



# CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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**HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION – FORMATION IN SPIRITUAL DISCERNMENT:** THAT THE CHURCH MAY APPRECIATE THE URGENCY OF FORMATION IN SPIRITUAL DISCERNMENT, BOTH ON THE PERSONAL AND COMMUNITARIAN LEVELS.

**THEME FOR MARCH:** IN CHRIST WE HAVE PASSION FOR MISSION

## MASSES IN THE PARISH

DATE	TIME	MASSES	DESCRIPTION
Mar 4 <sup>th</sup> Sun	7.00am	Mass (T)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent
	9.00am	Mass (CLOW)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent – 1 <sup>st</sup> Scrutiny
	6.00pm	Mass (T)	St. Sebastian Chapel, Municipal
Mar 5 <sup>th</sup> Mon	6.30am	Mass (E)	Lenten Weekday
Mar 6 <sup>th</sup> Tue	6.30am	Mass (E)	Lenten Weekday
	9.30am	Mass (E, T)	Senior Adult Mass @ BC
Mar 8 <sup>th</sup> Thu	6.30am	Mass (T)	Lenten Weekday
Mar 9 <sup>th</sup> Fri	7.30pm	WOC (T, E) / Mass (T)	Lenten Weekday
Mar 10 <sup>th</sup> Sat	6.30am	Mass (E)	Lenten Weekday
	9.00am	Mass (E)	Special Children Mass
Mar 11 <sup>th</sup> Sun	7.00am	Mass (T)	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent
	9.00am	Mass (E, BM)	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Scrutiny

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

Mar 4 <sup>th</sup> Sun	8.30am	BC	Catechism (T)
	10.30am	BC	Catechism (E)
	12.00nn	Church	St. Cecilia Junior Choir Practice
	12.15pm	BC 2-2	Catechism Teachers Meet
	7.00pm	Church	Choir (E)
Mar 5 <sup>th</sup> Mon	7.30pm	BC 2-2	RCIA Confirmation Candidates & Sponsors
	8.00pm	BC 1-3	OLL Women League Meet
Mar 6 <sup>th</sup> Tue	8.30am	BC 1-3	Parish Intercessory Group
	8.00pm	BC	Parish Leaders Formation (BECs & Service Group)
	8.00pm	Municipal	Charismatic (T)
Mar 7 <sup>th</sup> Wed	8.00pm	Church	St. Augustine Choir Practice (T)
	8.00pm	BC 1-1	Charismatic (T)
Mar 8 <sup>th</sup> Thu	7.00pm	Church	C & L Practice
	7.30pm	BC 2-2	RCIA
	8.00pm	BC 1-3	Ezhuputhal healing Rosary
Mar 9 <sup>th</sup> Fri	2.45pm	SFA Chapel	Way of Cross (T, E)
Mar 10 <sup>th</sup> Sat	5.30pm/6.00pm	Church	Rosary/ OLPH Novena
Mar 11 <sup>th</sup> Sun	8.30am	BC	Catechism (T)
	10.30am	BC	Catechism (E)
	10.30am	BC	International Women's Day Celebration
	12.00nn	Church	St. Cecilia Junior Choir Practice
	7.00pm	Church	Choir (E)

## PARISH NEWS AND INFORMATION

**1. NEXT INFANT BAPTISM (TAMIL):** Date: 17 March 2018 (Sat); Time: 4.30pm. Please contact the office for further details.

**2. WAY OF THE CROSS FOR CHILDREN:** All primary school catechism children are required to attend. Date: 11 March 2018 (Sun) Time: 11.00am Venue: Church

**3. WORD AMONG US & URAVAADUM KUDUMBAM:** We have reduced the number of copies for these publications because of wastage. If you need these publications to be reserved for you, please notify the parish office by giving your names. You may pay and collect your monthly copies from the Parish Office. Make your request by 11 March 2018. Request beyond this date will not be entertained.

**4. POPE INVITES US TO PRAY:** Adhering to the invitation of Pope Francis "24 hour for the Lord," the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will begin after the Friday Mass, 9 March 2018. We will end the Adoration at midnight.

**5. EXCURSION FOR FORM 5 STUDENTS TO MIGRANTS SETTLEMENT AT SIPUTEH:**

**Date:** 4 March 2018 (Sun) **Time:** 9.00am - 6.00pm. Pray for them.

**6. CHOICE TAMIL PENANG 27:** **Date:** 15-18 Mar 2018 **Time:** Thursday 7.00pm – Sunday 5.00pm  
**Venue:** Church of Sts. Chastan & Imbert, Perai **Closing Date:** 9 Mar 2018 **Contact:** Annie (016-9540417)

**7. LENTEN CAMPAIGN 2018 PROGRAMMES:**

**4<sup>th</sup> Week (11 March 2018)** -> uphold Human Dignity.

BEC Level- Check in on someone who lives alone / sick and has no family.

**6<sup>th</sup> Week (25 March 2018)** -> Distribution of Rations (**REMINDER:** BEC Leaders to submit the names (poor family) to parish office by 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018).

**8. INTERNATIONAL WOMEN DAY CELEBRATION:** International women day celebration at OLL Church on 11/3/18 (Sun) at 10.30am-1.00pm.

**9. SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY:** Next gathering will be held on 6/3/18 (Tue) beginning with mass at 9.30am at Bernadette Center. Parishioners above 60 years old are invited to attend but please submit your names, either by phone or personally at the Parish Office not later than 12.00nn on 4/3/18 (Sun)

**10. PARENTS SUPPORT GROUP:** Special Children Mass will be held on 10 March 2018 (Sat) at 9.00am mass with special blessing to all the Differently Abled People. Parents (family) with special people are requested to attend as this mass is arranged for them.

**11. CEMETERY CLEANING:** The cemetery maintenance committee is organizing to clean the Tambun Cemetery on 10/3/18 from 9.00am – 12.00nn. The three parishes of Ipoh are jointly conducting this event. As the parishioners of OLL, we are obliged to cooperate in this effort. We need volunteers. Those interested please register your names on 4/3/18 (Sun) after both masses at Parish Hall.

**12. PENITENTIAL SERVICE IN LENT**

Mar 6 (Tue)	@ 7.00pm	St. Joseph, Batu Gajah
Mar 8 (Thu)	@ 7.30pm	SFDS, Sitiawan
Mar 12 (Mon)	@ 8.00pm	St. Michael, Ipoh
Mar 13 (Tue)	@ 8.00pm	OMPH, Ipoh Garden
<b>Mar 14 (Wed)</b>	<b>@ 7.30pm</b>	<b>OLL, Ipoh</b>
Mar 15 (Thu)	@ 7.00pm	St. Louis, Taiping

**13. Penang Diocesan Youth Day (PDYD 4):** **Date:** 16 -17 June 2018 (Sat & Sun) **Time:** 12.00pm ~

12.00pm **Venue:** Church of Christ the King, Sungai Petani. **Solidarity Share:** RM 50. **Closing Date for Registration:** 31 March 2018. **Contact:** Penang Diocesan Youth Network (04-2274851)

**Email:** [pdyn@pgdiocese.org](mailto:pdyn@pgdiocese.org). Donation for the PDYD 4 can be channelled to the parish office.

**14. RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT:** An invitation to step back in safety, to lift hurts of abortion to God, knowing that the promise of forgiveness and healing is there. The next retreat in Penang will be from 16-18<sup>th</sup> March 2018. If you or someone you know have been touched by abortion please phone confidential phone line 016 4190538 Cyrilla (between 7-9pm) or email [healinggracerachelsvineyard@gmail.com](mailto:healinggracerachelsvineyard@gmail.com) before 6<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

**15. CTK & AV Chapels Building Fund As of February 2018:** **CTK Chapel** – RM 383, 662.82  
**AV Chapel** – RM 390,082.39 (*Update of the account will be given monthly only*)

**25/02/18:** **7.00am** – RM 1,362.25 **9.00am** – RM 1,503.55 **11.00am** – RM 139.50 **TOTAL – RM 3,005.30**  
**2018** – RM 460.00 **Cemetery** – RM 1,602.20 **AV Chapel (18/2/18)** – RM 121.20

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