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#### **THE MOST HOLY TRINITY YEAR C - 15TH JUNE 2025**

#### THE TRINITY

Glory be to the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

'Lord, Holy Father, with your only begotten Son and the Holy Spirit you are one God and one Lord.' (Preface of the Holy Trinity.)

Remember the Old Testament account of Moses' conversation with God on the holy Mountain. Moses was given the mandate from God to set the Israelites free from the Egyptians. This story is found in the book of Exodus (Ch. 3; v 13-). In this story God reveals his name. "I AM WHO I AM." "You are to say to the sons of Israel; 'Yahweh the GOD of your fathers, the GOD of Abraham, the GOD of Isaac and the GOD of Jacob has sent me to you. This is my name for all time, by this name shall I be invoked for all generations to come. Central to our faith is our belief in the Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, the one God head, three persons united as one each in a communion. GOD is LOVE. God the Father is the creator of all that lives who loves, cares, forgives and protects all that exists. Jesus is the Son of God both human and divine who was sent into this world to proclaim the truth by establishing the Kingdom of God on earth. Jesus is the living Word of God. The author of the Prologue of St. John's Gospel includes the following verse(14) 'The Word was made flesh and lives among us and we saw his glory, the glory that is his as the only Son of the Father full of grace and truth. Jesus and his disciples were moving around the villages of Galilee spreading the Good News proclaiming the Kingdom of God by word and action. Jesus went into the mountains and quiet places to be in prayerful union with his Father. Read Matthew 11; v 25. 'I bless you Father, Lord of Heaven and earth for hiding these things from the learned and the clever and revealing them to mere children.. Yes, Father, for that is what it pleases you to do..' When the disciples asked Jesus to teach them how to pray Jesus taught them the beautiful prayer we frequently pray; The our Father. (Matt 6;v7-'Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love, Send forth your Spirit they shall be created and you shall renew the face of the earth. 'Spirit in my life I see you are God who walks with me. You hold my life in your hands, close beside you I will stand. I give all my life to you, help me Spirit to be true (Fr Frank Andersen MSC). 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

#### St Mary's Cathedral Parish RCIA

If you feel called to the Catholic faith this is a great opportunity to come along and learn and experience, not only the Catholic faith, also where God is in your life and calling you. The invitation is open to not only individuals who desire to become members of the Catholic Church, but for Catholics who might like to learn more about their own faith.

Date: 2nd June at 6:30pm and run each fortnight

Venue: St Mary's Cathedral Parish Centre level 1

#### **Cathedral Parish Piety Shop**

The piety shop is open after every weekend

Mass and between 10am – 2pm on Thursdays.

Stop in and have a look - peruse what is on offer.

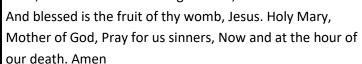
A special gift for someone special or maybe a gift Special gift just for you.



#### **The Angelus Prayer**

**V.** The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.

**R.** And she conceived of the Holy Spirit. **Hail Mary, full of grace,** The Lord is with Thee; Blessed art thou among women,



- 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.



In joyful celebration of the Jubilee Year 2025, which the Catholic Church marks under the theme "Pilgrims of Hope", the faithful of St. Mary's



Cathedral Parish is invited to undertake a pilgrimage to Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Ross on July 19th, 2025.

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.

A flyer with more information and the schedule will be available at all our Masses.

A bus with limited spaces will be available for those who will require transport, a list will be there at the back of our churches for you to place your name.

There will also be a sheet for those who are taking their own car and if you would have space for others.

# " CHATTER THAT MATTERS"

{REMEMBER THE DATE}

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm** 

Join us to hear Cathedral priest Fr Steven Smith Chatter about what really matters on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the Parish Centre, starting at 7pm and finishing no later than 8:30pm.

Coffee/Tea and bites to eat available as we listen to our very own Tasmanian priest. Fr Steven has been a priest for 5 years and still remembers vividly his journey (mission) on the way to the priesthood.

Come, Listen and ask questions of a priest still in the beginning of his vocation.

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, Marie Petrova Shirley, Mary Watt, Mary Walker, William Michael Hodgman AM QC. Oreste Scavone, 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, Sr Alphonsus O'Connell (PBVM), Sr Madeleine Curtain (PBVM) and Sr Columba Beechinor (PBVM)



Draw the Father

Draw the Holy Spirit

# IN THE DIOCESE

# Children's Corner:

God - The father Creator of all things. Loves each of us. Sent his only beloved son

God - The Son

to save us.

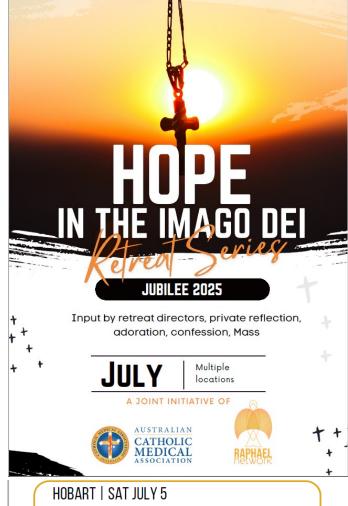
What do you know about Jesus?



#### God - The Holy Spirit

Guided the prophets. Strengthened the members of the early church. Helps us all today.

#### Hope in the Imago Dei Retreat



St. Mary of the Cross, Agnes Street, Ranelagh 9:30am - 3pm Retreat (Includes Mass & Confession) Info: Rachel Bradley | rachbradley73@gmail.com | 0417 312 156

#### **BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL**

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#### Annual Walk with Christ Eucharistic Procession



Annual Procession of the Blessed Sacrament for the Feast of The Body & Blood of Christ

# **SUNDAY 22 JUNE 2025**

St Joseph's Church, Hobart, 12.45pm

Celebrate the Feast of the Body & Blood of Christ by walking with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament through the City of Hobart.

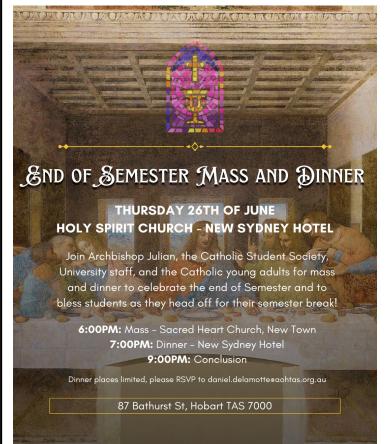


Long-term parking near the Cathedral is available at the Hobart Central Carpark in

Melville Street. The Carpark closes at 4.30pm.
In the event of bad weather, call Vincent on 0487 132 429 for details



#### **End of Semester Mass and Dinner**





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 – The Most Holy Trinity Year C**

#### First Reading

**Proverbs 8:22-31** 

The Lord created me when his purpose first unfolded, before the oldest of his works. From everlasting I was firmly set, from the beginning, before earth came into being. The deep was not, when I was born, there were no springs to gush with water. Before the mountains were settled, before the hills, I came to birth; before he made the earth, the countryside, or the first grains of the world's dust. When he fixed the heavens firm, I was there, when he drew a ring on the surface of the deep, when he thickened the clouds above, when he fixed fast the springs of the deep, when he assigned the sea its boundaries - and the waters will not invade the shore when he laid down the foundations of the earth, I was by his side, a master craftsman, delighting him day after day, ever at play in his presence, at play everywhere in his world, delighting to be with the sons of men.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 8:4-9. R. v.2

## (R.) O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!

- 1. When I see the heavens, the work of your hands, the moon and the stars which you arranged, what is man that you should keep him in mind, mortal man that you care for him? (R.)
- 2. Yet you have made him little less than a god; with glory and honour you crowned him, gave him power over the works of your hand, put all things under his feet. (R.)
- 3. All of them, sheep and cattle, yes, even the savage beasts, birds of the air, and fish that make their way through the waters. (R.)

#### Second Reading

**Romans 5:1-5** 

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith we are judged righteous and at peace with God, since it is by faith and through Jesus that we have entered this state of grace in which we can boast about looking forward to God's glory. But that is not all we can boast about; we can boast about our sufferings. These sufferings bring patience, as we know, and patience brings perseverance, and perseverance brings hope, and this hope is not deceptive,

because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us.

#### **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Alleluia!

Gospel

John 16:12-15

Jesus said to his disciples:

'I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine'.



#### **GOSPELS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

Monday 16th June -Matthew 5:38-42 Tuesday 17th June - Matthew 5:43-48 Wednesday 18th June - Matthew 6:1-6. 16-18 Thursday 19th June -Matthew 6:7-15 Friday 20th June Matthew 6:19-23 Saturday 21st June -Matthew 6:24-34

**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS: The Most Holy Body and** 

**Blood of Christ Year C** 

First Reading - Genesis 14:18-20 Responsorial Psalm - Ps 109:1-4. R. v.4 Second Reading - 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Gospel - Luke 9:11-17

Pray and Reflect on the Word of God