

St. Joseph's Parish, Hobart Newsletter



<u> The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) – 18/19 January 2025</u>

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 2nd Sun only

Church closes immediately after the 6.30 Vigil and at 12 noon on Sunday.



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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

All the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to you, shall sing to your name, O Most High!

FIRST READING: Isaiah 62:1-5

PSALM (95:1-3, 7-10)

R: Proclaim his marvellous deeds to all nations. O sing a new song to the Lord, sing to the Lord all the earth. O sing to the Lord, bless his name.

Proclaim his help day by day, tell among the nations his glory and his wonders among all peoples.

Give the Lord, your families of peoples, give the Lord glory and power. give the Lord the glory of his name.

Worship the Lord in his temple. O earth, tremble before him. Proclaim to the nations: 'God is king'. He will judge the peoples in fairness.

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, Alleluia! God has called us with the gospel to share in the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: John 2:1-11

Next Week – The 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C: Nehemiah 8:2-6, 8-10 1 Corinthians 12:12-30 Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21

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 Crameri, 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, Greg & Sue Clausen, Kurt Warwarek, Andy Wilson, Tina, Joseph Hoang, Kathryn Wiggins, MaryAnn, Colleen, Cooper Wall.

RECENTLY DECEASED: 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, Pauline Ruth Young, Lilly Murray, Justiniano Candado.

ANNIVERSARIES: Constantin Fusescu, Dorothy Steward, Thomas (Tom) Carney, Pauline Kerslake, June McKee, Valerie Hope, Russell Braden, Maria Merse, Alan Boucher, Monica Urquhart, Patricia Hickman, Thomas Gaha, Gerarda Vervaart, Frances Addicoat, Bernard Connolly, Florence Peters, Jarmila Havlat, Gregory Steward, Anne Foulston, Hilda Matusek, Fr Ray Brain CP, Renato Buenconsejo, Irene Shirley, Betty Hooper, Adrian Coetzee, Tom Walker, Rodney Kevin O'Brien, Cyril Shirley, Ronald Davis, Denis Edwin Mangan, Max Horlock, Mathilda Van De Vusse, Patricia Smith, Claire Braden, Dorothy Derrick, Vittoria Di Barri, Marie Dalkeith, Thomas Allen.

MASSES: 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, Stephen De Lanerolle, Intention of donor, Bernard Connolly, Alicia Y Nietes, Thanksgiving, Victor, Poor Souls in purgatory, Tony & Jomia, Glanys Osuchowski, Lyn Holmes, Don Holmes.

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

18/19 January 2025 – 2 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C						
Ministry ⇒ Mass Time ↓	Welcomer	Minister of the Word (MOW)	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC)	Flowers		
6.30pm Vigil	Margaret Lickiss	Jill Dance	N/A	11/12 & 18/19 Jan		
7.30am	Tom Dorey	Rohan Hutchinson	Zac Panyadong	Madeleine & Robyn		
9.30am	Peter Bowen	Judith Richardson	Maureen Ball			
		Ron Ward		25/26 Jan & 1/2 Feb		
11.00am	Judy Elliss	Peter Mangan	Sovi Kurian	Judy		

25/26 January 2025 – 3 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C						
Ministry ⇒ Mass Time ↓	Welcomer	Minister of the Word (MOW)	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC)	Flowers		
6.30pm Vigil	Margaret Lickiss	Jill Dance	N/A	11/12 & 18/19 Jan		
7.30am	Phil Page	Gail O'Brien		Madeleine & Robyn		
9.30am	Dennis Lanham	Gerarda Muir	Audrey Miller			
		Libby Lewinski		25/26 Jan & 1/2 Feb		
11.00am	Sam Di Scerni	Sally Kendall	Sovi Kurian	Judy		

MASS TEXTS

GLORIA **APOSTLES' CREED** I believe in God, the Father almighty, Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. Creator of heaven and earth. We praise you, we bless you, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, we adore you, we glorify you, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, we give you thanks for your great glory. born of the Virgin Mary, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. suffered under Pontius Pilate, Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, was crucified, died and was buried; Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; he ascended into heaven, you take away the sins of the world, and is seated at the right hand receive our prayer; of God the Father Almighty; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, have mercy on us. the holy catholic Church, For you alone are the Holy One, the communion of saints. you alone are the Lord, the forgiveness of sins, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, the resurrection of the body, in the glory of God the Father, and life everlasting. Amen. Amen.

THE NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth; of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. **Amen.**

PARISH AND PASSIONIST COMMUNITY NEWS

FR. XAVIER USA C.P., RIP

We were saddened to read this week of the death of Fr. Xavier who had shared life and ministry with us in the Province in Marrickville, Hobart and Endeavour Hills. Our sympathy goes to his Vice Province and to all members of his class. Xavier died suddenly of a heart attack whist ministering in a major shrine in Bangalore.

COMMUNITY

An official Parish Welcome for Fr Justin will be held on Sunday 2nd February 2025 here at St Joseph's after the 11am Mass. Parishioners across all Mass times are warmly invited to attend this celebration. On the weekend of 15th and 16th February there will be the opportunity to welcome Fr Joey formally to our Parish.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

At the end of 2024, Peter Bowen stepped down as Chair of the Parish Pastoral Council, and Terry McCarthy took up this position. We thank Peter for his service over the last few years, and Terry for accepting the role of Chair. We are grateful to both men and their ongoing commitment to the council as members.

ROSARY & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Our monthly prayer time is held on the last Friday of the month, from 6.30-7.45pm in the Side Chapel. We meet again next Friday, 31st January. All are most welcome to attend!

COLUMBAN CALENDARS

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

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.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

Monday 27th January will be a Public Holiday. Mass will be at 8am and the church will be closed immediately after Mass for reasons of security. We apologise for any inconvenience.

WIDER COMMUNITY EVENTS

Pause - Retreat for Women

Pause is a 3-day, small group, semi silent retreat for women in the middle years who seek a time of prayer, guidance and stillness amidst the natural transitions of life to discover the emerging call of transformation and flourishing that God is inviting you to.

> Each day you are invited to personally enter a story from scripture of women and their transforming encounters with Jesus.

Friday 28th March (2pm) - Sunday 30th March (6pm), 2025

Facilitated by Belinda Chapman (Spiritual Direction included)

Venue: Pilot's House, Pilot Station, Low Head

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

A Call for Catechists: Interested in helping young children come to know and love God? The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) for children is currently offered in Kingston and Lindisfarne for children 3-9 years old. If you are interested in becoming a catechist, please register for the free 4-day formation, 31^{st} Jan – 3^{rd} Feb, 2025, 9am-5pm at the Lindisfarne Pastoral Centre.

Call for Enrolments at Lindisfarne Atrium: Catechesis of the Good Shepherd for children 3-6 years old begin in February. A Montessori approach to catechesis, rich in Scripture, liturgy and prayer. Sessions follow the school terms. Families can enrol children for sessions on Tuesdays 4-5.30pm or Wednesdays 10.30am-12pm at 3 Bay Rd, Lindisfarne.

To enquire or register for either of these programs, please contact Christine Wood: christine.wood@aohtas.org.au or 62086236.

2025 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

January Mass & Reconciliation Times

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

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:

Open your banking app and select 'Pay someone'.
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.

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 20th December 2024 to 19th December 2025 are now available for collection.

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

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.

To view the Newsletter online go to St Joseph's Church website 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.