

SAT 8

CHURCH OF ST THOMAS, THE APOSTLE Jalan Gambut, 25000, Kuantan, Pahang

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THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA. Feast

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SATURDAY.8 NOVEMBER 2025 – SUNDAY. 16 NOVEMBER 2025

5A10	I TIE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA, FEAST
5.30 pm 6.00 pm	Novena to OLPH & Benediction Mass (Eng/Tamil)
TKSG	
	Joseph Kanawadi & family, Mala Kenneth & family, Jeremyah Leon Joseph, Imanuel Peter Rames, Joanne Imanuel
SP. INT	Gabrielle Chew, Martha Lim, Jillian Mathews, Pamella Mathews, Jaimie Lee Ren Hui & family, Charmaine Pius & Ryan
R.I.P	Mary Magdalene Ng, Deceased members of Daneal's family, Anne Rosa Magdaline Daneal, David Chan Sin Meng, Catherine Yep, Theresa Lim See Loi, Sophia Ngoh See Year, Cannie Ng Hong Fong, Peter Rames Varatharajoo, Leon D'Silva & Magaret Loh, Clarence D'Silva,
SUN 9 8.00 am 8.30 am 10.00 am 10.30 am	THE DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA, Feast Rosary (Eng/BM) Mass for the People (Eng/BM) Rosary (Mandarin) Mandarin Mass
TKSG	Anna Thong & family, Mona & family, Rose Wong Mui Heong, Alberto family, Jonathan & Dorcas, Vinxern Yong & family, Margaret Chan & family, Dr. S. Joseph & family, Edwin Mohan & family, Theresa Ko, Nancy family, Annie Cheong & family, Ng Soon Kuan & family, Dr Isabell Elsie, Amelia Shareena, Joel & Jessie, Imanuel & family, Grifin Fairon,
SP. INT	Gabrielle Chew, Martha Lim, Jaimie Lee Ren Hui & family, Jamie Lee, Nancy family, Connie & family, Michael Loke, Sagaya & family, Sylvester Goh Ji Hong, Peter tan, Anie Kuriarose (protection & safe guarding), Laura Woo, Catherine Lee, Charmaine Gurdev, William Vincent, Vanessa Alberto, Jane Jayanthi, Dorcas, Anonymous, Bentley Ivant L. Tuyu (health)
R.I.P	Louisa Liew, Luke Liew, Martin D'Souza, Beryl D'Souza, Carol Rodrigues, Luke Krishnan, Dr. Patrick Liew, Mary Almeida, Christine Yap, Nancy Luo, Mary Cheok, Catherine Yep, Joshua & Angela Ngiau, Nelly Chin, Amy Wong, Mr/s Aloysius Chin Chong Foo, Mary Magdalene Ng, Deceased member of Thomas Thong's family, Tony Gurdev, All souls in purgatory, Isaac Ng, Augustine Ng Aik Huat, Theresa Lim See Loi, Sophia Ngoh See Year, Cannie Ng Hong Fong, Lawrence Jude Ban, Felicia Petrus Apak Tapuong, Peter Chia Koon Leong, Martha Yap Hock Kim, Francis Chia Boon Seng, Peter Yap, Decesead Yao family, Leonardo Laju, Anastasia Meli, Milton Chee, Teresa Wong, Angeline Yeo, Mary Magdeline Ng, Sr Benedict, Lucy Au Yang, Teresa Lim Kim Soo, Catherine Yep, Kenneth Chan, Laurence Timis Pudin, Collin, Ten Yen Eng, Francis Ten, Kenneth Chan Kai Chui, Theresa Ten, Dominic Ten & Ten Yoon Vong, Thomas Hau, Joseph Teng, Anna Poh, Rev. Fr Michael Teng, Decesead members of Tenng family, Desecead members of Hau family, Decesead members ofs Poh family, All the souls of the unborn Children,
MON 10	THIRTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Psalter Week IV)
	NO MASS IN THE CHURCH (all Mass intentions will be offered privately)
SP.INT	Gabrielle Chew, Martha Lim, Jaimie Lee Ren Hui & family,
R.I.P	Mary Magdelene Ng, Catherine Yep, Theresa Lim See Loi, Decesead Legionaries
TUES 11	THIRTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Psalter Week IV)
6.30 am	Lauds (Morning Prayer) / 6.45 am - Mass
SP.INT R.I.P	Gabrielle Chew, Martha Lim, Jaimie Lee Ren Hui & family,
WED 12	Mary Magdelene Ng, Catherine Yep, Theresa Lim See Loi, Decesead Legionaries
6.30 am	THIRTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Psalter Week IV) Lauds (Morning Prayer) / 6.45 am - Mass
SP.INT	Gabrielle Chew, Martha Lim, Jaimie Lee Ren Hui & family,
R.I.P	Mary Magdelene Ng, Catherine Yep, Theresa Lim See Loi, Decesead Legionaries
THURS 13	THIRTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Psalter Week IV)
6.30 am	Lauds (Morning Prayer) / 6.45 am - Mass
SP.INT	Gabrielle Chew, Martha Lim, Jaimie Lee Ren Hui & family,
R.I.P	Mary Magdelene Ng, Catherine Yep, Theresa Lim See Loi, Decesead Legionaries
FRI 14	THIRTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Psalter Week IV)
6.30 am	Lauds (Morning Prayer) / 6.45 am - Mass
SP.INT	Gabrielle Chew, Martha Lim, Jaimie Lee Ren Hui & family,
R.I.P	Mary Magdelene Ng, Catherine Yep, Theresa Lim See Loi, Decesead Legionaries
SAT 15	THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Psalter Week I)
5.30 pm	Novena to OLPH & Benediction
6.00 pm	Mass (Eng/Tamil)
SUN 16	THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Psalter Week I)
8.30 am	Rosary (Multi lingual)
9.00 am	Mass for the People (Multi lingual)
10.30 am	NO MANDARIN MASS
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PARISH FAMILY DAY FELLOWSHIP

We have successfully sold 50 tables for the Parish Family Day Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday, 16 November 2025, at St Thomas Hall in Kuantan, starting at 7.00 pm. We look forward to seeing you there with your friends and family! Please remember to bring along your tickets and arrive on time to be seated at your designated tables. Please come dressed in appropriate attire. Thank you so much for your wonderful support!

9th WORLD DAY OF THE POOR

In conjunction with the 9th World Day of the Poor on Sunday, 16 November 2025, we will organise once again a get together celebration with the Migrants, Orang Asli, and the poor families from our neighborhood. Please assemble at the breakfast corner after Mass.

Note: There will be only one combined Mass on this day at 9.00 am.

THE FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The First Holy Communion Mass will be held on Sunday, 23 November 2025. The theme is :"JESUS MY FRIEND FOREVER". Let's remember to keep our children in your prayers as they deepen their understanding and love for the Eucharist.

PROGRAM ALPHA (BAHASA MALAYSIA)

Satu program Kursus ALPHA akan dianjurkan untuk Kumpulan Umat Bahasa Malaysia (KUBM), Kuantan, di St.Theresa Chapel, Gambang pada Sabtu, 6 Disember dan Ahad, 7 Disember 2025. Diminta setiap umat dan keluarga dari Sabah dan Sarawak berumur 17 tahun ke atas untuk menyertai kursus ini. Untuk maklumat lanjut atau pendaftaran, sila hubungi En. Frederick David (018-6141281).

PARISH RECOLLECTION DAY CUM JUBILEE YEAR

As we journey through the Jubilee Year of Hope, all Parishioners are warmly invited to join our Parish Recollection Day - A special time for prayer, reflection, and spiritual renewal.

Date : Saturday, 13 December 2025

Venue : St. Giles' Room Time : 8.30 am - 3.30 pm

Let us come together as one Parish community to reflect on the meaning and purpose of Jubilee Year 2025.

DISPOSAL OF HOLY OBJECTS AND RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

What do we do with torn or broken holy objects, statues, rosaries, images, medals, cards, and others? These items hold great significance and sentimental values. Therefore, it is important to dispose them appropriately. Kindly bring and place them in the designated basket at the church entrance. We will ensure that they are respectfully buried on our church grounds.

SECOND COLLECTION FOR DISASTER RELIEF FUND

There will be second collection for disaster relief fund during the weekend Masses, on 8 and 9 November 2025. We appreciate your generosity!

A SEED OF HOPE IN GOD'S KINGDOM

As the Church of St. Thomas, the Apostle, Kuantan prepares to celebrate the 9th World Day of the Poor (WDP) on Sunday, 16 November 2025 during the 10.30 am Mass, our hearts are filled with gratitude for the journey we have shared over the past four years (2022–2025). Each year, this celebration reminds us that faith finds its deepest meaning when it reaches out in love to those in need every day.

In 2022 and 2023, our Parish joyfully celebrated the WDP on a grand scale, with carnivals of joy - filled with games, food and community spirit. Parishioners from every ministry, including the BECs, came together to serve with open hearts and willing hands. The laughter of children, the smiles of migrants, and the gratitude of families in need, reminded us that the hope we bring to others reflects the living heart of Christ's Gospel.

In 2024, we continued our WDP celebration on a more personal and heartfelt manner, focusing on meaningful encounters and shared fellowship. This year too, we will, on 16 November, we will gather our brothers and sisters from the Orang Asli communities, migrants from Indonesia, Myanmar and Vietnam, and also our local families who face financial and social challenges, to share moments of friendship and encouragement that serve as a reminder that God's love remains alive among His people.

After the morning Mass, all Parishioners are invited to the breakfast corner for fellowship with our guests, as we share a simple meal, accompanied with a variety of entertainment. Donations in cash or kind are most welcome to help fund this event. As we approach this special day, let us acknowledge the dedication and generosity of our organising committee and all Parishioners who are working tirelessly to ensure the success of this event. May our efforts remind us that every smile we bring, every hand we hold, and every meal we share is a seed of hope in God's Kingdom.

As that day draws to a close, we will gather as one parish-family for our Thanksgiving Dinner Fellowship, a joyful expression of gratitude and solidarity as we near the end of the liturgical year. As we did last year, we have been fortunate once again this year, to be able to engage the services of a caterer from Sekinchan in Selangor, to prepare an eight-course Chinese dinner for us. We have successfully sold all 50 tables - thanks to the generous support of our Parishioners. Several tables have been lovingly sponsored for the elderly. university students, Sabahan and Sarawakian families, and our faithful altar servers - ensuring that everyone shares in the joy of the evening. This is not a fundraising event, but a Thanksgiving Celebration!

Together, let us continue to live out our calling – to love, to serve, and to lift one another, so that through us, the light of Christ's hope may shine ever brighter in our community.

Rev Fr George Packiasamy 8 November 2025