



**Sacred  
Heart  
Sandringham.**

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## PARISH NOTICES

### 4th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME



**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 (Convent) 5pm ; **Tues, Wed** Mass 9.30am;  
**Thurs** Mass 9.30am & 1.30pm (Fernhill Mercy); **Fri & Sat** Comm Service 9.30am  
*Thursday is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord*

**RECONCILIATION :** After Mass on Saturday

**READINGS NEXT SUNDAY :**

Yr C	1st Reading	Prophet Isaiah	6:1-8
	2nd Reading	St Paul to Corinthians	15:1-11
	Gospel	Luke	5:1-11

#### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS :**

**THIS WEEK :** 6pm, 9am, 11am *Volunteers*

**NEXT WEEK :**

6pm	P & B Arbon, L Howard, S Bartl
9am	P Wassell, M McCartney, G Griffiths, C Battista
11am	M Whelan, L Warner, S Agostino, I Morgan

#### **READERS:**

**THIS WEEK :** *Volunteers*

**NEXT WEEK :** D O'Neill & Presentation Sr ; S Wilson & R Mahoney; C Hill & C O'Reilly

#### **COLLECTION COUNTERS :**

**THIS WEEK:** Team 5: B Bownas, M Cobal, B. Moran, M Holland, A Power, N. Jencik

**NEXT WEEK:** Team 6: J Monahan, J McTeigue, J Noonan, P O'Reilly, T Coyne, J Lamb

**PRESBYTERY COLLECTION** last week was \$704 and the **THANKSGIVING COLLECTION** was \$2,303

**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 Centre .....9598 6186.

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



**THE SICK :** Robyn Morris, Timothy Sim, Blanka Golebiowski, Tina Cavallo, Carmel Gleeson, Kerry Stoner, Tim Wilson

**RECENTLY DECEASED :** Fr David Donnelly, Maureen O'Reilly (Perth)

**ANNIVERSARIES :** Peter Corcoran, Kath Maher

**PARISH LEADERSHIP GROUP** has its first meeting for 2010 next Tuesday evening, February 2nd at 7.30pm in the New Meeting Room.

**CUPPAS NEXT SUNDAY** : There will be cuppas in the foyer after 9am & 11am Masses

**CATECHUMENATE GROUP** : First meeting for the year is on Thursday February 4th at 8pm in the New Meeting Room.

**SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP** : Will meet for the first time this year on Tuesday February 9th at 7.30pm in the New Meeting Room.

**HOLY HOUR of ADORATION** : On Friday February 5th commencing immediately after the 9.30am Communion Service. Rosary will be recited during the Holy Hour.

**PARISH CARDS** : This Wednesday Feb 3rd in New Meeting Room. Basket Lunch \$8. Enq Deidre 9521 9561.

**2010 is Year C for the Readings on Sunday Mass** : The calculation of the year's readings to be used is based on adding together the numerals of the year. Every year whose numerals are divisible by 3 is Year C. So 2010 ( $2 + 1 = 3$ ) is a Year C year. We read the Gospel of St Luke in each Year C.

**DATES** : *Easter* this year is on April 4th..... therefore *Ash Wednesday* will be on February 17th. *The Feast of the Sacred Heart* will be on Friday June 11th.

**CARITAS** delivers aid in **Haiti**: calls for urgent support.....*please see flyers in foyer for information.*  
Last weekend anonymous cash donations of \$500 and \$600 were received. *Thank you very much.*

**ITALIAN CLASSES**: The popular Italian language class will recommence at 9.30am Monday, Feb 8th. Molly Cervi will again be leading the class. If you would like to learn Italian, improve your Italian or just chat in Italian—contact Howard Wright on 95988947.

**CATHOLIC CHURCH TELEVISION AUSTRALIA** : **Catholic Church TV** was launched on 1st March 2005. CCTVA seeks to serve practising Catholics, those estranged from the Church community, and all Australian women and men of good will.

Presently the programming mix consists of a daily **Mass for You At Home** offered for Catholics who would like to participate in the Catholic Eucharist, but are precluded from doing so because of distance, illness, disability or age. Each week is an offer of a **documentary film** about the Church in Australia, an aspect of faith or spirituality, or an issue of social justice which the Church considers we could all think upon.

*This is On Aurora Community Television Foxtel Digital and Austar Digital Channel 183. For up to date programme listings go to [www.catholicchurchtv.com.au](http://www.catholicchurchtv.com.au)*

**SCHOLARSHIPS** : Xavier College is offering a range of scholarships for students entering Yrs 7, 9 and 11 in 2011. The closing date for applications is 5th February 2010. For registration and information see Xavier's website [www.xavier.vic.edu.au/scholarships](http://www.xavier.vic.edu.au/scholarships) or contact the Registrar, Mrs Di Odgers 9854 5307.

**BAYSIDE LIBRARY SERVICE—COMPUTER TRAINING Semester 1 (February—June) 2010:**

Courses for *Getting started* with 'Windows XP and the Internet', Work Processing; Desktop Publishing, Excel Spreadsheets, iTunes & iPods demo, Work with your Digital Photos, Email & Outlook Express are available. Details re the Computer Training Courses for Terms 1 & 2 are in a brochure in foyer and / or go to [www.bayside.vic.gov.au/library](http://www.bayside.vic.gov.au/library) for more information.

**WANTED: PART TIME COOK** for mid-day dinner: 2 and a half hours daily, 4 or 5 days per week. For further details please ring Sr. Margaret 9598 1608.

**STORAGE AREA REQUIRED** : A parishioner is looking to rent space for storage. Someone may have an empty garage (free from leaks) available for approx 8 months while home is demolished and new one built. For further information please contact Leanne 9555 8884.

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## LENT & EASTER

The celebration of Easter was originally just the Easter Vigil which began with a long fast beginning on the Friday or Saturday before Easter. On the Saturday night, Christians listened to readings, sang psalms and prayed. All of this culminated in the celebration of the Eucharist which coincided with dawn on Easter morning.

Before Lent arose, the 50 day celebration of Easter stretched from Easter to Pentecost. This long celebration of Easter, a week of weeks, that is seven sets of seven days plus Pentecost (=50days), witnessed to their strong sense of the centrality of the resurrection.

Then in the 4th century we began to get the time of Lent which stretched backwards from Easter to Ash Wednesday.

So the whole season of Christ's death and resurrection is one of 90 days : 40 days of Lent and 50 days of Easter.

*Rebice!*  
*Be Glad AND Give Him Glory*