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SACRED HEART SANDRINGHAM

1st December 2019

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PARISH NOTICES 1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT

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

WEEKDAYS: Mon Mass 5pm

Tues Mass 9.30am

Wed Mass 9.30am (Advent School Mass)

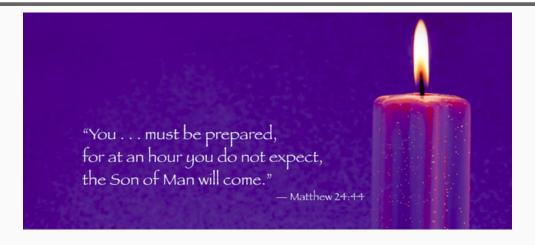
Thurs Mass 9.30am

Fri Communion Service 9.30am (at Mercy Fernhill)

CONFESSIONS: First Saturday of the month at 5pm

READINGS next SUNDAY: Year A 2nd Sunday of Advent

1st Reading .. Prophet Isaiah 11:1-10 2nd Reading .. Letter of St Paul to the Romans 15:4-9 Gospel .. Matthew 3:1-12



ADVENT BEGINS TODAY

Advent shows its meaning in the readings and prayers of the season. So it is a good time to come to Mass during the week.

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.

COMMUNAL PENANCE

will be celebrated on **Tuesday 17 December at 7.30pm**.

Communal Services of Penance helps us to recognise out weakness and sinfulness before the allforgiving Lord. They seek to take us beyond our small failures and to appreciate God's forgiveness and the fact that we can do wrong and we can contaminate the atmosphere in which we live.

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 another choir practice scheduled on Sunday 8 December between the two Masses, that is, at 10am.



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



GARDEN WORKING BEE at the Presbytery

MONDAY 16th December @ 10am

PLEASE.....we need your help along with secateurs, spades, clippers, mulch etc *Many hands make light work*

For further information contact Peter 0400 596 938

SINGERS WANTED for CAROL SINGING at Aged Care Homes 2019

Each year the combined Churches of Bayside sing carols in nursing homes and a disability facility.

See dates and times of singing on flyers in foyer.

You don't have to be a great singer, just bring a smile with you.

Further info : Joan Harwood 0409 886 680



CHRISTMAS COFFEE

The Social Justice Group will be selling gift-wrapped packets of East Timor coffee from this weekend for three weeks. This delicious coffee makes a great gift and buying it assists our twin parish of Remexio. Great value at \$8 a packet for ground coffee or coffee beans.

SCHOOL CAROLS

There will be carol singing in the school grounds on Wednesday 11 December at 6pm.

REMEXIO CHRISTMAS APPEAL UPDATE

With the inclusion of some late donations to the Appeal, the total to be sent to the people of Remexio is a magnificent \$5749!! Our thanks to everyone.



BAPTISMS THIS SUNDAY

Harper Louise Putz

Daughter of Sarah & Jarrod

Harvey James Fisher & Spencer Sterling Fisher
Sons of Jodie & Leigh

COLLECTION COUNTERS:

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

NEXT WEEK: Team 1: D Keary, P McAleer, T McKenna, W Tench

CHURCH PREPARATION TEAMS:

1/12 J Iskander No Flowers Advent

10/12 M Fiddes

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Additional Volunteers needed at all Masses

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

> J Grimmer, A Stubbs, B Gravina 9am

11am M Murtagh, T McKenna

10/12 6pm M Burgess, K Charon

> T Duggan, M Noonan, I Marshalll, B Renwick 9am

11am C Hill, C O'Reilly, C Le Grand



VESS

LECTORS & COMMENTATORS:

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

10/12 6pm K Allen & P Cummins 9am W & P Commins R Smith & M Shannon 11am

THE SICK: Denis Sime, Stella Tomczak, Tim Ward, Joan Mason, Martin Donaldson, Paul Mutimer, Nancy Camera, Kate Greenwood, Silvana Pucella, Ma-Tyler Neighbour, Maria Bowditch, John Evans, Dorothy Corcoran, ree Webb. June McCartney, Mary Allen, Mark Devine, Charles Bencroft, Carmella Luppino

DECEASED: Derek Corrigan

ANNIVERSARIES: Ugo Arcuri, John Murray, Lorna Young, Kevin Collins, Kathleen Perriam, Helen Hassett, Ken Flannery, Ivy McKenna, Linis Macdonald, **Roy Fredericks**

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.