

# AVE



St Mary's  
Cathedral  
Archdiocese of Hobart

**ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL PARISH**

## MASS TIMES

### St Mary's Cathedral Hobart

**7.30am:** Tuesday - Friday - In Crypt  
**12.15pm:** Friday - In Crypt  
**6.00pm:** Saturday Vigil Mass  
**10.30am:** Sunday  
**6.00pm:** Sunday

### Sacred Heart Church New Town

**9.00am:** Tuesday - Thursday  
**8.00am:** Saturday  
**8.30am:** Sunday

Lawrenny Court (131 Hill St West Hobart)  
**10.30am:** Friday

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

#### St Mary's Cathedral Hobart

**11.00am:** Friday - In Crypt  
**6pm - 12am** Friday - In Crypt  
**5.00pm - 5.40pm:** Saturday

### RECONCILIATION

#### St Mary's Cathedral Hobart

**5.00pm - 5.30pm:** Saturday

## **28TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME - 10th OCTOBER 2021** **CATHOLIC MISSION APPEAL SUNDAY**

**My dear parishioners,** the Eucharist is the source and summit of Christian life and the reception of Holy Communion is of pivotal importance to all Christians. Due to COVID 19 safety regulations and the concerns of parishioners may I kindly urge those parishioners who wish to receive communion on the tongue to please receive the Eucharist at the end of communion. I thank you all for your understanding and co-operation. **Fr Leonard Caldera**

**My dear Parishioners,**

**This Month of October, I invite you to be part of a spiritual journey, in knowing and growing intimately with the Lord,** as this month is dedicated to the devotion to the Holy Rosary it is a good time to start this journey.

I have included some points for reflection on what it means to be a man or woman of prayer in this week's AVE.

Thus, I welcome you to take this opportunity to work on your spiritual growth.

### **Other activities and events lined up for this month:**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** Friday - 11.00am - 12.00noon followed by Holy Mass (weekday Mass & Adoration in the crypt)

**Friday - 6.00pm - 12.00midnight** ( for those who are unable to make it during the day) **If you want to be part of this group, please contact the parish office.**

**Saturday - 5.00pm - 5.40pm** (followed by Holy Mass at 6pm)

**For those who prefer a charismatic approach to prayer, The Risen Lord Community** is a global lay movement operating within the Catholic Charismatic Renewal of the Church. They gather **every Friday 7.00pm** onwards, at the **Cathedral Centre Level One** for their prayer meetings. (further details on Parish notice board)

**The Annual Public Rosary** to pray for our country will be held on Saturday 16th October at 3pm, on the lawns of St Mary's Cathedral. (Read more page 3 )

**Archdiocese Family Day: (fun day for the whole family)** Sunday 17th October from 12noon to 4pm, at St Virgil's College, Patrick Street, Hobart. For further details contact Ben Smith on 0410 691 371. (Read more on page 3 )

**Raising Fathers:** An inspiring talk on the role of fathers, Wednesday 27th October from 7pm to 8.30pm. Further details in this Parish bulletin - page 3

**Thank you.**

**Fr Leonard Caldera.**

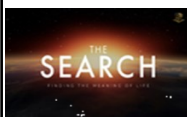
**WEEKDAY MASSES:** All weekday Masses at St Mary's Cathedral will be celebrated in the Cathedral Crypt while the restoration works are being completed in Cathedral. Access to the Crypt will be through the Cathedral Centre using the Cathedral Centre external door.

### **There will be no Sacrament of Reconciliation on Fridays.**

St Mary's Cathedral will be closed Monday to Friday during the time of the Restoration Work. For more information please contact the Parish office.

**ROSARY TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN:** 7.30am Every Saturday at Sacred Heart Church, New Town followed by 8am Mass.

**NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP:** 11am Every Saturday on the 2nd Floor of Cathedral Centre.



**Parish Study—Happening Now and it is FREE**

Cathedral Centre will hold sessions on **Mondays until 15 November at 10am and again at 7pm.** Everyone is welcome

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### Important Announcement for EVERYONE attending churches for Mass.

It is **MANDATORY** for every person 16 years of age or older who enters the Sacred Heart Church, the Cathedral and Cathedral Centre for any reason is required **to provide their information for contact tracing using the Free Check in TAS app or by the written visitor's register.** This is a direction from Tasmania Government. Non compliance may result in a fine.



### **What does it mean to Pray?**

"The Function of Prayer is not to change God, but rather to change the nature of the one who prays." This is one of the most important aspects of our life of Prayer, as in a Preface of the Mass it is said "our praises add nothing to your greatness but profit us for salvation...". It is a means that helps us to gain holiness and fullness of life through the Lord. Thus we are called to be prayer warriors, power houses of unceasing prayer in every aspect of our life. This Sunday we will reflect on being a Person of prayer or as I would like to call it a Prayer warrior.

### **Who Is a Prayer Warrior?**

IT is a person who chooses to fight personal and spiritual battles through prayer and the wisdom of the Lord instead of in their own strength. What must you do to be a Man or Woman of Prayer (prayer warrior)

**Study the Bible** – to pray in agreement with God's words, we must first know His words. Studying the Bible is a key piece of that "Not my will but thy will be done."

**Make time to listen to God** – this is a piece of prayer that is often overlooked. As prayer warriors, we should become familiar with God's voice so that we can hear his instruction and follow his lead in all aspects of our life.

**Be available for prayer** – we can't be so busy with life that we put time with God to the wayside. We must make time for prayer.

**Acknowledge who the real enemy is** – prayer warriors recognize that most battles are spiritual battles first and that there is a real spiritual enemy behind them. (Ephesians 6:12)

**Worship through hardships** – worship keeps us humble, confessing what we believe, and battling in the strength of the Lord. It is a key component to prayer especially in the midst of pain and conflict.

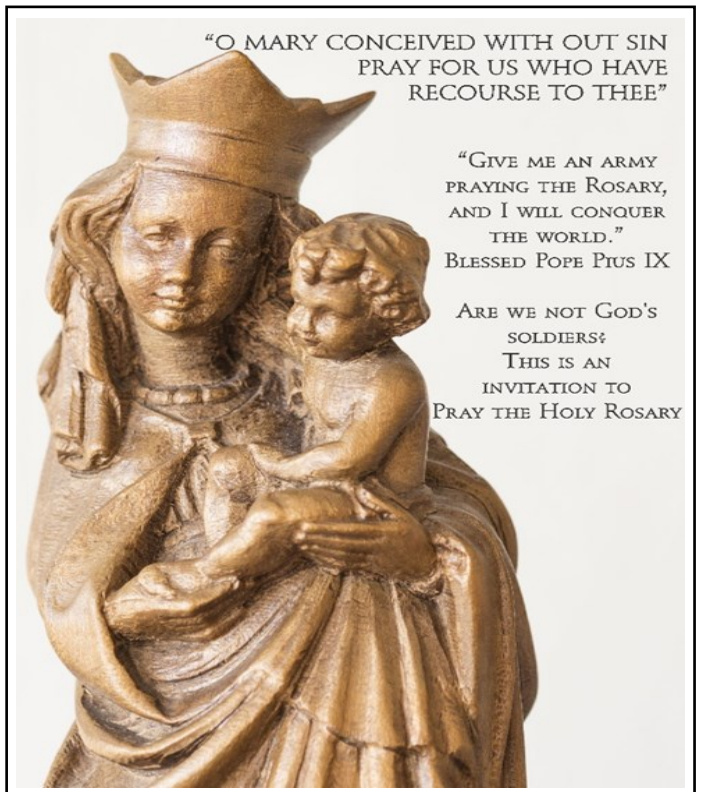
**Speak life-giving words.** "the tongue has the power of life and death." (Proverbs 18:21) The stakes are high. Your words can either speak life, or your words can speak death. Our tongue can build others up, or tear them down. It is said an unchecked fire doubles in size every minute.

**Rebuke or cast away life-stealing thoughts, words, and temptations.** (2 Corinthians 10:5)

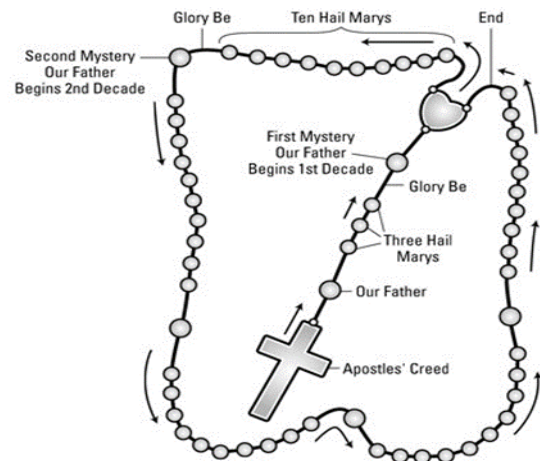
**Put on the "Armour of God"** – these are the tools that keep us thinking, acting, and speaking in alignment with what is true even when that's not what we physically see. (Ephesians chapter 6)

**Have a blessed weekend.**

**Interested in Becoming Catholic?** Longing for a relationship with God? Do you want to get to know Jesus Christ? Never been baptised but interested in what it's all about? If you've got questions and would like to know more about the process of becoming Catholic, Please contact Christine Wood on 6208-6236 or [christine.wood@aohtas.org.au](mailto:christine.wood@aohtas.org.au)



### **HOW TO PRAYER THE ROSARY**



**MEN'S BREAKFAST.** Saturday 23rd Oct at 8:00 am at the St Francis Xavier hall (under the South Hobart church). Come and enjoy some inspiration, fellowship, and breakfast. Bring a friend. We will focus on **Tim Davis' talk "Man of Service"**. To RSVP or for further information, contact Martin on 6223 8132.

### **From Our Anniversary Book**

Catherine Young, Ethel Brait, Paul Nicolaas-Ponder, Eva Letec, Gretta Anderson, Alan Lansdell, Edward Hanlon, Thelma Bratt, Hilary Sweeney, Maxwell Williams, Elly Riggs, Benedetto Maccallini, Alice Corby, Lawrence (Larry) Wilson, Nabiha Abraham, Christiana Collis, William Propsting, Vern Hanlon, Kit Skupinski, Giovanna Pignalosa, Francesco & Maria Mainella, Brian Bevan, Pat Lynch, Assunta Toffoli, Bernard Piper, James McAuley, David Hutt, Eileen Ackerly, Maria Geniola, Jeannie Swan, Ronald Excell, Jane Cox, Sr Brigid Dunn PBVM, Sr Patrick Lacey PBVM, Sr Dolores O'Loughlin PBVM

**May they rest in peace !**







Public Rosary—Pray for Australia. Join the nation-wide Rosary Chain to reclaim our country for God, for conversion of sinners and in reparation for blasphemy.

**Where:** Lawns, St Mary's Cathedral.

**When:** Saturday 16th October 2021 at 3pm



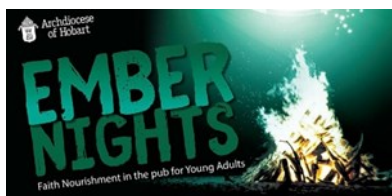
**Save this Date: Wednesday 27th October 2021**

Where: St Virgil's College—Patrick Street

Time: 7pm –8.30pm

Speaker: Robert Falzon

Join us as Robert unpacks practical advice and shares stories that are powerfully important, impacting, informative and instructional for fathering in today's world.



'Ember Nights' are a seasonal pub talk event hosted by the Office of Evangelisation. Open to all young adults, we are inviting you and your friends to join us for an evening of good food, good beer and good company. **Free event at Shambles Brewery - 222 Elizabeth Street. To Register go to Eventbrite.com and search 2021 Spring Embers Night- Hobart.** Flyers available in foyer area of Sacred Heart Church and at St Mary's Cathedral.



**Growing in Love Family Day – Sunday, October 17**

12-4pm at St Virgil's College, Hobart Campus. This is a Free Event.

The Archdiocesan Office of Life, Marriage & Family would like to invite families to attend this Family Day. This celebrates Pope Francis' year of reflection on the importance of love in the family. Feature talks by Steve and Annie Lawrence will aim at strengthening marriages and upskilling parents. They will share their own stories of marriage and parenting, their failures and successes, their struggles and hopes, and what they have learnt by trying to live according to the Gospel of Jesus. A childrens and teens program will run in parallel with the adult talks. Lunch and afternoon tea will be provided.

To register at [growinginlovefamilyday.eventbrite.com.au](http://growinginlovefamilyday.eventbrite.com.au). For more information please contact Ben Smith on [ben.smith@aohtas.org.au](mailto:ben.smith@aohtas.org.au) or 0410 691 371.

### GOSPELS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday 11th October	Luke 11:29-32
Tuesday 12th October	Luke 11: 37-41
Wednesday 13th October	Luke 11: 42-46
Thursday 14th October	Luke 11: 47-54
Friday 15th October - <i>St Teresa of Jesus</i>	John 15: 1-8
Saturday 16th October	Luke 12: 8-12

### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS - 28th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Isaiah	53:10-11	Ps 32: 4-5, 18-20, 22
Hebrews	4:14-16	Mark 10:35-45

**Pray and Hear the Good News**



### Catholic Mission Appeal Weekend:

This week Catholic Mission will share the story of Churai, who having experienced much heartbreak in childhood, turned to the Mother and Babies Home run by the Good Shepherd Sisters in Bangkok when she experienced rejection as an adult, abandoned by her partner, and pregnant.

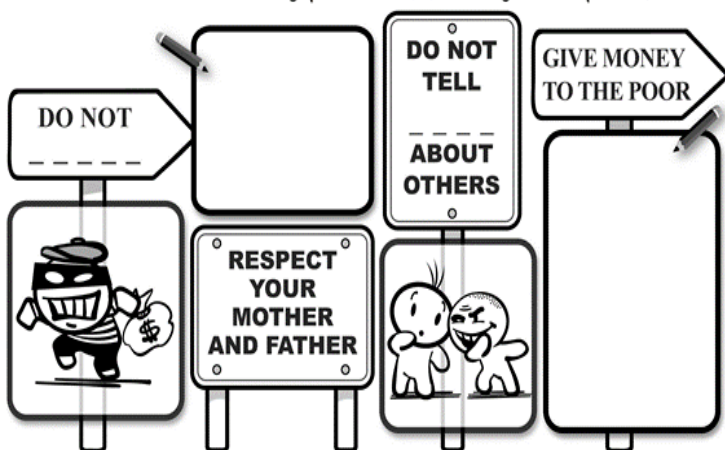
Without this program, many vulnerable mothers like Churai will have nowhere to turn when they need love and care the most.

**Please give generously today** to help continue this life-giving program by **using the appeal envelope, going online at [catholicmission.org.au/thailand](http://catholicmission.org.au/thailand) or by texting 'GIVE' to 0488 854 436.**

Your gift will also help many other similar Church-run mission programs around the world.

## Children's Corner

A man met Jesus on the road and asked him how we can have eternal life. Some of the things Jesus says we can do are written on the sign posts below. Fill in the missing words and pictures.



### MEMORARE

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me.

Amen.

## READINGS OF THE DAY—28th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

### **First Reading** Wisdom 7:7-11

I prayed, and understanding was given me;  
I entreated, and the spirit of Wisdom came to me.  
I esteemed her more than sceptres and thrones;  
compared with her, I held riches as nothing.  
I reckoned no priceless stone to be her peer,  
for compared with her, all gold is a pinch of sand,  
and beside her silver ranks as mud.  
I loved her more than health or beauty,  
preferred her to the light,  
since her radiance never sleeps.  
In her company all good things came to me,  
at her hands riches not to be numbered.

### **Responsorial Psalm** Ps 89:12-17 R. v14

(R.) **Fill us with your love, O Lord,  
and we will sing for joy!**

1. Make us know the shortness of our life  
that we may gain wisdom of heart.  
Lord, relent! Is your anger forever?  
Show pity to your servants.
2. In the morning, fill us with your love;  
we shall exult and rejoice all our days.  
Give us joy to balance our affliction  
for the years when we knew misfortune.
3. Show forth your work to your servants;  
let your glory shine on their children.  
Let the favour of the Lord be upon us:  
give success to the work of our hands.

### **Second Reading** Hebrews 4:12-13

The word of God is something alive and active; it cuts like any double-edged sword but more finely: it can slip through the place where the soul is divided from the spirit, or joints from the marrow; it can judge the secret emotions and thoughts. No created thing can hide from him; everything is uncovered and open to the eyes of the one to whom we must give account of ourselves.

### **Gospel Acclamation**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

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

**Alleluia!**

### **Gospel** Mark 10:17-30

Jesus was setting out on a journey when a man ran up, knelt before him and put this question to him, 'Good master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: You must not kill; You must not commit adultery; You must not steal; You must not bring false witness; You must not defraud; Honour your father and mother.' And he said to him, 'Master, I have kept all these from my earliest days.' Jesus looked steadily at him and loved him, and he said, 'There is one thing you lack. Go and sell

everything you own and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' But his face fell at these words and he went away

sad, for he was a man of great wealth.

Jesus looked round and said to his disciples, 'How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God!' The disciples were astounded by these words, but Jesus insisted, 'My children,' he said to them, 'how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God.' They were more astonished than ever. 'In that case' they said to one another, 'who can be saved?' Jesus gazed at them. 'For men' he said, 'it is impossible, but not for God: because everything is possible for God.'

Peter took this up. 'What about us?' he asked him. 'We have left everything and followed you.' Jesus said, 'I tell you solemnly, there is no one who has left house, brothers, sisters, father, children or land for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not be repaid a hundred times over, houses, brothers, sisters, mothers, children and land – not without persecutions – now in this present time and, in the world to come, eternal life.'

### **REFLECTION FOR THE WEEK**

#### **Complying or Living the Law**

There are moments when we must answer the crucial questions about the core of our lives, the centre of our hearts, the thing we treasure the most. Two years ago, when the disastrous bush fires happened, people were fleeing their homes and running for safety. This unleashed the priorities of every human heart.

Some people thought of things, money, and jewellery to save from the threatening disaster. But many also were those who thought of saving the lives of children and elderly parents or sick relatives. Heroes emerged when their hearts were ready and they decided to sacrifice their safety for saving the lives of others, without the law requiring them to do so. To live for them is to be ready to sacrifice.

The Gospel today illustrates a young man asking Jesus the question, "Good Master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" When Jesus confronted him and commanded him to "go and sell everything... and give it to the poor," it challenged the priorities in his life. The young man found it easy to follow the Lord by observing the laws he had received from his religious upbringing but his desire to give up material good was still far from his heart.

How easy is it for us to observe the law? To obey the law for the sake of complying, is far different than following and be ready to live the law. Similarly, the question challenges us, to transcend the law, to put the law at the centre of our hearts, but more importantly, to live the law in the core of our lives.

**Fr. Jessie Banez**

