St. Mary's Presbytery

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Parish Office Hours:

Mon: 8:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m. Tues: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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Olivia Turner:

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Baptism:

2nd and 4th Sunday of the Month,

Baptism Preparation:

3rd Sunday after 10:00 a.m. Mass.

Confession:

Saturday: 9:15 or on request

Entrance Antiphon: Save us, O Lord our God! And gather us from the nations, to give thanks to Your Holy name, and make it our glory to praise you.

Communion Antiphon: Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven. Blessed are the meek, for they shall possess the land

LET US REMEMBER

SICK: Judy Ferrigno, Clare Curry-Harris, Frank Ray, Margaret Parry, Kate Maree Arnott, Brian Riordan, Margaret Titular Peter Salvatore, Mick Corry, Mick Zuccala, Val Awburn, Peter Kierce, Carmelo (Charlie) Mirabelli

Death Anniversaries: Matteo Barbagallo, James O'Neil and Terry Williams

27th January 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Reflection

"Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, it is not pompous" (Corinthians 13:4)

Do you get jealous? Do you focus more on the things that other people have than on the gifts that God has given to you? Are you pompous? Do you acquire possessions to impress others? At times we are all guilty of these things. Let us pray for more humility and to become less self-centered and become more God-centered

Congratulations to **baby Porscha Dianne** and her family on her Baptism today

Rosters for 2019

The Rosters for 2019 are now ready and available. They have been emailed out to each of you, hard copies of these rosters are in the drawers at the back of the Church if you need them. Thank you once again to all these ministry volunteers.

SIP: SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

Date: Wednesday 27th February 2019 **Time:** 7.30 p.m. at Sandringham hotel. **Topic:** What is "good" about Good Friday?

Speaker: Dr Mary Coloe, Presentation Sister & Associate

professor at Yarra Theological Union **Venue:** SANDRINGHAM HOTEL

Cnr Beach Road & Melrose Street (Melway 76 G9).

Booking for a Meal Phone: 9598 7255. Please Specify that booking is for SIP

The Saturday morning Mass at St Mary's Church, Hampton during the month of February will have a focus on praying for vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life. The Serra International Prayer for Vocations will be said at an appropriate time during the Mass

THIS WEEK

Saturday 02 Feb Mass at 8:30 am. Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m.

Sunday 03 Feb Mass at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m

Tuesday 05 Feb Mass at 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday 06 Feb Mass at 9:15 a.m. Adoration after Mass

Thursday 07 Feb Mass at 9:15 a.m.

Friday 08 Feb Beginning of the Year School Mass at 9:00

11:15 a.m. followed by Mass

Rosary & Prayer to St. Peregrine at

Saturday 09 Feb Mass at 8:30 am.

Sunday

Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m.

10 Feb Mass at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

"Ours is a Child Safe Environment. As a Community we all are committed to do the best we can to keep children safe from harm and abuse"



We warmly welcome back the staff (old & new) and students of St Mary's especially the new families

Reconciliation

Sacramental preparation for children in Grade 3 and above in 2019

Commitment Masses:

Parents and Children to attend any one of the following

Saturday Feb 16th 2019 6 p.m. Sunday Feb 17th 2019 8 a.m. Sunday Feb 17th 2019 10 a.m.

Preparation Sessions

Parents to attend all three sessions

Thursday 21st February 2019
Thursday 28th February 2019
Thursday 7th March 2019
2.00 p.m. - 3.00 p.m. or 7.00 p.m. - 8.00 p.m.

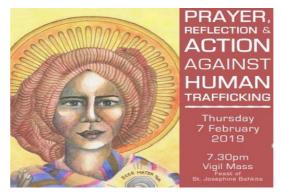
First Reconciliation Dates:

Choose one of these dates

Saturday March 23rd 2019 at 11.00 am Saturday March 30th 2019 at 11.00 am

Thursday 7 February 2019, at 7.30pm.

Vigil Mass will be celebrated at St Patrick's Cathedral, led by Archbishop Peter A. Comensoli and will follow the 6.30pm Holy Hour.



A Pray for this cause:

O God, when we hear of children and adults deceived and taken to unknown places for purpose of sexual exploitation, forced labour, and organ "harvesting" our hearts are saddened and our spirits angry that their dignity and rights are ignored through threats, lies and force.

We cry out against the evil practice of this modern slavery, and pray with St Bakhita for it to end.

Give us wisdom and courage to reach out and stand with those whose bodies, hearts and spirits have been so wounded, so that together we may make real Your promises to fill these sisters and brothers with a love that is tender and good.

Send the exploiters away empty-handed to be converted from this wickedness, and help us all to claim the freedom that is your gift to your children, Amen.

www.a-light-against-human-trafficking.info



All your donations of food, items, and non perishable supplies and home supplies are very welcome as we have commenced collection for his needy cause. Please place these donations in the box next to the front door of the Church.