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(丙年) 主显节

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「主显节」的字源来自希腊文 (epiphaneia)，它包含以下几个意义：一、启示，使某种事物被看见，也就是使人认识原本早已存在的事物；二、光照，使事情明朗化，也就是使人理解原本隐晦的意义；三、显现，彰显自己的临在，也就是宣布自己确实已经到场出席。因此，我们在「主显节」所庆祝的就是天主早已临在世界上，祂让我们知道祂原本就临在我们中间，而今天更使我们理解祂临在我们中间的意义。「主显节」的重点在于「今天」，不是过去曾发生的一个事件。今天，耶稣基督仍向万民显示祂已临在世界上，并以祂的真光照亮世界。今天，在礼仪的庆祝中，耶稣基督再次临现在我们中间，活跃在我们的生活中。今天，耶稣基督仍派遣我们到普世传扬福音，「使万民成为门徒」(玛廿八19)。

《梵蒂冈广播电台文稿》

和平之后天主堂

堂区通讯

农历新年期间弥撒：1月28日(星期二/农历新年前夕)弥撒时间: 12.15 pm (英语)，当天没有6.30 pm 傍晚弥撒; 1月29日(星期三/年初一)弥撒时间: 8.00 am (华语) 和 10.00 am (英语)。弥撒中将分发柑橘。1月30日(星期四/年初二)英语弥撒 9.00 am。

婴孩领洗：将在1月11日(星期六)举行。你可在秘书处索取申请表格。

教宗弥撒纪念品：天主教基金会的职员和义工将在这个主日到本堂售卖教宗弥撒纪念品，有T恤、背包、旅行去哦到用具等。所有收入将归入教区传教基金。请大家踊跃支持。

预告—2025年新年联欢会：日期: 2月9日(星期日)，时间: 9 am – 11.30 am，地点: 圣母楼2楼礼堂。形式: 捞鱼生、游戏、大合唱、聚餐、幸运抽奖等。报名费: \$10 (6岁以下免费)，售票日期: 19/1 – 2/2/25。欢迎大家踊跃参加，共聚一堂，庆祝农历新年。主办: 本堂堂区华委。

通告 – 本堂售卖物品市集 (The Bazaar)：欢迎你和家人参观本堂的物品市集，购买各种实用的物品。时间: 星期日，9 am – 12 noon。

天主教新闻报：由于制作成本上涨，从2025年1月起，售费将调至\$1.20。

2025年禧年祈祷文： <https://www.iubilaeum2025.va/zh/giubileo-2025/preghiera.html>。欢迎教友们下载教廷颁发的2025年禧年祈祷文。

讲座与圣体医治 (张伟刚神父和黎晓明传教士主讲)：主题: 在圣神中生活。日期: 1月12日(星期日)，时间: 1:00PM - 4:30PM，地点: 圣安东尼礼堂一楼 25 Woodlands Ave 1, S(739064)。形式: 赞美敬拜、讲座、明供圣体、圣体医治、见证语共融茶叙。报名: 无需报名。报名费: 入场免费。欢迎大家参与。询问: 范洲南 96848989, 廖宝璜 96816815。由圣安东尼堂神恩复兴团体举办。

教区活动消息：请参阅教委网页 www.acams.org.sg

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.**

Novena Devotion:

Saturday at 4:15pm.

Sacred Heart Devotion:

1st Friday of the month after lunchtime & evening mass

Adoration Room :

10am to 9pm

Readings:

Sunday

Jan 05
 Is 60:1-6
 Eph 3:2-3, 5-6
 Mt 2:1-12

Monday

Jan 06
 1 Jn 3:22-4:6
 Mt 4:12-17,
 23-25

Tuesday

Jan 07
 1 Jn 4:7-10
 Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday

Jan 08
 1 Jn 4:11-18
 Mk 6:45-52

Thursday

Jan 09
 1 Jn 4:19-5:4
 Lk 4:14-22

Friday

Jan 10
 1 Jn 5:5-13
 Lk 5:12-16

Saturday

Jan 11
 1 Jn 5:14-21
 Jn 3:22-30



Epiphany of God's love

Today, we celebrate the Epiphany of our Lord and let us not merely go through the motions of celebrating it in church. Instead, we should allow this feast to become a practical reality in our lives. In the gospel passage, the wise men, traditionally known as Melchior, Balthazar, and Caspar, represent the three continents of Asia, Africa, and Europe. As we look at the figures of the wise men worshipping baby Jesus, let us contemplate God's universal love. Out of love, He reveals Himself to all people, not just specific groups. This is the truth of our faith, which we are called to live out in our daily lives by loving,

This feast also challenges us to follow in the footsteps of the wise men by seeking God. God reveals Himself to us in our everyday lives- in our circumstances, work, relationships with others, etc. We need faith to see God actively working in our lives and our world. By doing so, we can experience the profound joy of having Him with us and within us.

Reflective question:

What is the practical significance of this feast for me?

Prayer for Living for Liturgical Year C by Verbum Dei Missionaries, Singapore

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THE JUBILEE PRAYER

Father in heaven,
may the **faith** you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of **charity** enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed **hope**
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless
cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within both
humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee
reawaken in us, **Pilgrims of Hope**,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.
May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.

To you, our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever.

Amen.

FRIENDSGIVING: Praying Our Friendships 21-23 February 2025 @ Bintan

Friendship is a sacrament of God's love and a gift. In this uniquely crafted retreat, you are to bring a friend (could be a family member, a colleague, etc.) and celebrate this gift together. You will also discover how Jesus continues to draw you into a deeper friendship with Him. Register early using QR code.



Ephesians 6: Armour of God Retreat (EPH6)

A 2D1N stay-in retreat that includes talks by Fr Valerian Cheong, Fr Andrew Wong and Joseph Fernandez on being more aware of supernatural realms on social media and other openings which lead people away from God, what the first commandment entails and so on.

8 – 9 Feb 2025 at Punggol Retreat Centre. \$320/- per pax inclusive of GST (en suite single-room & meals included)

To register or find out more for both retreats, go to www.catholicleader.sg

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Chinese New Year Mass Schedule

Chinese New Year Eve (Tuesday 28 Jan)

One Mass only at 12.15pm

1st Day of Chinese New Year (Wednesday 29 Jan):

8.00am (M) and 10.00am (E)

**Blessed mandarin oranges will be distributed
only at 8.00 am and 10.00am Masses**

2nd Day of Chinese New Year (Thursday 30 Jan)

9.00am (Public Holiday)

GOD the FATHER Devotion

Next Tuesday 7 Jan 2025
Room 3.3 Haouse of David
at 7.30pm.

All are welcome



First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart

From 2025 1st Friday Devotion
prayers in honour of Sacred Heart will
be recited **after lunchtime and
evening Masses starting 3 Jan 2025**,
thereafter every first Friday of the
month.



contact Parish Office

Papal Visit Souvenirs

This weekend, staff and volunteers from Catholic Foundation are selling Pope Francis Visit souvenirs outside the canteen. Come and pick up meaningful gifts for yourself and your loved ones, such as t-shirts, bags and travel prayer kits. Proceeds will go towards the mission of the Archdiocese. Thank you for your support!

Wedding

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

Looking for unique and affordable clothing, home goods or hidden gems?

The Bazaar has something for everyone. Come and shop sustainably. Drop by on **Sundays 9am to 12noon.**



Funeral & Wake Hall Booking

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