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24th November 2019

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PARISH NOTICES FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING

(Last Sunday of Ordinary Time)

SUNDAY MASSES: Vigil Mass 6.00pm Saturday; 9am & 11am Sunday

WEEKDAYS: Mon Mass 5pm

Tues Mass 9.30am

Wed Mass 9.30am & 7.30pm

(For those who have died in the last 12 months)

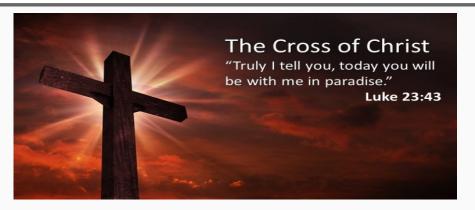
Thurs Mass 9.30am

Fri Communion Service 9.30am (at Mercy Fernhill)

CONFESSIONS: First Saturday of the month at 5pm

READINGS next SUNDAY: Year A 1st Sunday of Advent

1st Reading .. Prophet Isaiah 2:1-5
2nd Reading .. Letter of St Paul to the Romans 13:11-14
Gospel .. Matthew 24:37-44



Welcome Home Fr Frank

After time in Rome, Bologna, Paris, Leuven (Belgium) and London, Fr Frank returned home last Monday. The conference in Leuven was on Political Theology. We could describe Political Theology as the working out of a Christian (Catholic) stance in the concrete situations of society, based of course on the gospel. There were speakers from all over the Universal Church and so what they had to say was quite varied in accord with the different social and political situations people are faced with in different parts of the world, be it Latin America, Western Europe, Africa, Asia, etc. It was very enlightening and broadening of the way we see things.

ADVENT BEGINS

next
Sunday 1st December.



ADVENT PRAYER BOOK: THE WAY

Each year over the past few years we have had an Advent Prayer Book with reflection and prayer for each day of Advent and the Christmas season. It is beautifully produced by the Diocese of Wollongong. Books are available in the foyer for \$4 each.

2020 COLUMBAN ART CALENDARS

at \$10ea on sale after Mass.

CHOIR PRACTICE FOR ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS

To prepare for Christmas and the Sundays of Advent leading up to it, we have the first two choir practices scheduled Sunday 1 December and Sunday 8 December between the two Masses, that is, at 10am.



REMEXIO CHRISTMAS APPEAL THANKS

Once again we are very grateful to our parishioners and school families for their generous support of our annual appeal for those most in need in our twin parish of Remexio. A marvellous total of \$4437 was raised. We will forward this money to the Dominican Sisters in Remexio and they will buy Compassionate Care packages for the elderly and hygene and back-to-school supplies for the children in the poorest, most remote areas of the parish. Many thanks to all who contributed to the appeal.

Mass for Frank Collings

Frank was one of our long term and very faithful parishioners. He died while Fr Frank was overseas. His funeral was at St Joseph's in Black Rock because he was the architect of that church. We will have Mass for him this coming Monday, 25 November, at 5pm. Some of his family will be present. All are invited.

MASSES for those who have died in the last 12 months. There will be two Masses on Wednesday 27th November for those who have died over the last twelve months: Mass will be at 9.30am and at 7.30pm.

There will be a box to put the names of those to be prayed for at the back of the church.

FORMATION IN FAITH

The second session of Formation of Faith in November is *Tuesday 26th*. It will be at 7.30pm and will begin in the Church as usual and continue in the Presbytery.

The annual Formation of Faith dinner will be on Tuesday December 3rd.

ASYLUM SEEKERS' 2019 COMEDY BENEFIT

St Kilda Town Hall **Saturday 6 December**Doors open at 6pm

Tickets at trybooking.com

100% of profits donated Details on the noticeboard

COLLECTION COUNTERS:

THIS WEEK: Team 6: J Monahan, J McTeigue, J Noonan, P O'Reilly, J Lamb

NEXT WEEK: Team 7: A Power, J Smith, W Bond

CHURCH PREPARATION TEAMS:

S Thorp, C Luppino, B Gravina Flowers S Hanna

1/12 J Iskander T Grimshaw-Lloyd

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Additional Volunteers needed at all Masses

24/11 H McGrath, C Gomez, L Bloye 6pm

> V Pucella, J Tonna, M McCartney 9am

11am S Agostino, B Bracchi

1/12 V Langdon, S Bartl, G Glackin 6pm

> 9am J Grimmer, A Stubbs, B Gravina

M Murtagh, T McKenna 11am



The ford will reign forever and will give his people the gift of peace—

LECTORS & COMMENTATORS:

H Poulus & S Grosvenor 9am P/M Hetherington & J Noonan 24/11 6pm C Hill & M Hyde 11am

1/12 G Beven & H McGrath 9am G Ryan & C Claffey-Ross 6pm C O'Reilly & J Lamb 11am

THE SICK: Paul Mutimer, Julia Oppendsano, Victor Tonna, Edward Ivano, Marissa Daicos, Hennie Perrera, John Delaney, Nancy Camera, Kate Greenwood, Silvana Pucella, Maree Webb, Tyler Neighbour, Maria Bowditch, John Evans, Dorothy Corcoran, June McCartney, Mary Allen, Mark Devine, Charles Bencroft, **Derek Corrigan**

RECENTLY DECEASED:

ANNIVERSARIES: Fr John Whiting, Doug Pain, Audrey Lopes, John Bourke, Nancy Palamara, John Michael Crehan, John Murray, John McClusky

We respectfully acknowledge the Australian Aboriginal peoples and especially the Boonerwrung people of the Kulin Nation, who are the traditional owners and custodians of the Sandringham area.