

(乙年) 将临期第三主日 17/12/2023

今天我们与普世教会一起庆祝称为「要喜乐」的将临期第三主日。今天的读经二，保禄一开始就对我们说：「你们要常常喜乐，不断祈祷，事事感谢天主。」喜乐和祈祷互相有着非常密切的联系，彼此相辅相成，因为祈祷所表现的信心和希望就是喜乐的基础；换句话说，我们之所以能喜乐，是因为我们有信心在希望中所祈求的一切，将会成为真实的恩宠的成果。这种获得天主真实恩宠的信念也促使我们时时和在事事上感谢天主。我们感谢天主，以感激之情回应天主慷慨地俯听了我们的祈祷，并赐给我们喜乐。

我们要喜乐，就必须选择要让圣神光照，选择要听从先知的的话，选择要常常祈祷及事事感谢，选择要保持美善及远避邪恶；最后，更加选择要去喜乐，而且常常喜乐。

和平之后天主堂

堂区通讯

**圣诞节英语弥撒时间表：**12月24日（星期日，圣诞前夕）11.15 pm – 英语报佳音，12.00 mn -- 子夜弥撒；12月25日（星期一，圣诞节）11 am（英语），12.30 pm（波兰语）及 5 pm（英语）。

**华语圣诞报佳音：**本堂华文歌咏团将在12月24日（星期日，圣诞前夕）8.15 pm，在圣堂里向大家报佳音。华语子夜弥撒将在报佳音后，9 pm举行。欢迎大家踊跃出席。

**圣诞节华语弥撒：**12月25日（星期一）9 am。

**天主之母弥撒：**2024年新年元旦，1月1日（星期一）7.30 am 华语弥撒，9 am 英语弥撒。

**关于即将举行的礼仪庆典的澄清（第四个星期日将临节和圣诞节义务）：**

这是两个不同的义务圣日，教友必须履行两项义务。请注意，通常的星期日傍晚弥撒是将临节第四主日。平安夜弥撒都将在星期日傍晚弥撒时间之外进行。这是马、新和文莱天主教主教团发出的指示。**注意：**本堂将临节第四主日（12月24日（星期日）华语弥撒 7.30 am；圣诞前夕/平安夜：报佳音 8.15 pm、华语弥撒 9 pm。圣诞节（12月25日，星期一，教友应守的占礼）华语弥撒：9 am。

**婴孩领洗：**将在1月6日（星期六）举行。你可在秘书处索取申请表格。

**圣诞同祷特会：**日期：12月 25日（星期一），时间：11 AM – 4 PM，地点：义顺海星圣母堂一楼礼堂，10, Yishun St 22, S(768579)。主题：蒙福、治疗、传爱，主讲：何国章兄弟。报名截止日期：12月17日。报名表格 <https://forms.gle/cTcPMBtQeZbiEumC8>（需要版名，有提供午餐）询问：爱莉 (96620923)、健祥 (98626801)、国章 (98184769)。



CHURCH OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

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MASS SCHEDULES

Saturday Sunset Mass : 5:00pm  
Sunday Mass: 7.30am (Mandarin), 9:15am, 11am and 5.00pm (English).  
Weekday Masses: 12:15pm & 6:30pm (Mon to Fri)  
Public Holiday: **Mass at 9:00am.**  
No Booking Required. Scan ID/TT and walk in.

**Novena Devotion:**  
Saturday at 4:15pm.  
**Sacred Heart Devotion:**  
1st Friday of the month  
**Adoration Room :**  
Open/Close: 10am to 9pm

Readings:

**Sunday**  
17 Dec  
Is 61; 1-2  
1 Th 5; 16-24  
Jn 1; 6-8  
**Monday**  
18 Dec  
Jer 23; 5-8  
Mt1; 18-24  
**Tuesday**  
19 Dec  
Jdg 13; 2-7  
Lk 1; 5-25  
**Wednesday**  
20 Dec  
Is 7; 10-14  
Lk 1; 26-38  
**Thursday**  
21 Dec  
Song 2; 8-14  
Lk 1; 39-45  
**Friday**  
22 Dec  
1 Sam 1; 24-28  
Lk 1; 46-56  
**Saturday**  
23 Dec  
Mal 3; 1-4  
Lk 1; 57-66

Joy  
On this Gaudate Sunday, let us allow John the Baptist to show us how to live this time of preparation with humility in bringing others to Jesus and be heralds of joy to others. He was happy not to be in the limelight but to be a witness to Jesus, pointing people to the way to Him. How can we learn from John to be humble and joyful?  
Humility: John was humble and at peace with the role that God had given him. Because of his humility, he guided people to recognise and welcome Jesus. Let us allow God to show us where He calls us to be and do and trust that He has a role, a place and a time for us. Through us, may we bring people to Jesus this Advent. Joy: We have known the joy of knowing and loving Jesus and experienced His loving presence. It is time to share the joy of our faith with others by simply living life with joy, gratitude and hope, even amid challenges. May our happiness infect others to live also with joy in Christ.

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

# Queen of Peace Parish

## 2023 Christmas Schedule

### Christmas Eve, Sun, 24 Dec 2023

- 8:30pm—Carolling in Mandarin  
Followed by 9:00pm—Mass (M)
- 11:15pm—Christmas Pageant (E)  
Followed by 12Midnight Mass (E)

### Christmas Day, Mon, 25 Dec 2023

- 9:00am Mandarin Mass
- 11:00am English Mass
- 12:30pm Polish Mass
- 5:00pm English Mass

### 2024 New Year Day, Monday 01.01.2024

- 7:30am Mandarin Mass
- 9:00am English



### Kaleidoscope of Love: ACMI's 25th Anniversary Music Album

As part of our 25th anniversary, the "Kaleidoscope of Love" music album was put together to celebrate the lives of migrants and Itinerants, radiating forth the beautiful message of fraternity and friendship.

The eight original tracks were inspired by experiences and stories of migrants, and it looks to unite, to give hope, and to uplift. It features Friar Derrick Yap on vocals on several songs, ACMI's Spiritual Director Friar Francisco Jude Basnayake, Rev Fr Aloysius Ong, Rev Fr Valerian Cheong, Rev Fr Kamelus Kamus, Friar Timothy Fong, and Deacon Benedict Mary.

Visit <https://rebrand.ly/KaleidoscopeofLove> or scan the QR code below to get your copy today! For any enquiries, please email [getinvolved.acmi@catholic.org.sg](mailto:getinvolved.acmi@catholic.org.sg).



## 20 MINUTES SILENT MEDITATION BEFORE ALL WEEKEND ADVENT MASSES

### Keep the Sabbath Holy' Retreat (SABB) - Preventing Leaders' Burnout

A stay-in retreat by Catholic Leadership Centre to discover the Sabbath as a sustaining spiritual practice for busy leaders. Based on St Benedict's rule of life to balance and integrate one's physical, mental, emotional and spiritual life.

12 - 14 Jan 2024 at St Damiano Franciscan Centre, 5 Bukit Batok East Ave 2. \$400/- per pax inclusive of GST (single-room accommodation & one spiritual direction session included) Go to [www.catholicleader.sg](http://www.catholicleader.sg) to register or find out more.

### Infant Baptism

Please contact Parish Office at 67442879 or email: [admin@queenofpeace.sg](mailto:admin@queenofpeace.sg)

### Wedding

Arrangements for a Church Wedding should be made at least **12 months in advance** with the priest of the parish. For enquires, please email: [admin@queenofpeace.sg](mailto:admin@queenofpeace.sg)

### Funeral & Booking of Wake's Hall

Please contact Secretariat at 67442879 for the availability of the Priests, Prayer Halls and Church before making arrangement for funeral Mass, cremation or burial.

### Infant Baptism—

Next schedule date is on Sat, **6 Jan 2024**  
Please submit application forms together with documents to Parish Office.



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