

# St Mary's Cathedral Parish



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21st June 2020, 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

St Mary's Cathedral—Cnr Harrington & Patrick Streets, Hobart  
Sacred Heart Church—Cross St, New Town

**Responsorial Psalm:** Lord, in your great love, answer me!

**Gospel Acclamation :** Alleluia!, Alleluia!  
The Spirit of Truth will bear witness to me, says the Lord,  
and you also will be my witness  
Alleluia!, Alleluia!

**This week's Readings:** Jer 20:10-13; Rom 5:12-15;  
Mt 10:26-33

**Next Week's Readings:** 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11;  
Mt 10:37-42

## Do Not be afraid!

In the first Reading we hear Jeremiah lamenting his hardships as a prophet, and in the Gospel Jesus asks his followers to be brave in promoting their faith. This is an invitation we see building up as Jesus sends his twelve apostles on their first mission to their fellow Jews, "The lost sheep of the house of Israel". He gives them practical advice as to how they should behave and interact as they go about doing God's work.

This implies that all members who are baptised are called to be prophetic and are obliged to play their part in proclaiming the truth of the Gospel. We are all called to be successors to the prophets and Apostles whose job and vocation it was to share Christ's message to the whole world. It is a fearless proclamation of the truth and to stand up to the false truths promoted by society. For Christ gives us the assurance, that a loving God who provides for the smallest of His creatures will provide far more for us, as we are more precious in his sight.



"God defines you by what Jesus has made you - His beloved and righteous child.

Don't define yourself by your limitations and weaknesses, since we are made by the hand of God to soar like eagles and not flutter like sparrows. So let us arise and stand tall, for we are more precious for we are His children".

**Fr. Leonard Caldera OFM.**

### Opening of Churches under Stage 02: New Mass Times

Days	Times	Church
Monday 21st June	No Mass	N/A
Tuesday 22nd June	7:30am, 12:15pm	St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart
	9:00am	Sacred Heart Church, New Town
Wednesday 23rd June	7:30am, 12:15pm	St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart
	9:00am	Sacred Heart Church, New Town
Thursday 24th June	7:30am, 12:15pm	St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart
	9:00am	Sacred Heart Church, New Town
Friday 25th June	7:30am, 12:15pm	St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart
	9:00am	Sacred Heart Church, New Town
Saturday 26th June	8:00am	Sacred Heart Church, New Town
	5.00pm & 6:00pm	St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart
Sunday 27th June	8:30am & 10:00 am	Sacred Heart Church New Town
	9:00am, 10:30am, 4:30pm & 6:00pm	St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart

### Times for the Sacrament of Confession St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday	11:45-12:05pm
Saturday	4:30pm-4:50pm

### Times for the Sacrament of Confession Sacred Heart Church, New Town

Friday	After the 9:00am Mass
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## Youth Minister (Kinder-Year 12)

Ongoing position  
0.50 FTE (term time only)  
Commencing Term 3, 2020

Flexible working days, 8.00am - 4.36pm

**Closing date: 28 June 2020**

Applications are to be submitted to Human Resources via the online link at [www.smc.tas.edu.au/employment](http://www.smc.tas.edu.au/employment) and must address the selection criteria as outlined in the position description.

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*One Face Beyond...*

## **New Booking System for Sunday Masses**

For the foreseeable future, it will be necessary for people wishing to attend a Sunday Mass in the parish to book a place beforehand. Our numbers will continue to be limited, and so booking in beforehand is essential. From last week onwards booking in for Sunday Masses have become easier because we have set up a TryBooking system using commercial software so people can book themselves in for Sunday Mass through the internet using a phone, tablet or computer.

To book a place at a Sunday Mass go to one of the following sites on the net.

For Mass at the Cathedral go to <https://www.trybooking.com/BJWWU>

For Mass at Sacred Heart go to <https://www.trybooking.com/BJYJA>

- When you get the page up, click on "Book Now" at the top of the page
- The full list of Mass times for the month will come up and for each you can see if places are still available.
- Pick one of the Masses which has available places and click on "select". A ticket panel will appear at the bottom of the page and on the right side of this panel press the + (plus) sign to select the number of people you are booking for.
- Click on the "next" button and you will be asked for the names of each person you are booking in and a phone number by which they can be contacted.
- When you have put in the names and phone numbers click on "next" and the final page appears where you need to put in your name again and your e-mail address.
- Now click on "purchase" at the bottom of the page, and you have completed the booking. The Try-Booking system will show that your booking is successful and will send you an e-mail. You can print your tickets if you want to, but you will not need them to get into the Mass because the usher will have the list of who has booked in for that Mass.

### **There is no cost to booking in. Tickets are free.**

If you do not have access to the internet you can still call Mrs Shilpi Santos in the parish office on 0408 778 152 or, after 3:00 pm, call Mr Alex Rodrigues on 0432 790 040 and they will be able to book you in.

Please use the TryBooking system to book yourself in for Sunday Masses if you can, since this will greatly ease the work load on our parish staff and volunteers who, because of government regulations, are having to do a lot of extra work now to allow us to come to Mass again.

### **"FORMED": There is something for every member of the family to help them grow closer to Christ and His Church!"**

For parishioners wanting to join our FORMED group account kindly follow the process below:

Go to [formed.org](https://formed.org) and click 'Sign Up' on the next page select "I Belong to a Parish or Organization"

Find our parish by name, "St Mary Cathedral 164 Harrington St Hobart TAS" Enter your email address and you will be sent an e-mail - and you're in! Diving into the beauty of the Faith has never been easier: at home, on the go, or from any internet connected device. Discover thousands of books, audio talks, movies, documentaries, and studies... there is something for every member of the family to help them grow closer to Christ and His Church.

### **Sunday Plate Collection**

In the interest of public safety and following government recommendations we are temporarily not passing collection plates around for monetary collections or planned giving offerings. However, Parishioners can still make their contributions by putting their weekly offerings or planned giving envelopes in the Collection boxes kept in the foyer.

Thank you!



## Stage Two Easing of Restrictions for Religious Ceremonies

Dear Parishioners and Friends in Christ,

I am pleased to inform you that the restrictions for church attendance are being eased as announced by the Tasmanian Premier.

As of last Wednesday, June 17th a range of restrictions have been eased further, which will allow up to 80 Mass attendees in our Parish Churches and up to 50 attendees for funerals.

It is to be noted that social distancing of 1.5 meters and the maximum of one person per 4 square meters still applies.

At this stage as per the safety protocol, it will still be necessary to make a booking for Mass to ensure that we comply with the new limit of 80 persons and a record will still need to be kept of those who attend Mass.

Because of the lifting of restrictions on the number of people who may participate in religious gatherings being raised to 80, **it is now not necessary to make a booking to come to the weekday Masses.** However, it is still necessary to make an advanced booking to participate in the Masses on weekends.

These bookings can be made by using the Try booking links available in our website and facebook pages.

For more details kindly refer to our website page: [www.stmaryscathedralhobart.org.au](http://www.stmaryscathedralhobart.org.au) .

Or our Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/cathedralparishhobarttasmania](https://www.facebook.com/cathedralparishhobarttasmania)

In these challenging times, we will do our best to assist you spiritually and pastorally within our capacity.

Thank you and may God bless you all!

Rev Fr Shammi Perera VG Adm.

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Thanks to Charles Dunleavy (See Genesis 6-8)

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OH GOODNESS, NOAH ... I THINK I LEFT THE  
OVEN ON AT HOME!

### From Our Anniversary Book

Judith Kent, Francesca Capasso, Stella Wilson, Winifred Burke, Gladys Duggan, Ruby Martin, Ernest Barwick, Tasman Nichols, Giulia, Pasquale and Benjamin Longo, Elaine and Alan Hurle, John McErvale, William Beechey, David Pardoe, Victor Rainbird, Thelma Dance, Jane Wilson, Ann McIvor, Henry Williams, John Wise, Mary Watt, Mary Walker, William Hodgeman, AM QC, Mary Bratt, Rachael McPherson, Edna Keenan, Theresa Lizotte, Douglas Jordan, Giovanna Giana, Rosario Pace, Eileen Green, Jane O'Kane, Brian Beechey, Horace Webster, Sheila Free, Mary Excell.

***May they rest in peace !***

