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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: Give me justice O God and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless. From the deceitful and cunning rescue me, for you O God are my strength.

Communion Antiphon: Everyone who lives and believes in me will not die for ever, says the Lord.

LET US REMEMBER

SICK: Clare Curry-Harris, Frank Ray, Margaret Parry, Kate Maree Arnott, Brian Riordan, Margaret Titular, Peter Salvatore, Mick Peter Kierce, Carmelo Corry, (Charlie) Mirabelli, Joe Rush, Liz Dawson, Peter Spanos

7th April 2019 5th Sunday of Lent **Encountering**

The woman encounters her accusers who are ready to stone her but Jesus intervenes saying he who is without sin throw the first stone. Each of the men leave. Jesus is left with the woman in front of him. Then Jesus says to her, has no one condemned you? She says no one. Go your way neither do I condemn you.

How often we are ready to condemn others but then when we look at today's Gospel we are amazed at the compassion shown by Jesus . He expects us to do the same which is not easy. But we need to encounter Jesus first. Encounter his love, his forgiveness, his liberation. This mission of healing allows us to have an open mind and heart.

Fr Anjou Soares

GOOD FRIDAY

Christians in the Holy Land

The annual collection for the support of the church in the Holy Land takes place on Good Friday. This collection promotes the missionary work of the Church in the Holy Land by providing welfare assistance to local Christians in areas such as health, education, employment, and housing. Parishes, schools, orphanages and medical centres throughout the Holy Land that rely on assistance from the Good Friday collection.

Last year, Australian Catholics donated \$1.4 Million to this cause

Appeal for Support for new computer for Parish office

We require a HP/Lenovo, Processor of min 8GB Ram, SSD drive. Any contact / advice for a discount or other would be much appreciated. Please contact office at 9521 0990 or Cynthia White 0414524439

THIS WEEK

Saturday 06 Apr Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m.

07 Apr Mass at 8:00a.m. & 10:00 a.m. Sunday

5th Sunday of Lent

09 Apr Lenten Reflection 10:00 am Tuesday

Mass at 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday 10 Apr Mass at 9:15 a.m.

Saturday

Thursday 11 Apr Mass at 9:15 a.m. Adoration after Mass

Friday 12 Apr Station of the Cross at 11:00 a.m.

> Rosary & Prayer to St. Peregrine at 11:15 followed by Mass

13 Apr Mass at 8:30 am. Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m.

Sunday **14 Apr** Mass at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Passion Sunday (PALMS)

"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"

Holy week services 2019

Saturday 13 April: 6:00 p.m. Vigil of Passion Sunday.

Blessing of Palms & Procession before Mass

Sunday 14 April: Blessing of Palms & Procession before each Mass

8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Passion Sunday Masses.

Monday 15 April: 4:00 p.m. Reflection Prayer walk through the Village and Along the Bay starting at Hampton Uniting Church

11:30 a.m. Communion Service **Tuesday 16 April:**

11:00 a.m. Chrism Mass at St. Patricks Cathedral

6:00 p.m. Choir Practice

7:30 p.m. Service of Reconciliation for all

Wednesday 17 April: 9:15 a.m. Mass

7:30 p.m. Tenebrae Service at Holy Trinity Church

HOLY THURSDAY - No Mass in the morning Thursday 18 April:

6:00 p.m. Seder Meal at Hampton Uniting Church 7:30 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper and Foot washing.

Adoration after the Solemn Liturgy until 10:30 p.m.

Friday 19 April: GOOD FRIDAY- Day of Fast and Abstinence.

> 11:00 a.m. Walk of Witness starting at Hampton Uniting Church. 12:00 p.m. Last station at St. Mary's Church.

3:00 p.m. Solemn Liturgy and Holy Communion

Special Collection for Holy Land

Saturday 20 April: No Mass in the Morning

> 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil and Mass of Resurrection Blessing of new fire and lighting of Paschal Candle

Sunday 21 April: 10:00 a.m. Easter Mass at St Mary's

Project Compassion Campaign



Fundraising together is a way build great to community and show with solidarity people around the world.

Palm Sunday- Request for Palms, ferns or olive branches for 13th/14th April Services, if you can, bring it to Church on the 13th April morning.

Lenten Reflection - April 2019We welcome you to join us for our Lenten Reflection every Tuesday morning during Lent.

"The one who sent me is with me. He has not left me alone, because I always do what is pleasing to him. (John 8: 30).

Encountering: 9th April at 10:00 a.m.

We have been journeying through Lent with the Lukan Gospel texts reflecting upon God's infinite Compassion and asking God for the grace of Compassion in our own lives as we journey to the Cross









