

CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION



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 Mondays & Public Holidays: Closed

Donations in favour of **Church of the Assumption, Petaling Jaya.**
 Thank you for your generosity.

MASSES: 7 – 14 September 2019

23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

Sat 7 Sep	● 6.30pm Sunset Mass
Sun 8 Sep	● 6.45am, 8.30am, 11.30am & 6pm
Mon 9 Sep	St. Peter Claver ● 10am (Public holiday)
Tue 10 Sep	Ordinary Weekday ● 6.30am & 6.30pm
Wed 11 Sep	Ordinary Weekday ● 6.30am & 6.30pm
Thu 12 Sep	Most Holy Name of Mary ● 6.30am & 6.30pm
Fri 13 Sep	St. John Chrysostom (Memorial) ● 6.30am ● 6.30pm (followed by Holy Hour)
Sat 14 Sep	Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Feast) ● 6.30am ● 6.30pm Sunset Mass

SUNDAY GOSPEL READING

Luke 14:25 – 33



The Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross (on 14 Sep.) signifies that by Christ's love, the Cross has become the sign of triumph and victory. For us, the Cross stands for the difficulties, trials, sufferings, failures and miseries in our lives. As we celebrate this feast, we draw strength to take up our crosses daily to follow Christ.

NOTICE BOARD

The **BEGINNING EXPERIENCE** (BE) is intended for those suffering the loss of a love relationship through death, divorce or separation who are ready to come to terms with that loss and begin to move forward with their lives.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

Four representatives from our Church will join the programme in Singapore so that BE could be initiated in our parish. Parishioners who are widowed, divorced or permanently separated are invited to join the BE Weekend (details later). Please leave your name and mobile number at the church office for the attention of Fr. Gregory.

ON LEAVE & RETREAT

● Fr. Gregory will be on leave from Tuesday 10 to Friday 13 September. ● Fr. Richard will be on retreat from Sun. 22 to Fri. 27 September.

BAPTISM @ ASSUMPTION

Baptism	Instruction	Form by
Sun Oct 13	Tue Oct 8	Tue Oct 1
Sun Nov 10	Tue Nov 5	Tue Oct 29

PETALING DISTRICT GAMES will be held on **Monday 16 September** (public holiday) at the Catholic High School, PJ. Please register for any of the games or volunteer as a coordinator. Call Gabriel @ 012-2040996.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED



- We need **volunteer helpers.**
- Please leave your contact details with the parish office.

ROUTINE MASS TIMES

Saturdays: 6.30pm Sunset Mass
Sundays: 6.45am, 8.30am, 11.30am & 6pm
Mondays: 6.30am
Tuesdays – Fridays: 6.30am & 6.30pm
Mandarin Mass 1st Sunday at 10am
Tamil Mass: 4th Sunday at 10am
BM-English Mass: 4th Saturday at 6.30pm
Charismatic Mass: 3rd Friday at 7.30pm

DEVOTION to the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Sat. 5.10pm Community Rosary
 Sat. 5.30pm Novena: Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 Sun. 5.15pm Community Rosary



CHRISTUS VIVIT
 (Christ Is Alive) Study Day for Form 4 students will be held on **Saturday**

21 September from 9am to 12nn at the Church of St. Ignatius. Organised by the six Churches in the Petaling District, this enriching formation and catechesis session will be presented by Fr. Gregory.

● No Catechism classes this Sunday and next (8 & 15 Sep.) due to public holidays. ●

A MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER Weekend

will be held from **Friday 27 to Sunday 29 September** at APC, KL. Gift yourselves a weekend away from daily distractions to focus on each other and re-vitalise your marriage. To register, email wmeselwil@archkl.org

UNDERSTANDING SAME-SEX ATTRACTION

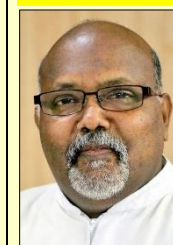


The Family Life Commission will hold a live-in programme to enable a better understanding on same-sex attraction from **Saturday 21 to Sunday 22 September** at APC, KL. All are specially encouraged to join this enlightening and relevant session by professional counsellor Bryan Shen. Call Joseph 012-9696117.

Disciple

THE DEMAND of discipleship is to "let go and let God." We are

called to be disciples in our family, in our work place, and in our dealings with neighbours and the community. The journey to God is so valuable that it is worth stripping our lifestyles to the bare essentials – discipleship overcomes the need to acquire possessions. When the struggle becomes tough, we remember that Jesus is walking with us. – RDK



In Loving Memory

REV. FR. MARI AROKIAM
 9 Oct. 1958 – 15 Sep. 2018

The Church of the Assumption will celebrate a **first-year memorial** for REV. FR. MARI AROKIAM next **Saturday 14 September** at the 6.30pm Sunset Mass.

PETALING DISTRICT GAMES



VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

We urgently need 20 volunteers (more are welcome) to help with the Petaling District

Games on **Monday 16 September**. We need volunteers to be guides during the Fun Walk, to help with coordination of the Games, and for other event matters. If you can help, please call Paul 012-6251865 or Gabriel 012-2040996.

CLOSURE OF GRIFFON HALL



● In view of the temporary closure of the church, Griffon Hall (on the Ground Floor of Assumption Family House) will be closed from 16 September to facilitate minor refurbishment for the celebration of mass there.

● Meetings and gatherings may continue at Stephen Tsao Hall (First Floor, AFH).

● The parish office will operate from the Family House during the church closure.