



SACRED HEART SANDRINGHAM

11th December 2011

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Fr Frank O'Loughlin

PARISH NOTICES 3rd SUNDAY of ADVENT

SUNDAY MASSES : 6.00pm (Sat) Vigil Mass; 9am & 11am (Children's Liturgy 9am Mass)

WEEKDAYS : *Mon* Mass 5pm (Convent)

Tues Mass 9.30am & 1.30pm (Regis Seaside Manor)

Wed Mass 9.30am & 1.30pm (Fernhill Mercy)

Thurs Mass 9.30am

Fri Comm Service 9.30am

Sat No Mass / No Comm Service

CONFESSIONS : Next Saturday December 17th at 5pm



READINGS NEXT SUNDAY : 1st Reading2nd Bk Samuel YR B	2nd ReadingSt Paul to Romans	7:1-5.8-12.14.16
	GospelLuke	16:25-27
		1:26-38

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS :

This Week : 6pm C Gomez, A Bracchi, M Burgess

9am M Phillips, M McCartney, G Griffiths, B Carmody, C Battista

11am K Allen, R Delceppo, J Lamb, S Agostino

Next Week : 6pm J Sexton, B Scott, F Meade

9am J Grimmer, A Stubbs, M & P Morris

11am M Murtagh, L Warner, I Morgan, T McKenna

READERS :

This Week : 6pm J Sexton & G Glackin 9am J Iskander & T Coyne

11am L James & T McKenna

Next Week : 6pm M Palmer & Presentation Sr 9am J Noonan & S Humphrey

11am M Shannon & P Wassell

CHRISTMAS TIMETABLES

are available in the foyer today.

COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE

is on Wednesday, December 21st at 7.30pm.



CAROLS IN THE PARK :

This Sunday evening, December 11th, there will be Carols in Picnic Park on the corner of Bay Rd & Trentham St at 7pm.

NEW BAPTISMAL PROCEDURE :

There will be a new procedure for those parents seeking the baptism of their children from February next year. It will be as follows :

- A visit from Fr Frank to the family
- A 'Welcoming of the Child into the Church' at Sunday Mass on the 1st Sunday of each month. (This is a simple ceremony of a few minutes duration but it helps to make the point that a core element of baptism is joining the Church)



VOLUNTEER WELCOMERS : As an aspect of this new procedure, I am calling for parishioners to volunteer to welcome the parents at the Sunday Masses at which the Welcoming Ceremony occurs. They would simply meet them take them to their seats and make them feel at home.

I am looking for a dozen welcomers so that this mainstay is not too demanding of time and so that there.

The Welcome rite could happen at the 9am or 11am Mass.

CHRISTMAS SINGING PRACTICES :

The practices will be on each Sunday of Advent after the 11am Mass today Dec 11th & 18th.



COFFEE MORNING AT 'CUPPA COTTAGE' 88 STATION ST:

The Welcoming Committee invites you Monday 19th at 10.30am to come and catch up with friends or meet new ones.....last one for the year, so come and enjoy for Xmas.

SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PLAY :

This will take place on Friday
December 16th.

There will be two sessions, one
at 11am and one at 2pm in the
MacKillop Hall.

CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON :

Thank you to the Welcoming
Committee for arranging the
luncheon at Sandy Pub.
25 people attended thoroughly
enjoying themselves.

'HORIZONS' MAGAZINE :

Available today in the foyer.

Please take your copy.....it's all in alpha order. All
makes great reading! (*Saves having to mail same*)

Thank you to the 'Horizon' Committee for their hard
work.



XMAS CARDS & COLUMBAN CALENDARS AVAILABLE :

THIS WEEKEND along with the Columban Calendars after Masses at the
Parish Shop. Variety of cards and prices! *Come, see & buy!*

ADVENT IN 2 MINUTES :

If you Google 'Advent in 2
minutes', you will get a very good
short presentation of Advent.

JESSE TREE : Thank you
for the wonderful donations to
the Jesse Tree.
St Vinnies will be distributing
these for Christmas and making
lives more joyous!

XAVIER COLLEGE SCHOLAR- SHIPS :

Xavier is offering a range
of scholarships for students entering
Years 7, 9 and 11 in 2013. The closing
date for applications is 3rd February
2012. For registration and information
see Xavier's website.
www.xavier.vic.edu.au/scholarships or
contact The Registrar,
Mrs Di Odgers Tel : 98545307

**Catholic Speed Dating for 35-55s is being held at Sacred Heart
Kew on Saturday 28th January 2012 at 7pm. The cost is \$45 and
proceeds go to the Jesuit Mission.**

**There will be wine and cheese and for more information and to rsvp
please go to www.meetup.com/melbourne-single-catholics**

COLLECTION COUNTERS:

THIS WEEK: Team 4: P Thorp, R Clark, M Love, J McCartney, P Myers

NEXT WEEK: Team 5: M Cobal, B Moran, M Holland, A Power, N Jencik

CHURCH PREPARATION TEAM :

10/12 Catherine Lynch & Anne Sherlock

No Flowers.....Advent

17/12 Cath Ellingworth & Cath Nolan

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BAPTISM THIS SUNDAY

◇ **Levi Julian Stevenson**
son of Peter & Julia

THE SICK: Peter Roberts, Frank Scully, Viv Straford, Jenni North, Timothy Sim, Joseph Batour, Linda MacDonald, Fr Adrian Lyons SJ, Anne Thornton, Carl Scholtz, Marie Wood, Graeme Keys, Bill Moran, Peter Brown, Fr John Cowburn SJ, Vin Cameron, Norma Bencraft

RECENTLY DECEASED: Maxine Corcoran, Noni Kyne

ANNIVERSARIES : Jack Hawking, Thomas Hayes, Mollie Hayes, Mary McTeigue, Des McCartney

We respectfully acknowledge the Australian Aboriginal peoples and especially the Boonerwung people of the Kulin Nation, who are the traditional owners and custodians of the Sandringham area.