



ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL PARISH

MASS TIMES

St Mary's Cathedral Hobart 7.30am: Tuesday - Friday

12.15pm: Friday

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 <u>Lawrenny Court</u> (131 Hill St West Hobart)

10.30am: Friday

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

St Mary's Cathedral Hobart 11.00am: Friday

6pm –12am Friday - In Crypt

5.00pm- 5.40pm: Saturday

RECONCILIATION

St Mary's Cathedral Hobart 5.00pm- 5.30pm: Saturday

30TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME - 24th OCTOBER 2021

My dear Parishioner, the first part of the Cathedral restoration will be completed on Monday 25th October. The exhumation process of the Bishops and Fr Connolly was successful and in due time, a date will be finalised for the re-interment of their bodies into the Cathedral Crypt. I thank-you all for your co-operation and support during this period, please continue to pray for the success of the restoration. **As of Tuesday 26th October, the daily Masses will resume in the Cathedral.**

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.

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PARISH NEWS

HOLY WATER Dispensers: Thank-you to the benefactors for the two (2) Holy Water Dispensers for the Cathedral and Sacred Heart Church. Your kindness is truly a blessing. Thank-you.

PARKING AT SACRED HEART CHURCH: Sacred Heart College are undergoing construction works. During school hours the Blue gates at Clare Street Entrance will be closed to vehicles to ensure safety of students. Parishioners attending weekday Masses at Sacred Heart Church will be required to park off site.

On Saturday and Sunday the carpark will be opened with limited

car spaces with signs and bollards on where to park safely.
Sacred Heart College apologies for the inconvenience and thanks you for your patience.

ALL SOULS DAY - Tuesday 2nd November 2021.
The Cathedral Parish will celebrate two (2) Masses.

7.30am – St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart and **9am** – Sacred Heart Church, New Town **All Souls Day Mass** – 2.30pm Wellington Chapel, Millington's Cemetery Cornelian Bay New Town. Everyone is welcome. To register, please ring Millington's on 62781244

NOVEMBER MASSES: During the Month of November, the Cathedral Parish will have a book of Remembrance at St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart and Sacred Heart Church New Town. November Mass envelopes will be provided for individuals to print names of dearly departed souls for prayer and names will be recorded in the Remembrance book.

CELEBRATIONS: October is a blessed month for Fr Leonard with celebrations for his birthday this week and 14 year anniversary of his Ordination on Monday 25th October. From the Parish **Congratulations Fr Leonard.**

A belated celebration to Fr Fidelis on the anniversary of his Ordination on the 14th September. From the Parish **Congratulation Fr Fidelis.**

Please continue to pray for the ministry of our Parish priests.

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.

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.



Characteristics of the True Devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary

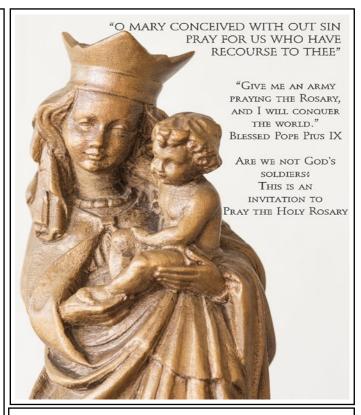
- 1. *True devotion to the Blessed Virgin is interior* that is, it comes from the mind and from the heart. Its source in us is the esteem in which we hold the Blessed Virgin, the exalted idea we have formed of her greatness and the love we cherish for her.
- 2. **True devotion is the tender,** that is full of trust in the Blessed Virgin, like the confidence a child has in its mother. It leads us to have recourse to her in all our needs of body and of soul and to do so with great simplicity, confidence and tenderness. We look to this good Mother for help in all our needs, at all times, in all circumstances.
- 3. True devotion to the Blessed Virgin is holy that is, it leads us to avoid sin and to imitate her, especially in her then principal virtues: her profound humility; her lively faith; her unquestioning obedience; her unceasing prayer; her all-embracing mortification; her incomparable purity; her ardent charity; her heroic patience; her angelic sweetness; and her divine wisdom.
- 4. *True devotion to the Blessed Virgin is constant.* It strengthens us in doing good, and it prevents us from frivolously abandoning our devotional practices; it gives us courage to stand up to the world and to reject the ways and the wisdom of this world; it enables us to fight the flesh with its passions and concupiscences and the devil with his temptations.
- 5. True devotion to the Blessed Virgin is disinterested that is, it inspires the soul to seek, not itself, but God alone, in His Holy Mother. A true worshipper of Mary does not serve this august Queen in a spirit of gain and of self- interest; nor with a view to obtaining temporal, physical or even spiritual benefits; but he serves her solely because she deserves to be served and God alone to be served in our serving her.

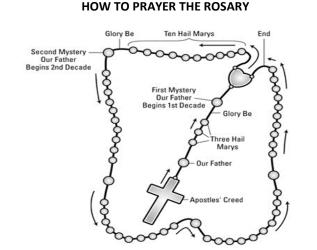


The Knights of the Southern Cross in Tasmania Prayer for vocations throughout the Archdiocese. Please pray this prayer:

"Heavenly Father, you know the faith, courage and generosity of your people throughout Australia including

the men and women serving at home and overseas with the Australian Defence Force. Please provide your people in Australia with sufficient Priests, Deacons and Religious to meet their needs and be with them always as they endeavour to meet the challenges of their daily lives. We ask this through Jesus Christ, Your Son. Amen."





From Our Anniversary Book

John Johnston, Emily Haley, Robert Langdale, Olinta Pachioli, Archpriest Phillip Hennebry, Anne Shelverton, Percy Smith, Elizabeth Tehan, Senka Dzelalija, Mary Scott, Frank Burke, Patrick Waters, Eileen Miller, Joan Shirley, Antonio Scavone, Rosa Palermo, Feliciantonio Di Saia, John Conlan, Mildred Coulson, Ina Compton, Elsie Thornhill, Christian Berger, Anna Zanini, Audrey Harrington, Agueda Tojino, Joshua Kirk, William Baldwin, Sergio Moreira, Florence Denne, Ludovico

May they rest in peace !

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



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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.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Friday Night

Where: St Mary's Cathedral Crypt—Cathedral Centre Time: 6pm -12 midnight Everyone is welcome



Risen Lord Community Tasmania

When: Friday Night

Where: Cathedral Centre—Level 1

Time: 7pm onwards

Phone: Sean on 448510237



<u> All Souls Day Mass</u>

When: Tuesday 2nd November 2021

Where: Wellington Chapel -

Millingtons Cemetery Cornelian Bay

Time: 2.30pm

Mass celebrated by Archbishop Julian

Porteous





The 2021 John Wallis Memorial Lecture

Around the Table with Pope Francis - a place and a voice for the poor.

Presented by international educational

leader and social change advocate Dr Wayne Tinsey

When: Wednesday 27th October 2021

Where: Don Bosco Creative Arts Centre, Guilford Young

College, Glenorchy

Entry via Mill Lane, Glenorchy (good parking, flat access).

Time: 7pm

Booking: https://www.trybooking.com/BUDQB

Further information: graciousgenerosity.com.au or Eva

Dunn eva.dunn@gmail.com or 0417 734 503



Pilgrimage to Historic Churches

The Catholic women's League invite you to come on a spiritual journey to the historic

Midlands Churches at Ross.

When: Saturday 5th November 2021 Where: Our Lady of Sacred Heart corner of

Bridge Street and Church Street Ross

Time: 11am The day will commence with Rosary at Our Lady of Sacred Heart Church, Ross. Contact: Anna Matuszek 0417066297 or Wendy Fittler 0437 370 217



This is a new program managed by CatholicCare

Contact details: 0447 276 154 or nfstasmania@aohtas.org.au



GOSPELS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday 25th October Luke 13: 10-17 Tuesday 26th October Luke 13: 18-21 Wednesday 27th October Luke 13: 22-30 Thursday 28th October - St Simon and Jude

Luke 6: 12-19

Friday 29th October Luke 14: 1-6 Saturday 30th October Luke 14: 1,7-11

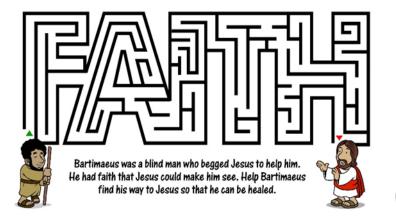
Psalm 17:2-4.47.51 R. v2 Deuteronomy 6:2-6

Hebrews 7:23-28 Mark 12:28-34

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS - 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time

Pray and Hear the Good News

Children's Corner





Parish Study—Happening Now and it is

FREE. The Cathedral Centre will hold sessions on Mondays until 15 November at 10am and again at 7pm. Session will be 90

minutes in duration. Everyone is welcome

The Angelus

- V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary:
- R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit. Hail Mary...
- V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord:
- R. Be it done unto me according to thy word. Hail Mary...
- V. And the word was made flesh:
- R. And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary...

- V. Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.
- R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray:

Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts; that we, to whom the incarnation of Christ, Thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection, through the same Christ Our Lord.

R. Amen.

May the divine assistance remain always with us and may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. R. Amen.

READINGS OF THE DAY—30th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

First Reading Jeremiah 31:7-9

The Lord says this: Shout with joy for Jacob! Hail the chief of nations! Proclaim! Praise! Shout: The Lord has saved his people. the remnant of Israel! See, I will bring them back from the land of the North and gather them from the far ends of earth; all of them: the blind and the lame, women with child, women in labour: a great company returning here. They had left in tears. I will comfort them as I lead them back; I will guide them to streams of water, by a smooth path where they will not stumble. For I am a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my first-born son.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 125 R. v3

- (R.) The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.
- When the Lord delivered Zion from bondage, It seemed like a dream. Then was our mouth filled with laughter, on our lips there were songs.
- 2. The heathens themselves said: 'What marvels the Lord worked for them!'
 What marvels the Lord worked for us!
 Indeed we were glad.
- Deliver us, O Lord, from our bondage as streams in dry land. Those who are sowing in tears will sing when they reap.
- They go out, they go out, full of tears, carrying seed for the sowing: they come back, they come back, full of song, carrying their sheaves.

Second Reading Hebrews 5:1-6

Every high priest has been taken out of mankind and is appointed to act for men in their relations with God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins; and so he can sympathise with those who are ignorant or uncertain because he too lives in the limitations of weakness. That is why he has to make sin offerings for himself as well as for the people. No one takes this honour on himself, but each one is called by God, as Aaron was. Nor did Christ give himself the glory of becoming high priest, but he had it from the one who said to him: You are my son, today I have become your father, and in another text: You are a priest of the order of Melchizedek, and for ever.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death, and brought us life through his gospel.

Alleluia!

Gospel Mark 10:46-52

As Jesus left Jericho with his disciples and a large crowd, Bartimaeus (that is, the son of Timaeus), a blind beggar, was sitting at the side of the road. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout and to say, 'Son of David, Jesus, have pity on me.' And many of them scolded him and told him to keep quiet, but he only shouted all the louder, 'Son of David, have pity on me.' Jesus stopped and said, 'Call him here.' So they called the blind man. 'Courage,' they said 'get up; he is calling you.' So throwing off his cloak, he jumped up and went to Jesus. Then Jesus spoke, 'What do you want me to do for you?' 'Rabbuni,' the blind man said to him 'Master, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has saved you.' And immediately his sight returned and he followed him along the road.

REFLECTION FOR THE WEEK

St. Mark CH. 10: v 46-52. This Gospel reading for today's liturgy has become a favourite scripture passage for me as it brings before us the reality of discipleship and an example of joy filled faith. This story is about the developing relationship between Jesus, Bartimaeus, the disciples, the crowd and ourselves today. The blind beggar would have had some knowledge of Jesus and his ancestry connecting him to King David as in the Old Testament, This fact enabled Bartimaeus to shout out confidently, 'Son of David, have pity on me.' Although scolded and discouraged by some in the crowd. Bartimaeus called out again. I wonder what Jesus was feeling at that moment?. Notice, Jesus didn't cure the man instantly but directed others to call him. 'Courage, get up, he is calling you.' (Discipleship in action!) We live with our limitations, ignorance and sometimes stress but it is in and through these that the loving grace of God can flow so that our lives in Christ are healed and renewed. 'Go, your faith has saved you,' and he followed him down the road. May Jesus' enlighten the eyes of our minds and hearts.

Sr Monica Shelverton PBVM

