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堂區通訊 Parish Newsletter

將臨期

二零零五年十一月二十七日 November 27, 2005

彌撒時間表 Mass Timetable

:主日彌撒 Sunday Mass

星期六:下午四時半(雙語) Saturday: 4:30 pm(Bilingual)

主 日:上午九時半(英語)上午十一時(雙語) Sunday: 9:30 am (English) 11:00 am (Bilingual)

* 平日彌撒

星期二至五 :中午十二時正 (雙語)

Weekday Mass: Tuesday-Friday 12:00 noon (Bilingual)

* 耶穌聖心彌撒

每月首星期五:中午十二時正 (雙語)

Mass of The Sacred Heart of Jesus

First Friday of each month 12:00 noon (Bilingual)

修和聖事: 可隨時與神父預約(告解)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

• By appointment with the Pastor.

『你們要醒寤,因爲你們不知道,家主什麼時候回來。』

(谷 13:35)

親愛的主內兄弟姊妹,

我們已開始了教會新的禮儀年,並進入了將臨期。在這新的禮儀年,很多主日的福音都是選自 聖馬爾谷福音。馬爾谷福音是福音中最簡短的一部,並且是依照聖伯多祿的教理講授而編寫的一部福音。

在舊約時代,義人們長久地期待默西亞的來 臨。如今我們已確知祂已到來,而教會亦藉著禮 儀年的週期,使我們每年都能體驗並重溫這奧 績。我們都有責任在將臨期內充份準備迎接救主 在聖誕的再度來臨。

我們慶幸並非常感謝慈幼會士鄭海康神父在十 二月一日到七日期間到來,爲我們主持彌撒聖 祭,悔罪禮儀及修和聖事;他並會以粵語給予我 們神修的指導。這對於我們的團體爲準備救主的 聖誕,實有莫大的裨益。我鼓勵大家不要錯過堂 區這個美好的安排,詳情請參閱堂區通訊。

讓我們來歡迎鄭神父,並願主降福他。

謝晉明

主任司鐸

Dear People of God,

Welcome to the season of Advent, the beginning of a new church and liturgical year! This year most of our Sunday Gospels will be from the writings of St. Mark. It is the shortest gospel and reflects the teachings of St. Peter.

In the Old Testament times the righteous people lived in constant expectation of the Messiah. But now we know that He has indeed come. And the Church, by her liturgical cycle, allows us to relive this coming every year. The preparation for the coming of the Saviour again every Christmas is our responsibility this Advent season..

We are fortunate to have Fr. Joseph Cheng, SDB, come and be with us for a few days to help us in this preparation. He will be with us the weekend of December 1-7. and will be available for sacramental ministrations (Mass and Confessions) and spiritual guidance in Cantonese. We are extremely grateful to him for helping us in our personal and community preparation for the coming of our Saviour this Christmas. I encourage each of you to take full advantage of this great blessing for our parish. Please see the Parish Newsletter for details.

Welcome. Fr. Cheng. And God bless your ministry

Fr. Jim, SDB Pastor

among us.



堂區及放會消息



耶穌聖心彌撒

十二月份敬禮耶穌聖心彌撒:

日期:十二月二日(首星期五)

時間:中午十二時正

請各位教友踴躍參加,以賠補耶穌聖心所受的凌

辱,並向基督以愛還愛。

靈修網絡十二月份家庭聚會更正啓示

靈修網絡將於十二月九日(星期五),晚上七時至十 時,在教友Joseph & Grace Ng 家中舉行家庭玫瑰 經聚會及『大長今與福音』家庭聚會。

家主地址: 375 Burton Road, Edmonton, 歡迎所有 教友參加。

靈修網絡邀請了居住在美國的趙必成神父在亙聯網 上與參加者分享信仰心得。從大長今故事與福音裏 的故事看基督徒精神。

家庭聚會座位有限,請速報名。報名請電:Ben Lau @ 909-8812 或William Wan @ 415-5028。歡迎 帶備小食與其他教友分享。

http://www.catholic-church.org/ccpesn/

真情對話聽心聲

主任司鐸謝晉明神父 (Fr. Jim Jeffcoat) 邀請各位教友 參與一個簡短聚會,使大家有機會見面,互相認識 及交換意見去更新我們的堂區。謝神父將會與大家 分享堂區最新現況及介紹未來牧民方向。教友亦可 以暢所欲言,爲堂區的發展提供意見,歡迎大家踴 躍出席。

教友請選擇下列一個日期時間與我們的牧者茶聚。

11月27日 (星期日) 下午一時半至三時 12月3日 (星期六) 下午五時半至七時 12月11日 (星期日) 下午一時半至三時

聚會地點爲聖堂隔鄰的小屋,如人數太多將會改在 堂區會議室舉行。屆時備有即時傳譯,亦有茶水招 待,歡迎帶備小點分享。

報名請於主日彌撒後到詢問處登記或致電堂區辦事 處 @ 482-7481. 查詢請聯絡:謝晉明神父 (Father Jim Jeffcoat) 或工作小組: Stephanie Yeung, Vincent Liu, Ernest Siu, William Wan & Erwin Fung.

鄭海康神父到訪

在美國羅省服務的慈幼會會士鄭海康神父,應 Fr. Jim 的邀請,

將於十二月一日至七日來本堂區訪問。

鄭神父在本堂逗留期內,將會爲我們主持以下各項的禮儀及神修活動。

日期 時間 活動

十二月二日(星期五) 中午十二時 平日彌撒

> 神修講座,主題:「一餅、一體、一家親」 下午七時半

十二月三日(星期六) 下午二時至四時 團體悔罪禮儀 個人修和聖事

下午四時半 主日提前彌撒

十二月四日(星期日) 上午十一時 主日彌撒

下午二時半至四時 個人修和聖事

請各位教友善用這個機會。

聖誕顯愛心捐贈食物庫

爲使有需要的人士能在 聖誕節時分享小耶穌帶 來的喜樂與平安,本堂 區於聖誕節前爲食物庫 (Food Bank)收集食物。 請有意支持此行動的兄 弟姊妹,於下主日十二 月三日至十八日,帶回 一些乾糧、罐頭食品放 在二樓大堂的收集箱 內,待收集妥當,將以 本堂區名義捐往食物 庫。多謝各位支持,願 耶穌聖嬰答謝各位的慷 慨!

堂區 財政簡報 **Parish Financial Summary**

二零零五年十月份 October 2005

主日捐獻 Sunday Collection \$17,915.06

日常支出 General Expenses \$ 8,162.43

實還款項 Blended Principle + Interest Repayment

\$ 5,000.00

盈餘 Surplus \$ 4,752.63

零零五年十一月十九、二十日

November 19 & 20, 2005

主日捐獻 Sunday Collection

\$2,273.74

「希望的標記」(Sign of Hope Collection)

\$3,195,801

Thank you very much for your generous contribution.

詳情請參閱壁報板上的財政月報

Please refer to the Monthly Financial Report on the Bulletin

Board for details.



Parish & Church News



Donation to "Food Bank"

In order that our brothers and sisters in need can share the joy and warmth of Christmas, the Parish will be making a collection of food during the coming next weekends, Dec. 3 to 18, 2005. Please bring some dry food and put it the containers in the Church lobby ,it will be sent to the "Food Bank" before Christmas. May our Saviour, the baby Jesus, reward you all for your care and love for the needy people.

Special Announcement

The Spiritual Network Group has been scheduled on December 9, 2005 (Friday) 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm to have a family gathering, at Joseph's & Grace's house. The address is 375 Burton Road. The theme is the relationship of "The Jewel in the Palace and the Gospel". Every parishioner is invited to attend. The Spiritual Network Group has been invited Fr. Chiu Bit Shing, Abraham OFM, to share his faith with all the participants through internet on that day. Fr. Chiu will use the story of "The Jewel in the Palace" to extend the spirit of catholic relationship as shown in the Gospel. Please call Ben Lau @ 909-8812 or William Wan @ 415-5028 for registration. We would appreciate if you could bring snacks to share.

.Important Notice

The weekly Chinese New Year Carnival Organizing Committee meetings have been re-scheduled from Sunday afternoons to Saturdays until further notice. If you are interested in attending, please contact Peter Leung for details at 483-1368, e-mail: psleung@telusplanet.net.

Sacrament of Reconciliation During Advent

The Parish is organizing a special service for the Sacrament of Reconciliation on December 3 (Saturday). Starting at 2:00 p.m., Fr. Joseph Cheng, SDB, from Los Angeles, will conduct a reconciliation liturgy in Chinese. Then Fr. Jim with Fr. Cheng will hear confessions individually. The service will last until 4:00 p.m. Please try your best to attend.

St. Joseph's College Bulletin Announcement

St. Joseph's College - the Catholic College at the University of Alberta - will again offer a number of evening courses. These courses may be taken for credit or audit, as part of a degree program or for general interest as Open Studies. Please see the poster in the lobby for more details.

Announcement

November 30 is the Feast Day of "Saint Andrew". We encourage you to come and celebrate with us at the noonday Mass.

Sale of Craft Work

There will be a sale of craft work on December 3, 4, 10 and 11 before and after Masses in the Gift Store of our Church. These items, including varieties of greeting cards, infant size knitted sweaters etc., are hand made by the nuns of the Carmelite Monastery and are cheap for their good quality. Please do come and choose your favourite items. In this way, we hope to give support to the nuns for their hard work, help to generate some income for the Monastery and demonstrate our brotherly and sisterly love in Christ

1st Week of Advent (November 27 - December 3, 2005) Daily Readings

Sun.	1st Sunday of Advent		
	Isaiah 63:16-17,19;64:2-7	I Corinthians 1:3-9	Mark 13:33-37
Mon.	Isaiah 2:1-5		Matthew 8:5-11
Tue.	Isaiah 11:1-10		Luke 10:21-24
Wed.	St. Andrew (Feast Day)	Romans 10:9-18	Luke 4:18-22
Thur.	Isaiah 26:1-6		Matthew 7:21,24-27
Fri.	Isaiah 29:17-24		Matthew 9:27-31
Sat.	I St. Francis Xavier (Feast Day)	I Corinthians 9:16-19,22-23	Mark 16:15-20
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2nd Sunday of Advent (December 4, 2005) Readings

Sun. Isaiah 40:1-5,9-11 II Peter 3:8-14 Mark 1:1-8

將臨期第一週 (二零零五年十一月二十七日至十二月三日)讀經、福音章節

主 日 將臨期第一主日

依撒意亞 63:16-17,19;64:2-7 格林多前書 1:3-9 馬爾谷 13:33-37

 星期一
 依撒意亞 2:1-5
 瑪竇 8:5-11

 星期二
 依撒意亞 11:1-10
 路加 10:21-24

 星期三
 聖安德肋 (慶日)
 羅馬書 10:9-18
 路加 4:18-22

 星期四
 依撒意亞 26:1-6
 瑪竇 7:21,24-27

 星期五
 依撒意亞 29:17-24
 瑪竇 9:27-31

星期六 聖方濟・沙勿略 (慶日) 格林多前書 9:16-19,22-23 馬爾谷 16:15-20

將臨期第二主日 (二零零五年十二月四日) 讀經、福音章節

主 日 依撒意亞 40:1-5,9-11 伯多祿後書 3:8-14 馬爾谷 1:1-8

Parish Donation Envelopes

- 1. Parishioners who still have not applied for a box of donation envelopes, please approach the Parish Office to fill out a registration form.
- 2. If you have changed your address or telephone number in this past year, please inform the Parish Office as soon as possible so that your record can be updated.
- 3. When using donation envelopes, please write down clearly the amount of donation. If you were using envelopes without a printed number (those place on top of the liturgy book shelf), please write down your name, donation envelope no. and the amount, so as to ensure accuracy in record keeping.
- 4. And also, at the end of the year, if you still have some donation envelopes left over, please return these envelopes into the collection box at Information Desk. They will then be put to use after labeling. In so doing, not only the Parish may cut down some expenses, you also help in

『2006新春嘉年華』特別報告

原定每主日下午一時半的2006新春嘉年華核心小組會議,現改爲每週六晚上舉行,直至另行通知爲止。如有興趣出席旁聽的兄弟姊妹請與Peter Leung (梁新傑) 兄弟聯絡,電郵地址爲psleung@telusplanet.net 或直接致電 483-

堂區捐獻信封

- 如有教友仍未申請每主日使用的捐獻信封,請 到堂區辦事處填寫登記表格。
- 2. 教友如在本年內曾有地址及電話的更改,請盡早通知堂區辦事處,以便更正捐獻信封的記錄。
- 3. 各位在使用捐獻信封時,請清楚填上捐獻數 目。如使用的是未印上號碼的捐獻信封(放在經 書架上的),更須填寫姓名、捐獻號碼及數目, 方便準確處理記錄。
- 4. 此外,在年底之時,如教友仍保留著一些未曾 用到的捐獻信封,請將這些信封放入詢問處收 集箱內,以便處理過之後使用。這樣,既能爲 堂區節省一些支出,亦是支持環保的做法。

多謝各位留意及合作!

代售手工藝品

堂區將於十二月三日、四日、十日及十一日 主日彌撒前後,在聖物部代售嘉爾默羅隱修 院(Carmelite Monastery)的修女親手製作的工 藝品,包括各款賀卡、嬰兒冷外套等,手工 精細,價錢相宜。請各位踴躍選購,希望藉 此支持修女們的辛勤工作;幫助修院增加一 些經費,大家亦發揮主內兄弟姊妹的互愛互 助精神。

堂區日誌					
日期	星期	時間	地點	活動	
十二月一日	四	下午七時半	聖堂	聖詠團練習	
十二月一日	四	下午七時半	大會議室	國語班	
十二月三日	六	下午二時	大會議室	祈禱宗會月會	

堂區報告

十一月三十日(星期三) 是"聖安德肋宗徒"的 慶日,請抽空參與當日 的彌撒,彌撒時間是中 午十二時。