



# St. Joseph's Parish, Hobart Newsletter

*The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph (C) – 28/29 Dec 2024*



## MASS TIMES

### WEEKDAY MASS

Mon till Sat inclusive – 8am  
Church opens at 7.30am and  
closes at 4pm on weekdays.

### LUNCHTIME MASS

Wednesday and Friday only  
Mass – 12.10pm

### RECONCILIATION

Wed & Fri 12.30pm  
and Saturday – 4-4.30pm

### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

**Saturday Vigil: 6.30pm**

### Sunday Masses

Church opens at 7am  
**7.30am, 9.30am, 11.00am**  
**5pm** Vietnamese 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun only  
Church closes immediately  
after the 6.30 Vigil and  
at 12 noon on Sunday.

## ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

The shepherds went in haste & found Mary & Joseph & the Infant lying in a manger.

**FIRST READING: 1 Samuel 1:20-22, 24-28**

**PSALM (83:2-3, 5-6, 9-10)**

**R: How happy they who dwell in your house, O Lord.**

How lovely is your dwelling place, Lord, God of hosts.

My soul is longing and yearning, for the courts of the Lord.

My heart and my soul ring out their joy to God, the living God.

They are happy, who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

They are happy, whose strength is in you; they walk with ever growing strength.

O Lord, God of hosts, hear my prayer, give ear, O God of Jacob.

Turn your eyes, O God, our shield, look on the face of your anointed.

**SECOND READING: 1 John 3:1-2, 21-24**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

**Alleluia, alleluia!** Open our heart, O Lord, to listen to the words of your Son.

**Alleluia!**

**GOSPEL: Luke 2:41-52**

*Next Week – The Epiphany of the Lord (C): Isaiah 60:1-6 Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6 Matt. 2:1-12*



## PASSIONIST COMMUNITY and PARISH TEAM:

### Passionist Community:

Fr. Peter Addicoat CP  
Fr Dominic Samamba CP  
Fr Truc Chinh Hoang CP.

*The Parish office is now attended  
five days a week.*

### Secretary/Administration/Accounts

Gail Roberts

### Pastoral Associate

Angela Marquis

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[www.passionistshobart.org.au](http://www.passionistshobart.org.au)

[www.facebook.com/stjosephhobart](https://www.facebook.com/stjosephhobart)

## FOR PRAYERFUL REMEMBRANCE

After approx. four weeks names will be deleted from these lists, phone the office if you wish for names to be reinserted.

**RECOVERY:** Colman Dwyer, Logan Tomlin, Matthew White, Ben, Ann Howard, Celine Gibson, Liz, John Thomson, Maddie Ryan, Maria Beekmeijer, Kayden Edwards, Adam Jones, Jane Hynes, Francis Maloney, Peter Chen, Blair, Francis O'Brien, Greg Smith, Kieran Ahearn, Dawn, Kathie, Jim, Nelle, Tom O'Halloran, Ileana Marie Campos, Fr Chris Mithen CP, Sam, Michael Burke, Sr Kathleen Cramer, Joy Wheeler, Pam Lee, Melanie Pallari, Philomino, Trisha, Prasadi, Joseph Thiêt, Vinka, Monica Hennessy, Heather, Carmen Walker, Angelo di Florio, Iris, Gail, Leo Francis Rose, Pauline Carney, Danica Mamic, Greg & Sue Clausen, Kurt Warwarek, Andy Wilson, Tina, Joseph Hoang, Kathryn Wiggins, MaryAnn, Colleen, Cooper Wall.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Fr Kevin Connolly CP, Catherine Barta, Joy Robertson, Pamela Cooling, Elizabeth Higgins, Frank Kempa, Laurie O'Sullivan, George Havlat, Cecily Burnett, Chris Donaldson, Felix Lobo, Ian Marnoch, Br Stephen Joseph Varga LEP, Fr Terry Bowman MSC, Josef Plecinski, Dilar Faria, Terry Nicholl, James Miller, Mary Ann Miller.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Patricia Case, Deborah Carney, Gwendoline Tracey, Ronald Case, Edmund Lewinski, Winifred Laverty, Frederick Wilmshurst, Fred Peters, Vera Sherston, Constantin Fuscescu, Dorothy Steward, Thomas (Tom) Carney, Pauline Kerlake, June McKee, Valerie Hope, Russell Braden, Maria Merse, Alan Boucher, Monica Urquhart, Patricia Hickman, Thomas Gaha, Gerarda Vervaart, Frances Addicoat, Bernard Connolly, Florence Peters.

**MASSSES:** Cyril, Eileen, Joan, Marie, Irene, Ashton & Marie Shirley, Margaret James, Trisha, Stephen & Matthew Gallagher, Dorothy Donoghue, Elizabeth Kempa, Eileen Holloway, Dwyer & McDermott families (Dec), Krasnicki family (Dec), Br Ed, Fr Gerald, Fr Chris Mithen, Nevenka Mamic, Meg & Tom Walker, Terry Sullivan's Family & Friends, Mamic family, Gordon Thurn, Alicia Y Nietes, Darmith & Danica de Lanerolle, John McCarthy, Margaret James, Steven Jenkins, Maria Jenkins, Souls in purgatory, Felix Lobo, Roberto, Gabrielle, Annabella, Cyril Joseph, Sue & Greg Clausen, Robert William Jensen, Robert Johnson, Graeme Kendall, Stephen De Lanerolle.

St Joseph's Church  
Cnr. Macquarie and  
Harrington Streets,  
Hobart, Tasmania



## Our Parish Commitment

*We the parishioners of St. Joseph's are committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of children, young people, and people at risk in our community. We uphold that child protection, and the dignity of every person, is the responsibility of every adult.*

## MINISTRY ROSTERS

### 28/29 December 2024 – Feast of the Holy Family – Year C

Ministry ⇒ Mass Time ↓	Welcomer	Minister of the Word (MOW)	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC)	Flowers
6.30pm Vigil	Guy Marquis	Kay Eleazar	Angela Marquis	28/29 Dec & 4/5 Jan
7.30am	Gail O'Brien	Phil Page	Zac Panyadong	Chris & Jane
9.30am	Libby Lewinski	Mark Hooper	Judi Richardson	
		Peter Bowen		12/13 & 19/20 Jan
11.00am	Sam Di Scerni	Rafal Kozlowski	Sovi Kurian	Madeleine & Robyn

### 4/5 January 2025 – Solemnity of the Epiphany – Year C

Ministry ⇒ Mass Time ↓	Welcomer	Minister of the Word (MOW)	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC)	Flowers
6.30pm Vigil	Kay Eleazar	Margaret Lickiss		28/29 Dec & 4/5 Jan
7.30am	Phil Page	Gail O'Brien	Zac Panyadong	Chris & Jane
9.30am	Ron Ward	Gerarda Muir	Terry Denjen	
		Libby Lewinski		12/13 & 19/20 Jan
11.00am	Christine D'Souza	Tobiasz Kozlowski	Sovi Kurian	Madeleine & Robyn

#### GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.  
We praise you, we bless you,  
we adore you, we glorify you,  
we give you thanks for your great glory.  
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.  
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world,  
have mercy on us;  
you take away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,  
have mercy on us.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father,  
**Amen.**

#### APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand  
of God the Father Almighty;  
from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and life everlasting.  
**Amen.**

#### IMPORTANT SUNDAY PARKING NOTICE

(Does not apply to Saturday Vigil Mass)

*St Joseph's has been issued with parking permits which cover the four spaces outside the church in Macquarie Street (not the two spaces outside the Astor Grill), and eight spaces in Harrington Street from the corner down to the Monastery driveway.*

Parishioners who use these spaces for masses on Sunday need to collect permits and display the appropriate one on your dashboard. **The permits cover you from 7am till 4pm on Sunday, but only for the designated 12 spaces.**

**Parking Permits from 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024 to 19<sup>th</sup> December 2025 are now available for collection.**

**CAR PARKING DURING SUNDAY MASS TIMES IS ALSO AVAILABLE IN ST JOSEPH'S CAR PARK VICTORIA ST, ENTER VIA COLLINS STREET. USE WHICHEVER VACANT SPOTS ARE AVAILABLE.**

To view the Newsletter online go to  
St Joseph's Church website  
[www.passionistshobart.org.au](http://www.passionistshobart.org.au)  
Google search: *St Joseph's Hobart.*  
If you know of parishioners who do not have internet access, please give them a hard copy of the newsletter.

**As a parish community, we commit ourselves to providing an environment which will promote the physical health and wellbeing of all people especially the elderly and vulnerable people in our society. We pray daily for those whose lives are impacted through contracting the Covid Virus and the medical staff and families who care for them.**

## PARISH AND PASSIONIST COMMUNITY

### NEW APPOINTMENTS AT ST JOSEPH'S

Fr Justin Durai Raj will arrive on January 6<sup>th</sup> to take up his role as Parish Priest and Community Leader and Fr. Joseph Liaia will also arrive in January to become part of the Passionist Community. Fr Truc will take up a new appointment to St. Mary's Retreat, Oxley in January. We at St Joseph's thank Fr Truc for his work over the past 14 months and wish him all the best in his new ministry, and we welcome both Fr Justin and Fr Joseph to Hobart. Fr Truc will celebrate his final Vietnamese Mass on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 at 5pm. All are very welcome.

### ROSARY & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Our monthly prayer time is held on the last Friday of the month. All welcome!

### SACRAMENTS AT RHH

Visitation of hospital patients is by request. St Joseph's Catholic Church is the primary contact for providing Catholic rites and sacraments – Fr Dominic can be reached on 6234 4866. The RHH Chaplaincy service is maintaining a 24/7 on-call service for staff, patients & visitors who would like to talk or need some informal support.

### COLUMBAN CALENDARS

Columban Calendars for 2025 are now available from the Sacristy for \$10.

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION

### SETS OF ENVELOPES for the New Financial Year 2024/2025 are now available.

If you are making contributions through the envelope system your new set can be collected from the Monastery after making arrangements with Denise during office hours on 6234 4866.

For record keeping purposes we will allocate the envelope number that you are currently using for this financial year. This will enable us to issue receipts at the end of each financial year to those people who have provided us with their name and address. We have several anonymous contributors who ideally need a number so that we can accurately declare the number of people contributing to our parish finances.

**For new contributors to Planned Giving, there are now sets of envelopes for collection in the Sacristy. Please ensure that you fill in the information sheet and return as soon as possible, even if you wish to remain anonymous, so that the envelope number can be recorded.**

**If you have started internet banking, you can continue to do so using your current envelope number as we will withdraw that set from general circulation. This enables you to use the envelopes if you choose to do so in the future.**

**PAY ID is our new method for one off donations, enabling you to send quick payments in real time.**

#### SETUP PAYID:

1. Log on to your banking app and select 'Profile', then 'Manage PayID'.
2. Choose which type of PayID you'd like to register, then follow the prompts.
3. Choose an account to link to your PayID.
4. Confirm the name others will see.

#### MAKE DONATIONS USING PAYID:

1. Open your banking app and select 'Pay someone'.
2. Select PayID option, then Type: ABN, then Enter: 99 814 352 286.
3. Enter the amount.
4. Enter the description such as "Donation" or "Restoration" etc. and complete the payment.

### THE SUNDAY LOOSE PLATE COLLECTION

**One collection at the Offertory into which all contributions can be placed.**

This has been a major source of income for the Passionist Community. If you would prefer to contribute through online banking, please speak to Gail during office hours Tuesday to Thursday on 6234 4866.

You may also contribute by cheque made out to Passionist Fathers or St. Joseph's Church.

**We understand that many people are facing financial hardship, so please put your family needs ahead of church needs.**

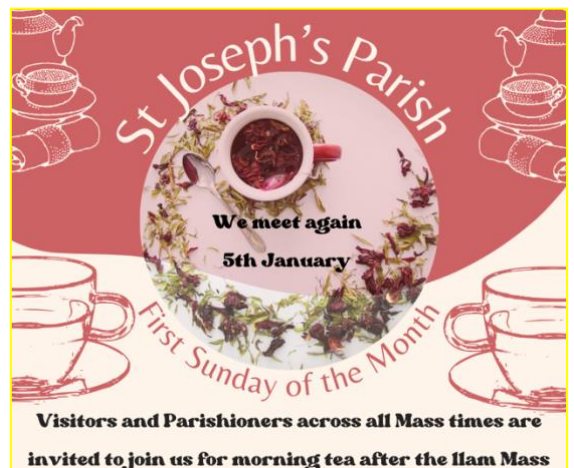
Thank you for your support of our parish and religious community.

## JANUARY MASS & RECONCILIATION TIMES 2025

MONDAY 30TH, TUESDAY 31ST DECEMBER, 2024 - 8.00AM  
MASS TIMES RESUME AS NORMAL FROM 1ST JANUARY, 2025  
MONDAY, TUESDAY & THURSDAY - 8.00AM  
WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY - 8.00AM & 12.10PM  
WEEKEND MASS TIMES  
SATURDAY 8.00AM & 6.30PM VIGIL  
SUNDAY 7.30AM, 9.30AM & 11AM

RECONCILIATION TIMES  
WEDNESDAY 1ST JAN - PUBLIC HOLIDAY - NONE  
SUNDAYS, MONDAYS, TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS - NONE  
WEDNESDAYS AND FRIDAYS - 12.30-1PM  
SATURDAYS - 4-4.30PM

HAPPY NEW YEAR



**Wishing you and your families a safe, healthy, happy and Holy new year, From the Passionist community of St Joseph's!**