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<u>PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL</u>: Dean Peter, Fr Jithin, Bill Smolenaars (Chair), Veronica Barnes, Lorel Donnelly, Jennifer Fitzgerald, Filomena Padula, Anita Little, Carmel Kuizenga, Margaret Shirreffs, Len Althaus, Doug Waite.

<u>Safeguarding</u> - Our Parish is committed to providing a safe and supportive environment for all people with special concern for children, young people and adults at risk.

Our Safeguarding Officers are Lorel Donnelly and Bill Smolenaars who can be contacted via pso.sale@cdsale.org.au.



The Annual Giving Tree will again be in the Assembly area of the church.

St Vincent de Paul support people in need from Briagolong, Stratford, Rosedale, Sale and district including Loch Sport, Golden and Paradise Beach, and it is only with your support we can achieve this. St Vinnies volunteers do provide moral and emotional support, empathy and compassion to those in need in your communities. We are asking for your help for these people, often the forgotten and overlooked, those on the margins, those in need in our communities.

Any help will be appreciated by taking a tag from the giving tree, purchase the item listed on the tag a return the item and place under the tree as a gift for others. A monetary collection will be taken up at all Masses on the weekend of 11 and 12 December. Can you, will you help, please.

Annual Volunteers BBQ. This event celebrated every year to acknowledge and a visible sign of appreciation to the many Volunteers in our parish communities, will sadly not be held due to Covid limitations. This event was also intended to host a farewell for Fr. Peter. This does not mean he cannot leave and to ensure this, a low key farewell, (at Fr Peter's insistence) will be held after each Mass on the weekend of Saturday 18 and Sunday 19 December. Parishioners wishing to make a contribution as a token of their appreciation Fr. Peter's, influence and support in their lives can do so by leaving their gift at the Parish office with Clare who will also have a list of items Fr Peter can use for his home in Traralgon.

Please note: After the farewell Masses a cuppa and finger food will be provided and served. This will be to comply with current known Covid requirements. All this means, that a helping hand will be required and appreciated and I am sure as always people will rise to the occasion when 'a helping hand is needed'. More information on people power needed closer to the date.

Thank you, Bill Smolenaars for Pastoral Council.



PARISH CALENDAR

Events may change due to Covid Restrictions 21 - 22 Nov: First Communion Masses 26 Nov: Ecumenical Advent Conversation 18 & 19 Dec: Farewell Mass for Dean Peter

CURRENT COVID RESTRICTIONS:

Currently for the fully vaccinated we can \$5.00 each. revert to pre Covid numbers at Mass. There is ADVENT 2021 WITH BRUCE DOWNES, The no longer a requirement to wear masks. A gentle reminder that bookings & masks are Unexpected' this Advent. Join me each day for a required for those with unknown vaccination status to attend 5.30pm Sunday Mass. If you can help with wiping down seats and areas needed after each Mass this service to our parish community is greatly appreciated. Thanks to all those who currently perform this service. Livestream of 9.30am Sunday Mass will continue till further notice We are grateful to Jeff and Chloe for making this possible. LIVESTREAM MASS from the Cathedral this Sunday 21 November at 9.30am. The YouTube link is https:/www.voutube.com/ channel/UCiD2hf8AlxPXAJVG3nEYTZQ. The channel name is St Mary's Cathedral Sale.

FIRST COMMUNION is being made by the children at all Parish Masses this weekend. Please refer to the page opposite for thanks to those who ran the program and those who supported the children as well as the names of the children who participated in the program. We wish them well on their sacramental journey.

SYNOD 2023 Walking Together Pope Francis SURVEY ON SION As you are aware there is invites the entire church on the way of synodality, in walking together as a pilgrim people. In our Diocese of Sale, we have experienced acting this synodal journey of walking with each other when we joined the conversations for the Plenary and the 2019 Diocesan Assembly. We have seen how we can be united in working together to build up our community and we have witnessed ideas emerging from conversations that are grounded in prayer. Despite the lockdowns and the great difficulties brought upon us by COVID, fruits have already emerged from our efforts and will continue to do so in the future.

Find out more https://www.cdsale.org.au/ synod-of-bishops

ADVENT & CHRISTMAS REFLECTIONS BOOKLETS: BLESSED The parish office has copies available of the Catholic Diocese of Wollongong Advent & Christmas Daily Reflections. The booklet commences at the start of Advent on 1 December and continues to the Baptism of the Lord on 9 January. Parishioners can purchase this book from the Parish Office for

Catholic Guy. You are invited to 'Expect the short, free Advent Daily Devotional Video that will guide you on a life-changing journey. Starting 28 Nov you'll receive short inspirational videos each day from Bruce Downes, full of real life stories and practical ways to become all that God has created you to be! Register now or for more information: Email: info@brucedownes.org https://brucedownes.org/registerforadvent/.

PURE HARMONY MUSIC & EVENTS is proud to join with St Paul's Anglican Cathedral, Sale to present the most enduring choral work in history, Handel's Messiah. Composed in 1741, the work is still as potent as it was 280 years ago, inspiring joy and wonder from both first-time listeners and the audience members who have enjoyed this work for many years. Sunday 19 December, 2:30pm. Tickets available at www.trybooking.com/events/landing?eid=830387

MARY'S KITCHEN break up for 2021 will be held on Thursday 9 December from 12.00 to 1.30pm

currently a project being run by the Diocese of Sale on future use of the Sion Convent in Sale. Below is the link for the community survey which Dean Peter would like parishioners to use to provide their feedback on this project. https://forms.office.com/ r/4R2fHpQTeF

31 CLUB REMINDER for 22 - 28 November 2021. Please pray for vocations.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED The 9.30am Mass on 27 Nov will be for our loved ones who have died. The Mass will be in St Mary's Cathedral and parishioners can take a small container of holy water with a prayer of blessing to their loved ones graveside.

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 servina community. always discerning and doing your will for one another. We make this prayer through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION TO ST JOSEPH

O dearest St. Joseph, I consecrate myself to thy honour and give myself to thee, that thou mayest always be my father, my protector.

and my guide in the way of salvation. Obtain for me a great purity of heart and a fervent love of the interior life. After thine example, may I do all my actions

for the greater glory of God, in union with the Divine Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary! And do thou, O Blessed St. Joseph, pray for me that I may share in the peace and joy of thy holy death. Amen.

CHRISTMAS FLOWERS if you would like to make a donation for Christmas Flowers in the Cathedral please put it in an envelope marked 'Christmas Flowers' and place in the collection plate or drop it in to the Parish Office.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun 21 Nov 9.30am: James Fischer

Johanna Fischer (A's)

Fri 26 Nov 11am: Frances Boyd (A)

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.

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND:

Planned Giving: 1.085.00 Presbytery: \$650.45 **Credit Cards:** \$0.00 **Direct Debits& Credits:** \$1,270.00 Cathedral EFTpos: \$50.00 With thanks from a grateful parish.

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Mass Timetable this week Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B 20 - 21 November 2021

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Day/Date	Time	Place
Saturday 20 November	9.30am	Cathedral
FIRST COMMUNION MASS	5.30pm	Cathedral
	7.00pm	Rosedale
Sunday 21 November	9.30am	Cathedral
FIRST COMMUNION AT	9.30am	Stratford
ALL MASSES	11.00am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Cathedral
WEEKDAYS	•	
Monday 22 November	NO	MASS
Tuesday 23 November	9.30am	Cathedral
Wednesday 24 November	9.30am	Cathedral
Thursday 25 November	9.30am	Cathedral
Friday 26 November	11.00am	Cathedral
Reconciliation & Exposition	11.30am	Cathedral
WEEKEND		
Saturday 27 November	9.30am	Cathedral
	11.00am	Loch Sport
	5.30pm	Cathedral
Sunday 28 November	7.00pm	Rosedale
	9.30am	Cathedral
	9.30am	Briagolong
	11.00am	Cathedral
Bookings required for 5.30pm	5.30pm	Cathedral
Use the QR Reader to record your attendance please.	Use hand Sanitiser	Please social distance

INVITATION TO AN ECUMENICAL ADVENT CONVERSATION

Bishop Richard Treloar, Anglican Bishop of Gippsland and Bishop Greg Bennet, Catholic Bishop of Sale invite clergy and lay people from both Dioceses to join them for an Advent Conversation - a seasonal study of Luke, titled 'Prepare the way of the Lord; Ecumenical Reflections on the Advent readings in Year C.' The Conversation will be led by Biblical Scholars from the University of Divinity, Melbourne: The Rev'd Dr Robert Derrenbacker, Frank Woods Associate Professor in New Testament, Trinity College Theological School, and The Rev'd Fr Francis Otobo, Lecturer in Biblical Studies, Yarra Theological College and parish Priest of St Michael's Traralgon. There will be time for those present to participate.

Friday 26 November 2021 10.30am - 3.30pm. A light lunch will be served. Catering charge \$20 per person. 1-25 First Parade, Raymond Island 3880. RSVP 19 November 2021. Booking essential for catering purposes. Phone: The Abbey on (03) 5156 6580 Email: info@theabbey.org.au

FIRST COMMUNION

We congratulate the Parish children who are making their First Communion this weekend.

Thank you to:

Jennifer Fitzgerald, Sacramental Coordinator, Veronica Barnes, Pastoral Associate, Parents, Guardians and Grandparents, Dean Peter, Fr Jithin & Mark Hughes, and our Parish schools,

who prepared 43 children for this special celebration.

Jessica Boyd	Molly Brayshaw
Felicity Burley	Elyse Cahill
Claire Casilles	Erin Clapton
Chloe Covino	Isabel Covino
Corban Cook	Nina Davine
Alexa Doherty	Hudson Doherty
Jack Donnelly	Oliver Dresser
Dakota Edwards	Grace Fleming
Will Foster	Oscar Hall
Charlie Kelly	Beth Kelly
Jasmine Lazzaro	Hayden Lazzaro
Larissa Kemp	Jude McBean
Maya Mason	Kaidan Michalik
Aidan Murphy	Tori Nikolic
Lilli O'Brien	Charli Paterson
Aishah Peavey	Lavinia Ross
Angelina Ryan	Patrick Shaw
Charlie Slattery	Erin Smith
Archie Stringer	Xavier Stringer
Remy Sutton	Daisy Wilson
Hunter Wynd	



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

We offer prayers for those who have died Leigh Morris, Peter Harris, Daniel Waugh, Justin McLay, Marjorie Hunter and those whose anniversaries occur about this time James Fischer, Johanna Fischer, Frances Boyd, Fr Tim McInnes, Mgr William Caffrey, Fr Gerald Byrne, Bishop Jeremiah Coffey. Please pray for those who are sick Terry Chiller, Fr Brian O'Connor, Andrew Geary, Gabriel Hall, Connie Tantaro, Dawn Carroll, Helen Cantwell, Anthony Lee, Michael McGrath, Harold Hopkins, Peter Kerr, Troy Barney, Miguel Stehr, Bernard Clancy, Kim Yacoub, Celie Smith, Bill Harkin, Cynthia Freshwater and Maureen O'Kane. We pray in thanks for all who care for the sick.

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honour.

To him belong glory and power for ever and ever.

FIRST READING:

A reading from the Prophet Daniel 7:13-14

I gazed into the visions of the night. And I saw, coming on the clouds of heaven ,one like a son of man. He came to the one of great age and was led into his presence. On him was conferred sovereignty, glory and kingship, and men of all peoples, nations and languages became his servants. His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty which shall never pass away, nor will his empire be destroyed.

The Word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

The Lord is king; he is robed in majesty.

The Lord is king, with majesty enrobed; the Lord has robed himself with might, he has girded himself with power. (R)

The world you made firm, not to be moved; your throne has stood firm from of old. From all eternity, O Lord, you are. (R)

Truly your decrees are to be trusted. Holiness is fitting to your house, O Lord, until the end of time. (R)

SECOND READING:

A reading from the book of Apocalypse 1:5-8

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the First-born from the dead, the Ruler of the kings of the earth. He loves us and has washed away our sins with his blood, and made us a line of kings, priests to serve his God and Father; to him, then, be glory and power for ever and ever. Amen. It is he who is coming on the clouds; everyone will see him, even those who pierced him, and all the races of the earth will mourn over him. This is the truth. Amen. 'I am the Alpha and the Omega' says the Lord God, who is, who was, and who is to come, the Almighty.

The Word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our Father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Alleluia!



GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John 18:33-37

'Are you the king of the Jews?' Pilate asked. Jesus replied, 'Do you ask this of your own accord, or have others spoken to you about me?' Pilate answered, 'Am I a Jew? It is your own people and the chief priests who have handed you over to me: what have you done?' Jesus replied, 'Mine is not a kingdom of this world; if my kingdom were of this world, my men would have fought to prevent my being surrendered to the Jews. But my kingdom is not of this kind.' 'So you are a king then?' said Pilate. 'It is you who say it' answered Jesus. 'Yes, I am a king. I was born for this, I came into the world for this: to bear witness to the truth; and all who are on the side of truth listen to my voice.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The Lord sits as King for ever.
The Lord will bless his people with peace.

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus,

I believe that You are in the Blessed Sacrament.
I love You above all things, and I long for You in my soul.

Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

As though you have already come.

I embrace You and Unite myself entirely to You: never permit me to be separated from You. Amen



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Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Every Friday from 11.30am—12.00pm RECONCILIATION: Cathedral

Every Friday from 11.30am –12.00pm

READINGS NEXT WEEK:

First Sunday of Advent, Year C

1st Reading: Jeremiah 33:14-16
2nd Reading: 1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2
Gospel: Luke 21:25-28, 34-36

MARY'S SOUP KITCHEN CHAPTER HOUSE

Mary's Soup Kitchen Thursdays

'Soup and Sandwiches' from Noon -1.00pm Tea and Coffee provided. **All welcome.**



WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE

Saturday: Loch Sport - 11.00am (2nd & 4th Saturday of the Month)

Saturday: Cathedral - 5.30pm Vigil **Saturday**: Rosedale - 7.00pm

Sunday: Cathedral - 9:30am, 11.00am and 5.30pm

Sunday: Stratford - 9.30am (1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday of the Month)
Sunday: Briagolong - 9.30am (2nd & 4th Sunday of the Month)
Please check the bulletin each week for weekday Mass times.