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PARISH NOTICES

20th 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 & 1.30pm	Karinya Grove
	<i>Wed</i>	Mass	9.30am	
	<i>Thurs</i>	Mass	9.30am	
	<i>Fri</i>	Communion Service	9.30am	

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

READINGS next SUNDAY:	1st Reading 1 Kings	19:4-8
<i>First Communions</i>	2nd Reading St Paul to Corinthians	11:23-26
	Gospel Luke	24:13-16,28-35

EUCCHARIST MINISTERS :

17/8	6pm	J Sexton, B Scott, F Meade
	9am	T Duggan, M Noonan, I Marshall
	11am	K Allen, J Lamb, L James
24/8	6pm	H McGrath, S Bartl, V Langdon, P Sim
	9am	K Wilson, G Ryan, C Battista
	11am	S Agostino, B Bracchi, N Camera



LECTORS/COMMENTATORS :

17/8	6pm	J Sexton & G Glackin	9am	C Lynch & Volunteer
		11am	J Lamb & M Wright	
24/8	6pm	C Dunn & Z Burgess	9am	M Morris & Volunteer
		11am	S Valente & C Ellingworth	

CATECHUMENATE GROUP:

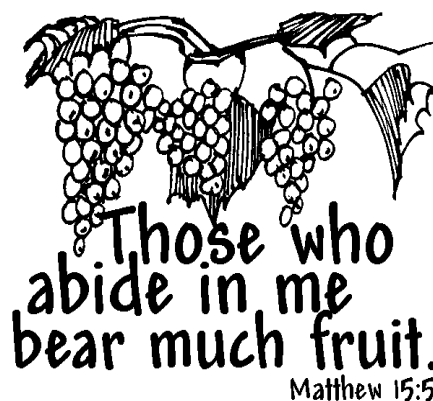
A discussion night continuing our welcome to Beverly Redfern & Dianne Ridd this Monday August 18th at 7.30pm in the Presbytery Meeting Room.

FORMATION OF FAITH FOR MOTHERS

begins next set of sessions this Tuesday August 19th at 7.30pm in the

CATECHUMENATE FOR CATHOLICS

begins its next set of sessions on Wednesday August 20th at 7.30pm in the Church.



'THE MUSTARD SEED BY THE SEA'

The History of the Parish is available at the Parish Shop for \$15 per copy.

FIRST COMMUNIONS :

Will be celebrated in the parish next Sunday August 23rd at the 6pm Mass Saturday night and the 11am Mass on Sunday.

This is a Parish occasion as these children come to join the Eucharistic Community which is at the heart of the life of the Parish.



SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB :

Subject : 'The Francis effect: Taking Responsibility for our Christian Living'

Where : Sandringham Hotel

Date : Wed 27th August

Time : 7.30pm

Speaker: Dr Rose Marie Prosser. Rose Marie provides professional development for staff in Catholic schools and parishes. She has worked a number of years in secondary schools and Catholic Education Office.

Further info on Poster in foyer.

BAPTISMS while Fr Frank away: As usual there won't be the opportunity for baptisms while Fr Frank is away.

Anyone planning for a baptism should contact Fr Frank soon to arrange dates.

There will be no baptisms in late September or October.

REFUGEES & ASYLUM SEEKERS

Once again, the plight of asylum seekers and refugees has hit the headlines. Recent reports of government plans to move people in detention on Nauru to Cambodia have been roundly criticized by many. The treatment of two boatloads of people from Sri Lanka, one sent back to Sri Lanka and the other held at sea for a month before eventually being transferred to the Curtin Detention Centre then Nauru, has also been condemned. In their May Statement, the Australian Catholic Bishops comment on the violation of "human dignity and basic human rights" of asylum seekers by federal decision-makers of both major parties, describing them as harsh, cruel, inhumane and dehumanizing. They challenge the people of Australia, including the people of Sacred Heart Parish, Sandringham, to speak out against these policies and work for a more compassionate attitude, respectful of human rights for everyone. Fr Frank has addressed this issue recently and the Social Justice Group is investigating ways of both pushing for government policy change and supporting the individual people who continue to suffer hardship under current policies. We will be asking for your assistance in coming weeks. In the meantime, you could read the Bishops' Statement (mediablog.catholic.org.au) or the Brigidine Asylum Seeker Project Newsletter (BASP.org.au).

Social Justice Group

Refugees: we can do better

Social Policy Connections is holding a forum on this topic, subtitled "What can be done to heal this running sore?" at YTU, Box Hill, next Tuesday evening 19th August at 7.30pm. Please see notice board for further details.

PARISH FAMILY GROUPS:

Their aim is to allow people to get to know each other, to support each other and to accept and be there for each other.

Please see flyer on notice board for how to join in!

WINTER APPEAL:

St Vincent de Paul Society in Sandringham would like to thank most sincerely the Parishioners of Sacred Heart for their generous donations to our recent Winter Appeal. The appeal has already raised \$5168.80.

This money will help many families in our area who require our assistance.
Thank You

NEXT CONCERT: Come and enjoy Brendan Scott singing and playing Piano, Guitar, Saxophone, Banjo, Fiddle and Accordion with a little tap dancing thrown in at Hampton Uniting Church (Service Street) 2.30pm Sunday, 24th August. Contact Monica Cashin 0417 216 187

ST BEDE'S COLLEGE MENTONE **OPEN DAY**

WEDNESDAY 3 SEPTEMBER 2014

Please see full details on notice board

COLLECTION COUNTERS :

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

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

CHURCH PREPARATION TEAM :

17/8	Carmella Luppino & Sue Thorp	Flowers	Kym Hardeman
24/8	Sue Hanna & Sheila Crilly	Flowers	Maureen Ryan



THE SICK: Denis Sime, Carmel Garretto, Paul Mutimer, Christopher Whelan, Neda Kennedy, Irene Hajdu, Peter Francis, Janine Watts, Phillip Byrne

RECENTLY DECEASED: Ronald Lacy, Howard & Sue Horder, Patricia Tonkin, Irene Casson (mother of Michelle Noonan)

ANNIVERSARIES: Stan Jackson, Sr Louis Henwood, Angelo Stoppa, Agnes Murray, Mary Hiskin

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.