

# St Mary's Cathedral Parish



## Mass Times

### St Mary's Cathedral Hobart

Tuesday – Friday: 7.30am

Sat : 6pm Vigil Mass

Sun : 10.30am, & 6.00pm Masses

### Sacred Heart Church

Tuesday – Friday: 9am Mass \*

Sat : 8.00am Mass

Sun : 8.30am Mass

Lawrenny Court (131 Hill Street West Hobart)

Friday : 10.30am Mass 26th February 2021, then weekly from the 5th March 2021

\* No 9am Mass at Sacred Heart Church when Mass is at Lawrenny Court

## Reconciliation Times

### Sacrament of Penance (Reconciliation)

St Mary's Cathedral Hobart:

Saturday: 5:00pm-5:30pm

21st February 2021,  
1st Sunday of Lent  
Year B/1

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

### Responsorial Psalm:

Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

### Gospel Acclamation :

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!  
No one lives on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.  
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory.

### This week's Readings:

Gen 9:8-15; 1 Pet 3:18-22;  
Mk 1:12-15

### Next Week's Readings:

Gen 22:1-2,9-13,15-18;  
Rom 8:31-34; Mk 9:2-10

### My Dear Parishioners,

There is very much to be said in favour of Cardinal Newman's advice that religion is something best carried out in the silence of our hearts. Jesus did say that there are times to speak out boldly "from the roof tops." And yet we also know that holiness begins within our own hearts, in that secret place where our real self-worth lies. This Lent in Jesus telling us to go to worship God there, in the secret places of our hearts is an invitation to render our hearts to God. Therefore, I invite you to make this Lent count for something, by actively participating in our Lenten programs.

Fr Leonard Caldera.

## Whole Parish Lenten Study on FORMED

Would you like to grow in your relationship with Jesus Christ? Do you know someone who has fallen away from the Church, perhaps a friend, a family member, or a co-worker, and you want reach them, but you just don't know how to?

With beautiful film-making and teaching on the Sacrament of Reconciliation, **FORGIVEN** will move your heart and give you plenty to discuss as a family or group of friends. The program will be 5 weeks in length, with an episode to watch each week. Formed can be accessed on smart phone, tablet, computer or smart TV.

Our Lenten Study can be undertaken at home using the formed website and can be done individually or in groups. This is a great opportunity to get together with family members or friends and go deeper into our faith together. There will be ample assistance for those who want to host a small group at home.

**It will also be run on Mondays, morning and evening, in the Cathedral Centre.**

If you are not yet signed up as a user of our **FORMED** parish account, go to [signup.formed.org](https://signup.formed.org) and put in our parish name St Mary Cathedral 164 Harrington St. Hobart TAS (or the postcode 7000) then simply enter your name and e-mail address and you will be able to open up all the **FORGIVEN** materials (under Programs/The Sacraments) as well as a wealth of other great content to view, listen to or read.

**Dates and times for the group sessions at Cathedral Centre**

**Dates:** Mondays 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2021, 1<sup>st</sup> March, 8<sup>th</sup> March, 15<sup>th</sup> March and 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2021

**Times:** 10am –12noon or 7pm - 9pm



## A Life-Changing Study for the Whole Parish!

### Session One: Where Are You?

What are we to do with guilt? Should it be ignored, or does it present an opportunity we don't want to miss? The truth is, God seeks us out when we have sinned, not to scold or punish us, but to offer us his healing and his forgiveness. It's certainly true that God is omnipotent and just, but before all else he is our loving, merciful Father.

This week, login to [formed.org](https://formed.org) and watch *Forgiven*, Session 1.



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## LIGHT THE WAY.

Jesus came to show us the way to the Father through his life, death and resurrection. The temptations of Jesus in the desert were invitations to power, possessions, pride and vanity. Jesus was driven by the Holy Spirit to journey into the desert where no doubt he was in communion with his Father. Communication by the grace of God is necessary for any true relationship. Mutual communication allows for growth in knowledge, understanding, acceptance, forgiveness, love, trust and respect. Jesus was united in prayer with his heavenly Father and it was this and through the presence of the angels that Jesus was able to defeat the temptations of the devil, and be comforted. By the grace which is given to us at our baptism we can once more journey as the people of God into the wilderness of our lives. We too, can be tempted by the devil to walk the path of insecurities of possessions, power, pride and vanity - 'Look at me?'

By the presence of the Holy Spirit within us we can become aware of the needs of others around us and can be moved to selflessly attend to their needs. If we keep the eyes of our minds and hearts focused on Jesus' way, the Holy Spirit will show us how to respond. We too are surrounded by many wild animals who try cunningly to dominate us. Each one of us has our own personal demons to avoid. It is through the sacrament of reconciliation that we are forgiven our sins and renewed in spirit by the light of Christ in our hearts. We read in St. Mark's Gospel "The time has come, he said, and the Kingdom of God is close at hand. Repent and believe the Good News." (MK. 1:v15) **Sr. Monica Shelverton. PBVM.**

### Light The Way

(Andrew Chin)

Light the way, lift your hearts  
In all you do, in who you are  
Be the Good News, my living word  
Be the change, be the start  
Of the peace and joy-filled path  
Be light for the way,  
Hope for the world.

Out of the darkness, out of the night  
Live in my truth, live in my light  
And take my light into this day  
And as you go .... Light the way!

And in this way, let your light shine  
A light for all, a hopeful sign  
And all will see and give God praise  
And as you shine .... You light the way!

I have called and chosen you  
To now go forth and bear my fruit  
Be light for the world in every day  
And as you lead .... light the way!



## Becoming Motivated Disciples:

The Verbum Domini Institute is focusing on how to live out the Gospel more fully through motivated Christian Discipleship. Join this four session short course to hear and discuss the meaning of Christian

discipleship with the aim of developing a renewed commitment to Jesus Christ in preparation for Easter. **When:** Tuesdays 23rd Feb, 9th & 23rd Mar, and 6th Apr. The final session will be in the Easter season so we can focus on the fruits of Easter in our spiritual lives. **Time:** 7-8.30pm.

**Cost:** Free

**Register:** [christine.wood@aohtas.org.au](mailto:christine.wood@aohtas.org.au) or call 0408-321-002. **Where:** online via Zoom.

**Men's Breakfast at St Francis Xavier Hall South Hobart - Sat 27th Feb at 8:00 am.** Come and enjoy some singing, inspiration, fellowship, and breakfast. **Daniel de la Motte (Youth Minister at Mackillop**

**College)** will speak on practical ecumenism: "A Pentecostal, Anglican, Evangelical Catholic". Bring a friend. To assist with catering, please RSVP to Martin on 6223 8132 or Duncan on 0400 095 807.

men  
**ALIVE**

*I have come that you may have life and have it to the full. John 10:10*

## JAMILA BANGLADESH

"For the first time in my life, in the camp, I felt cared for and accepted."

**Your support this Lent is life-saving for people experiencing poverty and oppression. Please help more people like Jalima gain confidence and respect within their community and help improve the conditions for refugee people around the world.**

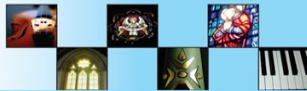


Please collect your Project Compassion boxes or envelopes from the back of the church as you leave today.





Tickets at the door or online:  
[www.trybooking.com/BONKE](http://www.trybooking.com/BONKE)



## 2021 Concert Series

### THE GORDIAN KNOT

2pm, 13th March

Mozart: *Don Giovanni* Overture  
Purcell: *The Gordian Knot*, Untied  
Haydn: *Symphony 101 'The Clock'*

Conductor:  
Alexander Rodrigues



2pm, 20th March

Palestrina: *O Crux Ave* *It is a Thing Most Wonderful*  
Walton: *A Litany*  
Leighton: *Solus ad Victimam*  
Moore: *It is a Thing Most Wonderful*

St Mary's Cathedral Choir

Directors: Ben Mackey & Jo-Anne Kemp



St Mary's Cathedral Youth Group would like to warmly welcome you to come and have your car washed and enjoy a BBQ.

This is happening on **Sunday the 28<sup>th</sup>**

**February 2021** after 10.30am Mass in the St Mary's College Staff carpark. The entrance is off Patrick Street (just above St Virgil's Junior School) and will be sign posted to alert you all. \$15.00 per car wash.

Come and let the Youth Group attend to your car as part of Service Sunday.



## ST PATRICK'S PILGRIMAGE RICHMOND – COLEBROOK 13-14 MARCH 2021



Join Archbishop Julian on a weekend pilgrimage from Richmond to Colebrook, especially designed for young adults aged between 18-30.

To register or for further information, please visit [eventbrite.com.au](http://eventbrite.com.au) and enter St Patrick's Pilgrimage or contact [youth@aotlas.org.au](mailto:youth@aotlas.org.au)



Register here



### My Dear Parishioners,

Lent is a time for us to draw closer to the Lord, especially by meditating on the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus., to reflect on the self-sacrificing Love of God for us.

Thus, this Lent we will be displaying a painting of the HOLY FACE of JESUS, based on the Shroud of Turin. This artwork was completed and donated to St Mary's Cathedral by our very own Gabrielle Blanch.

I thank her very much for her creativity and talent, and I wish her God's abundant blessings. This picture will be on display throughout Lent to Holy Week, at the side altar of the Sacred Heart.

I welcome you all to pray before it and to meditate on the Passion and death of our Lord Jesus Christ.

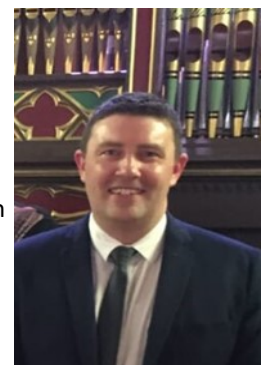
May God bless you all.

Fr Leonard Caldera.



### Congratulations!

The St Mary's Cathedral Parish would like to Congratulate **Ben Mackey**, our Cathedral Director of Music, who has recently been awarded the prestigious Fellowship of the Royal College of Organists (FRCO). The 'gold standard' in organ playing, this English diploma requires music performance, composition and academic skills of the highest level.



## Contact

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(remember to like/follow us to stay up to date!)



St Mary's Cathedral Parish embraces and wholeheartedly supports the Archdiocese of Hobart Safe Communities Policy and Framework.

## From Our Anniversary Book

Mary Kerr, Harry Warren, Frank Burke, Elizabeth Deegan, Monika Sirgunas, Maxwell Walker, Barry Kendall, William Absalom, Karlie Bollen, Margaret Allen, Pasquale Pace, Eleanor Blackburn-Berry, Anita and Ottavio Toffoli, Ernest Blazeley, Gertrude Dowd, Arthur Lacey, John Nolan, Walter Smallbone, Helena Donnelly, Amelia O'Brien, Edward Robinson, Kristine Reeve, Patricia Andrews, Josef Majcher, John Duggan, Wallace Fulton, Thomas O'Connor and Christina Davis.



*May they rest in peace !*

## WEEKLY PARISH EVENTS

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Benediction

Reconciliation will be available.

**Fridays between 11am and 12pm:**  
followed by Mass.



### Station of Cross

Every Friday during Lent at 6.30pm.

26th Feb—St Mary's Cathedral  
5th Mar—Sacred Heart Church  
12th Mar—St Mary's Cathedral  
19th Mar—Sacred Heart Church  
26th Mar—St Mary's Cathedral

### Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

**Saturday 11 am:** 2nd Floor Cathedral Centre—  
Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

### St Mary's Cathedral Parish Youth Group

The Youth Group meets every Sunday around 12 noon after 10.30am Mass at Cathedral on the 1st floor of the Cathedral Centre.

The youth program has 4 scheduled Sundays—Study, Adventure, Prayer and Service where lunch is also included each week.



### The St Mary's Cathedral Youth Group

Last Sunday on the 14th February was Adventure Sunday, we were very blessed to go spend the afternoon at Angela and Arthur Rittar's home. For lunch we had a BBQ and then we had some music 🎵 and games 🎲. It was a delightful afternoon.

The Youth Group would like to say Thank you to Angela and Arthur.

## PRAYER

God of all peoples and nations,  
As you accompany us on our Lenten journey,  
May our fasting strengthen our  
commitment to live in solidarity,  
Our almsgiving be an act of justice, and  
Our prayers anchor us in love and compassion.  
Through living simply and loving generously,  
May we care for our global family  
and our common home, as we  
"Aspire not to have more, but to be more".\*  
We ask this in Jesus' name.  
Amen.

\*Saint Oscar Romero

