

ST MARY'S PARISH, SALE

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ST PATRICK'S, BRIAGOLONG;
THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF LOCH SPORT.

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Mrs Veronica Barnes, Pastoral Associate.
Mrs Jennifer Fitzgerald, Sacramental Coordinator.



10 - 11 February 2018

*ASH WEDNESDAY
FEBRUARY 14, 2018*

MASS TIMETABLE

- 9.00am St Patrick's Stratford – Students and Parishioners*
- 9.30am St Mary's Cathedral - School and Parishioners*
- 10.30am Ashleigh House - Liturgy of the Word & Communion*
- 11.15am St Thomas' School - Whole School Mass*
- 12.30pm St Mary's Cathedral - St Pat's Campus attending*
- 6.00pm St Mary's Cathedral - Parishioners*

Timetable for Days of Fasting and reparation in sorrow

We welcome the Catholic Bishop's of Australia's invitation for the Catholic Community at the beginning of Lent – to enter into Days of fasting and reparation in sorrow for child sexual abuse and for the healing of victims the timetable will be as follows - Each prayer will be in St Mary's Cathedral

*Ash Wednesday Feb 14: “Evening prayer” – following 6.00pm Mass - Dean Peter.
Thursday Feb 15 : 11.00-12.00Noon - “Holy Hour” Fr Solomon Okeh
Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament*

*Friday Feb 16 - 12.00Noon to 1.00pm Common Penitential Celebration
Dean Peter and Fr Solomon*

Please take to heart the importance of these days in preparing the Church to respond to the recommendations of the Royal Commission and to make the journey from Ash Wednesday to Easter. We cannot undo the past. With God's help we can make the future better.

Love and prayers

Dean Peter

THE PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Monday 12 February as Clare is attending training.

NEW SUNDAY ROSTER is out. Please collect your copy from the Cathedral entry.

CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF THE SISTERS OF ST JOSEPH IN ST MARY'S PARISH, YARRAM

On Sunday, 18th February we will be celebrating 100 years of the presence of the Sisters of St. Joseph on our parish. Bishop Patrick O'Regan will be celebrating Mass at 10.00am and this will be followed by lunch in the Mary MacKillop Hall with an opportunity to look at our newly refurbished school. If you are a past student or parishioner, wishing to join us in our celebrations, could you please contact the Parish Office on 5182 5028 on **T u e s d a y s** o r e m a i l stmarysyarram@bigpond.com

31 CLUB REMINDER 12-18 February 2018.

PARISH LENTEN PROGRAM 2018 Lent begins with Ash Wednesday this week. Parishioners are invited to join the Lenten groups offered. Jen's Lenten group is held at 10am (after morning Mass) each Tuesday in the small room at the Chapter House. It's not too late to contact the parish office on 5144 4100 for the various contact persons. There are no more books available for purchase.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM this week the Reconciliation Program begins in the Parish. Parents attended a Parent Workshop last Thursday. At Mass this weekend we welcome children and their families for Commitment Ceremonies. The next meeting will be a parent/child workshop on Thursday 22 February.

LITURGY MEETING: Parishioners are invited to attend a planning meeting for Holy week and Easter Ceremonies at 3pm on Tuesday 13 February in the Bishop's House.

RITE OF ELECTION for Catechumens and the Formal Recognition of Baptised Candidates. An invitation is extended to all catechumens, candidates and their families, RCIA team members and parishioners to the Rite of Election celebrated by Bishop Pat O'Regan on Sunday 18th February at 3.00 pm in St. Mary's Cathedral, Sale.

2.00 pm Bishop Pat warmly invites catechumens, candidates and their families, sponsors and RCIA teams to meet him at the Chapter House (at the rear of the Cathedral precinct)

3.00 pm The Rite of Election of Catechumens and Formal Recognition of Baptised Candidates in the Cathedral

4.00 pm Afternoon tea in the Cathedral gathering space. Please bring some food to share.

ATTENTION: Parish Singers and Musicians wanted for the Rite of Election!

As in past years, we are forming a Diocesan choir for the Rite of Election at St Mary's Cathedral on Sunday 18th February 2018.

1.30-2.30 pm Choir rehearsal

3.00 -4.00 pm Rite of Election

To register your interest and receive the music pack, please contact Sophy Morley on smorley@sale.catholic.org.au as soon as possible or phone 5622 6677, N.B. It is a diocesan requirement that all Diocesan Choir members are a holder of a current Working with Children Check.

FAREWELL Bert and Elaine Fidelaars.

After many years with us here at Sale, Bert and Elaine, with Isaac and Mark have moved to Melbourne to be near David and Carolyn – we wish them well and are grateful for their fruitful generous time with us.

PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP was established in 1972 in Sydney. The aim of the Family Group Movement is to build Christian community through the development of extended families. With loneliness and isolation so prevalent in our society, there is a genuine need for people to know and support each other. Family Groups create an extended family atmosphere within the community and are open to everyone. Our focus is on people caring for, loving and accepting each other.

"Love one another as I have loved you"

Our Aims:

To get to know other members of the Parish
To support each other sharing each others joys and sorrows and so building the Christian community as in the early Church

To involve our children in our Christian sharing directly, if possible.

If not, then indirectly by our example
Parishioners are invited to come and join our Parish Family Groups who meet socially e.g. pizza night, coffee after mass, BBQ, breakfast.

Enquiries: Veronica & Keith 0455121949.

CHANEL COLLEGE GEELONG is having 60th Anniversary Reunion for students of The Marist Fathers era [1958-1970].

For details send your email address to: chanel.geelong@gmail.com OR your postal details to PO Box 3069 Geelong West 3218.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sun 11 February 9.30am: Keith Best

COUNTERS: February 11: Team 9:

Lenie & Bill Smolenaars, Nick & Maree Centra

February 18: Team 2: Robert McKenzie, Mark Durrant, Lou Centra

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND:

Planned Giving: \$ 2,118.60

House: \$ 1,211.00

With thanks from a grateful parish.

SACRISTY: Team 3: (15 February) Lana Nedelko, Emmy Van Berkel, Carmel Allman

Team 4: (22 February) Maree Centra, Angela Ronchi, Margaret Hickey, Huong Clancy

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
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B
10 - 11 February 2018**

Day/Date	Time	Place
Saturday February 10	5.30pm 7.00pm	Cathedral Rosedale
Sunday February 11	9.30am 9.30am 6.00pm	Cathedral Stratford Cathedral
Monday February 12	11.00am	Cathedral
Tuesday February 13	9.30am 10.30am	Cathedral Opal Aged Care
Wednesday February 14	9.00am 9.30am 10.30am 11.15am 12.30pm 6.00pm	Stratford Cathedral Ashleigh House St Thomas' School Cathedral Cathedral
Thursday February 15	9.30am	Cathedral
Friday February 16	9.30am 11.00am 6.00pm	St Thomas' School Cathedral Stations of the Cross
Saturday February 17	9.30am 5.30pm 7.00pm	Cathedral Cathedral Rosedale
Sunday February 18	9.30am 9.30am 6.00pm	Cathedral Briagolong Cathedral

LENT 40 DAYS OF FASTING AND ALMSGIVING

Dear Parishioners, Here is an opportunity to enter into the Spirit of

PROJECT COMPASSION

'Cultivate with love the seeds of goodness, beauty and truth that God sows in every new generation.'

Pope Francis

THANK YOU

Janaki is a young entrepreneur from Nepal who has turned her life around. Growing up in a world of poverty and disadvantage, she was in a very vulnerable position. Thanks to a Caritas Australia supported Children and Youth Empowerment program, she's now running her own successful sewing business while training other young women to do the same – and has become an inspirational community leader.

PARISH COUNCIL STATEMENTS.

MISSION STATEMENT.

We the parish of Sale believe in the message and mission of Jesus Christ. As a Parish, we seek to live out this belief by enriching the quality of our Parish life and providing opportunities to grow together in God's love

MOTTO.

Believe! Live! Give!

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

PROJECT COMPASSION BOXES

Please collect your own personal Project Compassion Box, available at each Church this weekend – Kindly place it in a prominent place at home, inviting your friends and others to make a small contribution upon their visit.

Beatitude "Blessed are the poor in Spirit – Theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven "

The words from the Hymn "All I Ask of you" ring beautifully in a generous giving heart

Reflect and pray these words in your heart

Refrain: All I ask of you is forever to remember me as loving you.

VI Deep the joy of being together in one heart
And for me that's just where it is.

Refrain All I ask of you is forever to remember me as loving you

Kind wishes, Dean Peter

We remember those who have died **Giulio Ravagnolo, Keith Murray, Patricia (Pat) Farquhar, Pat Harrup, Denis Sheehan** and for those whose anniversaries occur about this time **Fr David Quinn, Fr E G Curran, Nell Dunell, Vincent Cantwell and Keith Best.** **We pray for those who are sick** Raquel Waite, Glenys Dolan, Luke Packham, Rosa Maria Santos, Jaxon Kent, Kevin Kelly, John Cunningham, Valda Armstead, Caroline Robinson, Aussie Boyd, Rosie Carroll, Coty Tobar, Noreen Lyttle and Maureen O'Kane. **We pray in thanks for all who care for the sick.**

Date 18/02/2018	Welcomer	Commentator	Reader	Offertory Procession	Extraordinary Minister of Communion
Saturday 5.30pm		Brenda Burditt	Ann Neville Liz Tabuteau		Wilbert Smits, Theo Smolenaars, Lenie Smolenaars
Sunday 9.30pm	Harold & Mary Hopkins	Diane Ward	Carmel Kuizenga Clare O'Brien	Racquel & Doug Waite	Brian Donnelly, Elisabeth Staberhofer, John Vermaelen
Sunday 6.00pm		Brenda Bowden	Colin Coomber Louie Minoza		Lindsay Broughton, Stephanie Broughton, Jennifer Fitzgerald


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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Be my protector, O God,
a mighty stronghold to save me.
For you are my rock, my stronghold!
Lead me, guide me, for the sake of your name.

FIRST READING:

A reading from the book of Leviticus Lv 13:1-2. 44-46

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron, 'If a swelling or scab or shiny spot appears on a man's skin, a case of leprosy of the skin is to be suspected. The man must be taken to Aaron, the priest, or to one of the priests who are his sons.

'The man is leprosy: he is unclean. The priest must declare him unclean; he is suffering from leprosy of the head. A man infected with leprosy must wear his clothing torn and his hair disordered; he must shield his upper lip and cry, "Unclean, unclean". As long as the disease lasts he must be unclean; and therefore he must live apart; he must live outside the camp.'

The Word of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Response: I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble,
and you fill me with the joy of salvation.

Happy the man whose offence is forgiven,
whose sin is remitted.

O happy the man to whom the Lord
imputes no guilt, in whose spirit is no guile. (R.)

But now I have acknowledged my sins;
my guilt I did not hide.

I said: 'I will confess my offence to the Lord.'

And you, Lord, have forgiven the guilt of my sin. (R.)

Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord,
exult, you just!

O come, ring out your joy,
all you upright of heart. (R.)

SECOND READING

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 1 Cor 10:31 – 11:1

Whatever you eat, whatever you drink, whatever you do at all, do it for the glory of God. Never do anything offensive to anyone – to Jews or Greeks or to the Church of God; just as I try to be helpful to everyone at all times, not anxious for my own advantage but for the advantage of everybody else, so that they may be saved.

Take me for your model, as I take Christ.

The Word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

A great prophet has appeared among us;
God has visited his people.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark Mk 1:40-45

A leper came to Jesus and pleaded on his knees: 'If you want to he said 'you can cure me.' Feeling sorry for him, Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him. 'Of course I want to!' he said. 'Be cured!' And the leprosy left him at once and he was cured. Jesus immediately sent him away and sternly ordered him, 'Mind you say nothing to anyone, but go and show yourself to the priest, and make the offering for your healing prescribed by Moses as evidence of your recovery.' The man went away, but then started talking about it freely and telling the story everywhere, so that Jesus could no longer go openly into any town, but had to stay outside in places where nobody lived. Even so, people from all around would come to him.

The Gospel of the Lord.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

They ate and had their fill, and what they craved the Lord gave them; they were not disappointed in what they craved.

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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Serves 'Soup and Sandwiches'
on Thursdays, from Noon-1.30pm
Tea and Coffee provided. 
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All welcome.

READINGS NEXT WEEK First Sunday of Lent Year B

First Reading: Genesis 9:8-15
Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22
Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

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)
Sunday: Cathedral - 6.00pm (DST) 5.00pm (EST)

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.

NAME:

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Please tick: If you would like to join the Planned Giving Program
If you would like to join a Family Group