

If you wish to donate dry food stuff to the poor and needy, you may bring them from 7th – 29th March 2020 to the parish office. These food stuff will later be distributed to the poor and needy by the Love Squad.

(c) Donation Envelopes

The Donation envelopes are in the Parish Office. Parishioners can put the donation into the envelopes and then drop them into the donation boxes.

DIOCESAN EVENTS

(1) Choice Weekend in Tamil (Choice Tamil Penang 29)

The Penang Tamil Choice is organizing a Choice Weekend for the Tamil speaking single adults. Below are the details for the Choice Weekend:-

Date: 16th – 19th April 2020 (Thursday , 7.00pm – Sunday, 5.00pm)

Venue: Church of St Francis De Sales, Sitiawan

Closing Date: 10th April 2020

Contact Person: John Anthony (017-4786609)

(2) Mission Community School

Mission Community School by Malacca-Johore Diocese and the Institute of Formation Fondacio Asia provides a learning avenue for young adults (both men & women, 21-39 y.o.) interested in their personal development and life mission. It seeks to help them in their journey of discernment by deepening their faith life, community living & service, language skills, and formation sessions to prepare them to discern their life path towards priesthood, religious life, pastoral work or mission service. The program includes: English/MUET classes from February – June 2020 and Human Formation & Mission from July – December 2020. Admission is now OPEN.

For more details, you may visit www.fondacio-asia.org/mission.community.school

(3) Penang Diocesan Campus Students Day 2020

The Penang Diocesan Campus Students Day 2020 (CIA 2020) will be held from 1st – 3rd May 2020 with the theme “Christ is Alive!” taking after Pope Francis’s Post Synodal Apostolic Exhortation ~ Christus Vivit (Christ is Alive!). This event aims to bring all students at tertiary phase of education together for 3 days and 2 nights at St Anne’s Church, Bukit Mertajam, Penang. Registration Fee: RM150 (Limited Seats). Registration contact PDYN 04-2274851.

Sunday Mass Collections

7th Mar RM 723.10 & 8th Mar RM 823.00 RM 1,546.10

Thank You and God Bless
Your Generosity!



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马来西亚半岛天主教主教团牧函 2020 年 3 月 12 日
鉴于新冠肺炎疫情蔓延，暂停公开弥撒和其他形式的信友团体聚会

- 所有周末及平日弥撒将从 2020 年 3 月 14 日暂停至 2020 年 3 月 29 日。**
这正好赶上学校假期。因此，在此期间，我们免除所有天主教徒在主日协助/出席弥撒的义务。这项豁免是面对当前危机的一项临时措施。我们将继续监督和检讨有关情况，以决定上述暂停期是否需要延长至 2020 年 3 月 29 日以后。请注意，吉隆坡总教区大众传播部正在安排在周末以各种主要语言，及平日以英语在线上广播弥撒。
- 神父尚需为圣教会的益处、教友的意向及目前危机的特别意向，私下奉献弥撒。
- 所有的要理班暂停，其它要理课程及活动也同时取消。
- 这期间，所有会议、聚会、灵修课程、慕道班、基信团及教会活动 / 聚会一概取消。
- 任何婚配弥撒或殡葬弥撒将以非公开形式举行，只限家人与近亲参与。细节请联络本堂神父。
- 如有需要办和好圣事、病人傅油或需派送圣体予居家不便者，请联络堂区办公室与堂区神父预约。在进行圣事时，神父需要作好防疫准备。
- 教堂、小圣堂或祈祷室将会根据各堂区所订的时间开放，作为个人祈祷或朝拜圣体之用。请联络堂区办公室或上网查询。
- 我们也宣布 2020 年 3 月 19 日的圣若瑟瞻礼日，定为守斋及祈祷日。圣若瑟是圣母的净配、教会的守护者。我们祈求圣若瑟的代祷，也求天父早日解决此疫情。

让我们继续仰赖全能的天主，祈求祂尽快解决这一次的危机。
愿全能的天主赐给你及你的家人健康、平安和满满的恩宠。

更多仔细详情请大家参考堂区布告栏！

新的活动

(1) 堂区办公室将照常办公。

(2) 四旬期

(a) 施舍给穷人及需要的人

如果你想要捐献干粮给予穷人及需要的人，请在 **3月7日至3月29日** 把您要捐赠的干粮交到堂区办公室。过后爱心特工队将把这些干粮分发给穷人及需要的人。

(b) 捐献信封

捐献信封将会放置在堂区办公室。各位教友可到办公室领取将捐献放进信封内，并将信封投入捐献箱里。

教区通告

(1) 宣教社区学校

甲柔教区的传教社区学校和亚洲基金会研究所为对个人发展和人生使命感感兴趣的年轻人（男女，年龄在 21-39 岁）提供了学习途径。这可在通过加深他们的信仰生活，社区生活和服务，语言技能以及结业课程来帮助他们进行鉴别，以帮助他们辨别他们的圣召圣职，信仰生活，牧区工作或传教服务的人生道路。该计划包括：2020 年 2 月至 2020 年 6 月的英语/MUET 课程和 2020 年 7 月至 2020 年 12 月的人类形成与传教课程现在已开放报名。

有关更多详细信息，请访问 www.fondacio-asia.org/mission.community.school

(2) 檳城教区学生校园日

2020 年檳城教区学生校园日 (CIA 2020) 将于 2020 年 5 月 1 日至 3 日举行，主题是“基督已复活！”，这是教宗方济格会议后的劝告（基督已复活！）。这项活动的宗旨是让所有接受高等教育的学生可以聚集在檳城大山脚的圣妇亚纳堂举行为期 3 天 2 夜的聚会。报名费：每人 RM150 (位置有限)，报名联络 04-2274851。

(3) 天主教单身约会站

天主教单身约会站 (隶属于檳城教区家庭生活部) 将举办以下住宿项目：

日期: 9-11/5/2020

地点: 怡保, YMCA

报名费: RM220 每人

截止日期: 9/4/2020

有兴趣者可以在堂区办公室或传单架领取报名表格或询问 Ms Theresa Wan 017-5788 192 或 Lim Chin Chin at 019-411 2113 (早上 9 点正 至中午 12 点正除了星期六及星期日)。

主日弥撒捐献

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愿天主祝福大家的
慷慨捐献!