

复活期第四主日/圣召主日 21/04/2024

这个主日，我们先默想「耶稣：我们的善牧」。在今天的福音中，耶稣首先解释善牧和佣工的区别，说：「善牧会为羊捨命，佣工则对羊漠不关心。」然后，耶稣说：「我是善牧。」「善牧」同时是一个君王和导师的图像。这里要强调的是：耶稣不是「像」个善牧，而是「是」真正的善牧。

善牧比喻简直好似复活的基督直接向大家讲解自己苦难与光荣的意义。比喻中非常清楚指出这个思想，因为耶稣说：父爱我，因为我舍掉我的性命，为再取回它来，这是关于死亡与复活的奥迹。我们要效法耶稣，关心周围的人，设法认识他们如同耶稣认识他们一样。我们应成为他人的善牧，以身作则，传播天主的福音。

和平之后天主堂**堂区通讯**

圣召主日弥撒捐献：4月20、21日（复活期第4主日）的弥撒捐献将用于培训修生和圣方济亚西西大修院的基金。请大家慷慨解囊。

每月第三主日第二次捐献：为教区关怀基金筹款，以帮助有需要援助的人。请大家慷慨解囊。

本堂甘榜嘉年华：筹委会邀请志愿者、慷慨的食品和手工艺品摊主、赞助商以及任何在艺人和在特别活动方面有良好联系的人，在接下来的几个周末到我们食堂外的摊位报名或联系David (97323368)。嘉年华会在7月21日（星期日）举行。

英语慕道班招生：英语慕道班将在6月2日（星期日）2-4 pm 开始第38届慕道班。欢迎你推荐慕道者参加英语慕道班课程。请联络 Gregory Ho (96430636)。

探讨成立亡者祈祷组：本堂堂区华委计划成立亡者祈祷组，为逝世的本堂教友炼灵祈祷，呼吁有意有兴趣参加的兄弟姐妹，可联络张荣钊兄弟 (tel : 81811282)，一起为主服务。

法蒂玛圣母游行与感恩祭：日期：5月4日（星期六），时间：7:30PM。地点：圣伯多禄圣保禄堂。主祭：林创勋神父。欢迎大家踊跃出席。

从心开始避静：教委总神师萧永伦神父将在7月18日-21日于天主教灵修中心举办4天3夜“从心开始避静”，目的是让我们与主相遇，治愈心灵和丰富生命。日期：7月18-21日（星期四至星期日），地点：天主教灵修中心（CSC），报名：国章 98184769；银嫦 98189255；思怡 97976907。报名费：新币 \$ 320（四天三夜）。欢迎报名参加。

与圣母进教之佑歌颂祈祷之夜：日期：5月24日（星期五），时间：7:45PM - 9:30PM，地点：圣雅丰索堂（Novena堂）。报名：无需报名，请邀请亲友一起来参与报名费：欢迎爱心捐献PayNow教委 UEN(T08CC4023DCA1) 注明：FC2405。

**CHURCH OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE**

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Parish Priest : **Fr Timothy Yeo** 6744 0347
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11am and **5.00pm** (English).Weekdays : **12:15pm** & 6:30pmPublic Holiday : **9:00am.****Novena Devotion:**Saturday at **4:15pm.****Sacred Heart Devotion:**

1st Friday of the month at 8pm

Adoration Room :

Open/Close: 10am to 9pm

Readings:**Sunday**

Apr 21

Ac 4, 8-12;
1 Jn 3, 1-2
Jn 10, 11-18**Monday**

Apr 22

Ac 11, 1-18
Jn 10, 1-10**Tuesday**

Apr 23

Ac 11, 19-26
Jn 10, 22-30**Wednesday**

Apr 24

Ac 12, 24-
13.5
Jn 12, 44-50**Thursday**

Apr 25

1 Pt 5.5-14
Mk 16, 15-20**Friday**

Apr 26

Ac 13, 26-33
Jn 14, 1-6**Saturday**

Apr 27

Ac 13, 44-52
Jn 14, 7-14**The Good Shepherd's heart**

Today's gospel contrasts the attitude of the shepherd's and a hired man towards the sheep. "The good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep" because they are his own, while the hired man "has no concern for the sheep" since they do not belong to him. Unlike the hired man, who places his well-being above the sheep, the shepherd cares for his sheep more than himself, even to the point of giving up his life for them. Jesus is our Good Shepherd, not a hired man. Let us give thanks for being loved by Jesus as His sheep and for having Him as our Good Shepherd. We also remember with gratitude the human shepherds that God has placed in our lives, such as our mentors, parents, religious, priests, etc., who continue to reflect the Good Shepherd's self-giving love to us. We pray for those in positions of authority, especially in the Church, and for ourselves that we may grow in selfless love so that our hearts become more and more like Jesus.

Reflective question:

How can I imitate Jesus, the Good Shepherd?

*Prayer for Living for Liturgical Year B by Verbum Dei Missionaries, Singapore

Other Announcements

Msgr James Yeo—35th Sacerdotal Anniversary



Date: 1st May 2024 (Wednesday)
Venue: Church of Christ the King, Ang Mo Kio
Mass at 10.30am followed by buffet lunch at the Parish Canteen
Parishioners and friends are cordially invited to join Msgr James Yeo to give thanks to God at Mass followed by lunch on the church grounds. RSVP by 24th April or contact Christ The King Parish Office.



At the Feet of the Good Shepherd Retreat (FGS)

A 2-day 1-night (2D1N) weekend local stay-in retreat in personal prayer, contemplating the Word of God. You will be guided for your Sacrament of Reconciliation. You will also meet with a Spiritual Director one-to-one to guide you in your personal prayer.
When: 27 - 28 April 2024 OR 29 - 30 June 2024
Where: St Francis Xavier Retreat Centre in Punggol
Cost: \$300 per pax inclusive GST, meals and accommodation.



Down Memory Lane, A Fundraising Dinner

By Catholic Family Life

24 August 2024, Saturday | 7:00pm | Carlton Hotel

A Night of Nostalgic Music, For a Good Cause

Funds raised will enable CFL to:

Offer affordable marital, family, child and adolescent therapy to those who need it.

Conduct research, talks and workshops to help parents detect stress and anxiety in their child, improve their mental health and build more resilient families.

Support unplanned pregnancies through our Pregnancy Crisis and Support hotline and befriending service. Scan the QR code below to register.



Our next monthly session will be face-to-face from **7:30 to 9:15pm on Tue 23 April 2024**. The venue will be at **Catholic Archdiocesan Education Centre, 2 Highland Road, unit LG-01, Singapore 549102** (next to the Church of Immaculate Heart of Mary). Please email us for directions.

This weekend, being the 3rd weekend of the month, there will be a 2nd collection for Catholic Foundation's GIFT (Giving in Faith & Thankfulness) programme. GIFT is a regular giving programme to rally support for and fund the Archdiocese's organisations and initiatives for youth, evangelisation, catechesis, formation, and others.

Please bring your contributions or GIFT envelopes to drop them into the collection bags. Visit catholicfoundation.sg to contribute online or find out more.

Queen of Peace Parish

QOP Kampung Carnival 2024

Sunday 21 July 2024

The organizing committee invites volunteers, generous food and handicraft stallholders, sponsors and anyone with good contacts for entertainers and special activities to register at our booth outside the canteen over the next few weekends or contact David at 97323368.



Vocation Sunday / Good Shepherd Sunday

Today as we celebrate Vocation Sunday, the diocesan seminarians would like to express their sincere gratitude and thanks for all your support and prayers over their many years of formation. Currently, there are 22 seminarians in the seminary. Do continue to pray for them as they journey towards the priesthood.

And for any young men who feel the call to the diocesan priesthood, you can get in touch with them through their website and social media account.

"Do not be afraid, and open wide the gates to Christ!"

Good Shepherd Sunday, 21st April

All collections for **this weekend's** Masses will go to the Good Shepherd Sunday Collection 2024 for the ongoing formation of the Seminarians and expenses relating to the St Francis Xavier Major Seminary. Thank you for supporting our seminarians!

QoP RCIA 38 Journey

RCIA 38 at the Church of Our Lady Queen of Peace will commence **2 June 2024, every Sunday, 2.30-4.30 pm**, culminating in baptism on Easter Vigil, 19th April 2025.

We welcome you and your non-Catholic friends to journey with us. Contact Gregory Ho 96430636 for details.



Silent Meditation before all Weekday Noontime Masses

Meditation, when taught and practiced as a wisdom tradition and not merely as a self-help technique, re-connects us to a deeper spiritual realism and greater intimacy with God

Silent Meditation follows immediately after Angelus at 12 noon.



Infant Baptism

Next scheduled infant baptism will be **next Sat, 4th May 2024**.

Please submit application form together with pre-requisite documents to Parish Office. For details, contact Parish Office at 67442879 or email: admin@queenofpeace.sg

Wedding

Arrangements for a Church Wedding should be made at least **12 months in advance** with the Celebrant. For enquires, email: admin@queenofpeace.sg

Funeral & Booking of Wake Hall

Please contact Secretariat re availability of Priests, Prayer Halls and Church before making arrangements for funeral Mass,