



**Sacred
Heart
Sandringham.**

22nd November 2009

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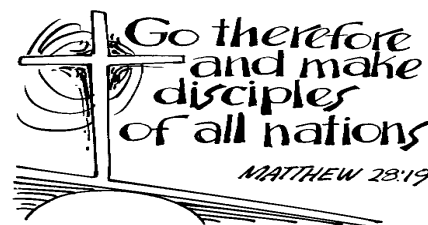
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PARISH NOTICES

FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING



PARISH PRIEST: Fr Frank O'Loughlin

SUNDAY MASSES : 6.00pm (**Sat**) Vigil Mass; 9.00am & 11.00am (*Children's Liturgy 9.00am Mass*)

WEEKDAYS : **Mon** Mass 5pm (Convent); **Tues** Mass 9.30am; **Wed** Mass 7.30pm; **Thurs** Mass 9.30am;
Fri Comm Service 9.30am; **Sat** Mass 9.30am
(*Wed Mass is for those who have died in the last twelve months*)

RECONCILIATION : After Mass on Saturday

READINGS NEXT SUNDAY : Yr C 1st Reading Prophet Jeremiah 33:14-16
2nd Reading I Thessalonians 3:12-4:2
Gospel Luke 21:25-28.34-36

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS :

THIS WEEK : 6pm F Meade, J Sexton, B Scott
9am P Wassell, M McCartney, G Griffiths, C Battista
11am J & J Buck, J Lamb, R Storey

NEXT WEEK : 6pm P & B Arbon, L Howard
9am J Grimmer, A Stubbs, D Hughes, S Bartl, V Langdon
11am M Whelan, L Warner, S Agostino, I Morgan

READERS:

THIS WEEK : H McGrath & B Murphy; J Standish & A Fagen; L Warner & J Ulbrick

NEXT WEEK : C Dunn & Z Burgess; G & C Purcell; C Hill & C O'Reilly

COLLECTION COUNTERS :

THIS WEEK: Team 2: B Dunne, W Commins, L Roskam, F Gonzalez

NEXT WEEK: Team 3: D Pain, L Connors, P Arbon, B Dickinson, G Thomas, P Binks

CHURCH PREP TEAM : 21st Nov - Jane Standish, Jan Iskander *Flowers:* Maureen Ryan
28th Nov - Jenny Buck & Gilda Griffiths *No flowers for Advent*

ST VINCENT DE PAUL : Meets every 2nd Sunday at 10am (after 9am Mass) in the New Meeting Room.

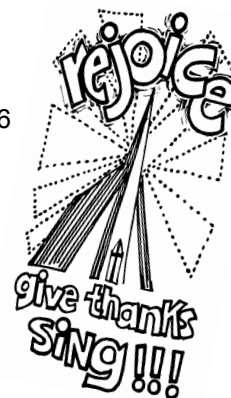
Donations - Please phone St Vincent de Paul Hampton Centre9598 6186.

NB : Any clothing donations please leave at shop in Hampton..... not in foyer of Church. Thank You.

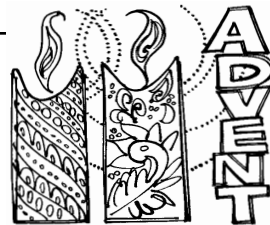
THE SICK : Russell Eade, Peter O'Connor, Denis Sime, Mat Barbagello, Tim Wilson, Blanka Golebiowski, Tina Cavallo, Kerry Stoner, Isabel Carter, Ann Houghton, Carmel Gleeson, Timothy Sim, Robyn Morris, Peter Hennessy, Frank Burke, John Murray, Bryan Dowd, June Meade, Bryan Costello

RECENTLY DECEASED : Paddy O'Neill, Seamus Cassidy, Dylon Reynolds

ANNIVERSARIES : Audrey Lopes, Margaret Cahill, Kitty Maloney, Aileen Fury, John Bourke



ADVENT BEGINS NEXT SUNDAY : So we begin our lead-in to the celebration of Christmas. The celebration of Christ's birth forms a cycle beginning with the first Sunday of Advent and concluding with the feast of the Lord's Baptism (the 3rd Sunday after Christmas). Thus we have the four Sundays of Advent culminating at Christmas and then further feasts which draw out the meaning of Christmas : *the feast of the Mother of God, the Holy Family, Epiphany and the Lord's Baptism.*



ADVENT ECUMENICAL SERVICE : Will take place here at Sacred Heart next Sunday, November 29th at 7pm. There will be refreshments in the foyer afterwards. *A good way to begin our preparation for Christmas.*

PRESENTATION OF PLANS FOR OUTSIDE OF CHURCH : This Sunday at 10am, Simon Webb, the Architect who is working with us on the renovation of the outside of the Church and on the re-roofing of the Church, will present the plans as we have worked on them so far. This presentation will be in the Hall. We hope that the timing of this meeting between the two morning Masses will be a convenient time.

MASS FOR THOSE WHO DIED IN LAST TWELVE MONTHS : On Wednesday November 25th at 7.30pm there will be Mass for those who have died since last November.

WORKING BEE IN PREPARATION FOR CHRISTMAS : Will be on Thursday Dec 10th at 1.30pm in the Church. This involves special and extra cleaning so please come along if you can help!



FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING this Tuesday, November 24th at 7.30pm in the New Meeting Room.

CATECHUMENATE : Next meeting Thursday December 3rd at 8pm in the new Meeting Room. (This date has been changed from December 8th).

SINGING PRACTICES FOR ADVENT & CHRISTMAS :

These are on Thursday *December 3rd* and Thursday, *December 17th*. All at 7.30pm in the Church. *So come along and join us to sing !!*



CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON at MILANOS HOTEL on WEDNESDAY DEC 2nd at 12.30pm. The Welcoming Committee has arranged this year's wonderful End of Year Luncheon at Milanos Hotel, The Esplanade, Brighton Beach.

For bookings for this terrific get-together please contact Mary, Parish Secretary on 9598 1511 (Tues, Wed, Fri 10am—3pm). Transport is available.....All warmly welcome.....only so many tables so please book early and don't be disappointed!!!

REMEXIO CHRISTMAS APPEAL: The outstanding generosity of parishioners and families of Sacred Heart Parish and School will make a dramatic difference to many East Timorese families this Christmas. Our recent appeal raised now stands at an amazing \$9,842 for Christmas gifts for our twin parish of Remexio! We thank you most sincerely for your support and pray that the Christmas season will bring many blessings for you and your families. *Social Justice Group*



TEA & TALK has now gone into recess until March 2010. Funds raised were donated to our twin parish Remexico in Timor Leste. We invite parishioners who would be prepared to give a short talk to give their name to Norman Griffiths, Richard Lachal or Mary O'Connor in the Parish Library. *All of us have a story to tell.....come and share it with us!*

ABBOTSFORD BISCUITS : Buy Abbotsford Biscuits as a gift for Christmas and give a young person a chance at a better life. *Jesuit Social Services* assist young people between the ages of 15-28 with multiple and complex problems including homelessness, drug and alcohol abuse and mental illness, change their lives by learning social skills and pre-employment skills. Skills development occurs in the Abbotsford based kitchen where the young people make Abbotsford Biscuits and package them as a distinctive gift. This year, they have also added a range of Christmas Gift Hampers to their traditional biscuit and cake range. Tel 9429 0267; Email : orders@jss.org.au. See Notice in foyer.

CHRISTMAS AT THE PARISH SHOP : Please note that the Parish Shop has some wonderful, interesting items including medals, rosary beads, 2010 Columban calendars, various cards for different occasions etc on sale after each Mass on weekends.....so come in and check it out! **NEW CHRISTMAS CARDS ARE AVAILABLE.**

STELLA MARIS CONCERT Beaumaris Sunday November 29th @ 2pm in the Church of Stella Maris, : 'Good Morning People' is on the life and times of St Francis of Assisi and performed by Peter Kearney Singer, Songwriter. Peter may be a familiar name as he has been a pioneer in contemporary religious song and has been in the Australian Christian music circuit for many years..... See Notice in foyer for more information.

