



St. Joseph's Parish, Hobart Newsletter

The 2nd Sunday of Lent (C) – 15/16 March 2025



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

Church opens at 7am
7.30am, 9.30am, 11.00am
Church closes immediately
after the 6.30 Vigil and
at 12 noon on Sunday.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face.
It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face from me.

FIRST READING: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18

PSALM 26:1, 7-9, 13-14 R. v.1

R: The Lord is my light and my salvation

The Lord is my light and my help; whom shall I fear?
The Lord is the stronghold of my life; before whom shall I shrink?

O Lord, hear my voice when I call; have mercy and answer.
Of you my heart has spoken: 'Seek his face.'

It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face.
Dismiss not your servant in anger; you have been my help.
I am sure I shall see the Lord's goodness in the land of the living.
Hope in him, hold firm and take heart. Hope in the Lord!

SECOND READING: Philippians 3:17-14:1

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Glory and Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: this is my beloved Son, hear him.

Glory and Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

GOSPEL: Luke 9:28-36

Next Week – The 3rd Sunday of Lent, Year C: Ex. 3:1-8, 13-15 1 Cor. 10:1-6, 10-12 Luke 13:1-9



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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, Heather, Carmen Walker, Angelo di Florio, Iris, Barry, Leo Francis Rose, Pauline Carney, Greg & Sue Clausen, Kurt Warwarek, Andy Wilson, Tina, Joseph Hoang, Kathryn Wiggins, MaryAnn, Cooper Wall, Shea, Br Jim Couchier CP.

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, Fr Xavier USA CP, Barbara Blackman, Paul Morgan, Murray Jacobson, Val Bannerman, Melanie Rose Pallari (nee O'Rourke).

ANNIVERSARIES: Gwendoline Wawrzyniak, Mary Anne Stacey, Paul Hope, Natividad Massina, Elaine Butterworth, Frank Di Scerni, Alice Dillon, Frederick Byrne, Michael Dinon, Stipe Mamie, Robert & Una Huxtable, Jan Hodgetts, Fr Linus O'Keefe CP, Sally Hastings nee Hughes, Leonard Carr, Rosalie Murphy, Bernard Gillon, Sandra Steele.

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 Mamie, Meg & Tom Walker, Terry Sullivan's Family & Friends, Mamie family, Poor Souls in purgatory, Tony & Jomia, Glanys Osuchowski, Lyn Holmes, Don Holmes, Ramon Benjamin, Maria Krasnicki, Intentions, Justin Hutchinson, Cyril Joseph, Susan, Teresa Kaczmarek, Thanks to God, Fong Family, Shea Henderson, Marissa & Natasha Chu, Nikita & Nicholas Chu, Thanksgiving, Bernard Connolly, Special Family Intentions, Agnes Parr, S. Bernard.

BIRTHDAYS: Graeme Hughes, Ken Hevey

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

15/16 March 2025 – The 2nd Sunday of Lent – Year C

Ministry ⇒ Mass Time ↓	Welcomer	Minister of the Word (MOW)	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC)	Flowers
6.30pm Vigil	Margaret Lickiss	Kareena Dias		8/9 & 15/16 March
7.30am	Phil Page	Tom Dorey		Judy
9.30am	Ron Ward	Gerarda Muir	Kathy Norton	
		Henry Wolf		22/23 & 29/30 March
11.00am	Judy Elliss	Rafal Kozlowski	Sovi Kurian	Chris & Jane
		Tobiasz Kozlowski		

22/23 March 2025 – The 3rd Sunday of Lent – Year C

Ministry ⇒ Mass Time ↓	Welcomer	Minister of the Word (MOW)	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC)	Flowers
6.30pm Vigil	Kareena Dias	Bianca Benjamin	Margaret Lickiss	8/9 & 15/16 March
7.30am	Gail O'Brien	Paul Reidy		Judy
9.30am	Mark Hooper	Dennis Lanham	Terry Denjen	
		Judithe Richardson		22/23 & 29/30 March
11.00am	Sally Kendall	Judy Elliss	Sovi Kurian	Chris & Jane

MASS TEXTS

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.

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 COMMUNITY NEWS

STONEMASONRY ON HARRINGTON STREET

Many of you may have noticed the stone work coming away from the wall on Harrington Street. Please be advised that this area of upkeep has been investigated and repairs will take place as soon as possible.

BECOME MORE INVOLVED IN OUR PARISH

Volunteer forms are available at the entrance to the church for those parishioners who would like to become more involved in our Parish.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The PPC will meet again this Tuesday 18th March at 7pm in the Side Chapel.

LENTEN DISCUSSION GROUPS

Lenten discussion groups will be held on Wednesday evenings between 6.30 and 7.30 pm, and again on Friday mornings between 10.15 and 11.15. Please feel welcome to attend either session.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross will be commemorated each Friday during Lent at 11.30am, followed by Midday Mass.

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. All welcome!

St Joseph's Church

welcomes you to:

Fridays in Lent

Please join us for our
Lenten Reflection**

followed by

Stations of the Cross

10.15: Lenten Reflection

11.30: Stations of the Cross

12.10: Mass

12.30 Reconciliation

Each Friday during Lent

**Also held on Wednesday evenings
6.30-7.30pm



CHILDREN'S LITURGY RESOURCES

Children's Liturgy sheets will be available after each of the Mass times for the Sundays of Lent. Children will take part in a blessing at the end of Mass and receive an activity sheet allowing them to share more fully in the Word.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME

Parents who wish their children to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation, please contact the office.



**PROJECT
COMPASSION**



Prayer of Intercession

We pray for all those whose access to food and water is insecure. May the whole human family respond generously in creating lasting justice in the distribution of life's necessities. May we respond to opportunities such as those presented by Project Compassion this Lent to *Unite Against Poverty*. May we all be one.

Photo: Toefuata'iga (13) fills up her water bottle from a Samoan primary school's water tank. Credit: Caritas Australia.

LENTEN REFLECTION MORNING

With Fr. Joseph Liaia CP & Community



5th April 2025

St. Joseph's Side Chapel
10:30 am-12:30 pm



Caritas
AUSTRALIA

**PROJECT
COMPASSION**

Second Sunday of Lent
15th and 16th of March 2025

Toefuata'iga - (*Toy-foo-ah-tah-ing-ah*) a primary school student from Samoa faced severe water shortages at her school. Thanks to Caritas Australia and the generosity of supporters like you, her primary school now has a 10,000 L water tank. Teachers and students now have access to clean drinking water at their school and are able to focus on education.



Photo credit: Caritas Australia

Please donate today.

You can support Project Compassion 2025 through the donation boxes, envelopes or by scanning the QR code above.

Or online at: caritas.org.au/project-compassion

Or by calling: 1800 024 413

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.

ARCHDIOCESAN AND WIDER COMMUNITY NEWS

COME BELOVED

You are invited to a day of prayer and reflection accompanying Jesus into the wilderness and discovering the temptations that distract you from your belovedness. Saturday 22nd March, 9am-2pm – Josephite Mission & History Centre, 67 Clare St, New Town. \$50 (including morning tea – BYO lunch). See noticeboard for more information.

NO GREATER LOVE















The Archdiocese of Hobart presents the Passion Play 2025, *No Greater Love*, on Friday 28th March and Friday 11th April at e Don Bosco Creative Arts Centre in Glenorchy at 6.45pm. Entry is free.

ENDOW WOMEN'S GROUP

Upcoming courses: *St Edith Stein: Seeker of truth*, and *St Catherine of Siena: Setting the world ablaze*, Both courses held at The Lindisfarne Pastoral Centre, 3 Bay Road, Lindisfarne. \$30 including study guide. More info on notice board.

MUSIC IN THE EUCHARIST

A workshop hosted by Stephen Kirk exploring liturgical music and a practical walkthrough of music in the Mass. Saturday 5th April, 2025, 10am-1pm at the Pastoral Centre, 44 Margaret St. Launceston. *Stephen Kirk Unplugged* Friday 4th April, 7 – 9pm. Flyers are available at the entrance to the church, and a QR code can be found on the notice board.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
10 Feast on patience 	11 Fast from swearing 	12 Feast on being filled with hope 	13 Fast from regrets 	14 Feast on having trust in God 	15 Fast from consumerism 	16 Feast on simplicity and the simple pleasures 
17 Fast from being judgmental 	18 Feast on being reflective & prayerful 	19 Fast from being indifferent to others 	20 Feast on filling your heart with joy 	21 Fast from social media 	22 Feast on compassion for others 	23 Fast from mobile phones 

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. The safety and respect of all children and vulnerable peoples is our top priority.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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 enables you to send quick "one off" payments in real time.

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:

1. Open your banking app and select 'Pay someone'. 2. Select PayID option: ABN & 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 Tues to Wed 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.

SUNDAY PARKING NOTICE **(Not applicable to Sat 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.

Please be mindful of Parishioners from other Mass times.

Car parking during Sunday mass times is also available in St Joseph's car park Victoria St, entry via Collins St. Use whichever vacant spots are available.

To view the newsletter online go to our website:
www.passionistshobart.org.au – if you know of parishioners who do not have internet access, please give them a copy of our newsletter.