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Baptism:

 $2^{nd} \ and \ 4^{th} \ Sunday \ of the Month,$ 

**Baptism Preparation:** 

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

**Confession:** 

Saturday: 9:15 or on request

# **Entrance Antiphon:**

Be my Protector, O God, a mighty stronghold to save me. For you are my rock, my stronghold! Lead me, guide me, for the sake of your name.

**Communion Antiphon:** God so loved the world that the gave his only begotten Son, so that tall who believe in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

#### LET US REMEMBER

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

**RECENT DEATHS:** Graeme Wingate (Father of Ewan Wingate) Passed away in South Africa.

17<sup>TH</sup> February 2019 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Reflection

"Blessed are you when people hate you, exclude and insult you, and denounce your name... on account of the Son of Man." (Luke 6:22)

All of us have been in situations when someone has made a negative comment or joke about God or our Catholic faith. How did you respond? Did you stay silent or pretend to go along with the crowd because you didn't want to cause waves and then, later, you felt bad? Know that God is with you all the time, the Holy Spirit will put the right words in your mouth. Pray for the strength and courage to proclaim our faith to others, especially during uncomfortable situations.

## SIP: SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

**Date:** Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> 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

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**Saturday 16 Feb** Mass at 8:30 a.m.

Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m.

Commitment Mass for Reconciliation

**Sunday** 17 Feb Mass at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Commitment Mass for Reconciliation

**Tuesday** 19 Feb Mass at 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday 20 Feb Mass at 9:15 a.m.

**Thursday** 21 Feb Mass at 9:15 a.m.

Friday 22 Feb Rosary & Prayer to St. Peregrine at

11:15 a.m. Mass

**Saturday** 23 Feb Mass at 8:30 am.

Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m.

**Sunday 24 Feb** Mass at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

"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"



## Sacrament of 1st Reconciliation

Sacramental preparation for children in Grade 3 and above in 2019

### **Reconciliation Preparation SESSIONS FOR PARENTS** (To attend all 3 sessions):

Session 1- Thursday 21st February 2019 at 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Session 2- Thursday 28th February 2019 at 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Session 3- Thursday 7th March 2019 at 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Choose one of these dates: Saturday March 23rd 2019 at 11.00 am

Saturday March 30th 2019 at 11.00 am

**Lectio Divina:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at 10:00 am at Uniting Church. All welcome

Princeton View: 1st Wednesday of Every Month at 10:30 a.m Mass

Elenora Aged Care: 1st Friday of every Month at 10:30 a.m. Mass

Adoration: 1st Thursday after Mass at 9:15 a.m. Mass

### 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. We welcome new volunteers. Please contact Cynthia or the Church Office if you can help us out.

# Vinnies Appeal 17<sup>TH</sup>/ 24<sup>TH</sup> Feb

With over two million people living below the poverty line in Australia, including over half a million children, your donation allows the St Vincent de Paul Society to provide more than immediate help, it provides something much more valuable – the opportunity of a better life. Regular <u>financial donations</u> play a crucial role in our ability to help 1.3 million people each



**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

**Come join "The Voices":** We would like to extend the invitation to all to join the Choir, Practice normally on Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Please contact Cynthia for more information

## **Save the Date**

23<sup>rd</sup> February 2019: Movie night 5:30 p.m. (Movie: Christopher Robin)

2<sup>nd</sup> March 2019: Curry Night 7:00 p.m.

Notice and payments forms available on the Tables at the Back of the Church.



**Brigidine Asylum Seekers** Project: 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.