

Parish Priest:  
Fr Frank O'Loughlin

# SACRED HEART SANDRINGHAM

2nd February 2020

Presbytery 9598 1511

School 9598 9322

Email: domecc.sand@bigpond.com

[www.sandringhamcatholic.org.au](http://www.sandringhamcatholic.org.au)

## PARISH NOTICES

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

<b>WEEKDAYS:</b>	<i>Mon</i>	Mass	5pm
	<i>Tues</i>	Mass	9.30am
	<i>Wed</i>	Communion Service	9.30am ( <i>in Church</i> )
	<i>Thurs</i>	Mass	9.30am ( <i>School Mass</i> )
	<i>Fri</i>	Communion Service	9.30am ( <i>Mercy Fernhill</i> )

**CONFESSIONS:** 1st Saturday of the month at 5pm and other times by appointment

**READINGS next SUNDAY :** (*5th Sunday*)

<i>Year A</i>	1st Reading	.. Prophet Isaiah	58:7-10
	2nd Reading	.. St Paul to Corinthians	2:1-5
	Gospel	.. Matthew	5:13-16

*Blessed*  
*are the*  
*Merciful*

## **PLENARY COUNCIL GROUPS: Discernment:**

The upcoming groups for the Plenary Council are about discernment. There has been an abundance of feed-in to the organizing committee. It is now time for groups all over the country to discern these issues. Discernment involves the use of some Scripture passages, time of quiet, listening and responding. It is not a time for arguing, but for listening and allowing the Spirit to move us and move among us. These meetings will be led by members of the Parish Leadership Group.

The meetings will be on Wednesday February 19th at 1pm and on Thursday February 21st at 7pm.

If numbers require it, we will divide into smaller groups at each of these times.

Please take part in these groups: your feed-in and discernment is important.

Of the six thematic areas various groups all over the country will consider, ours is the following (No.5):

### **A joyful, hope-filled and serving community**

There was a yearning for the Church to be a sign of God's kingdom for all people in Australia—to be able to see the Catholic Church in action, and to recognise Jesus. There was an expression of faith-filled hope in the capacity of the Catholic community to celebrate together, to show what it is to be a follower of Christ and to be loved unconditionally by God. There was a call to contemplate the Gospel call to be a servant Church for the good of all people in Australia—particularly for refugees and asylum seekers and other people who are vulnerable or at risk. Many responses called for greater sharing of the story of the good works done by so many people and organisations of the Church. Some responses expressed a hunger for strong witness of faith, especially by priests, young people and female leaders in parish and school ministries.

**THERE ARE FORMS ON THE ROUND TABLE IN THE FOYER ON WHICH PARISHIONERS CAN INSCRIBE THEIR NAME ETC. TO BE PART OF THE GROUPS. PLEASE PLACE YOUR FORM IN THE BOX PROVIDED**

### **The Future of Bayside Parishes:**

There will be a meeting for parishioners on Monday February 17th to open up the question of the future of the parishes in the Bayside area and to outline the present demanding situation.

The meeting will be at 7.30pm in the Church.

### **Start of the School Year:**

The children will return to School on Monday Feb 3rd and the whole school *Start of year Mass* is next Thursday February 6th at the 9.30am Mass.

### **Fr Kevin Lenehan & The Plenary Council:**

Fr Kevin is a member of the groups who are tasked with writing the texts for the Plenary Council.

He will celebrate the Masses here at Sandringham on the weekend of the 8th and 9th of February to talk about the Plenary Council.

(Fr Frank will go to Greythorn to replace Fr Kevin there).

### **Cuppas After Masses February 9th:**

We will have cuppas after the 9am and 11am Masses on Sunday Feb 9, when Fr Kevin will be with us.

### **THANKS FROM FR. FRANK**

My thanks to parishioners for the cards and gifts I received on the Christmas Feast.

### **Commissioning of new Vicar at All Souls:**

On Tuesday February 11th, Reverend Jeremy Watson will be installed as Priest in charge at All Souls' Anglican Church here in Sandringham.

### **SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP:**

The first meeting for the year will be on Monday, February 10th at 7.30pm in the foyer of the Church.

### **CHILDREN FOR SACRAMENTS IN 2020**

Classes for the 2020 Sacramental program will begin on Wednesday 19th February at 4pm for children attending schools other than Sacred Heart.

Any queries, please contact Anne Locco, the Parish Catechist on 0403 264 540

or contact with the Parish Office on 9598 1511 or via email to: [domecc.sand@bigpond.com](mailto:domecc.sand@bigpond.com)

### **SUNDAY CUPPAS— 1st Sundays of month**



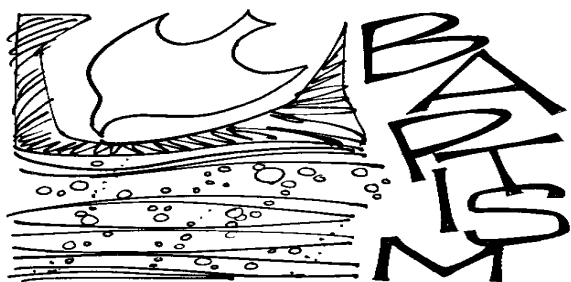
We really need some assistance with running the cuppas after Sunday Masses.

Helpers are only rostered maximum of twice a year—and the more helpers we have the less any one person has to do!

Please contact the office to register your help: Ph. 9598 1511 or [domecc.sand@bigpond.com](mailto:domecc.sand@bigpond.com)

*People on last year's Roster, please advise Office if you can't be on this year.*

*Thank you*



### **BAPTISM THIS WEEKEND**

**Isabella Joyce Ferraro**

*Daughter of Jessica & John*

## COLLECTION COUNTERS :

**THIS WEEK :** Team 2: W & C Commins, L Roskam

**NEXT WEEK :** Team 3: G Thomas, P & H Connell, G Ryan

## CHURCH PREPARATION TEAM :

2/2 S Thorp, C Luppino, B Gravina

*Flowers*

T Grimshaw-Lloyd

9/2 K Hardeman & T Fraser

M Margin

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS : *Additional Volunteers needed at all Masses*

2/2 6pm M Burgess, K Charon  
9am T Duggan, M Noonan, I Marshall, B Renwick  
11am M Murtagh, T McKenna

9/2 6pm H McGrath, C Gomez, L Bloye  
9am G Ryan, C Battista, G Griffiths, A Schloegel  
11am C Hill, C O'Reilly, C Le Grand

~~~  
Seek  
Integrity  
Seek  
Humility  
~~~

## LECTORS & COMMENTATORS :

2/2 6pm H Poulus & S Grosvenor 9am J Grimmer & P Commins  
11am S Valente & C LeGrand

9/2 6pm G Bevan & H McGrath 9am P/M Hetherington & J Noonan  
11am W Bond & Volunteer

THE SICK : Denis Sime, Stella Tomczak, Tim Ward, Joan Mason, Paul Mutimer, Nancy Camera, Tyler Neighbour, Maria Bowditch, June McCartney, Mary Allen, Nancy Curran, Brian Curran, Tony Cummins, Dianne Button, Marissa Daicos

DECEASED : Sheila Thompson, Bill Jones

ANNIVERSARIES : Kath Maher, Mollie Wilson, Joseph Batour, Frank Temple, Peter Corcoran, Gerry Quirke, Sr Fabian O'Keefe, Albina Fiorentini, Tom McKenna, Br Finian Allman

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.