

# St. Peter Canisius International Catholic Parish Jakarta

Monthly Bulletin – Dec 2021 / Jan 2022

#### The People of God journeying together

#### Beloved Sisters and Brothers,

Towards the end of the year 2021 and opening up to New Year of 2022, there are two important events happening in the Archdiocese of Jakarta. Firstly, the call of the Holy Father Pope Francis for universal Church for a Synod on Synodality. Secondly, the promulgation of five year Strategic Plan of the Archdiocese of Jakarta from 2022 to 2026.

#### 1. A Church that Listens: A Call for a Synodal Church: Fellowship, Participation and Mission



2021 Synod 2023 For a synodal Church

communion | participation | mission

The Church of God is convoked in Synod. With this convocation, Pope Francis on Sunday, October 10, 2021, formally launched the two-year global consultation process leading to the 2023 synod on synodality. Pope Francis invites the whole Church to question itself on synodality: a decisive theme for the life and mission of the Church.

What is a Synod? 'Synod' is an ancient and venerable word in the Tradition of the Church, whose meaning draws on the deepest themes of Revelation. It indicates the path along which the People of God walk together.

First and foremost, synodality denotes the particular style that qualifies the life and mission of the Church, expressing her nature as the People of God journeying together and gathering in assembly, summoned by the Lord Jesus in the power of the Holy Spirit to proclaim the Gospel.





The entire People of God shares a common dignity and vocation through Baptism. All of us are called in virtue of our Baptism to be active participants in the life of the Church. In parishes, small Christian communities, lay movements, religious communities, and other forms of communion, women and men, young people and the elderly, we are all invited to listen to one another in order to hear the promptings of the Holy Spirit, who comes to guide our human

efforts, breathing life and vitality into the Church and leading us into deeper communion for our mission in the world. As the Church embarks on this synodal journey, we must strive to ground ourselves in experiences of authentic listening and discernment on the path of becoming the Church that God calls us to be.

While recent Synods have examined themes such as the new evangelization, the family, young people, and the Amazon, the present Synod focuses on the topic of synodality itself. The current Synodal Process we are undertaking is guided by a fundamental question: How does this "journeying together" take place today on different levels (from the local level to the universal one), allowing the Church to proclaim the Gospel? and what steps is the Spirit inviting us to take in order to grow as a synodal Church?



#### Three themes: Fellowship, Participation, Mission

**Fellowship:** By his gracious will, God gathers us together as diverse peoples of one faith, through the covenant that he offers to his people. Together, we are inspired by listening to the Word of God, through the living Tradition of the Church, and grounded in the sensus fidei that we share. We all have a role to play in discerning and living out God's call for his people.



**Participation:** A call for the involvement of all who belong to the People of God – laity, consecrated and ordained – to engage in the exercise of deep and respectful listening to one another.

*Mission:* The Church exists to evangelize. We can never be centred on ourselves. Our mission is to witness to the love of God in the midst of the whole human family.

## 2. Five Year Strategic Plan of the Archdiocese of Jakarta 2022 – 2026

Here is the formulation of the fundamental framework of the strategic plan:

Archdiocese of Jakarta, as a communion and a movement of the People of God, founded in Eucharistic Spirituality, strives to become more loving, more caring and more witnessing for the love of our nation; by implementing the values of the Social Teaching of the Church in all aspects of lives.

#### The thematic themes of each year are as such:

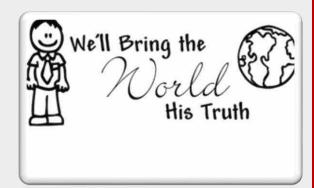
Year 2022: The Dignity of Human Being

Year 2023: Common Good

Year 2024: Solidarity and Subsidiarity

Year 2025: Care for the Poor and the Marginalised

Year 2026: Integrity of Creation



In each year, the implementation will be focused on five priorities of pastoral activities: Family, Youths, Liturgy and Evangelisation, Caderization and Lay Apostleship, and Digital Ministry.



We hope that the year 2022 onward will become the year of recovery and strengthening of our faith as we journey together with all people in overcoming the impact of the pandemic.

B.B. Triatmoko, SJ



#### **ONLINE & OFFLINE MASS SCEHDULE**



#### CHOIR SCHEDULE FOR DEC 21 & Jan 22 - OFFLINE / ONLINE FROM ST. THERESIA

DATE	DAY	MASS	TIME	CHOIR
Dec 05,	Sun	02nd Sunday of Advent	3:00 PM	Genisis Choir
Dec 12,	Sun	03rd Sunday of Advent	3:00 PM	Cadenza Choir
Dec 18,	Sat	04th Sunday of Advent (Senior Mass)	3:00 PM	Eucharistic Sounds Choir
Dec 19,	Sun	04th Sunday of Advent	3:00 PM	Rorate Caeli Choir
Dec 24,	Fri	Christmas Vigil	3:00 PM	The Choir Immortal
Dec 25,	Sat	Christmas Day	12:00 PM	The Choir Immortal
Dec 26,	Sun	Feast of Holy Family	3:00 PM	The Choir Immortal
Jan 01,	Sat	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God	3:00 PM	Genisis Choir
Jan 02,	Sun	Epiphany of the Lord	3:00 PM	Genisis Choir
Jan 08,	Sat	Baptism of the Lord (Senior Mass)	3:00 PM	Eucharistic Sounds Choir
Jan 09,	Sun	Baptism of the Lord	3:00 PM	Cadenza Choir
Jan 16,	Sun	02nd Sunday of Ordinary Times	3:00 PM	Rorate Caeli Choir
Jan 22,	Sat	03rd Sunday of Ordinary Times(Senior Mass)	3:00 PM	Eucharistic Sounds Choir
Jan 23,	Sun	03rd Sunday of Ordinary Times	3:00 PM	The Choir Immortal
Jan 30,	Sun	04th Sunday of Ordinary Times	3:00 PM	Voices of Praise Choir



## Youth Fellowship Activities



Topic: Following Jesus

Speaker: Fr. Albertus Joni, SCJ

Date: Saturday, 06 NOV 2021

Time: 01:00 – 02:30 pm



#### Reflection #1 By Rachel – ACS Jakarta

Today's YF was delivered by Fr. Albertus Joni, SCJ and focused on the Theology of the Body which mainly talked about the appreciation of our true image. Men and women are created by God to complement each other, and men and women are created with a body (and a different one) for a reason. Our body

defines our identity. In Genesis 1:27, it is stated that 'God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them'. This means that when men and women are united in a form of marriage, they become one flesh and form a communion of persons. Father Joni also asked the following questions to us:

- When was the hardest time in your life? How do you feel God's love at those dark moments?
- How do you cling to true love?



#### Reflection # 2 By Sharon, ACS JAKARTA

To summarize, God loves us so much that he doesn't want us to be alone, and he gave us existence so we



can experience and share love with and through others, even though God sets us boundaries, but boundaries help us to love God, and love each other more. If we go back to the book of Genesis, God created lot of things and then made Adam. But Adam realized that there wasn't anyone like him, so God created Eve, and Adam called her species Women.

Also, something a little unrelated to point out but Romo Joni made very good points about gender confusion. Back to the topic, Adam wanted someone who can relate to him and experience love with. This is more or less the reason for our existence. But then, man fell into sin. Sin can sometimes happen because of the freedom we have and temptations, so God made us boundaries to protect us. So we should love God and people around us.

Topic: Love - Part 2

(To show concrete love to serve, family &

*community*)

Speaker: Patrik Clement Prakasa

Date: Saturday, 27 Nov 2021

Time:  $01:00 - 02:30 \ pm$ 



#### Reflection #1 – By Cyem Luke C. Valente, YFC

Patrick's presentation on love reminded me that the way we express love is just as important as the

amount of love we show to others. I learned that we should not only love others sincerely, but we should also show our love to others sincerely, not only thinking of ourselves through finding, for example, the easiest ways to express love, we should be able to show our love to others even when it is hard as if we only show love when it is easy to do so, it is not real love. We should also know how to love



ourselves, amongst others, as without loving ourselves first, how can we love other people?



#### YF SERVICE TEAMS OUTING



Our Parish YF Team organized an outing for those Youth who actively participate in our events and become volunteers during the YF sessions. This pandemic many of our youths were stuck inside their houses and didn't have an opportunity to meet and interact their other YF friends. On 11th Dec 2021, YF organized bowling activity for the YF service team at Spin City Bowling Breeze BSD. Some of our youths were surprised to see their friends who have grown so tall and different and were happy to interact with them physically.





Our Youth were fully charged and played with much enthusiasm even though they were taking time to interact with others, this physical outing gave them a golden opportunity to meet after a break of almost 02 years. The entire event was managed well with following proper protocols and joined by few of our parish young adults and many of the parents.

We thank everyone for their support in making this first physical outing a success and strongly feel what we did will set a strong foundation for the team to work next year. We plan to initiate similar activities in future as it is important to meet in person to build strong fellowship and bonding.









## 16th Virtual Faith Forum

**Topic: "Christus Vivit**" (Youths are the NOW of

God)

Speaker: Fr. Bambang Triatmoko, SJ

Date: 20 Nov, 2021, Time: 01:00 - 02:30 pm



Fr. Moko opened the talk with a video on a medically challenged 12 year old boy who went up to stage &



insisted on getting Pope Francis' Zucchetto (Pope's hat). His loving & positive reaction to this impromptu & shocking appearance remind us of his affection to all & to be flexible & stay young at heart when it comes to interacting with the young's. Not a slightest annoyance or seeing the act as dangerous nor impolite from the Pope, but just smile.

The Holy Father's encyclical Christus Vivit consists of 9 chapters, 299 paragraphs. Christus Vivit means Christ is Alive & how we look at youths and young people in salvation history, how to nurture young people with roots to discern their vocation & mission in life, as they are the NOW of God.



Digital environment has bright & dark spots that can lead to loneliness & manipulation yet it is also an opportunity to evangelization. Just as David, Samuel & Joseph who received their mission in their youthful stage of life, as a church, we are invited to listen to the young's, accompany & empower them for a mission. We shall awaken the young with a popular youth ministry that can make room for everyone, to

show them that we are a church with open doors where they can come & go freely. A church, family & community that radiates Christ.

What can we do to become a church, family & community that radiates Christ?

Please share your thoughts to our Parish Instagram : stpcicp\_events



By Sis Alfa Winarno



### **CCD CORNER**



Sacrament of Confirmation to the balance students' of 2019 & 2020 batch was administered during the Mass on 13<sup>th</sup> Nov and 04<sup>th</sup> Dec 2021. Total 54 students received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Congratulations to students and parents. Big thanks to all volunteers and church staff and to St Theresia





#### STPCICP ANNOUNCEMENT WA GROUP

Official Parish Whatsapp Group especially for the Parish to post information on various schedules, links, reminders of our parish news, official events & services.

Anyone is welcome to join, however only admins CAN post. If you have any inquiry; you are free to contact the parish office.

To join this group, you may click the link below: https://chat.whatsapp.com/DaFIWjrIGEOJS0fXMkp4zZ



## STPCICP PRAYER **MINISTRY**



#### Do you need prayer support from the community, here we are for you?

STPCICP Prayer Ministry is here to pray WITH you.

Send us your prayer request using this e-form:

"https://Bit.ly/stpcicpprayers"



At least one person from our prayer ministry team will pray for your intention.

Or you may send



to: +628118093728 and make sure you are using the following format

Name:

Location/ Parish:

Type of prayer (please select one of the following)

☐ Healing

■ Work-related

☐ School-related

☐ Family

Other relationships

Repose of soul

Thanksgiving

☐ General

Prayer Intentions:

Feel free to share this good news to anyone who need prayer. Thank you 🙏

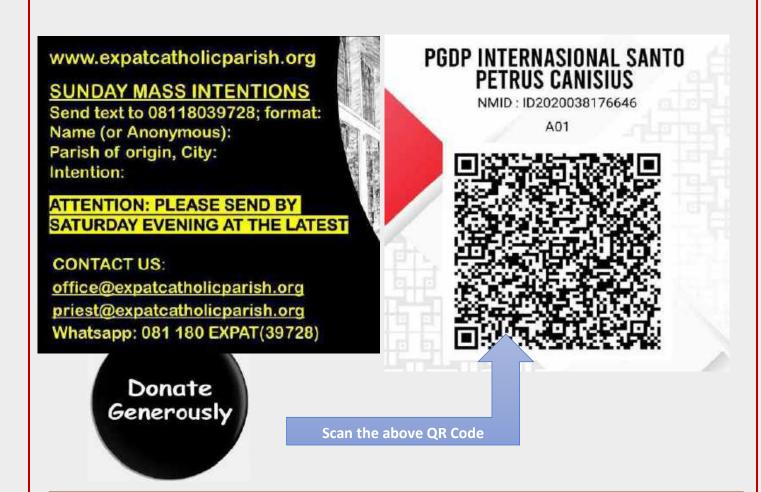




#### YOUR KIND CONTRIBUTION MATTERS

Pandemic has continued to affect all our Churches for the physical masses. Even though Churches have opened for the physical masses, but the number of participants has been restricted and this has resulted into limited collections. We urge the parishioners to support our parish generously. You can use the QR code below to pay through Gopay, OVO, Dana, Shopee, T-money or direct transfer to the bank account <u>- PGDP Internasional Santo Petrus Canisius, Acct No. 664 177 7773, Bank Danamon</u> — Cabang Usman Harun, Jakarta

Here is the QR Code for receiving offering and gifts for Mass intentions. Please note for Mass intentions kindly add Rp. 22 (twenty-two) on the amount transferred. For example, if you wish to give 100K gift for Mass intention, kindly transfer to this parish account number the amount of Rp. 100.022,- Thank you and God bless you and your family for your continuous support



#### We are here to respond all your need of information

Please do not hesitate to contact us @ St. Peter Canisius International Catholic Parish office. Jl. Gereja Theresia No 2, Jakarta Pusat - DKI Jakarta. Telephone. +62-21-3917806 / WA +62 811 8039 728, Email. office@expatcatholicparish.org

https://www.expatcatholicparish.org/



## FRATELLI TUTTI - A Virtual Christmas Celebration

On 04 Dec 2021, our parish organized

"Fratelli Tutti – A Virtual Christmas Celebration". More than 200+ parishioners logged-in to the virtual event together with their family members. This event was made memorable with many games, special performances, lucky draws and competitions with lots of fun & laugh. Many of our CCD students produced beautiful videos of Christmas Carols, nativity scenes, prayer walk, piggy bank and many more making this event a memorable

OVEROMING Walls OF THE PROCEEDS FROM THE EVENT WILL BE DONATED TO SANTA MARIA BUNDA ALLAH METAPANE.

PLEASE REGISTER AT:

BY ANY PROCEEDS FROM THE LUCKY DIAW

JOIN US AND SPREAD THE JOY

SAVE THE DATE

ONLINE PARISH CELEBRATION

one and all these beautiful

skills of our little kids were posted on our parish Instagram *stpcicp\_events*. (Please follow our parish Instagram account)



All the proceedings of the online event will be donated to the Santa Maria Bunda Allah in Botong, Ketapang, West Kalimantan, where our Jesuits are building a centre of learning for the children of indigenous people. Testimonies from the host of the event, lucky draw winners, volunteers and participants was so encouraging.

"This year we had 2 Games, Guess the Title of Christmas Songs and Dance with Me. I had the chance to be the Games Master for the Second Games. All the participants were anxiously waited for

the Wheel of Names to stop on their names. Some of them could not

wait to dance, but some of them were not sure of how to shake their body. At the end, they all participated, and it was so much fun" – Event Host





"Yes....Yes....Yes!! I never expected to get the first door prize in any events. But this year, I was so lucky. I will close this year with a big smile" — One of the lucky draw winners.

"Teaching Primary Students via virtual learning had undoubtedly a lot of challenges. I am so privileged to be part of this CCD Teachers Community again

this year. Working together with them has made me very happy and joyful. My life is fulfilled". – CCD Volunteer

"I joined the Fratelli Tutti Event, and it was very fun! There were also many other people joining the event. There were a lot of games including guessing the Christmas song. There was also a lucky wheel. Although I did not win any of the games, it was okay because I can



still feel the joy from the event itself. Well, that's it. it was fun. Oh, I forgot to say, Merry Christmas, may God bless you! 🔏 😉 🧡 "- Event Participant - Frederick - CCD Grade 2 Theresia

This online event created lot of enthusiasm and excitement, many of them got an opportunity to win prizes.

We feel very blessed with the abundance number of gifts and help to make this event broadcasted smoothly. We want to thank each and every one who supported in whatever possible ways, mainly our Parish Priests, Parish Council Members, other priests, young adults, YF, children, donors, and sponsors.







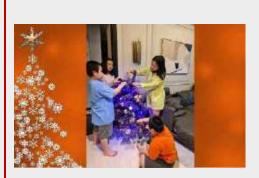
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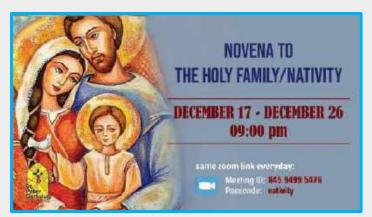












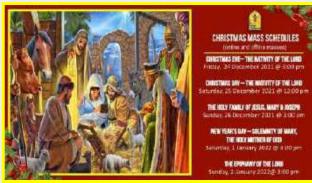














Renewal of Marriage Vow 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 2022 During New Year Mass @ 03:00pm

For couples who wish to reaffirm their love & unity in marriage, either collins (from home) or in person (coming to church\*).

lease register, through our parlak office.

- Names of couple (husband & wife)
- Date of Anniversary (or how many years of marriage)
- of marriage)

  Your picture/photo (doesn't have to be the wedding picture)

\*STPOCP physical wass are reserved for expetitione possiblioners 12 to 59 years old.

