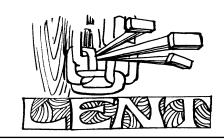


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PARISH NOTICES 4th SUNDAY of LENT



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* Mass 9.30am;

Wed Mass 9.30am & 1.30pm (at Waratah Lodge); Thurs & Fri Comm Service 9.30am;

Sat Mass 9.30am

FEASTDAYS: Wednesday is the feast of St Patrick; Friday is the Feast of St Joseph

RECONCILIATION: After Mass on Saturday

READINGS NEXT SUNDAY: Yr C 1st Reading Prophet Isaiah 43:16-21

2nd Reading St Paul to Philippians 3:8-14 Gospel John 8:1-11

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

THIS WEEK: 6pm A Thornton, G Robertson, H McGrath

9am J Grimmer, A Stubbs, M & P Morris

11am M Marsh. C O'Toole. L Valencia. A Mandarino

NEXT WEEK: 6pm A Thornton, G Robertson, H McGrath 9am J Grimmer, A Stubbs, M & P Morris

11am M Marsh, C O'Toole, L Valencia, A Mandarino

READERS:

THIS WEEK: C Dunn & Z Burgess; J Noonan & S Humphrey; L Warner & J Ulbrick

NEXT WEEK: H Rolfe & F Meade; G & P Purcell; C Hill & C O'Reilly

COLLECTION COUNTERS:

THIS WEEK: Team 4: P Thorp, J Buck, R Clark, B Mitchell, M Love, J McCartney NEXT WEEK: Team 5: B Bownas, M Cobal, B Moran, M Holland, A Power, N Jencik

PRESBYTERY COLLECTION last week was \$948and the THANKSGIVING COLLECTION was \$3383

CHURCH PREP TEAM: Mar 13th - Catherine Lynch & Anne Sherlock No Flowers in Lent

Mar 20th - Carmella Luppino, Sue Thorp, Rita Delceppo

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: Peter Roberts, Frank Scully, Denis Sime, Mat Barbagello, Robyn Morris, Timothy Sim, Blanka Golebiowski, Carmel Gleeson, Kerry Stoner, Karen Hillman, Tim Wilson, Jean McGregor, Sr Brenda Keary

RECENTLY DECEASED: Fr John Phelan, Paul Urquhard

ANNIVERSARIES: Monica Rudd, Mary Boland, John McKenna, Bernard Collins

LENT AT HOME: The fourth reflection sheet in the 'Lent at Home' series is available in the foyer after Mass.

PASSAGES FOR PRAYER: 4th Week of Lent: Luke 10.29-37; Luke 10.38-42; Luke 11.1-8; Luke 12.22 -32; Luke 15.11-31; Luke 16.1-8. Questions you might ask yourself about each passage:

- 1) What were your really honest reactions to Jesus' words?
- 2) What kind of person is Jesus? What kind of God does he show us?

WEBSITE for LENTEN RELECTIONS by AUSTRALIAN BISHOPS: The Australian Bishops have set up a very good website containing reflections for each week of Lent. It is very good. Go to our Parish Website where there is a link to this site.

SOCIAL JUSTICE GRP: Next meeting will be this Monday March 15th at 7.30pm in the New Meeting Room.

SINGING PRACTICE FOR EASTER: The next practice is this coming Wednesday March 17th at 7.30pm in the Church.

CATECHUMENATE GROUP: Meeting is this Thursday March 18th at 8pm in the New Meeting Room.

HANDING ON "THE LORD'S PRAYER": Our Catechumens will be at the 9am Mass this week. During Mass they will be presented with the Lord's Prayer as summarizing the tradition of prayer we hand on to them.

COFFEE MORNING AT 'CUPPA COTTAGE' 88 STATION ST : The Welcoming Committee invites you this *Monday, 15th March* at 10:30am to come and catch up with friends or meet new ones. Enquiries to Mary at Parish Office 9598 1511.

SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP: PARISH RAFFLE

As has been the custom in recent years, the proceeds of the raffle, to be drawn at the Parish Dinner on 11 June, will pay for teachers' salaries in our twin parish of Remexio East Timor. If anyone would like to donate a prize (which could be used for the raffle or for an auction at the dinner), it would be very much appreciated.

Please leave a message for the Social Justice Group at the parish office 9598 1511. *Thank you for your ongoing support.*

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION: Could parents with children in Year 3 and above, not attending Sacred Heart school, wishing to receive the sacraments, please contact Therese McKenna on 9598 0524. (Confirmation applies to children in Year 6 and beyond)

ROOF of CHURCH and EXTERNAL ALTERATIONS: Work on replacing the roof of the Church and on the external alterations, which were presented at the end of last year, will begin soon after Easter. This will necessitate that we have Mass in the Parish Hall for some weeks.

ST MARY'S HOUSE OF WELCOME FITZROY: This is a drop-in centre for disadvantaged and homeless people and are holding a trivia night fundraiser on *Thursday March 25th* at 6.30pm for a 7pm start. Tables of 8 at \$20 per head are available booking by emailing appeal@smhow.org.au or phone 94176497 (Lara). See flyer in foyer.

NEUROFEEDBACK: This is a drug free treatment for issues such as ADHD, anxiety, depression and a range of other issues. Recent analysis of research indicates "Clinical effects of neurofeedback in the treatment of ADHD can be regarded as clinically meaningful.......is efficacious and specific". From the Office Journal of the EEG and Clinical Neuroscience Society. For information or appointments contact AnneMaree Eddy (Psychologist) on 95836161.

KILBRIDE CENTRE: 52 Beaconsfield Pde, Albert Park...See Notice Board for wonderful happenings for March.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY CRUCIFIX: You may have noticed that there is a crucifix placed under the Rose Window of the Sacred Heart at the back of the Church. This is used for the Children's Liturgy at the 9am Mass - one of the children leads the others out carrying this crucifix.

PARISH WEBSITE: There are changes on the Parish Website including additions concerning *The Lenten Remexio Appeal* and *The Australian Bishops Lenten Reflection*. This will be kept up to date.

GOOD FRIDAY

The Friday liturgy is unusual. Firstly, there is no Mass on this day. There is also a silent beginning and end to the liturgy. It begins at 3pm deliberately as this is the hour of the Lord 's death. We have readings from Scripture including the full account of Jesus' Passion and Death from St John's Gospel followed by the long intercessions for the whole world. Then we proclaim and venerate the Cross. Finally we have communion. We have communion in the bread consecrated at the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday night.