



St Mary's Cathedral Parish

180 Harrington Street
Hobart 7000

Phone: 03 62344463

E-Mail:

cathedral@aohtas.org.au

ARCHBISHOP ANTHONY J. IRELAND

Administrator:
Fr Bernard Perera

Assistant Priest:
Fr Steven Smith

Deacon & Sacristan:
Deacon Michael Smith

Pastoral Associate:
Sr. Monica Shelverton PBVM

Director of Music:
Clair Stanelos

Parish Secretary :
Nimshini Peiris

PARISH OFFICE :

(Tuesday & Friday - 8.30 am -5.30pm and
Thursday 8.30 am -11.30am)



cathedralparishhobarttasmania
<https://www.stmaryscathedralhobart.org.au>



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY—YEAR A

In our second reading today, we hear words that fully describe our Christian practice. The words read *"we wish you happiness; help one another. Be united; live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you"*.

None of us are perfect but that does not mean we don't strive to be better, but we cannot do it on our own. It is easy to say we need God and it is entirely true, but we also need each other. God extends his love to all mankind but needs us to share that love with others. By sharing God's Love we can be united and live in peace, which then increases our happiness and enables us to help one another in our times of need.

Upon reflection this is, and will always be a struggle, simply because of our humanity. Never does life fit into a perfect mode where all is happiness and love. As the old saying goes *"everything was going nicely till life got in the way"*. This is not an excuse but a reality of living a fully human life, and it is also the reality of living a fully Christian human life.

Most of us look inside our families, whatever form they may take. We look for love and support from those closest to us and hopefully spreading happiness and hope through those family ties. But what of the bigger picture, our local neighbourhood, our workplaces, our church communities and out into the big wide world. Remembering that God sent his Son so that through him the world might be saved for God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son (John 3).

This week we celebrate "The Most Holy Trinity" in our lives and the world's life. Since the time of Jesus missionaries of all types have gone out into the world following the words of Jesus and accompanied by the Holy Spirit. They spread the word in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.

Missionaries are still going out today but here is the punchline, we are all called to be on mission. We may not travel to other countries or stand on corners preaching to all that go pass, but we still are called to spread the word. How do we do this, we follow the words of St Paul in our second reading and spread happiness, help all those around us when needed, stay united and strong in our church community and live in peace while all the time revealing to others the trinitarian God that we recognize as the Father, Son, and Spirit whom truly is the God of Love and Peace.

MASS TIMES

St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart



- 7.30am:** Tuesday - Friday
- 5.00pm:** Saturday (Vigil Mass)
- 10.30am:** Sunday
- 6.00pm:** Sunday

Sacred Heart Church New Town

- 9.15am:** Tuesday - Thursday
- 8.00am:** Saturday
- 8.30am:** Sunday

Lawrenny Court

(131 Hill St West Hobart)

- 10.30am:** Friday

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart

- 4.00pm - 4.30pm:** Saturday

NOVENA TO OUR LADY AND ROSARY

Sacred Heart Church, New Town

After 9.15am Mass: Wednesday

- 7.30am:** Saturday

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

St Mary's Cathedral Crypt, Hobart

- 6.00pm - Midnight:** Friday

SACRAMENTS & DEVOTIONS

*ENQUIRIES FOR BAPTISMS AND MARRIAGE
PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE*

PIETY SHOP— Thursday, 10 am –3pm. Saturday & Sunday the shop is open after every weekend Mass



St Mary's Cathedral Parish embraces and wholeheartedly supports the Archdiocese of Hobart Safe Communities Policy and Framework, which can be found at the Parish office. Any enquiries regarding Safe Communities contact the Parish Office (03) 6234 4463.



31 MAY
THE LAST DAY OF THE
MONTH OF
MARY

Holy Mary,
Mother of God,
thank you for your
love and protection.
Lead us closer to
your Son, Jesus.
Amen.

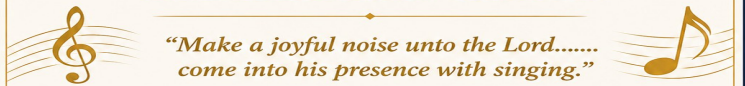
The Regina Coeli

Queen of Heaven, rejoice.
R. Alleluia.
For He, whom you did merit to bear.
R. Alleluia.
Has risen as He said. **R. Alleluia.**
Pray for us to God. **R. Alleluia.**
V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary. Alleluia.
R. For the Lord is truly risen, Alleluia.



Let us pray
O God, Who gave joy to the world through the Resurrection of Thy Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, grant we beseech thee, that through the intercession of the Virgin Mary, His Mother, we may attain the joys of everlasting life. Through the same Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

JOIN
**ST MARY'S
CATHEDRAL CHOIR**



*"Make a joyful noise unto the Lord.....
come into his presence with singing."*

The Cathedral Choir would like to extend an invitation to any parishioners interested in joining for 10:30am mass.

We are a mixed voice choir with a small time commitment, rehearsing from 9:30am prior to Mass as well as one evening per week.

Music reading skills are not essential, and singers of all ability are welcome.

Music ministry is a great way to get involved with parish life.

Singing in a choir is also fun, rewarding and a great way to experience singing some of the most beautiful music ever written.

PLEASE CONTACT
CLAIR STANELOS
on 0412 212 468
if you are interested.

**COMPANIONS
OF THE
CATHEDRAL**



Due to unforeseen circumstances the previously advertised "Friends of the Cathedral" group has changed its name to "Companions of the Cathedral" or hopefully to become the CC's.

Nothing else has changed and the group will start on

**WEDNESDAY 3RD JUNE
AT 12:30 PM**

We will enjoy a cuppa and discuss how the group will operate being up to the members to decide.

If you have the time and would love to get together with others and add to the beauty of our Cathedral we would love to see you there.

Let us start this second half of the year as a Cathedral Community welcoming parishioners and visitors alike.

For any further information please contact Deacon Michael or see Christine at the piety shop.

Parishioners, Please note that the Parish office will be closed on this Wednesday but will be opened on Thursday from 8.30 am - 11.30 am. Thank you !

Seeking Answers? Discover the Catholic Faith

Whether you are unbaptized, baptized in another Christian tradition, or a Catholic looking to complete your Sacraments of Initiation, we invite you to explore the beauty, history, and depth of the Catholic Church through the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**.

Join Us for an Inquiry Night

When: Tuesday, 2nd June 2026

Time: 6:00 PM

Where: St. Mary's Cathedral Parish (Meeting Room)

This is your invitation to begin a journey of discovery. Come and see what the ancient faith has to say to our modern world.

For more information or to register your interest, please

From Our Anniversary Book

Harold Dean, Dick Steward, Bob Forsberg, Lucy Knott, Adrian Hawtree, Achille Sorella, George Griffith, Zena Munday, Ida Davis, Thelma Forsyth, Filomena and Rocco Mangione, Lynne Ward, Elizio Bini, Mary Cox, Aileen Cracknell, Mary Downey, Alexander Ashby, Celistino Callegari, Judith Eaton, Kevin Harrington, Philip Di Nardo, Mary Patricia Noonan, Clytie Chaplain, Mario Amoroso, Joan Keenan, Amerigo Martelli, Peter Siaucinas, Eileen Kelly, Leonard Stanford, Pauline Osborne, Joan Pearce, Felicetta Di Monda, James O'Connor, Mollie Darcey, John Davis, Katherine Hyde, Thora McKillop, Margaret Brown, Maria Mackey, Malcom Wilson, Phyllis Flanagan, Vincent Vecchione.

May they rest in peace !





VINNIES WINTER APPEAL

good works

Many Tasmanians are experiencing hardship during these difficult times. They face the threat of homelessness, food insecurity or work uncertainty.

There has been strong demand for the services of the St Vincent de Paul Society this year. The cathedral Vinnies group has been active providing emergency relief. One of the Society's most important fund-raising activities, the 2026 Tasmanian Winter Appeal, is underway across parishes and the community.

This year's appeal focuses on the crisis of homelessness and the fact that many people are only one unexpected setback away from losing the security of their home.

Donations to the appeal are gratefully accepted and can be made through envelopes that will be available in the cathedral soon, or via the Vinnies website.

<https://www.vinnies.org.au/>



WORLD YOUTH DAY FUNDRAISER

BUSH DANCE

Join us for a fun, all-ages community Bush Dance! No experience needed!

SATURDAY, 20 JUNE 2026

5 - 7:30PM

ST FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH HALL

61 Adelaide St, South Hobart (underneath the Church)

LIVE CALLING - DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY!

Lucky door prizes & prizes for best dressed 'country' theme



To purchase tickets, scan the QR Code or visit: <https://events.humanitix.com/bush-dance-wyd-fundraiser>

Dinner included in ticket cost. Dessert and beverages for purchase, with money going towards the Tasmanian Pilgrimage to WYD27, Seoul.

JESUS REPLIED.

"I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE. WHOEVER COMES TO ME WILL NEVER BE HUNGRY AGAIN. WHOEVER BELIEVES IN ME WILL NEVER BE THIRSTY." JOHN6:35

Healing Service

05 JUNE 2026

MASS AT 7:00 PM

ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL CENTRE,
LEVEL TWO (UPPER MEETING ROOM)
180 HARRINGTON STREET
HOBART



ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL PARISH IN COLLABORATION WITH
THE RISEN LORD COMMUNITY TASMANIA



QUIZ NIGHT

brought to you by the SMC Social Justice group!

Thursday 4 June

6.00pm for a 6.30pm start

Mary Morgan Wing, St Mary's College

\$80 per table (max 10 ppl)

<https://www.trybooking.com/DMHEE>
or scan the QR code to book now



Proceeds to Vinnies Winter Appeal



Pizzas available to order on the night
plus drinks and snacks to purchase.



St Vincent de Paul Society
TASMANIA
good works



WALK WITH CHRIST

The Walk with Christ Eucharistic
Procession is on again this year on
the Feast of Corpus Christi.

SUNDAY 7 JUNE
ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH
TO ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL
1pm-3pm



In case of bad weather, please check
the Catholic Archdiocese of Hobart
Facebook page for notification of
wet weather contingency plans.



Parking

Long-term parking is available in the Hobart
Central Car Park in Melville Street.

On the day please assemble no later than 1pm
at St Joseph's Church, Hobart.



Participants who are **unable to walk** in the Procession
are invited to come to the Cathedral at 1.30pm to take
part in the Adoration and concluding Benediction.



Archdiocese
of Hobart

READINGS OF THE DAY—THE MOST HOLY TRINITY—YEAR A

First Reading

Exodus 34:4-6. 8-9

With the two tablets of stone in his hands, Moses went up the mountain of Sinai in the early morning as the Lord had commanded him. And the Lord descended in the form of a cloud, and Moses stood with him there.

He called on the name of the Lord. The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, 'Lord, Lord, a God of tenderness and compassion, slow to anger, rich in kindness and faithfulness.' And Moses bowed down to the ground at once and worshipped. 'If I have indeed won your favour, Lord,' he said, 'let my Lord come with us, I beg. True, they are a headstrong people, but forgive us our faults and our sins, and adopt us as your heritage.'

Responsorial Psalm

Dn 3:52-56. R. v.52

(R.) Glory and praise for ever!

1. You are blest, Lord God of our fathers.
Blest your glorious holy name. (R.)

2. You are blest in the temple of your glory.
You are blest on the throne of your kingdom. (R.)

3. You are blest who gaze into the depths.
You are blest in the firmament of heaven. (R.)

Second Reading

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Brothers, we wish you happiness; try to grow perfect; help one another. Be united; live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you.

Greet one another with the holy kiss. All the saints send you greetings.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Gospel Acclamation

See Apocalypse 1:8

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit:
to God who is, who was, and
who is to come.

Alleluia!



Gospel

John 3:16-18

Jesus said to Nicodemus,
'God loved the world so much
that he gave his only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him may not be
lost

but may have eternal life.

For God sent his Son into the world
not to condemn the world,
but so that through him the world might be
saved.

No one who believes in him will be condemned;
but whoever refuses to believe is condemned
already,
because he has refused to believe
in the name of God's only Son.'



GOSPELS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday 1st June	- Mark 12:1-12
Tuesday 2nd June	- Mark 12:13-17
Wednesday 3rd June	- Mark 12:18-27
Thursday 4th June	- Mark 12:28-34
Friday 5th June	- Mark 12:35-37
Saturday 6th June	- Mark 12:38-44

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS: 7th June 2026

First Reading	- Deuteronomy 8:2-3. 14-16
Responsorial Psalm	- Ps 147:12-15. 19-20. R. v.12
Second Reading	- 1 Corinthians 10:16-17
Gospel	- John 6:51-58

Pray and Reflect on the Word of God !

Please take your copy of the AVE home to reflect and to share with family and friends.