



# St. Joseph's Parish, Hobart Newsletter

*The 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent (C) – 22/23 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:**

When I prove my holiness among you, I will gather you from all the foreign lands;  
and I will pour clean water upon you and cleanse you from all your impurities,  
and I will give you a new spirit, says the Lord.

**FIRST READING: Exodus 3:1-8, 13-15**

**PSALM 102:1-4. 6-8. 11. R. v.8**

**R: The Lord is kind and merciful**

My soul, give thanks to the Lord, all my being, bless his holy name.  
My soul, give thanks to the Lord and never forget all his blessings.

It is he who forgives all your guilt, who heals every one of your ills,  
who redeems your life from the grave, who crowns you with love and compassion.

The Lord does deeds of justice, give judgment for all who are oppressed.  
He made known his ways to Moses and his deeds to Israel's sons.

The Lord is compassion and love, slow to anger and rich in mercy.  
For as the heavens are high above the earth so strong is his love for those who fear him.

**SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

**Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!**

Repent, says the Lord; the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

**Glory and Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!**

**GOSPEL: Luke 13:1-9**

*Next Week – The 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent, Year C: Joshua 5:9-12 2 Cor. 5:17-21 Luke 15:1-3, 11-32*



### **PASSIONIST COMMUNITY & PARISH TEAM:**

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Fr Justin Durai Raj CP

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Fr Justin Durai Raj CP

Fr. Peter Addicoat CP

Fr Dominic Samamba CP

Fr Joseph Liaia CP

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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 Coucher 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), Paul Darbyshire, Michael O'Callaghan, Alan.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Elaine Butterworth, Frank Di Scerni, Alice Dillon, Frederick Byrne, Michael Dinon, Stipe Mamic, Robert & Una Huxtable, Jan Hodgetts, Fr Linus O'Keefe CP, Sally Hastings nee Hughes, Leonard Carr, Rosalie Murphy, Bernard Gillon, Sandra Steele, Maria de Jesu Tellez Alonso.

**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, Tony & Jomia, Glanys Osuchowski, Lyn Holmes, Don Holmes, 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, Ramon Benjamin, Inez Jones, Les Patrick Ferguson, St Joseph, Special Intention, All Souls in purgatory, Intentions, Victor, Anti-Abortion Bill.

**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

### 22/23 March 2025 – The 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent – Year C

Ministry ⇒ Mass Time ↓	Welcomer	Minister of the Word (MOW)	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC)	Flowers
6.30pm Vigil	Angela Marquis	Bianca Benjamin	Margaret Lickiss	22/23 & 29/30 March
7.30am	Gail O'Brien	Paul Reidy		Chris & Jane
9.30am	Mark Hooper	Dennis Lanham	Terry Denjen	
		Judithe Richardson		5/6 & 12/13 April
11.00am	Sally Kendall	Judy Elliss	Sovi Kurian	Madeleine & Robyn
		Bianca Benjamin		

### 29/30 March 2025 – The 4<sup>th</sup> 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	Guy Marquis	Angela Marquis	22/23 & 29/30 March
7.30am	Tom Dorey	Phil Page		Chris & Jane
9.30am	Judithe Richardson	Peter Bowen	Gerarda Muir	
		Sue Mulcahy		5/6 & 12/13 April
11.00am	Judy Elliss	Peter Mangan	Sovi Kurian	Madeleine & Robyn

## 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

### PASSIONIST LENTEN REFLECTION MORNING

A Lenten Reflection morning will be offered by **Fr Joseph & the Passionist Community** on **Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup>** from **10.30 – 12.30**. Flyers are available at the entrance to the church. Please sign your name if you would like to attend.

### VIETNAMESE MASS

Fr Mike, a Passionist from Templestowe Parish, will visit Hobart to celebrate a Vietnamese Mass on **April 6<sup>th</sup> at 5pm**. All are very welcome to attend, and we are delighted that this important ministry will continue at St Joseph's.

### 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.

### 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!

### 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.

### HOLY WEEK TIMETABLE

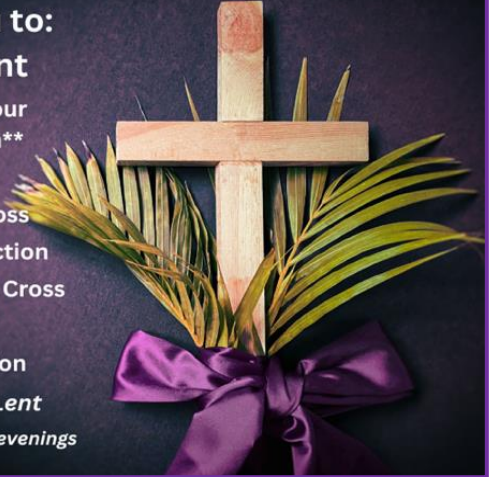
Mass and Reconciliation times during Holy Week are now available at the entrance to the church.

### 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.

### 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



### Third Sunday of Lent 22nd and 23rd of March 2025

**Lam** is 27 years old from a small village in rural Vietnam who faced significant challenges due to his short stature. Through the I-SHINE program Lam completed a six-month course developing his graphic design skills. He now runs a successful freelance graphic design business from home, serving clients worldwide and earning a steady income.



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](https://caritas.org.au/project-compassion)  
Or by calling: 1800 024 413 413.

**PLEASE ENSURE YOU LOOK AFTER YOUR BELONGINGS, ESPECIALLY DURING THE COMMUNION PROCESSION AND AS YOU LEAVE THE CHURCH.**



### Prayer of Intercession

We pray for anyone who lives with disability, especially people who are stigmatised in any way. May we do all we can to support their flourishing as truly equal participants in the human family. May our work this Lent with Project Compassion help to create greater justice.

Photo: Lam is working as a freelance Graphic Designer from his home in Quang Nam, Vietnam. Credit: Caritas Australia

## ARCHDIOCESAN AND WIDER COMMUNITY NEWS

### LENTEN MISSION: JESUS OUR HOPE AND OUR HEALING


Fr Sony CP will offer a Lenten retreat on Friday 28<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> March at the Shrine of our Lady of Victories, 12 Ashbolt Crescent, Lutana. Flyers are available at the entrance of the church.

### NO GREATER LOVE

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

### MUSIC IN THE EUCHARIST

A workshop hosted by Stephen Kirk exploring liturgical music and a practical walkthrough of music in the Mass. Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2025, 10am-1pm at the Pastoral Centre, 44 Margaret St. Launceston. *Stephen Kirk Unplugged* Friday 4<sup>th</sup> 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
17 Fast from <b>being judgmental</b> 	18 Feast on <b>being reflective &amp; prayerful</b> 	19 Fast from <b>being indifferent to others</b> 	20 Feast on filling your heart with <b>joy</b> 	21 Fast from <b>social media</b> 	22 Feast on <b>compassion</b> for others 	23 Fast from <b>mobile phones</b> 
24 Feast on <b>reconciliation with others</b> 	25 Fast from <b>jealousy</b> 	26 Feast on <b>silence</b> 	27 Fast from <b>holding grudges</b> 	28 Feast on acts of <b>kindness</b> to others 	29 Fast from <b>unnecessary words and comments</b> 	30 Feast on <b>harmony</b> 

**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](http://www.passionistshobart.org.au) – if you know of parishioners who do not have internet access, please give them a copy of our newsletter.**