

SACRED HEART SANDRINGHAM

29th April 2012

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PARISH NOTICES 4th SUNDAY of EASTER

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

WEEKDAYS : Mon Mass 5pm (Convent)

Tues, Wed, Thurs Mass 9.30am

Fri Comm Services 9.30am

CONFESSIONS : 1st Sat of the month at 5pm & other times by appointment

READINGS NEXT SUNDAY :	1st Reading	Acts of the Apostles	9:26-31
	2nd Reading	1st letter St John	3:18-24
	Gospel	John	15:1-8

EUCCHARIST MINISTERS :

29/4 6pm C Gomez, A Bracchi, M Burgess
9am J Grimmer, A Stubbs, M & P Morris
1pm Centenary Mass

6/5 6pm J Sexton, B Scott, F Meade
9am K Wilson, Vicki Langdon
11am K Allen, R Delceppo, J Lamb, S Agostino

READERS :

29/4 6pm P Gomez & G King 9am J Noonan & S Humphrey
1pm Centenary Mass

6/5 6pm C Dunn & Z Burgess 9am J Standish & P Hetherington
11am C Hill & C O'Reilly



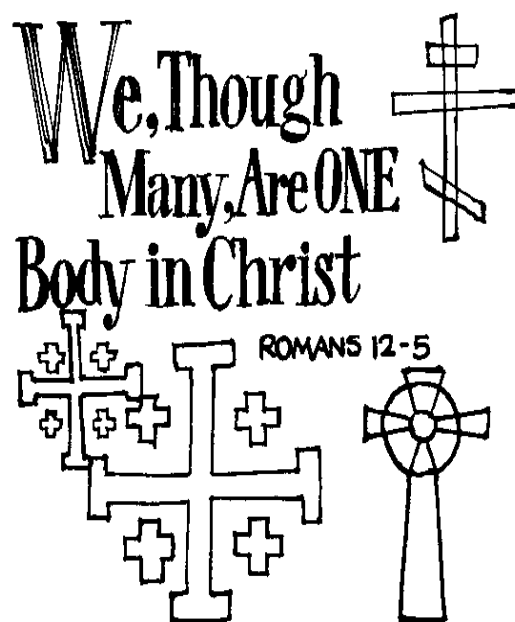
Donations for Annual Parish Dinner Raffle - Social Justice Grp :

We are still seeking donations for prizes for the Annual Parish Dinner Raffle being held on **15th June**.

The Raffle will be raising funds to pay for teachers in the school in Remexio, East Timor. If you are able to donate a prize, please contact the parish office on 9598 1511, domecc.sand@bigpond.com or speak to one of the members of the Social Justice Group by **7th May**.

Official election results in East Timor have named Taur Matan Ruak, East Timor's former army chief, as the nation's new president. He takes office May 20 and replaces Nobel Peace Prize laureate Jose Ramos-Horta.

1st May is 'International Day of the Worker' Despite some of strains within the Australian workforce landscape at the moment, the day provides a chance to reflect on some of the positive achievements we have made in comparison to many still developing countries such as minimum wages, penalty rates, holiday and sick pay, maternity leave and the right to form unions to represent workers in achieving improved work conditions.



NOTE : No 11am Mass today because of Parish Centenary Mass at 1pm here in the Church.

CATECHUMENATE :

Meeting will be Wednesday, May 9th at 5pm in the New Meeting Room. *(The meeting scheduled for May 2nd has been cancelled)*

BLOOD DONORS : YES We want yourrrrrr bloooooood!!!

Location : Masonic Hall, 23 Abbott St

Date : Friday 4th May 2012

Time : 9.30am - 3.30pm by appointment

Call **13 14 95** or email dpallen@redcrossblood.org.au

CUPPAS' NEXT SUNDAY :

Cuppas' in the foyer after the 9am and 11am Masses next Sunday.

All welcome!

PARISH CARD PARTY : This Wednesday 2nd May in the Parish Lounge. Basket Lunch \$8. Come along and join in! *Enquires to Mary on 9598 1511*

ANNUAL PARISH DINNER : A NOTE FOR THE DIARY :

Please keep **FRIDAY 15th JUNE** free to join with those you know, and those you do not yet know, for a great social evening.

A challenge to the regulars.....a wonderful opportunity to extend a warm welcome to some new faces, to meet you and your friends. Maybe split your table between old friends and new? That way you can organize 2 tables!

To those who have not been before, this is a great night.....the venue being our wonderful MacKillop Hall, with dinner and some light entertainment.

We would LOVE you to join us and promise to make sure you have a wonderful night. We will even help you find a reliable babysitter! *Please come!* If transport is a problem, we are happy to pick up and drop you home.

Tel : 9598 1511 for enquiries

PARISH DINNER CHOIR :

Each year at the Parish Dinner a happy group of those who enjoy a good sing at least once a year get together under the generous tutelage of Bernadette O'Neill.

We have a lot of fun and sing some wonderful songs.

You do not have to be Dame Nellie Melba, just be able to hold a note, and enjoy a hearty sing-a-long.

The Choir practices are usually at 4pm on a Sunday. The first one is Sunday 6th May @ 43 Sandringham Rd, Sandringham

Any queries, Peta Wassell 95983315 0417128246



SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP

will meet this Tues, May 1st at 7.30pm in the New Meeting Room.

FAITH REFLECTIONS for PARENTS :

Over the last several months a group of mothers from the School have been preparing with Fr Frank, for a series of reflection sessions with school parents.

The first three sessions of this series will take place on ***Tuesday May 22nd at 7.30pm.***

The sessions will take place in the Church and in the Church foyer.

MESSAGE STICK :

You will notice that there is a message stick placed on the wall just inside the doors between the Church and the foyer. You may remember that passing of the message stick between many parishes in Australia which culminated at Uluru three years ago. This was to commemorate the anniversary of Pope John Paul II's visit to Australia and message to the Aboriginal Peoples of Australia during his visit.

We will use it on appropriate occasions.

Thanks to Wally Tench for crafting the holder for the message stick.

COLLECTION COUNTERS :

THIS WEEK: Team 3: D Pain, L Connors, P Arbon, B Dickinson, G Thomas

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

CHURCH PREPARATION TEAM :

28/04 K Hardeman, T Fraser

Flowers : Maureen Ryan

6/5 S Hanna & S Crilly

Flowers : Sue Hanna

CHURCH TEA/COFFEE TEAM:

6 May 9am Gilda Griffiths, Annette Howlett, Marie Davis

11am Maureen Mutimer, Kristin Allen



THE SICK: Jenny North, Carl Scholtz, Marie Wood, Andrew Noone, Laurina Andrews, Tess Lloyd, Tom McKenna Mariette Carey, Bob Umbers, Tony Walker, Max Ager, Jim Andrews, Michael Kein

RECENTLY DECEASED: Paul McGowan, Shelia Grainger, Anna Clive

ANNIVERSARIES : Margaret Cameron, Kit Carrigg, Rita Carolan, Elsie Carlton



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.