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EASTER FAITH ***April 1, 2018***

In 1564 Michelangelo made the following remarks to his fellow painters: " Why do you keep filling gallery after gallery with endless pictures of the one ever-reiterated theme of Christ in weakness, of Christ on the cross, Christ dying. Christ hanging dead? Why do you stop there as if the curtain closed upon that horror? Keep the curtain open, and with the cross in the foreground, let us see beyond it to the Easter dawn with its beams streaming upon the risen Christ. Christ alive, Christ ruling, Christ triumphant.

'For we should be ringing out over all the world that Christ has won, that evil is toppling, that the end is sure, and that death is followed by victory. That is the tonic we need to keep us healthy, the trumpet blast to fire our blood and send us crowding in behind our Master, swinging happily upon our way, laughing and singing and recklessly unafraid, because the feel of victory is in the air, and our hearts thrill to it.'

The Easter proclamation is not 'Christ rose from the dead.' It is 'Christ is risen.' In other words we speak of Christ not in the past tense but in the present tense.

Resurrection faith claims not only that Jesus rose from the dead but also that, through the power of the Holy Spirit, he remained actively present in the world, and in particular in the lives of Christians.

Sign of Peace

Lord Jesus Christ, on Easter Sunday evening, you appeared to your frightened and disheartened disciples and said to them, 'Peace be with you', And on seeing you they were filled with joy. Look with compassion on us, and let your gentle words echo in our hearts, so that we may enjoy the peace and unity of your kingdom where you live for ever and ever.

May the splendour of Christ's resurrection enable you to live your lives under the brightness of Immortality.

May the risen Christ enflame your hearts with his love.

And may the peace of God, who brought Jesus back from the dead with Peace and Joy in the Risen Lord to one and all

Bishop Pat O'Regan, Dean Peter, Fr Solomon, Deacon Avinash, Seminarians of the Diocese, Parish Secretary Clare O'Brien, Parish Team Jenny and Veronica, Mark Durrant, Parish Pastoral Council, Myriam worked tirelessly in the Kitchen and with the decorations around the Cathedral.

HAPPY AND HOLY EASTER to all Parishioners. Especially those travelling, please keep safe. With our thoughts for our housebound and all in aged care. What about sharing a phone call and Easter Greeting with those we know in care and those who may be lonely at home. Travel safe and enjoy the good news. He is risen indeed Alleluia!

Kindest wishes, Dean Peter, Fr Solomon, Dean Avinash, Parish staff, Mark, Myriam, Jenny and Veronica.

RITE OF WELCOME AND BAPTISM: This weekend at the Cathedral, we welcome for Baptism Lily Rathnow, daughter of Brendon and Stevie-lee. Congratulations to the family from all of us.

EASTER OFFERING ENVELOPES are available in all Churches and with your planned giving envelopes for parishioners who receive these.

MEN ALIVE to meet after 9.30am Mass on a Thursday and then to convene at redd catt café for coffee and conversation. Call Lindsay on 0407 388 203 if you would like more information.

SERRA CLUB wish to thank all participants in their annual sports day. To all who played golf or bowls, brought raffle tickets or attended the dinner - **THANK YOU!** To our wonderful businesses who donated prizes - **THANK YOU ALL!** Full lists of winners and sponsors will be in the Cathedral this weekend.

SERRA CLUB MEETING The Serra Club will gather in the Cathedral on **Thursday April 5 at 4.45pm** for Rosary and 5.00pm Mass followed by their meeting in the Chapter House. All welcome.

31 CLUB REMINDER 4 - 10 April 2018.

THANK YOU FROM SERRA CLUB who would like to thank Bishop Pat, Dean Peter, Father Solomon, Deacons and Seminarians for all they have done for Holy Week.

CWL REGIONAL CONFERENCE will be held on Tuesday 3 April commencing with Mass in the Cathedral at 9.30am. Registration will then commence in the Chapter House after a cuppa.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES Dublin, Ireland, has been chosen by Pope Francis to host the next World Meeting of Families from 21-26 August 2018, guided by the theme "The Gospel of the Family: Joy for the World". If you would like more information please refer to the brochure near the front door of the Cathedral.

PROCLAIM 2018 will focus on inspiring, equipping and encouraging parishes and Catholic communities to engage in Evangelisation and Renewal.

12-14 July at Edmund Rice Arts Centre, St Laurence's College, South Brisbane. For more information visit www.proclaimconference.com.au or refer to the brochure at the entrance to the Cathedral.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND 2018 Melbourne weekend dates: 1-3 June, 17-19 August and 9-11 November 2018. Starts 7pm on Friday. Ends 5pm Sunday. Accommodation and all meals provided.

Information/Bookings: PH: Andre and Maria 0411 225 992. Website: www.wwme.org.au Email: vicbookings@wwme.org.au

EASTER OFFERINGS and Project Compassion envelopes or boxes can be placed on the collection plates at any Mass.

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARY MCKILLOP 2018 National Pilgrimage

The Sisters of St Joseph invite you to join the National Pilgrimage, giving you the opportunity to journey to significant places in Australia made holy by St Mary MacKillop.

Commence in Melbourne 23 October, travel through Victoria & South Australia, conclude in Sydney 3 November 2018.

COST EX MELBOURNE: \$3,230.00 (all inclusive: airfares, accommodation, coach travel, admission fees and meals).

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT: \$700.00

For further information, please contact Sr Therese Leydon 0417 683123 or Sr Annie Bond 02 89124818, or email national.pilgrimage@mmp.org.au.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Wednesday 4 April 10.30am Ashleigh House: Brian Corbett (A)

COUNTERS: 1 April: Team 7: Mary Lonsdale, Libby Johnson, Theo & Sandra Smolenaars.

8 April: Team 8: Lenie & Bill Smolenaars, Nick and Maree Centra

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND:

Planned Giving: \$1,596.50

House: \$1,098.70

With thanks from a grateful parish.

SACRISTY: Team 3: (5 April) Maree Centra, Angela Ronchi, Margaret Hickey, Huong Clancy

Team 4: (12 April) Mary Cooper, Sue Harvey, Therese Coper

BAPTISMS: By arrangement through the Parish Office or with Veronica, phone 5144 4100. **ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament,** Friday after Mass 1130am—12.00noon **First Friday of the Month** 11.30am-4.00pm At St Rose of Lima, Rosedale on 1st Wednesday of each month 9.30am—10.30am **RECONCILIATION: Cathedral: Friday** 11.30am after Mass, **Saturday** After the 9.30am Mass—10.30am **Stratford and Briagolong on Sunday or Rosedale on Saturday evening:** Before or after Mass or anytime by arrangement with the priest. **MARRIAGES:** Not less than six months notice please.

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**Mass Timetable this week
Easter Sunday, Year B
31 March and 1 April 2018**

Day/Date	Time	Place
Sat March 31 <u>HOLY SATURDAY</u>	10 - 11.00am 7.30pm	Cathedral - <i>Reconciliation</i> Cathedral - <i>Service of the Light</i>
Sunday April 1 <u>EASTER SUNDAY</u>	9.00am 9.30am 9.30am 11.00am 11.30am	Loch Sport Cathedral Stratford Community Hall - Seaspray Rosedale
Monday April 2	9.30am	Cathedral
Tuesday April 3	9.30am 6.00pm	Cathedral - <i>CWL Regional Mass</i> Cathedral - <i>Rosary for Kathleen Luscombe</i>
Wednesday April 4	10.30am 1.00pm	Ashleigh House Cathedral - <i>Funeral Mass for Kathleen Luscombe</i>
Thursday April 5	9.30am 5.00pm	Cathedral Cathedral - <i>Serra Club Mass</i>
Friday April 6	11.00am	Cathedral
Saturday April 7	9.30am 5.30pm 7.00pm	Cathedral Cathedral Rosedale
Sunday April 8	9.30am 9.30am 5.00pm	Cathedral Briagolong Cathedral - <i>End of Daylight savings - changed time</i>

PARISH PRAYER.

God our loving Father, we give you thanks and praise for our Cathedral Parish of Sale, for your people and your Creation.

Nourish us by your daily Word and Eucharist.

Enrich us in our faith, hope and love.

Strengthen us with the spirit of your mercy and grace.

Make us grateful for your gifts as we journey through our lives together.

May we be a welcoming and serving community, always discerning and doing your will for one another.

We make this prayer through Christ Our Lord. Amen

We remember those who have died **Kathleen Luscombe**, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time **Fr Patrick O'Brien, Fr Patrick Quigley, Fr William Regan, Brian Corbett, Mary Georgina Lee**. We pray for those who are sick Raquel Waite, John Cunningham, Aussie Boyd, Rosie Carroll, Noreen Lyttle, Maureen O'Kane and Suzanne Wheeler. We pray in thanks for all who care for the sick.

Date 8/04/2018	Welcomer	Commentator	Reader	Offertory Procession	Extraordinary Minister of Communion
Saturday 5.30pm		Damian Hogan	Liz Tabuteau Margaret Shirreffs		Frank Fidge, Wilbert Smits, John Cooper
Sunday 9.30pm	Harold & Mary Hopkins	Sue Mattson	Jeff Hobbs Bill Smolenaars	Raquel & Doug Waite	Lenie Smolenaars, Peter Centra, Brian Donnelly
Sunday 5.00pm		Jennifer Fitzgerald	Andrea Elguetta Louie Minoza		Lyn & Len Althaus, Kath Telling

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: I have risen, and I am with you still, alleluia. You have your hand upon me, alleluia. Too wonderful for me, this knowledge, alleluia, alleluia.

FIRST READING:

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles 10:34, 37-43

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: 'You must have heard about the recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil. Now I, and those with me, can witness to everything he did throughout the countryside of Judaea and in Jerusalem itself: and also to the fact that they killed him by hanging him on a tree, yet three days afterwards God raised him to life and allowed him to be seen, not by the whole people but only by certain witnesses God had chosen beforehand. Now we are those witnesses – we have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead – and he has ordered us to proclaim this to his people and to tell them that God has appointed him to judge everyone, alive or dead. It is to him that all the prophets bear this witness: that all who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name.'

The Word of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,
for his love has no end.
Let the sons of Israel say:
'His love has no end.' **(R.)**

The Lord's right hand has triumphed;
his right hand raised me up.
I shall not die, I shall live
and recount his deeds. **(R.)**

The stone which the builders rejected
has become the corner stone.
This is the work of the Lord,
a marvel in our eyes. **(R.)**

SECOND READING :

A reading from St Paul's letter to the Colossians 3:1-4

Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are on the earth, because you have died, and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed – and he is your life – you too will be revealed in all your glory with him.

The Word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Christ has become our paschal sacrifice;
let us feast with joy in the Lord.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

A reading from the Gospel of John 20:1-9

It was very early on the first day of the week and still dark, when Mary of Magdala came to the tomb. She saw that the stone had been moved away from the tomb and came running to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one Jesus loved. 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb' she said 'and we don't know where they have put him.'

So Peter set out with the other disciple to go to the tomb. They ran together, but the other disciple, running faster than Peter, reached the tomb first; he bent down and saw the linen cloths lying on the ground, but did not go in. Simon Peter who was following now came up, went right into the tomb, saw the linen cloths on the ground, and also the cloth that had been over his head; this was not with the linen cloths but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple who had reached the tomb first also went in; he saw and he believed. Till this moment they had failed to understand the teaching of scripture, that he must rise from the dead.

The Gospel of the Lord

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Christ has become our paschal sacrifice; let us feast with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth, alleluia.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Cathedral: Friday after Mass from 11.30am -12noon
1st Friday of each Month 11.30am - 4.00pm
Reconciliation:
Cathedral: Saturday:
Following Mass: 9.30am to 10.30am.



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MARY'S SOUP KITCHEN CHAPTER HOUSE Serves 'Soup and Sandwiches' on Thursdays, from Noon-1.30pm Tea and Coffee provided. At Chapter House. All welcome.	READINGS NEXT WEEK Second Sunday of Easter, Year B First Reading: Acts 4:32-35 Second Reading: 1 John 5:1-6 Gospel: John 20:19-31
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SUNDAY MASS TIMETABLE

Saturday: Cathedral - 5.30pm Vigil
Saturday: Rosedale - 7:00pm Vigil
Saturday: Loch Sport - 11.00am (2nd & 4th)
Sunday: Cathedral - 9:30am
Sunday: Briagolong 9.30am (2nd & 4th)
Sunday Stratford –9.30am (1st,3rd & 5th)

NEW IN THE PARISH? CHANGED ADDRESS IN THE LAST YEAR?
NEED PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES OR TO
UPDATE THE PARISH RECORDS?

Please let us know we'd like to meet you! If you complete the form below, you could place it on the plate at Mass or hand it in to the Parish office. We'll hope to catch up soon.

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