

SAINT PIUS X PRIORY  
SINGAPORE

WEEKLY BULLETIN  
& MASS SCHEDULE

2 JUNE 2019

SUNDAY  
AFTER ASCENSION

**Confessions:** 30 minutes  
before Sunday Masses;  
Thursdays and Fridays: 17:45;  
Saturdays: 11:00.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Collections:**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month *for the chapel loan reimbursement.*  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month *for the chapel/priory maintenance.*

**Children's Catechism on Saturday:**

*Pre Confirmation: 14:00-14:45*  
*Post Confirmation: 14:00-14:45*  
*1<sup>st</sup> Communion: 14:45-15:30*

*Post Confirmation: 14:00-14:45*  
*Older Group (13-18 years): 14:45-15:30*

**Mass Stipends:**

One Mass: \$25  
Novena: \$250  
Gregorian Masses: \$1,000

SUN 2 June	Sunday after Ascension <i>2<sup>nd</sup> Class, white</i>	8:00 – Low Mass 9.30 – Rosary 10:00 – Sung Mass
MON 3 June	Feria <i>4<sup>th</sup> Class, white</i> <u>Monthly Requiem Mass</u>	18.30 - Rosary 19.00 – Low Mass
TUE 4 June	St. Francis Caracciolo <i>Confessor</i> <i>3<sup>rd</sup> Class, white</i>	7.15 – Low Mass 18.30 - Rosary 19.00 – Low Mass
WED 5 June	St. Boniface <i>Bishop, Martyr</i> <i>3<sup>rd</sup> Class, red</i>	7.15 – Low Mass 11.30 – Low Mass
THU 6 June	St. Norbert <i>Bishop, Confessor</i> <i>3<sup>rd</sup> Class, white</i>	7.15 – Low Mass 18.20 - Rosary & Benediction 19.00 – Sung Mass
 FRI 7 June	Feria <i>4<sup>th</sup> Class, green</i> <u>First Friday</u>	7.15 – Low Mass 11.30 – Low Mass 19.00 – Sung Mass Benediction & first Rosary 21.30 – Second Rosary 22.30 – Stations of the Cross 23.30 – Third Rosary
SAT 8 June	Vigil of Pentecost <i>1<sup>st</sup> Class, red</i>	6.30 – Rosary and Benediction 7.15 – Low Mass
SUN 9 June	Pentecost Sunday <i>1<sup>st</sup> Class, red</i>	8:00 – Low Mass 9.30 – Rosary 10:00 – Sung Mass

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Children's Catechism.** The children under Miss Catherine Ho will have class as usual. The other groups (with the Fathers and Mrs. Eiko Sumantri) have a break during the school holiday (starting June 1st, Sat and ending June 29th). Classes will resume on July 6th.

**First Communion Ceremony.** The first communions will take place on 23 June, Sunday after Corpus Christi.

**Children/Youth Fun Day Camp.** Calling for all youths interested to help in children/youth fun day camp and children interested to participate in children/youth fun day camp held from 7-8 July to please contact any of the priests or Mrs Rachel Lehming at 9750 2735.

**Surgery.** Fr. Wailliez underwent a surgery on both knees on 27 May and will be handicapped for several weeks.

**Easter Duty.** Catholics are bound to receive Holy Communion at Easter time (from Passion Sunday to Trinity Sunday) and confess their (mortal) sins at least once a year.

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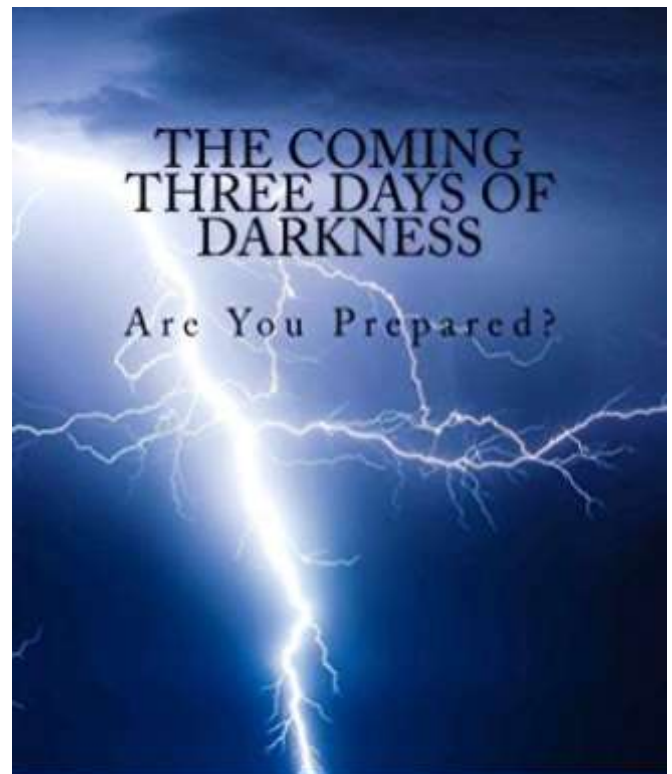




The Blessed Virgin in her kindness can certainly come to encourage us on the road to Heaven, as she did at Lourdes, at Fatima, at La Salette, and in many other apparitions. The Blessed Virgin has shown herself very generous in coming often to encourage us. But what

did she say? Very simple things. She repeated what our Lord said. We have to do penance, we have to pray, we have to obey God, we have to receive Communion with devotion. She merely repeated what our Lord had said. Obviously, coming from the Blessed Virgin, those are encouragements, and we need them. The Blessed Virgin knows our weakness and the misery of the world. So she has come to visit us the most often possible in order to save souls. And thanks to those apparitions, many souls have returned to the faith. Through the miracles of Lourdes, for example, many souls have returned to the faith,

But we have to **avoid letting ourselves be drawn by stories of apparitions or messages**; in the critical sort of times we are living today. We should not go looking in little magazines for the declarations of people who have supposedly received a message from the most Blessed Virgin, who told them such and such a thing. Some people feed their spirituality that way to such an extent that, if they were not constantly being stimulated by that kind of thing, they would feel as though they had no spiritual life. So **we have to be careful not to let ourselves be caught up in a kind of religious sentimentalism**. We cannot base our religion on sentiment, but on principles of spirituality which do not come from us. If we have objective principles, then we stay faithful to God in adversity. Unfortunately, we too often judge our spirituality based on our feelings.



But prayer is not primarily on the level of the senses. Prayer is on the spiritual level. That God should grant us some sensible satisfactions in our prayer is God's business. He does it to encourage us. But prayer consists in raising our soul toward God and not our eyes, not our arms... Devotion cannot depend on the rhythm of our heartbeat, or else we are unhappy as soon as we don't feel any more fervor. We don't know how to pull ourselves out of it, we complain, and soon we lose the faith, soon we lose everything. So, today more than ever, **we need a piety that rests on solid foundations**, such as our Lord gave to us and illustrated through His saints.

(Excerpts from "The Spiritual Life")

