# BAYSIDE CATHOLIC MISSION

Incorporating the communities of Sacred Heart Sandringham, St James Brighton, St Joseph's Black Rock, St Joan of Arc Brighton, Stella Maris Beaumaris, St Mary's Hampton

Second Sunday of Lent

28th February, 2021

Dear friends,

#### **Lenten Activities**

Thanks to those who are joining in our extra activities for Lent. It was great to see people coming to the Wednesday morning Lenten group and Wednesday night Zoom group; the times of Adoration and the Way of the Cross on Fridays. Special thanks to the young adults from our Mission who are helping with the Fish Supper on Fridays at Stella Maris after the Stations of the Cross. It's not too late to join some of these activities.

Congratulations to the young people from Sacred Heart who received their First Holy Communion on Wednesday and Thursday nights, and thanks to the families and school staff. Congratulations also to the students from St Joan of Arc and Stella Maris who celebrated their First Reconciliation this week. We are gradually catching up with the celebration of the sacraments from last year.

As has been advertised for several weeks, we are seeking nominations from our communities for the formation of our 'local teams', from which we will make up our Mission Parish Council and Finance Committees. These nominations close this Sunday evening and may be made via the forms in the churches or by email to Bayside@cam.org.au, indicating for which community and which local team (pastoral or finance) you are nominating the person, including their contact details. This is an opportunity for us to invite new members to represent our communities also.

In accordance with volunteer recruiting policies of the Archdiocese and Professional Standards, all nominees will be asked to furnish a Working with Children Card and Police Check and have a brief interview with the priests. This is the policy now in place for the recruitment of all parish volunteers. Bayside Mission is committed to the wellbeing and safety of all children and vulnerable people to make a safe environment for all to flourish. More details about the procedures can be found at www.melbournecatholic.org.au/safeguarding

#### **Coming Events**

Tuesday 2 March: 11am Bayside Safeguarding Group (via Zoom); 6.30pm Adoration St Joan of Arc

Wed 3 March: First Communion, St Mary's; Lenten Groups Sacred Heart 10am & (7pm Zoom)

**Thurs 4 March:** First Communion, St Mary's

Friday 5 March: Way of the Cross-9.45am St Joan of Arc; 7.30pm Stella Maris & fish supper

Sat 6 March: Adoration & Benediction Stella Maris 9.45am Sun 7 March: Baptisms, St Joan of Arc & St Joseph's

Lent is the most appropriate time to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. There are a number of opportunities each week to celebrate this Sacrament. A time can also be made with one of the priests.

Fr David Cartwright

## Pastors: Fr David Cartwright Fr Dean Mathieson

Asistant Priest: Fr James Baptist

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St Mary's hamptonecam.org.au 9521 0990

St James & St Joan of Arc brightonecam.org.au 9593 1703

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Bayside Catholic Mission is committed to safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children, young people and adults at risk. Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility.

The Bayside Catholic Mission acknowledge the traditional inhabitants of the land and recognise their continuing connection to the land, waters and culture. We respect those Elders of the past and commit to building a culture of peace and reconciliation with all peoples of this nation: past, present and future.

# MASS TIMES

Sat 5pm	Sacred Heart, Sandringham 13 Fernhill Rd, Sandringham
Sat 6pm	St Mary's, Hampton 59 Holyrood St, Hampton
Sun 8am	St Joseph's, Black Rock 542 Balcombe Rd, Black Rock
Sun 9am	Sacred Heart, Sandringham 13 Fernhill Rd, Sandringham
Sun 10:30am	Stella Maris, Beaumaris 2 Charlotte Rd, Beaumaris
Sun 11am	St Joan of Arc, Brighton 118 New St, Brighton
Sun 5:30pm	St James', Gardenvale currently held at St Joan of Arc

Mon 9:15am St Mary's **Tues 9:15am Sacred Heart** St Joan of Arc Tues 7pm Wed 9:15am Sacred Heart Wed 9:15am St Joseph's Thur 9:15am St Mary's Thur 9:15am Stella Maris St Joan of Arc Fri 9:15am St Joseph's Fri 9:15am **Stella Maris Sat 9:15am** 

# Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesdays 6:30pm-7pm St Joan of Arc

Saturdays 9:45am-10:30am Štella Maris

Saturdays 4:30pm-5pm Sacred Heart

Saturdays 5:30pm-6pm St Mary's

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Each Tuesday night at St Joan of Arc 6.30-6.50pm Each Saturday at Stella Maris

9.45am- 10.30am

# Thank You

## **Maureen Mutimer**

Friday afternoon was the last day at work for our wonderful parish worker Maureen Mutimer.

Maureen has been an important part of our community for many years, her children attended Sacred Heart School and she is a key person in the choir.

Maureen has worked at Sacred Heart for the last 15 years. She has been indefatigable in her work, coping with all the ups and downs of parish life with calmness and kindness. No matter what was happening, she was helpful and no matter how busy, she had time for everyone.



Her attention to detail is extraordinary, whether it was preparing liturgies, organising rosters, managing the music or writing the weekly Bulletin.

She has been a member of the artwork committee, the maintenance committee and the Parish Leadership Group. She has contributed to art work in the church and played a major role in the preparation of the recent booklet; 'Sacred Heart Sandringham: a guide to its Art and Architecture'.

Above all she is sage and wise carefully guiding us all. She has been an absolute pillar of strength.

As many know, Maureen has had significant burdens over the last few years, yet she has faced life with strength and faith, always serene, always with a smile.

Maureen, you will be greatly missed. May the Lord let His face shine upon you and may He hold you in the palm of His hand.

# **Mary Norton**

As many may know our wonderful parish secretary Mary Norton retired from her role just before Christmas. It being almost Christmas and then the cessation of parish bulletins for some weeks. We have been remiss in not expressing our thanks earlier.

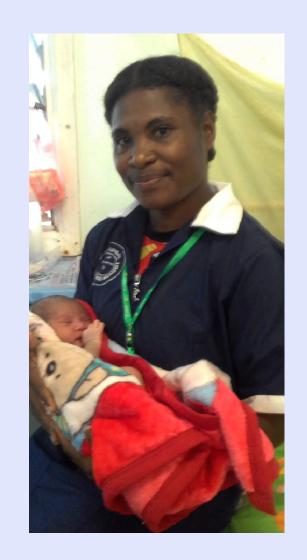
Mary has worked tirelessly for many years offering much support to Fr frank when he was Parish Priest and to Frs Dean and David as they took up their new roles.

She has been a constant presence in the office keeping the wheels moving.

During the pandemic when the office was closed she continued, overcoming many technical and logistic difficulties, to work from home and was fabulous in her work as she updated the data base for Sacred Heart, gathered email addresses and kept everyone informed of all the changes.

Mary you will be greatly missed and may your retirement be happy.

May the Lord bless and keep you.



# **PNG Appeal**

On Sunday, March 14th, the Brighton Social Justice Group will be conducting an appeal for Aitape. At Aitape, in the far north-west of PNG, the parish is supporting the education and accommodation of 6 tertiary students, who are training to become much-needed community health workers. We, and they, are very thankful for your ongoing support.



# Lenten Appeal 2021 Project Compassion

The theme for Project
Compassion
for 2021 is "Be More and
transform lives". Boxes and
envelopes can be collected from
the rear of the Church. If
required, a receipt can be issued
for contributions over \$2.00.

# **Choir Members**

Do you enjoy singing? We are looking to form choirs to sing at weekend Masses for any of these Bayside Mission churches: St Joan of Arc (Brighton), St Mary's (Hampton), Stella Maris (Beaumaris). Music-reading ability or prior choir experience an advantage, but not required!

To join, or for more info please contact our Music Director, Jeff – on 0424 477 446 or email jeff-heath@hotmail.com

# You're Invited

Saturday 13th March: Mass at 6pm, followed by dinner in the bistro at the Hampton R.S.L at 7pm.

If this sounds like something you would enjoy, please come along. All welcome!

Contact: Michele Connell on 0427 508 003

# SACRED HEART PARISH SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP MEETING

The next meeting of the SJG will be held in the Mangan Room at 7.30pm on Tuesday 9 March. New members are welcome and parishioners from other parts of the Mission are also invited, depending on COVID restrictions.

In order to confirm attendance, would you please email Judy Lamb (judith@jml.net.au) before Wednesday 3 March. Directions for the Mangan Room and the agenda for the meeting can then be provided.

#### **SACRED HEART VOLUNTEERS**

### Mass Coordinators.

Approximately 6 people per Mass time are needed to go on a roster. This group would be responsible for opening the church, turning on the lights, overseeing the filling out of Covid tracing sheets, ensuring that the other volunteers are in place; reader, commentator and special minister. This person would also be a point of contact for the Priest.

We will also have a group of liturgy support people, who will set up the altar for Mass and prepare the vessels. Attention to the general preparation of the liturgy including lighting the candles and checking the lectionary and ensuring that all is in order for Mass.

There is an information session for both of these roles this **Saturday Feb 27 at 2.30pm**. Please consider volunteering and attending the session. If you would like to assist with either of these roles, please contact the office: Sandringhamecam.org.au



#### ST JAMES & ST JOAN OF ARC

ILLNESS: Kuldip Ahluwalia, Lynn Batten,
Angela Boston, Helen Clarke, Anne de Rebello,
Kevin Fox, Alan Giles, Marj Hess, Regina Fahmi,
Geraldine Kennedy, Antony LaRive,
Tatiana Mansel, Ben Martin, Gabrielle Marylees,
Freddy McGuigan, Kevin Nichollis,
Catherine Ryan, Edward Shelley, Rob Smith,
Brian Taylor, Barbara Turner, Pietro de Conciliis,
Robert Wu

#### ST MARY'S

ILLNESS: Clare Curry-Harris, Peter Salvatore, Mick Corry, Carmel Ryan, Fred Sacr, Judy Ferrigno, Pierre Sacr, Mary Murphy, Tom Van Kampem, Maria Reilly, Delia Burns, Mick Zuccala, Joe Natoli

### **SACRED HEART**

ILLNESS: Julia Oppendsano, Victor Tonna, Edward Ivano, John Delaney, Nancy Camera, Marissa Daicos, Louise Tonna, Garry Murphy, Connell Wescott, Jackie Knight, Douglas Day <u>ANNIVERSARIES:</u> Birgita Dalgleish, Ian Dowditch, Sheela Mornane, Andrew Moran, Vin O'Donoghue, Muriel Hayes, Joan Jackson

#### **NAZARETH**

RECENTLY DECEASED: Ursula McCarthy
ILLNESS: Michael Slattery, Allison Leicester,
Liz Docker, Peter Plumridge, Lucy Menezes,
Aliai Coyle-Madut, Lucy Bueno, Faye Fong,
Kosta Mihos, Megan Jenkins, Bob Hughes,
Edna Campbell, Paul Dear, Anne Jenkins,
Tony Waller, Edwinda Fitsimon

## Please notify the parish office

(baysideoffice@cam.org.au) with the names of the sick, recently deceased or anniversaries you wish to have included in the bulletin each week. To comply with privacy legislation, permission is required to include the names of the sick in the bulletin.

# **Bayside Mission Safeguarding**

All communities of the Bayside Catholic Mission are now working together to streamline embedding a culture of safety throughout the Bayside Catholic Mission.

# Working with Children Checks

Thank you to all volunteers who have already applied for and linked their current WWCC to their local community. Here's the link if you haven't yet applied for, renewed, updated or linked your WWCC.

# https://service.vic.gov.au/find-services/work-and-volunteering

Volunteers, being any person undertaking any activity within the Bayside Catholic Mission in addition to or aside from attendance at Mass, are required to hold a current WWCC linked to their local parish. There are no exceptions to this since children are part of our parishes and we have a moral and legal duty to protect them.

"Let the little children come to me and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of Heaven belongs." Matthew 19:14.

# From Our Schools

Congratulations to the students from our schools who have, or are soon, receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time. Lent is a most appropriate time for all of us to celebrate this Sacrament.

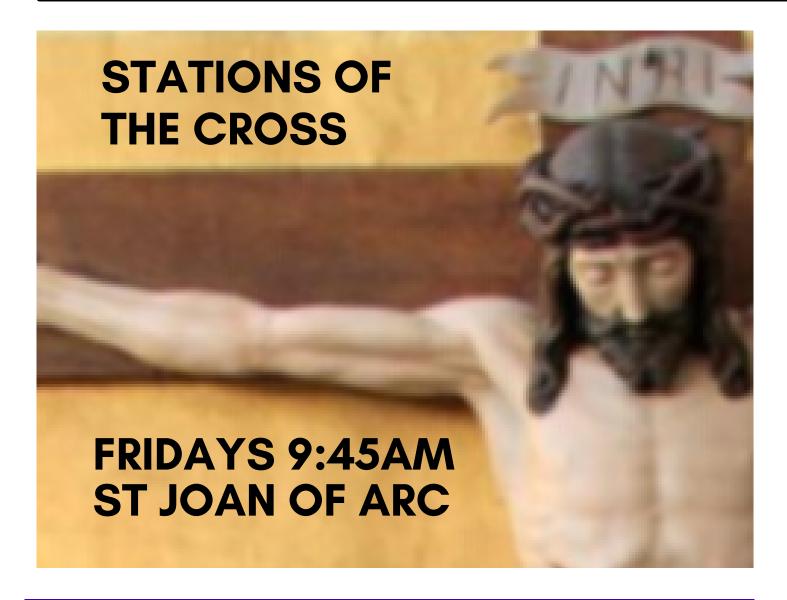
Commencing this week, the students from our schools will receive their First Holy Communion for those who were unable to last year. Please keep in your prayers the children from:

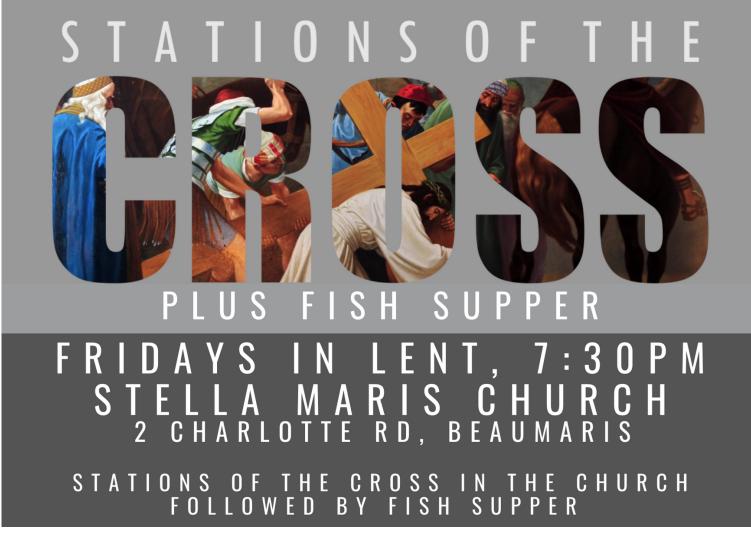
Sacred Heart: 24 & 25 February St Mary's: 3 & 4 March Stella Maris 10 & 11 March St Joan of Arc: 17 & 18 March

### Support Of Our Parishes & Priests

Thank you for your continued support of our communities. As we are unable to pass the collection plates around at this time due to COVID, the baskets for your contributions are at the doors of the churches. Online giving can also be done at

www.baysidecatholicmission.org under the tab, 'Support us'.





# LENTEN REFLECTION GROUPS

Sacred Heart, Sandringham Wednesdays, 10am

Wednesdays, 7pm
Online via Zoom
(join at baysidecatholicmission.org)

