

ST MARY'S PARISH, SALE

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*Third Sunday of Easter, Year C
30 April - 1 May 2022*

REFLECTION by Dianne Bergant CSA

Today we concentrate on the different ways that the witness of the community of faith manifests the Lord – the apostolic witness of leadership and service that is accomplished by the various ministries within the church. While today's gospel singles out Peter as a leader within the community, in no way does this mean that such providential care for the church is the sole responsibility of authorised leaders. Rather, it is the responsibility of all the baptised.

In their teaching and preaching, the apostles moved from one understanding of God's presence and activity in the midst of the people to another. This new understanding had the death and resurrection of Jesus at its core. The light of the resurrection illumined their former religious convictions and aspirations, and they were undeterred in their commitment to spread this good news, this new word, this transforming light.

A martyr is a witness, one who is so committed, that that person is willing to suffer any consequence, even death, in order to be faithful. The apostles rejoiced that they had been found worthy of ill-treatment for the sake of the name of Jesus. The Lamb who is exalted is the one who was slain, and Peter is told that, like his master, he will pay for his commitment with his life. Even the psalm alludes to the suffering that must be endured by those who have chosen to be faithful. This kind of steadfastness has always been a persuasive witness.

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PARISH CALENDAR

Sat 30 Apr 4.15pm: Tour of Bishop's House and Presbytery
Sat 30 Apr: Confirmation Commitment Mass
Sun 1 May: Confirmation Commitment Mass
Sat 30 Apr 10.30am: Tour of Bishop's House and Presbytery
Sun 1 May: First Sunday Cuppa **9.30am**
Thu 5 May: Serra Club Mass & Dinner **4.40pm**

SACRAMENTAL ENROLMENT If your children are making their sacraments in 2022 your need to collect your forms from the Parish office between 9am & 3pm weekdays. Forms were due by Friday 8 April for **all Sacraments**. If you missed the enrolment deadline please call the Parish Office on 5144 4100 and ask to speak to Jennifer Fitzgerald the St Mary's Cathedral Parish Sacramental Coordinator.

CONFIRMATION will be held on **Sunday 5 June at 9.30am**. The Confirmation Commitment Masses will be held this weekend, **Saturday 30 April and Sunday 1 May**.

ROSARY has resumed after 9.30am Mass each Tuesday in the Cathedral.

SERRA CLUB: The Serra Club will gather in the Cathedral this **Thursday 5 May at 4.40pm** for Rosary and 5.00pm Mass followed by their meeting in Chapter House. All welcome. Apologies to Brenda Burditt.

31 CLUB REMINDER for 2 - 8 May. Please pray for vocations.

SUNDAY CUPPA will be held once again after 9.30am Mass **on the first Sunday of each month**. The May Sunday Cuppa will be coordinated by the Filipino Community. Please bring a plate to share. All welcome.

MARY'S SOUP KITCHEN will be opening next on Thursday 5 May from **12.00 - 1.00pm** in the Chapter House.

CHOIR Rehearsals will take place on **Tuesday evenings from 7:30pm**. Thanks to those parishioners who turn up for choir practice and sing so joyfully on weekends.

LEAVING COLLECTION Thank you to our very generous Parishioners who donated \$614.05 for the **Education of the Seminarians Bursary Fund**.

WALKING IN THE SPIRIT: National Prayer Pilgrimage for the Plenary Council People across the country are invited to participate in a national prayer pilgrimage as the Catholic Church in Australia prepares for the Second Assembly of the 5th Plenary Council of Australia in Sydney from 3-9 July. We pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance and grace for the Members who will gather and also for ourselves and the Church, that we may have the courage to follow where God is leading us. Access Walking in the Spirit Prayer Resources at: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/walkinginthepirit

MARIAN DAY AT COWWARR: The Ordinatee invites you to come spend a day with Our Lady to celebrate Our Lady of Sorrows/Compassion. All are welcome to attend.

Place: St. Brigid's Church, Cowwarr

Date: Saturday 14 May 2022

Time: 9.00am - 3.00pm

SCHEDULE:

9am Adoration & Confession.
10am Benediction.
10:15am Morning Tea.
11am Speaker: Fr. Ken Clark
11:45am Procession and Crowning of Our Lady's Statue.
12pm Holy Mass.
1pm Lunch - BYO.
2pm Speaker: Fr. Ken Clark.
3pm The Divine Mercy Chaplet and Close.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun 1 May 9.30am: Raquel Waite (A)

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.*

DIVINE RENOVATION 'Do you want to help parishes move from maintenance to mission?'

Divine Renovation Ministry is hiring! We're currently seeking candidates for 3 Relationship Guide roles for Queensland, NSW, and Victoria. If you (or someone you know) feels called to serve the Church through ministry work by accompanying and offering support to priests and parishes on the renewal journey, we encourage you to check out the position and apply at www.divinerenovation.org/jobs. Please contact us at australasia@divinerenovation.org for more information.

TOUR OF BISHOP'S HOUSE AND PRESBYTERY you are invited to tour the Bishop's House and Presbytery this weekend to observe the need for renovation to both properties. Saturday's tour will commence in the quadrangle near the Presbytery at **4.15pm**. Sunday's tour will commence in the quadrangle near the Presbytery at **10.30am**.

BAPTISMS: By arrangement through the Parish Office phone 5144 4100.
ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament, Friday after Mass 1130am—12.00noon 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:	\$663.50
Presbytery:	\$735.25
Credit Cards:	\$30.00
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With thanks from a grateful parish.

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**Mass Timetable this week
Third Sunday of Easter, Year C
30 April - 1 May 2022**

Day/Date	Time	Place
Saturday 30 April	9.30am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Cathedral
	7.00pm	Rosedale
Sunday 1 May	9.30am	Cathedral
	9.30am	Briagolong
	5.30pm	Cathedral
<i>WEEKDAYS</i>		
Monday 2 May	<i>NO</i>	<i>MASS</i>
Tuesday 3 May	9.30am	Cathedral
Wednesday 4 May	9.30am	Cathedral
Thursday 5 May		
<i>Serra Club Mass</i>	5.00pm	Cathedral
Friday 6 May	11.00am	Cathedral
<i>Reconciliation & Exposition</i>	11.30am	Cathedral
<i>WEEKEND</i>		
Saturday 7 May	9.30am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Cathedral
	7.00pm	Rosedale
Sunday 8 May	9.30am	Stratford
	9.30am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Cathedral

**Prayer for the Synod:
Adsumus Sancte Spiritus**
We stand before You, Holy Spirit,
as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us,
make Yourself at home in our hearts;
Teach us the way we must go
and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful;
do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us
down the wrong path
nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity
so that we may journey
together to eternal life
and not stray from the way of truth
and what is right.

All this we ask of You,
who are at work in every place and time,
in the communion of the Father and the Son,
forever and ever. Amen.




“Let’s walk together” A Celebration of Our Diocese!

As the first phase of the Synodal Process, ‘Listening and Discernment in the Local Churches’, concludes, a **Diocesan Pre-Synodal celebration has been called by Bishop Greg Benet**,

inviting people from parishes, schools and agencies throughout the Diocese to join him and the clergy for a Liturgy of the Word, followed by afternoon tea. Music and song led by the Samoan Divine Mercy Choir, Cranbourne Ethnic groups are encouraged to wear their national dress.

You are invited to join this celebration this **Sunday 1 May 2022 at 2.00pm at St Kieran’s Church, Lloyd St, Moe**. Please notify your parish office on 5144 4100 by **26th April 2022** to register your interest in attending or go directly to <https://www.trybooking.com/BYLXM>. Bookings are necessary for catering purposes. We look forward to seeing you there!

Corpus Christi College and Catholic Theological College

 CATHOLIC THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE  UNIVERSITY OF DIVINITY	<p><i>Good Shepherd Sunday Appeal</i></p> <p>Your (tax deductible) donation will support the living arrangements and education for the Corpus Christi College seminarians. Donate via:</p>	
https://ctc.edu.au/community/good-shepherd-sunday-appeal/		

Date & Time	Welcomer	Commentator	Reader
Sat 30/4 5.30pm	Theo Smolenaars	Ann Neville	Sandra Smolenaars
Sun 1/5 9.30am	Marie & Nick Centra	Nick Hall	Vince Beer
Sun 1/5 5.30pm	Please offer	Jennifer Fitzgerald	Lyn Althaus

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

We offer prayers for those who have died **John Harvey, Kevin Jackman, Leo McManus, Sr. Helen Frawley (Sister of Sion)**, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time **Raquel Waite, Alma Lee, Fr James Martin, Dcn James Hegarty**. Please pray for those who are sick **John Schroeder, Kempsea Smith, Margaret Lee, Brendan Lee, Fr Tao Pham, Fr Brian O’Connor, Andrew Geary, Gabriel Hall, Dawn Carroll, Anthony Lee, Michael McGrath, Harold Hopkins, Troy Barney, Miguel Stehr, Kim Yacoub, Celie Smith, Bill Harkin and Maureen O’Kane**. **We pray in thanks for all who care for the sick.**

NEW TO 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!

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

FIRST READING:

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles 5:27-32, 40-41

The high priest demanded an explanation of the apostles. 'We gave you a formal warning,' he said 'not to preach in this name, and what have you done? You have filled Jerusalem with your teaching, and seem determined to fix the guilt of this man's death on us.' In reply Peter and the apostles said, 'Obedience to God comes before obedience to men; it was the God of our ancestors who raised up Jesus, but it was you who had him executed by hanging on a tree. By his own right hand God has now raised him up to be leader and saviour, to give repentance and forgiveness of sins through him to Israel. We are witnesses to all this, we and the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.' They warned the apostles not to speak in the name of Jesus and released them. And so they left the presence of the Sanhedrin glad to have had the honour of suffering humiliation for the sake of the name.

The Word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me
and have not let my enemies rejoice over me.
O Lord, you have raised my soul from the dead,
restored me to life from those who sink into the grave. (R.)

Sing psalms to the Lord, you who love him,
give thanks to his holy name.
His anger lasts but a moment; his favour through life.
At night there are tears, but joy comes with dawn. (R.)

The Lord listened and had pity.
The Lord came to my help.
For me you have changed my mourning into dancing;
O Lord my God, I will thank you for ever. (R.)

SECOND READING:

A reading from the book of the Apocalypse 5:11-14

In my vision, I, John, heard the sound of an immense number of angels gathered round the throne and the animals and the elders; there were ten thousand times ten thousand of them and thousands upon thousands, shouting, 'The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to be given power, riches, wisdom, strength, honour, glory and blessing.' Then I heard all the living things in creation – everything that lives in the air, and on the ground, and under the ground, and in the sea, crying, 'To the One who is sitting on the throne and to the Lamb, be all praise, honour, glory and power, for ever and ever.' And the four animals said, 'Amen'; and the elders prostrated themselves to worship.

The Word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!
Christ is risen, the Lord of all creation;
he has shown pity on all people.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: A reading from the holy Gospel according to John 21:1-19

Jesus showed himself again to the disciples. It was by the Sea of Tiberias, and it happened like this: Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael from Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee and two more of his disciples were together. Simon Peter said, 'I'm going fishing.' They replied, 'We'll come with you.' They went out and got into the boat but caught nothing that night.

It was light by now and there stood Jesus on the shore, though the disciples did not realise that it was Jesus. Jesus called out, 'Have you

caught anything, friends?' And when they answered, 'No', he said, 'Throw the net out to starboard and you'll find something.' So they dropped the net, and there were so many fish that they could not haul it in. The disciple Jesus loved said to Peter, 'It is the Lord.' At these words 'It is the Lord', Simon Peter, who had practically nothing on, wrapped his cloak round him and jumped into the water. The other disciples came on in the boat, towing the net and the fish; they were only about a hundred yards from land.

As soon as they came ashore they saw that there was some bread there, and a charcoal fire with fish cooking on it. Jesus said, 'Bring some of the fish you have just caught.' Simon Peter went aboard and dragged the net to the shore, full of big fish, one hundred and fifty-three of them; and in spite of there being so many the net was not broken. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' None of the disciples was bold enough to ask, 'Who are you?'; they knew quite well it was the Lord. Jesus then stepped forward, took the bread and gave it to them, and the same with the fish. This was the third time that Jesus showed himself to the disciples after rising from the dead.

After the meal Jesus said to Simon Peter, 'Simon son of John, do you love me more than these others do?' He answered, 'Yes Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my lambs.' A second time he said to him, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' He replied, 'Yes, Lord, you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Look after my sheep.' Then he said to him a third time, 'Simon son of John, do you love me?' Peter was upset that he asked him the third time, 'Do you love me?' and said, 'Lord, you know everything; you know I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.

'I tell you most solemnly, when you were young you put on your own belt and walked where you liked; but when you grow old you will stretch out your hands, and somebody else will put a belt round you and take you where you would rather not go.' In these words he indicated the kind of death by which Peter would give glory to God. After this he said, 'Follow me.'

The Gospel of the Lord

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

**Jesus said to his disciples: Come and eat.
And he took bread and gave it to them, alleluia.**



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Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Every Friday from 11.30am —12.00pm
RECONCILIATION: Cathedral
Friday & Saturday morning following Mass

READINGS NEXT WEEK:
Fourth Sunday of Easter, Year C
1st Reading: **Acts 13:14, 43-52**
2nd Reading: **Apocalypse 7:9, 14-17**
Gospel: **John 10:27-30**

MARY'S SOUP KITCHEN
CHAPTER HOUSE
Each Thursday fortnight - next 5 May
'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 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.