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PARISH NOTICES

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

WEEKDAYS : *Mon* No Service

Tues Communion Service 9.30am

Wed Communion Service 9.30am

Thurs Communion Service 9.30am

Fri Communion Service 9.30am *at Mercy Fernhill*

CONFESSIONS: While Fr Frank is away, anyone wishing to go to confession should ask one of the priests filling in.

READINGS next SUNDAY:	1st Reading	Book of Exodus	17:8-13
<i>Year C</i>	2nd Reading	Paul to Timothy	3:14-4:2
	Gospel	Luke	18:1-8



TODAY IS Life, Marriage & Family Sunday—9th October :

New Video and print resources designed to introduce people to Pope Francis' exhortation 'The Joy of Love' have been produced by the Life, Marriage & Family Office.

Limited copies of the printed resource are available in the foyer.

The accompanying videos can be viewed online at :

www.cam.org.au/lifemarriagefamily.



FIRST COMMUNION **MORNING TEA - TODAY** **Sunday October 9th**

The Children from the Parish who recently made their First Communion, will be celebrating with morning tea after the 9am Mass today in the Mary MacKillop Hall.

All very welcome.

Message Stick

Thanks to the talent and determination of Wally Tench, the parish now has a new Message Stick, securely displayed in the church. Some time ago, our original Message Stick disappeared from its cradle at the back of the church. Wally was able to obtain a new Message Stick and craft a beautiful frame which will ensure it remains safely in the church. It is displayed near the statue of Our Lady. Our deep gratitude, Wally, for your initiative and skilled work.

NEW ROSTERS FOR EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, LECTORS AND COMMENTATORS:

starting from November are available in the foyer. Please take your copy from the alphabetical order sorted by Mass times.

Social Justice Statement

The recent Social Justice Statement by the Australian Bishops, launched on the 25 September, "A Place at the Table" focused on social justice in an ageing society. It has sold out in printed form but is available to download from the website:

www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au

Social Justice Group

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

When we receive a request for prayers, that person will be on the list for 4 weeks, unless specifically requested to be on the long term sick list, in which case they will be on a rotation of those for whom we pray monthly.

If someone is seriously ill, they can stay on the weekly list, but this needs to be clearly specified.

Remexio Christmas Appeal

Our annual Christmas Appeal for the families in our twin parish in Remexio, Timor-Leste, will be launched this weekend. Heather McGrath will report on her recent visit to Remexio, where she continued to develop the relationship between our two parishes. The needs of the people in the more remote villages are a focus for us again this year. The Social Justice Group has decided on two priorities for the Christmas Appeal: to provide the poor people, particularly the elderly, with food packages to help them to celebrate Christmas; and to give Christmas parcels to the families.

As happened last year, fliers and envelopes will be available at Masses for the next four weeks. We ask that all donations are returned by the weekend of October 29/30. The money can then be sent to Remexio and goods can be purchased and distributed in time for Christmas. We thank you for your support of this appeal over many years and trust in your generosity again in 2016.

PRIESTS FILLING IN FOR FR FRANK :

Fr Kevin Lenehan will be filling in for Fr Frank over the first weeks while he is away. Fr Kevin teaches at Catholic Theological College in East Melbourne. Parishioners will have met him at the several occasions he has been here at Sandringham.

Fr Peter Conroy will cover the final weeks of Fr Frank's time overseas. Parishioners will know Fr Peter for the many occasions he has filled in for Fr Frank over the years.

MELBOURNE CATHOLIC

October Edition
On sale now in the Foyer
\$4 per copy

SACRED HEART PARISH SCHOOL BAYSIDE NIGHT MARKET

October 21st from 5-8pm
Stalls in the MacKillop Hall
Outdoor food vendors
Entry by gold coin donation

Catholic Theological College

Open Day Wednesday 2 November, 2016

Study options, Library and Building tour, Refreshments

Two programs: 4.00pm–6.00pm or 6.00pm–8.00pm

Bookings essential

RSVP to Jenny Delahunt by Friday 28 October

Phone: 9412 3314 Email: jenny.delahunt@ctc.edu.au

278 Victoria Parade, East Melbourne VIC 3002

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:

9/10 D Weddell & M Fiddes

Flowers : S Hanna

16/10 A Moran & G Griffiths

Flowers : M Margin

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS : Additional Volunteers needed at all Masses

9/10 6pm M Burgess, F Meade

9am V Pucella, J Tonna, B Gravina

11am M Murtagh, L Warner, T McKenna

16/10 6pm H McGrath, S Bartl

9am M McCartney, G Griffiths

11am C Hill, C O'Reilly



LECTORS / COMMENTATORS :

9/10 6pm C Dunn & K Allen

9am J Smith & G Beven

11am C Hill & C O'Reilly

16/10 6pm H Rolfe & F Meade

9am J Grimmer & W Commins

11am J Lamb & S Valente

THE SICK : Peter Roberts, Diana O'Neill, Peter Gillon, Madison O'Neill, Martin Cassidy, Sandra Moller, Judith Ellis, Summer Hall, Bonnie Palmer

ANNIVERSARIES : Phyllis Norton, Tim McCarthy, Agnes Dalton, Viola McColl, Peter O'Connor, Sister Rupert

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.