

	MASS TIMES FOR THIS WEEK	
	St Mary's Cathedral Hobart 7.30am: Tuesday - Wednesday and Friday NO 7.30am THURSDAY MASS 12 Noon: 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	Lawrenny Court (131 Hill St West Hobart) NO MASSES UNTIL FEB 2023 ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart 11.00am: Friday COMMENCE ON FRIDAY 3RD FEBRUARY St Mary's Cathedral Crypt Hobart 6pm - 12am: Friday SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart 5pm - 5.30pm Saturday

3RD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME YEAR A
22ND JANUARY 2023

My dear parishioners,

After the Christmas and New Year holiday season, the parish is gradually getting back to its regular routine. There are a few important notices that I would like to keep you aware of.

- Starting from next Tuesday 24th of January we will be going back to our regular routine of Masses,
7.30am at St Mary's Cathedral (Tues, Wed and Friday)
9.00am at Sacred Heart Church (Tues, Wed and Thurs)
- Please Note:** on the 26th of January (Australia Day) **there will be only one Mass at 9.00am in Sacred Heart Church.**
- Novena to St Joseph – from the 26th of January**, every Thursday from 5.30pm to 6.15pm at St Mary's Cathedral Parish. With the Rosary, Novena and ending with Benediction.
- The annual Marriage Mass for the Renewal of Vows** - will be celebrated on **Sunday 12th February, 2023 at St Mary's Cathedral Parish, Hobart at 10.30am.** Couples celebrating Catholic Marriage milestones including couples in the early years of marriage (1st, 5th and 10th anniversaries) are invited to RSVP to the Office of Life, Marriage and Family by emailing rachel.bradley@aohtas.org.au or on 6208 6036. Catholic married couples will receive a special acknowledgement on the day.
- The Parish BBQ and Fundraiser** which was held on the 18th of December were able to raise \$843.50 for the parish, I wish to thank all those who assisted in making it a reality, especially Tad Mathusek and family who organised the BBQ.
- Communion for the sick:** the parish is in the process of upgrading its communion roster, if you know of any one in your family or a friend who is sick within the parish and is in need of communion please let me know.
- The Cathedral parish children's sacramental programme** will begin on the first week of February in collaboration with the Cathedral parish schools. Children studying in year 4 and above may register. **For further details and registration forms please Email the Cathedral office – cathedral@aohtas.org.au or call 03 62344463.**

In Christ,
Fr Leonard,



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READINGS OF THE DAY - 3RD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

First Reading Isaiah 8:23 – 9:3

In days past the Lord humbled the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in days to come he will confer glory on the Way of the Sea on the far side of Jordan, province of the nations.

The people that walked in darkness has seen a great light; on those who live in a land of deep shadow a light has shone.

You have made their gladness greater, you have made their joy increase, they rejoice in your presence as men rejoice at harvest time, as men are happy when they are dividing the spoils. For the yoke that was weighing on him, the bar across his shoulders, the rod of his oppressor, these you break as on the day of Midian.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 26:1. 4. 13-14. R. v.1

(R.) The Lord is my light and my salvation.

1. The Lord is my light and my help;
whom shall I fear?
The Lord is the stronghold of my life;
Before whom shall I shrink?
2. There is one thing I ask of the Lord,
for this I long,
to live in the house of the Lord,
all the days of my life,
to savour the sweetness of the Lord,
to behold his temple.
3. I am sure I shall see the Lord's goodness
in the land of the living.
Hope in him, hold firm and take heart.
Hope in the Lord!

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17

I appeal to you, brothers, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ, to make up the differences between you, and instead of disagreeing among yourselves, to be united again in your belief and practice. From what Chloe's people have been telling me, my dear brothers, it is clear that there are serious differences among you. What I mean are all these slogans that you have, like: 'I am for Paul', 'I am for Apollos', 'I am for Cephas', 'I am for Christ'. Has Christ been parcelled out? Was it Paul that was crucified for you? Were you baptised in the name of Paul?

For Christ did not send me to baptise, but to preach the Good News, and not to preach that in the terms of philosophy in which the crucifixion of Christ cannot be expressed.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus preached the Good News of the kingdom and healed all who were sick.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 4:12-23

He went to Capernaum, that the prophecy of Isaiah be fulfilled. Hearing that John had been arrested Jesus went back to Galilee, and leaving Nazareth he went and settled in Capernaum, a lakeside town on the borders of Zebulun and Naphtali. In this way the prophecy of Isaiah was to be fulfilled: Land of Zebulun! Land of Naphtali! Way of the sea on the far side of Jordan, Galilee of the nations!

The people that lived in darkness has seen a great light; on those who dwell in the land and shadow of death a light has dawned. From that moment Jesus began his preaching with the message, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is close at hand.' As he was walking by the Sea of Galilee he saw two brothers, Simon, who was called Peter, and his brother Andrew; they were making a cast in the lake with their net, for they were fishermen. And he said to them, 'Follow me and I will make you fishers of men.' And they left their nets at once and followed him. Going on from there he saw another pair of brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John; they were in their boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. At once, leaving the boat and their father, they followed him. He went round the whole of Galilee teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the Good News of the kingdom and curing all kinds of diseases and sickness among the people.



GOSPELS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday 23rd January - **Hobart Anniversary of dedication of St Mary's Cathedral 1881** Mark 3:22-30
Tuesday 24th January - **St Francis de Sales, bishop, doctor** Mark 3:31-35
Wednesday 25th January - **The Conversion of St Paul, apostle** Mark 16:15-18
Thursday 26th January - **Australia Day** Matthew 5:1-12
Friday 27th January **St Angela Merici and Sts Timothy and Titus** Mark 4:26-34
Saturday 28th January - **St Thomas Aquinas** Mark 4:35-41

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Zephaniah 2:3,3:12-13 Psalm 145:7-10
1 Corinthians 1:26-31 Matthew 5: 1-12

Pray and Reflect on the Word of God

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