

BAYSIDE CATHOLIC MISSION

Incorporating the communities of
Sacred Heart Sandringham, St James Brighton,
St Joseph's Black Rock, St Joan of Arc Brighton,
Stella Maris Beaumaris, St Mary's Hampton

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

21st February, 2021

Dear friends,

We began our time of Lent this year, as we did with many other things, very differently! With another lockdown last week we were unable to gather for the traditional ritual of the Imposition of Ashes last Wednesday. There is something inherently Catholic in this ritual which externally signifies our repentance and witness to Christ by the Sign of the Cross on our forehead (in usual times!).

Like many things, we are learning to adapt our way of life in Covid times. Lent is also a time for us to adapt our way of life – the Church calls us to the traditional means of prayer, fasting and almsgiving as the Gospel of Ash Wednesday reminds us. Lent is our annual reminder to 'spring clean' our lives and our souls.

To help us, there are some added times of prayer in the Mission. Way of the Cross of Fridays of Lent St Joan of Arc, after 9.15am Mass and Stella Maris at 7.30pm, followed by a fish supper.

Eucharistic Adoration

St Joan of Arc, Tuesdays 6.30–7 (before 7pm Mass) and Stella Maris, Saturday 9.45–10.30, after 9.15 Mass. Times for the Sacrament of Reconciliation at each church are on the front page. There are also several options for Lenten groups (either in person or on line) and details of these are in the bulletin.

Formation of our Mission Structures

As was announced in last week's bulletin, we are in the process of forming a new Parish Council and Finance Committee for the Bayside Mission. We are also forming local teams of a small group (5) of people to represent each community. From these local teams, two will represent the community on the Bayside Pastoral Council. The same procedure will apply to the formation of the Bayside Finance Committee.

Nominations are invited from your communities for membership of the local teams. Please send your nomination by email to Bayside@cam.org.au, indicating your name, the name of the person nominated (and their contact details) and the community that you belong to. Nominations can also be placed in the boxes at the churches.

Parish Offices

We are in the process of transitioning our parish offices to St Joan of Arc, where Maria and Elaine will work. The office will be staffed each day from 9.30am – 3.30pm. The office can be contacted by email at baysideoffice@cam.org.au or 9593 1703. The other parish emails and telephone numbers are still operational as well.

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MASS TIMES

Sat 5pm	Sacred Heart, Sandringham 13 Fernhill Rd, Sandringham
Sat 6pm	St Mary's, Hampton 59 Holyrood St, Hampton
Sun 8am	St Joseph's, Black Rock 542 Balcombe Rd, Black Rock
Sun 9am	Sacred Heart, Sandringham 13 Fernhill Rd, Sandringham
Sun 10:30am	Stella Maris, Beaumaris 2 Charlotte Rd, Beaumaris
Sun 11am	St Joan of Arc, Brighton 118 New St, Brighton
Sun 5:30pm	St James', Gardenvale currently held at St Joan of Arc

Mon 9:15am	St Mary's
Tues 9:15am	Sacred Heart
Tues 7pm	St Joan of Arc
Wed 9:15am	Sacred Heart
Wed 9:15am	St Joseph's
Thur 9:15am	St Mary's
Thur 9:15am	Stella Maris
Fri 9:15am	St Joan of Arc
Fri 9:15am	St Joseph's
Sat 9:15am	Stella Maris

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesdays 6:30pm–7pm
St Joan of Arc

Saturdays 9:45am–10:30am
Stella Maris

Saturdays 4:30pm–5pm
Sacred Heart

Saturdays 5:30pm–6pm
St Mary's

Eucharistic Adoration

Each Tuesday night at St Joan of Arc
6.30–6.50pm

Each Saturday at Stella Maris
9.45am–10.30am



Lenten Appeal 2021 Project Compassion

The theme for Project Compassion for 2021 is

"Be More and transform lives".

Boxes and envelopes can be collected from the rear of the Church. If required, a receipt can be issued for contributions over \$2.00.

From Our Schools

Congratulations to the students from our schools who have, or are soon, receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time. Lent is a most appropriate time for all of us to celebrate this Sacrament.

Commencing this week, the students from our schools will receive their First Holy Communion for those who were unable to last year. Please keep in your prayers the children from:

Sacred Heart: 24 & 25 February

St Mary's: 3 & 4 March

Stella Maris 10 & 11 March

St Joan of Arc: 17 & 18 March



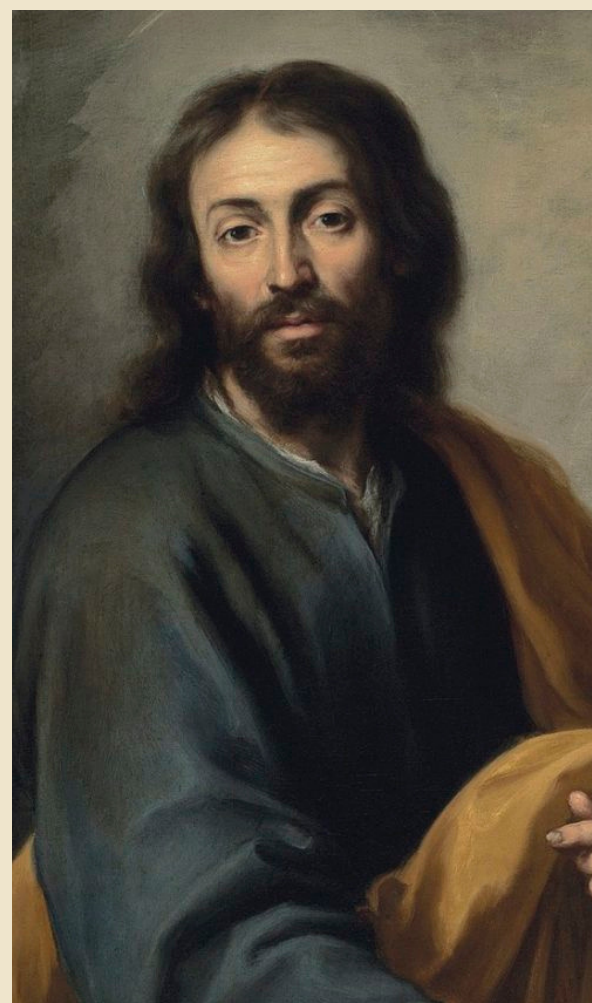
150th Anniversary Of The Proclamation Of Saint Joseph As Patron Of The Universal Church

A beloved father

Popular trust in Saint Joseph is seen in the expression "Go to Joseph", which evokes the famine in Egypt, when the Egyptians begged Pharaoh for bread. He in turn replied:

"Go to Joseph; what he says to you, do"
(Gen 41:55).

Pharaoh was referring to Joseph the son of Jacob, who was sold into slavery because of the jealousy of his brothers (cf. Gen 37:11-28) and who – according to the biblical account – subsequently became viceroy of Egypt (cf. Gen 41:41-44).



PLEASE PRAY FOR

ST JAMES & ST JOAN OF ARC

SICK: Kuldip Ahluwalia, Lynn Batten, Angela Boston, Helen Clarke, Anne de Rebello, Kevin Fox, Alan Giles, Marj Hess, Geraldine Kennedy, Antony LaRive, Tatiana Mansel, Ben Martin, Gabrielle Marylees, Freddy McGuigan, Kevin Nichollis, Catherine Ryan, Edward Shelley, Rob Smith, Brian Taylor, Barbara Turner, Pietro de Conciliis, Robert Wu.

ST MARY'S

BAPTISMS: Lennon Grace Fitzpatrick

SICK: Clare Curry-Harris, Peter Salvatore, Mick Corry, Carmel Ryan, Fred Sacr, Judy Ferrigno, Pierre Sacr, Mary Murphy, Tom Van Kampem, Maria Reilly, Delia Burns, Mick Zuccala, Joe Natoli.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Carmelo Mirabelli

ANNIVERSARIES: Hubert Theodore Carmelo Frederico, Marjorie Maria Frederico

SACRED HEART

SICK: Antonio Carpenteri, Nona Dart, Kate Greenwood, Nancy Camera, Marissa Daicos, Louise Tonna, Garry Murphy, Connell Wescott, Jackie Knight, Douglas Day

ANNIVERSARIES: John Monahan, Dorrie Keane, Stan Izydorczyk, Birgita Dalglish

NAZARETH

SICK: Michael Slattery, Allison Leicester, Liz Docker, Peter Plumridge, Lucy Menezes, Aliai Coyle-Madut, Lucy Bueno, Faye Fong, Kosta Mihos, Megan Jenkins, Bob Hughes, Edna Campbell, Paul Dear, Anne Jenkins, Tony Waller, Edwinda Fitsimon

ANNIVERSARIES: Terry Walsh

Please notify the parish office (baysideoffice@cam.org.au) with the names of the sick, recently deceased or anniversaries you wish to have included in the bulletin each week. To comply with privacy legislation, permission is required to include the names of the sick in the bulletin.

Support Of Our Parishes & Priests

Thank you for your continued support of our communities. As we are unable to pass the collection plates around at this time due to Covid, the baskets for your contributions are at the doors of the churches. Online giving can also be done at

**www.baysidecatholicmission.org
under the tab, 'Support us'.**

SACRED HEART VOLUNTEERS

We are looking to put together teams of Mass Coordinators. Approximately 6 people per Mass time are needed to go on a roster. This group would be responsible for opening the church, turning on the lights, overseeing the filling out of Covid tracing sheets, ensuring that the other volunteers are in place. This person would also be a point of contact for the Priest.

We will also have a group of Liturgy support people, who will set up the altar for Mass. Clear instruction would be given for this role.

If you would like to assist with either of these roles, please contact the office: Sandringham@cam.org.au

All volunteers are now required to have a WWCC (Working With Children Check), instruction as to how to apply for this will be supplied.

SACRED HEART MAINTENANCE UPDATE:

Kevin Stanley has been appointed as Facilities Manager for the Mission and will be the primary contact for ongoing operational maintenance needs for gutters, gardens, possums, lighting and so on. Guardrails have now been installed around the Memorial Garden area.

Progress repairing the tiles on the church façade and spire has been slow, as we wait on feedback from CCI on our insurance claim. Please contact Kevin or Jim Smith if you'd like any further information on this important work.

Stations of the Cross

Fridays of Lent
10am St Joan of Arc
(after 9.15am Mass)

7.30pm Stella Maris
(followed by fish supper)

Lenten Reflections Group

Sacred Heart Wednesdays
9.45am (after 9.15am Mass)

Wednesdays 7pm via Zoom
(join at baysidecatholicmission.org)

Bayside Mission Safeguarding

All communities of the Bayside Catholic Mission are now working together to streamline embedding a culture of safety throughout the Bayside Catholic Mission. Initially you'll start to notice posters etc, relating to different aspects of safeguarding, around each of our churches and associated parish buildings. Later, you'll personally receive more detailed information.

Working with Children Checks

Thank you to all our many volunteers who have already applied for and linked their current WWCC to their local community. Here's the link if you haven't yet applied for, renewed, updated or linked your WWCC.

<https://service.vic.gov.au/find-services/work-and-volunteering>

As volunteers in the Bayside Catholic Mission we are all responding to God's call to serve Him in our own unique ways. Volunteers, being any person undertaking any activity within the Bayside Catholic Mission in addition to or asides from attendance at Mass, are required to hold a current WWCC linked to their local parish. There are no exceptions to this since children are part of our parish and we have a moral and legal duty to protect them. "Let the little children come to me and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of Heaven belongs." Matthew 19:14.

St Joan of Arc Collection For Asylum Seekers

We are again collecting non-perishable foodstuffs, toiletries and cleaning products to support BASP with their assistance to refugees. The collection box is at the back of the church. The need is particularly urgent at the moment as Sr Brigid and BASP are assisting the 80 newly released detainees to find accommodation and work. Most of the detainees have been in detention for over 7 years and have no support. Financial donations are greatly appreciated and are tax deductible.

A/C Name: Brigidine Asylum Seeker Trust
BSB: 083 004 A/c No: 56-924 6603
For more information see www.BASP.org.au

STATIONS OF THE



PLUS FISH SUPPER

FRIDAYS IN LENT, 7:30 PM
STELLA MARIS CHURCH
2 CHARLOTTE RD, BEAUMARIS

STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN THE CHURCH
FOLLOWED BY FISH SUPPER

LENTEN REFLECTION GROUPS

Wednesdays, 10am
Sacred Heart, Sandringham

Wednesdays, 7pm
Online via Zoom
(join at baysidecatholicmission.org)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Tuesdays
6:30pm - 7pm
St Joan of Arc

Saturdays
9:45am - 10:30am
Stella Maris

LENTEN REFLECTION WITH THE CATENIANS

This unique spiritual prayer resource includes a series of poems and reflections written by Fr Richard Nesbitt during Holy Week in the first lockdown in 2020 as well as the voices of 15 contributors from the Holy Land drawn from across the main Christian denominations.

Study e-books available, proceeds to assist Christians in the Holy Land.

FROM TUESDAY 23RD FEBRUARY 7.30PM
ONLINE VIA ZOOM

REGISTER AT joe@primaryaccounting.com.au
or contact Joe Brick on 0455 330 406

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAYS 9:45am
ST JOAN OF ARC