

#### CHURCH OF ST FRANCIS XAVIER

135 Jalan Gasing (Section 10) 46000 Petaling Jaya, Selangor

Parish Priest: Rev Fr Norris Seenivasan, SJ Asst. Parish Priests: Rev Fr Alberto I. David, SJ Rev Fr Alvin Ng Sze Syn, SJ

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

(Closed on Mondays and public holidays)

 Tuesday – Friday:
 9.00 am – 6.00 pm

 Saturday:
 9.00 am – 6.30 pm

 Sunday:
 8.00 am – 1.00 pm

 Lunch break:
 1.00 pm – 2.00 pm

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#### MASS TIMES

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Dec	10	Sun	6.30 am	8.30 am	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent
			11.30 am	5.30 pm	
Dec	11	Mon	6.15 am	6.30 pm	
Dec	12	Tues	6.15 am	6.30 pm	
Dec	13	Wed	6.15 am	6.30 pm	
Dec	14	Thurs	6.15 am	6.30 pm	
Dec	15	Fri	6.15am	6.30 pm	
				7.00 pm	Holy Hour
Dec	16	Sat	6.15am		
				5.05 pm	Rosary
				5.30 pm	Novena, Benediction
				6.30 pm	Sunset Mass
Dec	17	Sun	6.30 am	8.30 am	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent
			11.30 am	5.30 pm	





- ½ hour before all Weekend Masses
- ½ hour before evening Mass on Wednesdays and Fridays

2nd SaturdayBM Mass6.30 pm3rd SundayChildren's Mass11.30 am4th SaturdayYouth Mass6.30 pm



#### COLLECTION

The 2nd Collection this weekend is for the **KASIH Fundraising initiative** for the Catholic Church in Malaysia.

# PENITENTIAL SERVICE - ADVENT 2023 (PETALING DISTRICT)

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER, 11 Dec (MONDAY) @ 7.00 pm

St. Ignatius, 18 Dec (Monday) @ 7.30 pm

OL Guadalupe, 21 Dec (Thursday) @ 7.30 pm

Divine Mercy, 22 Dec (Friday) @ 8.00 pm



# PEACE : ONE DAY!

Children and staff of the Zotung Refugee Catholic Learning
Centre, together with SFX Youths, will be staging a free
40-minute Christmas musical production entitled
"PEACE: One Day!" at Loyola Hall
after the 6.30 pm Sunset Mass on Saturday, 16 Dec.
Do come to witness a captivating re-enactment of the Nativity scene that reminds us of the true essence of Christmas:
Peace in the World. Light refreshments will be served.

#### CHRISTMAS BAZAAR 2023

The SFX Sunday Fellowship and Social Communications
Ministry will jointly hold a *Christmas Bazaar* on **Sunday**,

17 Dec, from 7:30 am to 1:00 pm at the coffee morning area.

A wide variety of homemade festive food, handsewn items, new
& pre-loved accessories, original art paintings,
as well as old stamp collections will be on sale.

For more info, kindly contact Alice (012-3275995) or

Cordelia (012-3913006)

#### **CHRISTMAS DINNER & DANCE 2023**

The Golden Seniors Ministry will be holding a Christmas Dinner & Dance on Saturday, 30 Dec, Loyola Hall, 7.00 pm - 11.00 pm.

The event is <u>open</u> to all SFX parishioners.

A love offering of RM50 will be collected from each participant.

For any enquiries, kindly contact Peter Tan (012-3372079).

#### HOSPITAL VISITS

Our priests regularly visit the sick at hospitals i.e. UH and Columbia Asia. If anyone needs anointing, please contact the parish office.



Although the Chapel and Halls will be <u>closed</u> on **Monday**,

11 Dec, due to the public holiday, there will be Evening Mass at 6.30 pm on that day followed by the Advent

Penitential Service at SFX from 7.00 pm to 9.30 pm.

Kindly ensure that your cars are not parked at the church basement after the 6.15 am Mass as the church basement will be cordoned off.

#### SUNDAY MASS TIMES FOR 4th SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Sunday Mass Times on 24 Dec: **6.30 am, 8.30 am** and **11.30 am** There will be **NO** Mass at *5.30 pm*.



### **CHRISTMAS VIGIL AND CHRISTMAS DAY 2023**

4th Sunday of Advent, while Christmas Day,
25 Dec, will be on a Monday. All the Morning Masses
on Sunday, 24 Dec, will be the regular Mass for the 4th
Sunday of Advent while the Night Masses on the same day will
be the Christmas Vigil Mass. The Mass times are 7.00 pm and
11.00 pm. The Morning Masses of Monday, 25 Dec will be the
Christmas Day Mass. The Mass times are 8.30 am and

This year, Christmas Eve, 24 Dec, will fall on the

11.30 am. Carols will be sung in church 30 minutes before all the 4 Masses.





#### APPOINTMENT OF NEW PARISH PRIEST

The Chancery of the Archdiocese of Kuala Lumpur has announced the appointment of *Rev. Fr. Alvin Ng Sze Syn SJ* as the **Parish Priest of SFX**, **PJ**, with effect from **1 Jan 2024**.

Rev. Fr. Norris Seenivasan SJ, who will be ending his term as Parish Priest of SFX on **31 Dec 2023**, will be leaving for the United States, for a 6-month sabbatical programme. We thank him for his leadership and guidance for the past 6 years, especially during the difficult time of the pandemic.

We wish him all the best in the future.

## "EMERGENCY CASES" on Mondays and public holidays

The parish church office will be closed on Mondays and public holidays. For "emergency cases" that need immediate attention, kindly contact **017-6445686** between 9.00 am and 6.00 pm.

Please take note "emergency cases" refer to

- ) Anointing of the Sick.
- 2) Booking of Paul Miki funeral parlour.
- 3) Booking of funeral Masses.