



CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION – EVANGELIZATION: WE PRAY THAT CHRISTIANS, FOLLOWERS OF OTHER RELIGIONS, AND ALL PEOPLE OF GOODWILL MAY PROMOTE PEACE AND JUSTICE IN THE WORLD.

THEME FOR JANUARY: OPEN OUR HEARTS AND EYES

MASSES IN THE PARISH

DATE	TIME	MASSES	DESCRIPTION
Jan 5 th Sun	7.00am	Mass (T)	Epiphany of the Lord
	9.00am	Mass (CLOW)	Epiphany of the Lord
	6.00pm	Mass (T)	Annai Velangkanni Chapel, Jelapang
Jan 6 th Mon	6.30am	Mass (E)	Ordinary Weekday
Jan 7 th Tue	6.30pm	Mass (E)	St. Raymond of Penyafort
Jan 8 th Wed	6.30am	Mass (E)	Ordinary Weekday
Jan 9 th Thu	6.30am	Mass (T)	Ordinary Weekday
Jan 10 th Fri	5.30pm/6.30pm	Adoration BS/Mass (T)	Ordinary Weekday
Jan 11 th Sat	6.30am	Mass (E)	Ordinary Weekday
Jan 12 th Sun	7.00am	Mass (T)	Baptism of the Lord
	9.00am	Mass (E,BM)	Baptism of the Lord
	5.30pm	Novena/ Mass (T)	St. Francis of Assisi Chapel, Tasek

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Jan 5 th Sun	8.30am	Bernadette Center	Catechism (T)
	10.30am	Bernadette Center	Catechism (E)
	6.00pm	Church	Choir (E)
	7.30pm	BC 1-3	Hope Center
Jan 6 th Mon	8.00pm	BC 1-3	PAT
Jan 7 th Tue	8.30am	BC 1-3	Parish Intercessory
	8.00pm	Bernadette Center	Parish Leaders Formation (BECs & Service Group)
Jan 8 th Wed	7.00pm	BC 1-3	Tamil Cultural Group Meet
Jan 9 th Thu	7.30pm	BC 2-3	Tamil Class
	7.45pm	BC 2-2	RCIA (E)
	8.00pm	Bernadette Center	Confirmation Class Parents Session
	8.00pm	BC 2-4	Ezhuputhal Prayers
Jan 10 th Fri	8.00pm	Jelapang	Charismatic (E,T)
Jan 11 th Sat	10.00am	Church	Baptism Instruction (Parents & Godparents)
	4.30pm	Church	Infant Baptism
	5.30pm/6.00pm	Church	Rosary / OLPH Novena
Jan 12 th Sun	8.30am	Bernadette Center	Catechism (T)
	10.30am	Bernadette Center	Catechism (E)

OLL SOUP KITCHEN (Founded In 2009): Feeding Programme: Wed/ Thu from 12.45pm – 1.45pm at near the Bekor Flats First Garden (Jogging Track).

HOPE CENTER: The Hope Center will be open on Sunday from 10.30am - 12.00nn and on Tuesday & Thursday from 10.30am – 12.00nn / 5.30pm – 7.00pm.

FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY: No one is allowed to seek any financial assistance without written permission from the Parish Priest. Please do not entertain anyone who ask money using my name. I will not be responsible for any of these financial fraudulent. Please verify with me or Parish Office immediately if you come across such cases. All donations will be acknowledge by Parish Official Receipts.

Weddings in January & February 2020

Jan 18 4.00pm Service (E) John Amal Raj a/l Sandanamraj & Stella Mary a/p David

Feb 1 11.00am Service (E) Adrian Gerard a/l K. Gerard & Jayanthi a/p Kunasekaran

Feb 1 4.00pm Mass (T) Santhana Kumar a/l John Jasudass & Christine Anusha a/p Peter Das

Anyone who has any canonical objections to the proposed marriage, kindly notifies the Parish Priest /Deacon.

PARISH NEWS AND INFORMATION

1. SPECIAL THANKS: Thanks to (a) Parish Liturgical Team for the meaningful celebration (b) St. Vincent De Paul for the Crib (c) ELF TEAM for putting up the Christmas tree.

2. A SEMINARIAN FOR PASTORAL EXPOSURE: Bro. Konstend will be with us for 1 month pastoral ministry. We welcome him.

3. JUMBO SALE: OLL Women's Group are organizing Jumbo Sale to raise fund for International Women's Day. You may purchase it on 12 January 2020 (Sun) after both masses.

4. CATECHISM CLASSES 2020: Resume on 5 January 2020. Tamil classes from 8.30am -10.00am and English Classes from 10.30am -12.00nn. Children are requested to gather at the Parish Hall. Registration for Pre-Class (5 to 6 years old) and Std 1 will also take place. Parents are reminded to bring their child's Baptism Certificate (Photostat) and Passport size photograph for the registration.

- Confirmation Class Parents Session on 9 January 2020 (Thu) at 8.00pm @ Bernadette Center.
- Catechism Students Parents Session (Pre-Class to Std 3) on 12 January 2020 (Sun) at 10.30am at Parish Hall.

5. PONGGAL CELEBRATION 2020: The Ponggal Celebration will be held on 18 January 2020 (Sat) at Parish Ground. There will be "Kummi dance", dancing, Ponggal cooking competition, Kohlam competition, Tug of war, 'Uri Adithal' and other games. Whoever wish to participate in this competition please register your names with Annakili (05-5275988), Christina (016-5041341) or Parish Office (05-5279349).

6. RECRUITMENT FOR DISCIPLESHIP: We will be starting our Discipleship program in Tamil. There are only 20 places available. Those who are interested please contact the Parish Office and register your names.

7. BLESSED PALMS OF 2019 – FOR ASH WEDNESDAY: Ashes used on Ash Wednesday are from the palms blessed in the previous year. This year Ash Wednesday falls on **26 February 2020**. Please bring the old palms collected last year and give them to Sacristan Matthews or to the office by **23 February (Sunday)** before noon.

8. FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: First Holy Communion parents, kindly collect your letters in order to get the link for the photographs from the Parish Office.

9. NEXT INFANT BAPTISM (TAMIL): **Date:** 11 January 2020 (Sat); **Time:** 4.30pm. Please contact the office for further details.

10. FREE PROGRAMMES AT MTRS: Registration at Mother Teresa's Reading Shelter (No.112, Persiaran Sg. Pari 19, Buntong 2 30100 Ipoh Perak). For more details please contact 05-2410751.

PROGRAMMES	AGE	DAY & TIME
TUITION CLASSES (PRIMARY)	7-12	SATURDAY (9.30AM -12.30PM)
TUITION CLASSES (FORM 1 & FORM 2)	13 & 14	SATURDAY (9.30AM -12.30PM)

11. CARE FOR THE POOR AND THE MARGINALISED IN THE PARISH: Every year, the parish has been helping our own parishioners who are facing various financial difficulties such as daily rations, educational help (to pay for school fee & transportation), to pay for house rent due to sudden termination of employment, medical fee, other basic legitimate and dire needs. **This year we have provided financial assistance to 47 individuals and 9 organisations.** We would like to appeal for donation for the poor and needy so that we can continue to help the needy. Please take an envelope and together let us make this New Year a meaningful one. You may pledge at the Parish Office. Thank you, for your generosity.

12. CHAPELS AND PARISH FUND AS OF DECEMBER 2019: CTK Chapel – RM 472,846.81

AV Chapel – RM 544,922.64

Church Repairs & Renovation – RM 409,531.40

(Update of the account will be given monthly only)

29/12/19 Coll.: 7.00am – RM 1,100.30
2019 – RM 550.00

9.00am – RM 1,853.10

TOTAL – RM 2,953.40

For OLL Repair/ Renovation – RM 2,398.05

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