A GENTLE REMINDER

Petitions to Divine Mercy
All petitions to the Divine Mercy will be offered up on the last Saturday of every month during the 5pm Divine Mercy devotion. Please place your petitions in the Petition Box at the Divine Mercy mosaic inside the main church.

Helping Hands Needed
We need more hands to clean the church. Just come by every Saturday from 8:00am to 10am at the main Church. All are welcome!

Free Legal Clinic
Second Monday of every month, 7pm to 10pm. Contact the Parish Office for more details.

Parish Secretariat
General Office
Raymond Tan/Luke Teo/Maria Lim/Teresa Tan/Vna Sim
Tel | 6583 3378  • Fax | 6583 1694
Email | secretariat@divinemercy.sg
Opening Hours
Mon - Fri | 11am - 7pm
Closed for lunch | 1pm - 2pm
Sat | 9am - 5.30pm
Sun | 9am - 1pm
Closed on public holidays

Community & Pastoral Care
Divine Mercy Apostolate
Neighbourhood Christian Community (NCC)
Prayer for the Sick & Dying
Funeral and Wake Services
Please contact the Parish Office or email secretariat@divinemercy.sg

Parish Census
For those who have not yet registered as parishioners of CDM, please do so at the Parish Office.

A New Beginning!
This weekend, we celebrate the Feast of the Epiphany of Our Lord Jesus Christ. On this day, we celebrate for the young Messiah has been revealed as the light of the nations. The three kings at Bethlehem is a symbol of His revelation to the whole world. There are three events remembered on the Epiphany of the Lord. Turn to page 2 to find out what the three mysteries are!

-Henri Nouwen
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**The Epiphany of the Lord (cont’d)**

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- Marisol (first from left) and Angel Glorani, celebrating their 20th wedding anniversary

**CDM Ministry Appreciation Dinner**

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**New Parish Priest**

With effect from 1 January, Fr Damian De Wind took over as the new Parish Priest of CDM. A big thank you to Fr Johnson for all he’s done for our parish and we wish him well for his retirement.

**Home Rosary Session**

**Host** Martina Chia  
**Dates** 6 Jan – 13 Jan 2019  
**Rosary Days with community** Mon, Tues and Wed at 8.15pm; Sun at 3pm  
**Where** Bk 73 Pasir Ris Grove #01-23 Livia Condo  
For more info, contact Susan Tan at 9119 5909 or visit the Ministry’s webpage.

**The Children of Praise**

The Children of Praise wishes everyone a Blessed New Year 2019. We are starting our first session with Praise and Worship followed by Mass, celebrated by Fr Romeo J. Villavicencio. All are welcome to join us.  
**When** Thurs 10 January 2019 at 7.45pm.  
**Where** Parish Hall (L2)

**SSVP Education Programme**

SSVP Youth has started an education programme! This programme aims to form a small community of students who are looking for a place to study or in need of peer-tutoring. Through this, students are able to receive the help they need for school, as well as be part of a group of students with similar aspirations. Join us, every Saturday (from 12 January), 10am to 1pm. Light refreshments will be provided.  
**Where** Church of Divine Mercy, Level 3, Room 6  
For inquiries, please contact Jaime at 9747 5541

**2019 Registration for Catechism**

Registration forms are available at the parish office and at www.tinyurl.com catechismregistration2019  
Submit the completed form and a copy of your child’s baptism certificate to the Parish Office. For enquiries, email catechism@divinemercy.sg

**Catechism Sessions 2019**

Sessions will commence on the weekend of 23 & 24 February 2019. For enquiries, please email catechism@divinemercy.sg

**Communications Ministry is Recruiting!**

Interested in promoting CDM on print, social media and other communications channels? Join the Communications Ministry! If you like to write, or have IT/website and publishing skills, connect with us to find out more about how you can contribute. Email: Tricia (kat.tricia@gmail.com).

**Free Legal Clinic in CDM**

There will be a free legal clinic on the second Monday of every month in our Church from 7 pm to 10 pm. The very first legal clinic will be on Monday, 14 January in Rooms 1 to 4 on the 3rd floor. Registration forms can be obtained at the parish office. Please bring along your Identity cards for verification purposes.

**Be The First To View Our Event Photos!**

Follow us on Flickr.com/CDMsg and never be miss out on the latest event photos!

**At Home Retreat**

Journey from Ashes to Easter – a 10-week programme based on the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola to know Jesus more intimately in the midst of life’s daily routine. It is a school of prayer and a Lenten preparation for Easter. Includes weekly meeting of faith sharing, daily prayer with Scripture and one spiritual direction by Cenacle Sisters & Team. 2 Sessions available.  
**When** 26 Feb – 30 Apr (Tues)  
**Morning Session:** 9.30am to 11.30am  
**Where** LaSafe Centre, St. Patrick School – 490 East Coast Road  
**Evening Session:** 7.30-9.30 pm  
**Where** CANA The Catholic Centre – 55 Waterloo St

**Contribution $250.00**

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