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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C-13TH JULY 2025

LOVE BEYOND MEASURE

In Baptism we were indelibly marked with the supernatural virtues of faith, hope and love which when recognized and lived out in our daily lives can bring us into closer union with our loving God and all those we meet along our life's journey. FAITH is a theological gift from God by which we trust in and respond to the word of God. HOPE is being assured of the forgiveness of sins and a right to the beatific vision of God. LOVE is the first of the commandments; first to love God above all else and then to love your neighbour as yourself. 'Love one another as I have loved you.' (Mk. 12; 31|). We find in the variations of humanity and creation in general the majesty, beauty, power and endurance of God's love which unites us as one because of the one life force which is God's infinite love for all his creation. 'Christ Jesus is the image of the unseen God and the first born of all creation for in him was created all things in heaven and on earth, everything visible and everything invisible.' (Co1; 16) Each of us has been chosen by God for a particular purpose. We did no choose to have life and all that supports our existence. Our individual lives are a free gift of love from God which makes us unique from one another for his own divine purposes; that is to image his divine presence especially within our families and among our friends and in our Church and civic communities. Jesus, greatest teacher of all time avoided being ruffled up by the lawyer who put this question to Jesus. "Master, what must I do to inherit eternal life? Jesus responded with a question, "What is written in the law?. What do you see there? The lawyer's response was, |Love God with all your heart, soul, strength and mind and your neighbour as yourself. Jesus responded by saying "Do this and life is yours." When we reflect on the parable today Jesus is inviting us to look at our own response of compassion, mercy and selfless love as we in our turn give freely in order to support the needs of the world today. We know well that there are many needing material and spiritual help. What is my/our response? Jesus says, "Go and do the same yourself?" Following in the footsteps of Jesus may we too know the fullness of life here and the eternal life to come. Amen.



MASS TIMES St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart

7.30am: Tuesday - Friday

5.00pm: Saturday 10.30am: Sunday 6.00pm: Sunday

Sacred Heart Church New Town

9.15am: Tuesday - Thursday

8.00am: Saturday 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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

St Mary's Cathedral Crypt, Hobart 6.00pm - Midnight: Friday

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC (RCIA) Please contact the Parish office

SACRAMENTS & DEVOTIONS

ENQUIRIES FOR BAPTISMS AND MARRIAGE PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE





Pope Francis has declared 2025 a Jubilee Year for our Church, themed "Pilgrims of Hope", a year of hope for a world suffering the impacts of war, the ongoing effects of the COVID-19 pandemic, and the climate crisis. As Pope Francis states "the forthcoming Jubilee can contribute greatly to restoring a climate of hope and trust as a prelude to the renewal and rebirth that we so urgently desire; that is why I have chosen as the motto of the Jubilee, Pilgrims of Hope."



IN THE PARISH

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

A special thank you to all those who have volunteered their time and skills thereby enhancing the capability of our Parish. There are always many ways to be involved if you are willing. A special call out Readers at all our Masses. (It is not as hard as you would think). Our Piety Shop is now up and running and looking for people to help out after all weekend Masses. If you would like to help see Christine at the shop in the Cathedral Centre Foyer. Please leave your number and name at the Parish Office or talk to Deacon Mick in person or by text on 0403 741 913.

"We would love to hear from YOU !!"

THIS WEEK

Mon July 14 St Mary's Cathedral Parish RCIA 6:30 pm, 1st Floor Parish Centre

Wed July 16 Solemnity of Our Lady of Mount Carmel 9:30am, Snugg Mass.

Thu July 17 Piety Shop 10am-2pm Cathedral Foyer

Thu July 17 UTAS Youth Group 6-8pm Level 2 parish centre

Fri July 18 Adoration 6pm-12 am, Cathedral Crypt

Fri July 18 Four Facets of God 7 -8:30 pm, Corpus Christi Church, Bellerive

Sat July 19 St Mary's Catholic Cathedral Parish Pilgrimage of Hope We will gather at St Mary's cathedral at 9am, depart at 9:30, we will celebrate Mass at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church in Ross and enjoy a BYO picnic lunch afterwards.

Sat July 19 & Sun 20 July The piety shop is open after every weekend Mass.

COMING UP

July 22 Chatter that Matters 7 pm, 1st Floor Parish Centre. We invite you to hear "Fr John Joseph" talk on the 22nd July, at the Cathedral Parish Centre, starting at 7pm and finishing by 8:30pm. Drinks and bites to eat available.

August 10 Morning Tea Invitation for the Archbishop after 10:30 am mass. 1st Floor Parish Centre, please bring something to share.

August 12 Installation of the Twelfth Bishop of Hobart / Eleventh Archbishop of Hobart 11 am St Mary's Cathedral Followed by a reception at 1.00pm at the Best Western Hotel.

The Angelus Prayer

V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.

 $\ensuremath{\mathbf{R.}}$ And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary, full of grace, The Lord is with Thee; Blessed art thou among women, And

Thee; Blessed art thou among women, And blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Ho-

ly Mary, Mother of God, Pray for us sinners, Now and at the hour of our death. Amen

- V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
- R. Be it done to me according to your 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

Amen.

Peter's Pence Collection

The total amount collected as of July 6th is \$942.50.

Thank you so much for your cooperation and generosity!

Adieu - Archbishop Julian

Dear Parishioners,

Let us join for a morning tea in honour of the Archbishop at St Mary's Cathedral, following the 10:30 AM Mass on the 10th of August at the Parish Centre.

Kindly bring a plate to share.

We look forward to seeing you there!

St Mary's Catholic Cathedral Parish Pilgrimage of Hope

Reminder

Parish Pilgrimage Saturday 19th July
Meeting in Cathedral Carpark at 9:00am
For departure at 9:30 am. Bring a picnic lunch or visit cafe in Ross.

If you have not already signed up but would like to attend, contact Fr Steven or Deacon Mick

From Our Anniversary Book: Riza Villanueva, Teresa Morgan, Jimmy Abraham, Jack Tierney, Mary Waters, Bruno Chinchella, Joan Pigot-Conant, Denis Shelverton, Patricia Margaret Williams, Crugnale Family, Donato, Raffaela and Corrado Di Martino, Francis Fahey, Allison Imlach, Mollie Whitehouse, Joy Halton, Richard Suttorini, Perc Daly, Jack Daly, Alexander Bannerman, Anthony George Hartnett, Bill Mallaburn, Margaret Westell, Kathleen Hanley, Eileen Lansdell, Anthony Carrick, Tom McDonald, Alice Law, William Kay, Hilda Bourke, Debbie Boyle, Mary Halton, Severina Medued, Adam Gaffney, Johannes Tisch, Frederick Flynn, Linda Lewis, Sheila Andrews, Anthony Maurice Hartnett, Gaetano Manfredi, Ailis Nally, John Lennard, Sr Brendan Casey (PBVM) and Sr Baptist Hickie (PBVM) May they rest in peace!





IN THE DIOCESE

Children's Corner:

Draw yourself helping the injured man.



Help the good Samaritan find the injured man and take him to the inn at Jericho.



Installation of Twelfth Bishop of Hobart /

Eleventh Archbishop of Hobart

The Most Reverend Julian Porteous DD

Apostolic Administrator

Archdiocese of Hobart

Is delighted to invite you to the

Installation of

The Most Reverend Anthony John Ireland DD BTheol STL MA STD

as

Twelfth Bishop of Hobart /

Eleventh Archbishop of Hobart

To be held at

St Mary's Cathedral

180 Harrington St, Hobart

at 11.00am on Tuesday 12 August 2025

Followed by a reception

at 1.00pm at the Best Western Hotel, 156 Bathurst St, Hobart.



Please register your attendance by

email: archbishopinstallation@aohtas.org.au

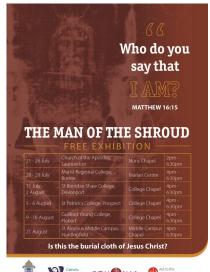
The Man of The Shroud

The Man of the Shroud Exhibition – where faith, science and the Gospel collide! This exhibition curated by Othonia (based in Rome) features a full-size replica of The Shroud of Turin, copies of first century artefacts and the latest scientific evidence on this world-renowned

linen cloth. Could this be the burial cloth of Jesus Christ and the evidence of the Resurrection? Come and see for yourself!

*Entry is free and donations are welcome for 'Aid to the Church in Need' who have generously loaned this exhibition to us.

Any questions, please contact ruth.sternberg@aohtas.org.au or call 0448 537 384.



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Four Facets of God

FOLLOW UP TALK EPICLESIS 4 STEP RETREAT Join us for an evening of Fellowship, Worship and Renewal. Jagath Nanayakka (senior leader and retreat facilitator) will be sharing on "the four facets of God & His divine nature".

ALL ARE WELCOME! Friday 18 July 2025

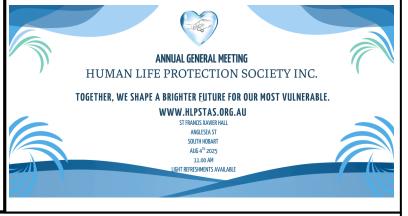
7:00 pm- 8:30 pm Corpus Christi Catholic Church, Bellerive (O'Loughlin Room)

For more information - scbwera@gmail.com

Sea Sunday Appeal



AGM Human Life Protection Society





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.

READINGS OF THE DAY FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR-C

First Reading

Deuteronomy 30:10-14

him, everything in heaven and everything on earth, when he made peace by his death on the cross.

Moses said to the people: 'Obey the voice of the Lord your God, keeping those commandments and laws of his that are written in the Book of this Law, and you shall return to the Lord your God with all your heart and soul.

'For this Law that I enjoin on you today is not beyond your strength or beyond your reach. It is not in heaven, so that you need to wonder, "Who will go up to heaven for us and bring it down to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?" Nor is it beyond the seas, so that you need to wonder, "Who will cross the seas for us and bring it back to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?" No, the Word is very near to you, it is in your mouth and in your heart for your observance.'

Responsorial Psalm 36-37. R. see v.33

Ps 68:14. 17. 30-31. 33-34.

(R.) Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live

- 1. This is my prayer to you, my prayer for your favour. In your great love, answer me, O God, with your help that never fails: Lord, answer, for your love is kind; in your compassion, turn towards me. (R.)
- 2. As for me in my poverty and pain let your help, O God, lift me up. I will praise God's name with a song; I will glorify him with thanksgiving. (R.)
- 3. The poor when they see it will be glad and God-seeking hearts will revive; for the Lord listens to the needy and does not spurn his servants in their chains. (R.)
- 4. For God will bring help to Zion and rebuild the cities of Judah. The sons of his servants shall inherit it; those who love his name shall dwell there. (R.)

Second Reading

Colossians 1:15-20

Christ Jesus is the image of the unseen God and the first-born of all creation, for in him were created all things in heaven and on earth: everything visible and everything invisible, Thrones, Dominations, Sovereignties, Powers—all things were created through him and for him. Before anything was created, he existed, and he holds all things in unity. Now the Church is his body, he is its head. As he is the Beginning, he was first to be born from the dead, so that he should be first in every way; because God wanted all perfection to be found in him and all things to be reconciled through him and for

Gospel Acclamation

John 6:63. 68

Alleluia, alleluia!

Your words, Lord, are spirit and life; you have the words of everlasting life. *Alleluia!*

Gospel

Luke 10:25-37

There was a lawyer who, to disconcert Jesus, stood up and said to him, 'Master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the Law? What do you read there?' He replied, 'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbour as yourself.' 'You have answered right,' said Jesus, 'do this and life is yours.' But the man was anxious to justify himself and said to Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was once on his way down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of brigands; they took all he had, beat him and then made off, leaving him half dead. Now a priest happened to be travelling down the same road, but when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. In the same way a Levite who came to the place saw him, and passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan traveller who came upon him was moved with compassion when he saw him. He went up and bandaged his wounds, pouring oil and wine on them. He then lifted him on to his own mount, carried him to the inn and looked after him. Next day, he took out two denarii and handed them to the innkeeper. "Look after him," he said, "and on my way back I will make good any extra expense you have." Which of these three, do you think, proved himself a neighbour to the man who fell into the brigands' hands?' 'The one who took pity on him,' he replied. Jesus said to him, 'Go and do the same yourself.'

GOSPELS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday 14th July - Matthew 10:34 – 11:1
Tuesday 15th July - Matthew 11:20-24
Wednesday 16th July - Matthew 11:25-27
Thursday 17th July - Matthew 11:28-30
Friday 18th July - Matthew 12:1-8
Saturday 19th July - Matthew 12:14-21

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

First Reading - Genesis 18:1-10
Responsorial Psalm - Ps 14:2-5. R. v.1
Second Reading - Colossians 1:24-28
Gospel - Luke 10:38-42

Pray and Reflect on the Word of God