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PARISH NOTICES

3rd Sunday of Lent

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

WEEKDAYS :

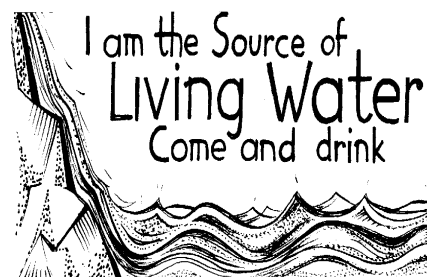
<i>Mon</i>	Mass	5pm	(<i>Convent</i>)
<i>Tues</i>	Mass	9.30am	(<i>Feast of Annunciation</i>)
<i>Wed</i>	Mass	9.30am & 1.30pm	at <i>Fairway Hostel</i>
<i>Thurs</i>	Mass	9.30am & 1.30pm	at <i>Seaside Manor</i>
<i>Fri</i>	Communion Service	9.30am	

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

READINGS next SUNDAY:	1st Reading Samuel	16:1.6-7 10-13
<i>YEAR A</i>	2nd Reading Paul to the Ephesians	5: 8-14
<i>4th Sunday of Lent</i>	Gospel John	9: 1-41

EUCCHARIST MINISTERS :

23/3	6pm	C Gomez, A Bracchi, M Burgess
	9am	K Wilson, G Ryan, C Battista
	11am	S Agostino, B Bracchi, N Camera
30/3	6pm	J Sexton, B Scott, F Meade
	9am	V Pucella, J Standish, & Volunteers
	11am	M Murtagh, L Warner, T McKenna



READERS :

23/3	6pm	C Dunn & Z Burgess	9am	M Morris & J Standish
		11am	J Lamb & M Wright	
16/3	6pm	M Palmer & D Ryan	9am	J Iskander & C Lynch
		11am	T McKenna & Voluneeer	

CONTINUING CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS:

On the feast of the Sacred Heart which falls on Friday June 27th this year, the Archbishop will come to consecrate the Church. We will have supper in the MacKillop Hall afterwards, during which we will launch the Parish History and draw the raffle which funds teachers in our twin parish of Remexio. (Consecrating a Church will be explained in the Notices over forthcoming weeks).

Please reserve this date in your diaries.



THANKSGIVING OFFERING THANK YOU: Thanks to all who have committed themselves to the financial support of the Parish in the course of the recent campaign to increase the Thanksgiving /Sacrificial offering. It has been a good success. More details will be published later.

FEAST OF THE ANNUNCIATION:

Next Tuesday, March 25th. Mass as usual at 9.30am

FORMATION IN FAITH FOR MOTHERS:

begins this coming Tuesday March 25th at 7.30pm in the Church and foyer.

CATECHUMENATE MEETING:

The next meeting is Wednesday March 26th at 7.30 pm in the Presbytery Meeting Room.

FIRST RECONCILIATION:

will be celebrated with the third year children at Sacred Heart School next Wednesday, March 26th at 7pm. Fr Tom Doyle will be helping with the children's confessions.

ALTAR SERVERS: Would any young people who would like to be altar servers please hand their names into Fr Frank or ring the Presbytery Office on 9598 1511.

LENTEN TALK No.3: this coming Thursday evening March 27th at 7.30pm in the Old Parish Hall.
The topic: "What is this New Evangelisation? Pope Francis' Contribution".

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLICS: available in foyer after Mass

REMEMBER LENT: We mark the Lenten season by our looking towards the death and resurrection of Jesus which we celebrate at Easter. We prepare for that by giving time to prayer, by attending Mass during the week, by looking into our hearts to understand ourselves more deeply and the good that is in us as well as noting our failures and our weaknesses which we bring before the Lord of all Compassion. It is a time of spiritual refreshment.

SINGING PRACTICE:



will be on the following weeks:

Sunday Morning at 10am on March 23

Wednesday evenings April 9 & 16 at 7.30pm.

We have new hymns to prepare and some revision of those we use at Easter.

NEW STOCK IN PARISH

SHOP: There are many new things for the children receiving sacraments. You might like to have a look.

NEW STAINED GLASS: The Art, Architecture & Maintenance Committee have met with "Toucan Glass", the glass makers who did our front doors and windows, to look at a new project to continue the style and themes of the doors and windows onto roundel of coloured glass (cross & circle) in the wall between the foyer and the Church. We have been left a bequest which will cover the cost of this project. There will be another meeting with the Toucan Glass people next Tuesday.

FRIENDS OF FERNHILL: All members of the Fernhill Hostel for the Aged Inc and interested Parishioners are cordially invited to attend a meeting of Friends of Fernhill to be held on Thursday 27th March in the Sacred heart Church foyer at 3pm to hear Mercy Health Staff speak on the status and plans for Mercy Place Fernhill. Everyone welcome.
Enquiries: Mary O'Connor 9598 4436

ACTION IN SUPPORT OF ASYLUM SEEKERS:

Many of us are disturbed by the conditions to which people seeking asylum in Australia are being subjected.

There are several areas of action you may like to explore—please see information on the notice board for details

ST BEDE'S COLLEGE: CLASS OF 1994 REUNION

Friday 28th March 2014 at 6.30pm

Please see flyer on notice board for full details

COLLECTION COUNTERS:

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

NEXT WEEK: Team 5: M Cobal, M Holland, A Power, N Jencik, L Giacomini

CHURCH PREPARATION TEAM :

23/3 C Lynch & A Sherlock *No flowers during Lent*

30/3 C Luppino, S Thorp, J Standish



BAPTISM THIS SUNDAY

◇ Audrey Margaret Beven

daughter of Gerard & Catherine

THE SICK : Russell Eade, Peter Roberts, Tony Cooper, John Lopiccolo, Noel Tomlinson, Emily Bevacqua, Carmel Garrotto, Christopher Whelan, Andrew Meadows, Neda Kennedy,

RECENTLY DECEASED: Caterina Fallauto, Daniel Conabere

ANNIVERSARIES : Lino Zanotta, Cyril Murray, Micael Pendergast, Robin Cripps, Frank Simm, Alice Lymburner, Fr Frank Maher, Andrew MacDonald

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.