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SACRED HEART SANDRINGHAM

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PARISH NOTICES

8th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

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

WEEKDAYS : *Mon* Communion Service 5pm (*Convent*)

Tues Mass 9.30am

Wed Mass 7am, 9.30am 7.30pm *Ash Wednesday*

Thurs Mass 9.30am

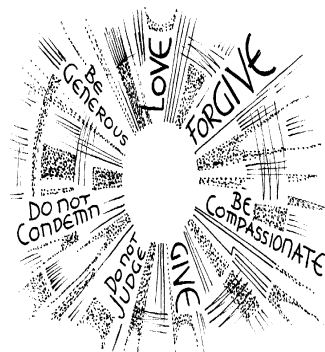
Fri Communion Service 9.30am

CONFESSIONS : 5pm on 1st Saturday of the Month or by appointment

READINGS next SUNDAY:	1st Reading	Genesis	2:7-9 3:1-7
<i>YEAR A</i>	2nd Reading	Paul to the Romans	5:12-19
<i>First Sunday of Lent</i>	Gospel	Matthew	4:1-11

EUCHARIST MINISTERS :

2/3	6pm	C Gomez, A Bracchi, M Burgess
	9am	M Phillips, M McCartney, G Griffiths, B Gravina
	11am	M Murtagh, L Warner, T McKenna
9/3	6pm	J Sexton, B Scott, F Meade
	9am	J Grimmer, A Stubbs, M & P Morris
	11am	S C Hill, C O'Reilly, A Mandarin



READERS :

2/3	6pm	H Rolfe & F Meade	9am	J Smith & Volunteer
		11am		C Hill & C O'Reilly
9/3	6pm	P Gomez & H McGrath	9am	G Ryan & Volunteer
		11am		E Anderson & K Allen

ASH WEDNESDAY: Masses at 7am, 9.30am & 7.30pm. Ash Wednesday begins Lent which is our annual time of renewal and concentration on our faith and relationship to the Lord. A day for going to Mass.

LENT: A time of prayer, sharing of our goods and the practice of self-control: a time to put time and energy aside to concentrate on our relationship to God. Traditionally it has been a time of going to weekday Masses to hear the readings of Lent inviting us to refresh our hearts and to enter into more frequent communion with Christ.



**CUPPAS after 9 & 11 am
Masses today**



**CATECHUMENATE
MEETING:**

The next meeting will be on Tuesday March 4th at 7.30pm in the Presbytery Meeting Room. There will be meetings each week of Lent

**REFLECTION & PRAYER BOOKLET
"BELIEVE":**

These are a set of 30 reflections which are very suitable for Lent. There is a short scripture passage with a reflection, a thought for the day and a prayer. These reflections are useful to live Lent.

They are \$2 per copy.

Available in the foyer (box for money nearby).

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER:

At 1.30pm on **Friday March 7**, we will gather at Sacred Heart and join with millions around the globe in prayer. In 2014 our prayers are focussed on Egypt and the issues facing its people.

Please join us at Sacred Heart in prayer and for fellowship after in the Church foyer.

SACRED HEART CENTENARY DINNER :

Many, many thanks to Megan McCartney and the organizing committee: Peta Wassell, Sue Wilson, Catherine Dunn, Mandy Mannion, Mary Storey, Paul Commins, Maryann Hetherington and the Grade 2 Sacred Heart Families, for their hard, thorough and very successful work in preparation for the wonderful night we had to begin the celebrations of our Centenary. *Thank you all!*

LENTEN TALKS: There will be a series of five Lenten talks on the Thursdays of Lent in the Old Parish Hall at 7.30pm: March 13th, 20th, 27th and April 3rd & 10th.
Please see flyers in foyer for further details.

SACRIFICIAL OFFERING RENEWAL:

There will be speakers from the Finance Committee giving short reminders about renewing the Sacrificial or Thanksgiving Campaign in the Parish. They will speak briefly to catch those who were not at Mass last week.

SINGING PRACTICE: To prepare for the Easter Liturgies will be
Sunday Mornings at 10am on March 9,16,23, then on
Wednesday evenings April 9 & 16 at 7.30pm.
We have new hymns to prepare and some revision of those we only use at Easter.

PARISH CARD PARTY: This Wednesday 5th March at 11am in the Parish Lounge.
Basket Lunch \$10.
Come along and join in.

CUPPAS AFTER MASS : HELP NEEDED we need volunteers to serve the tea and coffee on the **first Sunday of each month** after the 9am and 11am Masses. If we get enough people, you would only be needed once a year!
Detailed instructions are given with the roster.
Please contact the presbytery by phone or email as per front page. Thank you.

FIRST RECONCILIATION
FIRST COMMUNION :

Classes will commence shortly for children not attending Sacred Heart School to prepare for these Sacraments.

Children need to be in Yrs 3 or above for Reconciliation and First Communion. Enrolments for confirmation are now closed.

Could interested parents please contact Therese McKenna on 9598 0524.

MERCY PLACE FERNHILL : Side view diagrams of the new building are on display in the foyer. Plans of each floor are also available for inspection in the Parish Shop.

PARISHIONERS, FRIENDS, FAMILIES wishing to apply for an aged care room at Mercy Place Fernhill can contact Danielle Biviano on 8416 7830 or Julie Schoenfelder at Mercy Health on 8416 7888.

COLLECTION COUNTERS:

THIS WEEK: Team 1: D Keary, P McAleer, T McKenna, W. Tench, M Webb

NEXT WEEK: Team 2: W & C Commins, L Roskam, J Macdonald

CHURCH PREPARATION TEAM :

2/3	D Weddell & M Fiddes	<i>Flowers</i>	Lucy Cobal
9/3	K Hardeman & T Fraser	<i>No flowers during Lent</i>	



THE SICK : Maureen Maginness, Paul Lawson, Denis Sime, Paul Mutimer, Carmel Garotto, Christopher Whelan, Andrew Meadows, Neda Kennedy, Robert Foster, Bill Fraser

RECENTLY DECEASED: Brigita Dalglish, Carole Begg, Joseph Elworthy, Anne Guerin

ANNIVERSARIES : Andrew Moran, Bernard Collins, Vin O'Donoghue, Muriel Hayes, Joan Jackson, Mark Smyth, Marie Mitchell, Bernard Collins

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.