ST MARY'S PARISH, SALE

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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: Fr Francis, Fr Jithin, Rose Lee, Brenda Burditt, Cijo Kuriakose, John Dykun, Michele Wakeham, Doug Waite, Claire Everard, Tim Morrison, Carmel Kuizenga, Anita Little, Filomena Padula, Jennifer Fitzgerald.

<u>Safeguarding Statement:</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 Officer is Tim Morrison.** Ph 5144 4100

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A 28 - 29 January 2023

Mass Timetable this week

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Day/Date	Time	Place
Saturday 28 January	9.30am	Cathedral
	11.00am	Loch Sport
	5.30am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Rosedale
Sunday 29 January	9.30am	Stratford
Feast of the Sto Nino	9.30am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Cathedral
Monday 30 January	NO	MASS
Tuesday 31 January	9.30am	Cathedral
Wed 1 February	9.30am	Cathedral
Thurs 2 February	9.30am	Cathedral
Friday 3 February	9.30am	Cathedral
Saturday 4 February	9.30am	Cathedral
	5.30am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Rosedale
Sunday 5 February	9.30am	Stratford
	9.30am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Cathedral

We offer prayers for those who have died Judy Lazzaro, Toni May, Fr Tao Pham, Andreas Vassiliou and those whose anniversaries occur about this time Christine Sullivan, Brian Goodison, Alessandro Cappozzo, Fr Maurice Carroll. We pray for those who are sick Eric Tabuteau, John Schroeder, Jim Clottin, Priyantha Welgama, Nimal and Vajira, Dushyanthi, Robert Bailey, Helena Klimas, Helen O'Kane, Andrew Geary, Michael McGrath, Troy Barney, Miguel Stehr, Bill Harkin and Maureen O'Kane. We pray in thanks for all who care for the sick.

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND:

Planned Giving: \$907.00
Presbytery: \$933.20
Credit Cards: \$0.00
Direct Debits: \$590.00
Cathedral EFTPOS: \$70.00
With thanks from a grateful parish.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Sun 29 Jan 5.30pm: Alessandro

Cappozzo (A)

Wed 1 Feb 9.30am: Christine

Sullivan (A)

WELCOME to all those attending the FEAST of the STO NINO Mass this weekend in the Cathedral.



<u>LITURGY GROUP</u> Fr Francis is intending to recommence the Liturgy Group for the Parish to help plan liturgies into the future. If you believe this is an opportunity you would like to be involved in please contact the Parish Office on 5144 4100.

LENTEN RESOURCE BOOK If you would like a copy of the Lenten resource 'Way of the Cross' from Liturgy Brisbane please let Clare know by Friday 3 February. Copies are \$10 each. Lent commences on Wednesday 22 February 2023.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC) First meeting for 2023 will be held at 5pm on Wednesday 15 February in the Chapter House. The Inauguration Mass for members of the PPC will be held in the Cathedral at 9.30am on Sunday 19 February. If any Parishioner has issues you would like discussed by the PPC please raise them with one of the members listed in the masthead of this bulletin.

JAMBEROO ABBEY ONLINE RETREAT with Theresa Ardler & Sr Antonia Curtis OSB. The retreat will be pondering the values of Silence, Listening, Reverence and Community, all three of which are integral to both Aboriginal Spirituality and Benedictine Spirituality. In bringing this retreat to you we are stretching out our hands in friendship toward each other - honoring both ways and striving to live in harmony and peace. We hope you will join us. Retreat begins 12 February 2023. All videos and texts will be available on our website for as long as you need access. There are 6 conferences in this retreat plus a recorded conversation between Theresa and Sr Antonia at the end of the retreat. There will be one conference each Sunday as well as questions for reflection. The cost of the retreat is \$300.00 If there is a problem with the cost please do not hesitate to contact us. Register online at: Jamberooabbey.org.au/ retreats/online-retreats. You will also find many other online retreats on our website.

SERRA CLUB: The Serra Club will gather in the Cathedral on Thursday 2 February at 4.40pm for Rosary and 5.00pm Mass followed by the meeting in Chapter House. All welcome. Apologies to Brenda Burditt. 31 CLUB REMINDER for 6 to 12 February. Please pray for vocations.

<u>WELCOME BACK</u> to all our Parish schools this week. We hope all teachers, staff and students are returning refreshed and relaxed. Welcome to all students and staff who are new to their school.

PARISH CELLS OF EVANGELISATION The Parish Cells of Evangelisation will resume on **Monday 6 February**. The Reflections will be those of the 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time.



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Save us, O Lord our God! And gather us from the nations, to give thanks to your holy name, and make it our glory to praise you.

FIRST READING:

A reading from the prophet Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13

Seek the Lord all you, the humble of the earth, who obey his commands. Seek integrity, seek humility: you may perhaps find shelter on the day of the anger of the Lord. In your midst I will leave a humble and lowly people, and those who are left in Israel will seek refuge in the name of the Lord. They will do no wrong, will tell no lies; and the perjured tongue will no longer be found in their mouths. But they will be able to graze and rest with no one to disturb them.

The Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs!

It is the Lord who keeps faith forever, who is just to those who are oppressed. It is he who gives bread to the hungry, the Lord, who sets prisoners free. (R.)

It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind, who raises up those who are bowed down, the Lord, who protects the stranger and upholds the widow and orphan. (R.)

It is the Lord who loves the just but thwarts the path of the wicked. The Lord will reign for ever, Zion's God, from age to age. (R.)

SECOND READING:

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 1:26-31

Take yourselves, brothers, at the time when you were called: how many of you were wise in the ordinary sense of the word, how many were influential people, or came from noble families? No, it was to shame the wise that God chose what is foolish by human reckoning, and to shame what is strong that he chose what is weak by human reckoning; those whom the world thinks common and contemptible are the ones that God has chosen – those who are nothing at all to show up those who are everything. The human race has nothing to boast about to God, but you, God has made members of Christ Jesus and by God's doing he has become our wisdom, and our virtue, and our holiness, and our freedom. As scripture says: if anyone wants to boast, let him boast about the Lord.

The Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! Rejoice and be glad;

Your reward will be great in heaven.

Alleluia!

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Cathedral: Friday after Mass for half an hour

RECONCILIATION: Cathedral - Fridays & Saturdays

Following Mass for half an hour

GOSPEL:

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 5:1-12

Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up the hill. There he sat down and was joined by his disciples. Then he began to speak. This is what he taught them:

'How happy are the poor in spirit:

theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Happy the gentle:

they shall have the earth for their heritage.

Happy those who mourn:

they shall be comforted.

Happy those who hunger and thirst for what is right:

they shall be satisfied.

Happy the merciful:

they shall have mercy shown them.

Happy the pure in heart:

they shall see God.

Happy the peacemakers:

they shall be called sons of God.

Happy those who are persecuted in the cause of right:

theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

'Happy are you when people abuse you and persecute you and speak all kinds of calumny against you on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord. All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Let your face shine on your servant. Save me in your merciful love.



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READINGS NEXT WEEK:

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

First Reading: Isaiah 58:7-10
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 2:1-5
Gospel: Matthew 5:13-16

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 incurred.

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.

SUNDAY MASS TIMETABLE

Saturday: Cathedral - 5.30pm Saturday: Rosedale - 5.30pm

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

Please check the bulletin each week for daily Mass times