



# CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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**HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION—FOR THE ELDERLY:** THAT THE ELDERLY, SUSTAINED BY FAMILIES AND CHRISTIANS COMMUNITIES MAY APPLY THEIR WISDOM AND EXPERIENCE TO SPREADING THE FAITH AND FORMING THE NEW GENERATION.

**THEME FOR DECEMBER:** CHRIST THE HOPE

## MASSES IN THE PARISH

DATE	TIME	MASSES	DESCRIPTION
Dec 17 <sup>th</sup> Sun	7.00am	Mass (T)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent
	9.00am	Mass (E)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent
	9.00am	Mass (E)	Children Christmas Mass & Party @ BC
	11.00am	Misa (BM)	Hari Minggu Adven III
Dec 18 <sup>th</sup> Mon	6.30am	Mass (E)	Weekday of Advent
Dec 19 <sup>th</sup> Tue	6.30am	Mass (E)	Weekday of Advent
Dec 21 <sup>st</sup> Thu	6.30am	Mass (T)	St. Peter Canisius
Dec 22 <sup>nd</sup> Fri	6.30am	Mass (T)	Weekday of Advent
Dec 23 <sup>rd</sup> Sat	6.30am	Mass (E)	St. John of Kanty
	7.30pm	Mass (T)	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent – Sunset Mass
Dec 24 <sup>th</sup> Sun	8.00am	Mass (E,BM)	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent
	<b>5.45pm</b>	<b>Mass (E,T)</b>	<b>Carol Songs followed by Christmas Mass</b>
	<b>8.15pm</b>	<b>Mass (E)</b>	<b>Carol Songs followed by Christmas Mass</b>
	<b>10.45pm</b>	<b>Mass (T)</b>	<b>Carol Songs followed by Christmas Mass</b>

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

Dec 17 <sup>th</sup> Sun	12.00nn	Church	St. Cecilia Junior Choir Practice (T)
	4.00pm	Church	CTK & AV Chapel Choir Practice
	6.00pm	BC 1-3	Tamil Cultural Group
	7.00pm	Church	Choir (E)
Dec 18 <sup>th</sup> Mon	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>OLL, Ipoh</b>	<b>Confession</b>
Dec 19 <sup>th</sup> Tue	8.30am	BC 1-3	Parish Intercersory Group
	8.00pm	Church	St. Augustine & St. Cecilia Junior Choir Practice (T)
	8.00pm	SMC, Ipoh	Confession
Dec 20 <sup>th</sup> Wed	8.00pm	Church	St. Augustine & St. Cecilia Junior Choir Practice (T)
	8.00pm	OMPH, Ipoh Garden	Confession
Nov 21 <sup>st</sup> Thu	7.00pm	Church	C & L Practice
Dec 22 <sup>nd</sup> Fri	7.30pm	Church	Choir (E)
Dec 24 <sup>th</sup> Sun	12.00nn	Church	St. Augustine Choir (T) Rehearsal

### Weddings in December 2017& January 2018

Dec 30 4.30pm Service (E) Anson D'Cruz & Akkima Kamdit @ Watsana

Jan 6 4.30pm Service (T) Mccaffrey a/l Luyes @ Louise & Rovina a/p Santherasekaran

Anyone who has any canonical objections to the proposed marriages, kindly notify the priests of the parish immediately.

## PARISH NEWS AND INFORMATION

**1. PDYD 4 DEANERY CELEBRATION:** Date: 20 Jan 2018 (Sat) Time: 9.00am – 6.00pm Venue: Church of St. Joseph, Batu Gajah

**2. JOIN PENANG DIOCESE SINGLE YOUNG ADULTS PROGRAMME:** Contact: Mayette @ 016-4971408.

**3. CHRISTMAS GREETINGS:** Fr. Simon and I together with all the staff of Our Lady of Lourdes would like to extend our warmest and joy-filled greetings of the season to all of you. May the birth of Christ bring peace, love and happiness to each one of us. May you be filled with new zeal and aspiration as we welcome 2018.

**4. CHRISTMAS PARTY UNDER BIG CHRISTMAS TREE: Theme: "Light the World" Date:** 23 Dec 2017 (Sat) - After sunset mass **Time:** 8.30pm **Venue:** Parish Ground (**Please bring food to be shared (potluck).**)

**5. CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS:** The Parish Office closes on: **Christmas:** 25 Dec (Mon) till 27 Dec (Wed) & **New Year:** 1 Jan (Mon).

**6. NEXT INFANT BAPTISM (ENGLISH):** 13 January 2018 (Sat) at 4.30pm. Please contact the office for further details.

**7. FESTIVE COOKIES:** Single mothers support group will be selling festive cookies on 17 Dec 2017 (Sun) after both masses at Parish Hall. Please give your support.

**8. CHRISTMAS CAKES ON SALE:** We are selling Christmas Fruit Cakes. Price RM 30 per box. All proceedings will go to the Poor Fund.

**9. CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR PROGRAM:**

Dec 23 (Sat)	7.30pm	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent – Sunset Mass (T)
Dec 24 (Sun)	8.00am	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent – Mass (E,BM)
	5.45pm	Carol Songs followed by Christmas Mass (E,T)
	8.15pm	Carol Songs followed by Christmas Mass (E)
	10.45pm	Carol Songs followed by Christmas Mass (T)
Dec 25 (Mon)	9.00am	Christmas Morning Mass (E)
	10.30am	Breakfast Fellowship (For all Migrants) @ Parish Hall
	11.00am	Christmas Morning Mass (BM)
Dec 30 (Sat)	7.30pm	Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph – Sunset Mass (T)
Dec 31 (Sun)	8.00am	Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph – Mass (E,BM)
	10.30pm	Year End Service followed by Mass (E,T) - Mary, Mother of God
Jan 01 (Mon)	9.00am	New Year Mass (E,BM) - Mary, Mother of God

**10. BOOK MISSION:** Daughters of St. Paul will be here for Advent Book Mission on 17 Dec 2017 (Sun). There will be selling books after both masses at Parish Hall.

**11. CAR PARKING FOR CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR:** Please park your car at the Wesley Methodist School and use gate B near Caltex. You may park along the Martin Food Caterers road and Jalan Summer road for Christmas Eve (24 Dec 2017) masses and for the 31 Dec 2017, New Year Eve mass. **Please do not park your vehicles in front of people's house! Please follow the instructions of Rela members and do not leave your belongings in your car. Parish and Relas will not be responsible for any mishap due to your negligence. Thank you for your cooperation.**

**12. REDEDICATION & OPENING OF MUSEUM: Date:** 1 Jan 2018 (Mon) **Time:** Rededication of the Church of the Assumption, Penang - 6.00pm & Official Blessing and Opening of the Roman Catholic Museum of the Diocese of Penang - Approximately 8.00pm

**13. CTK & AV Chapels Building Fund As of November 2017: CTK Chapel – RM 362,336.15  
AV Chapel – RM 360,081.75 (*Update of the account will be given monthly only*)**

**10/12/17 Sunday Coll.:** 7.00am – RM 1,368.90

9.00am – RM 2,238.25

TOTAL – RM 3,607.15

2017 – RM 515.00

2018 – RM 50.00

TOTAL – RM 565.00

Donations can be offered at the office. Cheques can be made out to **Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Ipoh.**