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PARISH NOTICES

25th SUNDAY of ORDINARY TIME

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

WEEKDAYS :	<i>Mon</i>	Mass	5pm	(Convent)
	<i>Tues</i>	Mass	9.30am	
	<i>Wed</i>	Comm Service	9.30am	
	<i>Thurs</i>	Comm Service	9.30am	
	<i>Fri</i>	Comm Service	9.30am	

READINGS NEXT SUNDAY :	1st Reading	Book of Numbers	11:25-229
	2nd Reading	St James	5:1-6
	Gospel	Mark	9:38-43.45.47-48

EUCCHARIST MINISTERS :

23/9	6pm	C Gomez, A Bracchi, M Burgess
	9am	K Wilson, V Langdon
	11am	K Allen, R Delceppo, J Lamb, S Agostino
30/9	6pm	J Sexton, B Scott, F Meade
	9am	D Weddell, B Carmody, J Standish
	11am	M Murtagh, L Warner, M Whelan, T McKenna

THINGS GO
BETTER WITH
LOVE

READERS :

23/9	6pm	G King & P Gomez	9am	P Commins & P Hetherington
		11am	J Ulbrick & L Warner	
30/9	6pm	H McGrath & B Murphy	9am	J Noonan & S Humphrey
		11am	K Allen & C Ellingworth	

PHOTO CARDS / GREETING CARDS :

Will be on sale this weekend, September 22nd/23rd.

All cards \$2 each.

Proceeds go to 'Wellsprings for Women' in Dandenong, a project of the

Presentation Sisters. Cards have been done by Sr Clare Corcoran (Dorothy's daughter).

We are pleased to welcome Sr. Judy Bellesini who is now a volunteer at Wellsprings.



REMEXIO CHRISTMAS APPEAL

Last weekend we launched the annual Christmas Appeal for the families in our twin parish in Remexio, East Timor. Father David, the parish priest of Remexio, recently visited Sandringham and spoke at Masses last weekend.

His commitment to improving the lives of those in his community, especially the poorest people, was obvious. Fr David spoke of the reality of poverty in East Timor and inspired many of us to do what we can to improve the lives of our nearest neighbours.

As the Christmas season approaches, we have the opportunity to make this feast an even happier occasion for those in our twin parish.

As happened last year, fliers and envelopes will be distributed to school families and will be available after Masses this week.

We ask that all donations are returned by the weekend of **October 6 & 7**, so that the money can be sent to Fr David for distribution in time for Christmas.

Unfortunately, there has been a change in Australian Government regulations regarding tax deductibility for this type of donation, which is now unable to be claimed.

We trust that your past generosity will continue again this year as you provide gifts for families in great need. *Thank you Social Justice Grp*

FR FRANK OVERSEAS :

Fr Frank will be in Italy, France, Belgium and England over the next six weeks. Fr Peter Conroy and Fr Pat Kearney will be filling in for him.

FAMILY GROUP : *Family Group* is an organization designed to foster friendship, support and community within parishes.

Four groups currently operate in our parish here in Sandringham, comprising singles, couples and families of all ages and interests.

There is a monthly activity which may be as simple as a get-together for coffee, eg among last month's activities was one entitled "*man with a par*" where the men of the group cooked for us - 22 people had a wonderful night of conversation, laughter and delicious food. Enquiries and new members are welcome - *Call Peter / Sue 9598 0382 or 0400 596 938. Thank you.*



'CATHOLIC SOLOS' IN THE MELBOURNE SUBURBS :

The Catholic Solos are a social group for single people aged 45 and over.

Social activities held across Melbourne offer the opportunity to meet and form friendships with single people of like values and interests.

These include dinners, dances, parties and outdoor activities as well as group bookings at special events.

A calendar of events, where you can meet and mingle with new and existing friends is found on the Catholic Solos website :

www.catholicsolos.com.au

For enquiries please contact :

Peter 9583 8840 / Anne 0432 934 063

SIENA CONVENT REUNION

Did you attend Siena?

In form 1 in 1966/67?

If so you are warmly invited to our school reunion on 7th October 2012 from 2 – 5pm at Siena.

For more information email Elizabeth Minogue

Costick@netspace.net.au

or Jane McGloin 0437665529 or jemm@tpg.com.au.

GOOD SHEPHERD MICROFINANCE :

The No Interest Loan Scheme (NILS) provides interest-free loans for families/ individuals on a low income.

NILS is a community based program that enables people to access fair, safe and equitable credit for the purchase of essential goods and services.

ContactThe Good Shepherd Services 9495 9655. See flyer in foyer.



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 :

23/9 S Hanna & S Crilly

Flowers : S Hanna

30/9 J Sexton

Flowers : L Cobal



BAPTISMS THIS SUNDAY

◇ **Angus John Hosking**
son of Susan & Mitchell

◇ **Julian Frederik May**
son of Claire & Stephen

THE SICK : Russell Eade, Peter Roberts, Tony Cooper, Marie Wood, Andrew Noone, Fr Adrian Lyons, Mariette Carey, Max Ager, Michael Kein, Timothy Sim, Barry Ross, John Lo Piccolo, Darryl Wigney, Agnes McGann, Robyn Fenton, Christine Wright, Graeme Keys, Troy Von Berg, Sr Pauline O'Callaghan, Jenni North

RECENTLY DECEASED : Brian Vernon

ANNIVERSARIES : Ruby Stoppa

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.