"If anyone has ears to hear, let him listen to what the Spirit is saying to the churches."

Revelations 2: 29



SCRIPTURE of the DAY

Wisdom 7: 7-11

Psalm 89: 12-17

BUL 41/2024

Hebrews 4: 12-13

Mark 10: 17-30 or 10: 17-27

The man who came to Jesus wanted to know how he might inherit eternal life. Jesus' instructions to him are clear. The man has to live according to the commandments of God. Then, there is another prerequisite: "Go and sell everything you own and give the money to the poor; and... then, come, follow me."

In other words, while it is important for us to keep the commandments of God, this does not necessarily make us disciples of Jesus. It may make us a "religious" person or a "Christian". But to be a disciple, however, demands more from us. Firstly, we have to give up all that we have. Unless and until we are willing to surrender what gives us a sense of security, social status and self-dependency, we cannot be a disciple.

Secondly, we have to be one with the poor and for the poor. In doing so, we will be able to live out the commandment of Jesus to love God and to love neighbour. By detaching ourselves from everything and giving up what we have for the sake of the poor, we come to depend solely on God.

Truly, the call of Jesus to become his disciple is very demanding. It is a radical call. As in the words of the German theologian and pastor, Dietrich Bonhoeffer, "When Christ calls a man, he bids him come and die." (The Cost of Discipleship).

Therefore, it is not enough for us to be a 'disciple' by name or by mere affiliation to the Church. To be true disciples, we have to live according to the teachings and values of Christ. But it also calls for us to go further – to be willing to give up all that we have and depend totally on God so as to be at the service of others.

So, we have to ask ourselves, "Am I a Christian or a disciple?" •

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SALT OF THE EARTH AND LIGHT OF THE WORLD:

CELEBRATING, LISTENING AND WALKING TOGETHER IN A SPIRIT OF COMMUNION, PARTICIPATION AND MISSION (MATTHEW 5: 13-16).



Am I A Christian or A DISCIPLE?

The term "disciple" basically means a student or follower of a teacher. Christian discipleship, therefore, signifies someone who is a student or follower of Jesus Christ. We can often assume that because someone is a Christian he or she is a disciple of Christ. The gospel reading today reminds us that it may not be so.

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MASSES IN THE PARISH

Day	Date	Time	Activity	Description
Saturday	12 Oct	7.00am	Mass in English	Liturgy of the Day
		5.30pm	Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual	
			Succour	
		6.00pm	Mass in English	
Sunday	13 Oct	7.00am	Mass in Tamil	
		9.30am	Mass in English	28 th Sunday of Ordinary Time
		11.30am	Mass in Mandarin	
		1.30pm	Mass in BM	
		5.00pm	Mass at St Anne's Chapel, Semenyih	
Monday	14 Oct	7.00am	Mass in English	St Callistus (m)
Tuesday	15 Oct	7.00am	Mass in English	St Theresa (m)
Wednesday	16 Oct		No Mass due to Clergy Recollection	St Margaret (m)
Thursday	17 Oct	7.00am	Mass in English	St Ignatius (m)
Friday	18 Oct	7.00am	Mass in English	Feast of St Luke, Evangelist
Saturday	19 Oct	7.00am	Mass in English	Liturgy of the Day
		5.30pm	Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual	
			Succour	
		6.00pm	Mass in English	
		7.30pm	Mass in UPM	
Sunday	20 Oct	7.00am	Mass in Tamil	
		9.30am	Mass in English	29 th Sunday of Ordinary Time Mission Sunday
		11.30am	Mass in Mandarin	
		1.30pm	Mass in BM	

ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS DAY

Masses for All Saints Day (Day of Obligation) Thursday (31/10)

8.00pm Mass in Eng/Mand

Friday (1/11) 6.30am Mass in English 7.00pm Holy Hour in Tamil/BM 8.00pm Mass in Tamil/BM



Masses for All Souls Day Saturday (2/11)

7.00am Mass in English followed by Blessing of graves at Holy Family Cemetery at 7.30am.

PARISH NEWS

Catechetical Ministry First Holy Communion.

1. FHC camp for English group will be on Saturday, 19/10/2024 from 8am to 4.30pm at Holy Family Church Hall.

2. FHC camp for BM group on 26/10/2024 (Saturday) at Old Church R1 from 8am to 4.30pm

2nd parent-teacher review.

Date: 13/10/2024 (Sunday)
Venue: Holy Family Church Hall
Time: 8.30am to 10am (Tamil)
10.15am to 11.30am (Mandarin)

12pm to 1.30pm (Bahasa)

English Students

Date: 20/10/2024 (Senior Classes) 27/10/2024 (Junior Classes) Venue: Holy Family Church Hall

Time: 10.30am to 1pm

Parish Renewal Experience (PRE) Program

Dear Parishioners,

46 leaders from various ministries in the parish and I will be attending the above program from Friday 18th Oct till Sunday 20th Oct 2024. This being a renewal program for the parish I urge, the entire parish to pray for all participants from now till the close of the program on Sunday 20th Oct. Please offer a decade of the Rosary in your families and BECs for this intention during this month of the Rosary. May God bless both the presenters and participants and lead our parish into experiencing a great renewal.







Mass Intentions for the dead (RIP)- offered on 2/11

A counter will be opened at the book barrow before and after every weekend masses on below dates:

- 12/10/2024 (Saturday)
 - 13/10/2024 (Sunday)
- * 19/10/2024 (Saturday)
 - 20/10/2024 (Sunday)
- 26/10/2024 (Saturday)
 - 27/10/2024 (Sunday)

Tree of Life / Remembrance

Tree of Life / Remembrance "We have loved them in life, let us never forget them in death" - St Ambrose. As we approach All Souls Day, let us remember our departed loved ones by writing their names on leaves which will be placed on the tree branch. Location of the TREE OF LIFE will be at the book barrow from 11 October onwards. Parishioners are to bring dried leaf with the departed family members name /message written with a permanent marker pen and to tie with a white thread onto the branches. We invite all parishioners to pray for the dearly departed and we the priests will be offering all Masses on All Souls Day and throughout the month of November for the repose of their souls. Volunteers would be waiting at the book barrow to assist after all weekend Masses. For further information please contact Agnes K. Reggina at 016-2072765

Cemetery Gotong Royong

In view of the upcoming All Soul's Day and the Blessing of Graves, the Church will be organizing a Gotong Royong at Holy Family Cemetery. Parishioners especially those with loved ones buried at our cemetery are encouraged to participate in this communal effort in keeping the sacred grounds of our cemetery clean & tidy and free from rubbish. Details of the Gotong Royong are as follows:

Date: Saturday, 26 October 2024

Time: 8.00am

Those who wish to contribute towards the upkeep & maintenance of our cemetery can make your contributions at the Parish Office or do online

transfer to: Name of Bank: Ambank Account Number: 186-201-200340-4

A/C Holder's Name: Church of the Holy Family

Reference: Cemetery Maintenance

"THE GO MISSION JOURNEY" OCTOBER MISSION MONTH, 2024

AMNEC, the Kuala Lumpur Archdiocesan Mission of New Evangelisation for Christ, in collaboration with the Pontifical Mission Societies (PMS) is organising a pilgrimage namely Church of Sts. Peter and Paul, Banting (19 Oct), Church of The Risen Christ, Kuala Lumpur (26 Oct) and Church of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Puchong (31 Oct), to create awareness of being a Mission. To register, kindly meet us at the book barrow after every weekend Masses or call Ms. Mendeep Kaur @ 019-2249601/ Ms. Niramala @ 01118580377. Transport: Arranged, Price for transport pending venue will inform later.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR LOVE OFFERING: 05/10 & 06/10

Weekend Collection RM 16,709.00

PIHDM Collection RM 12,598.00

