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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. Wed & Fri: 9:00 a.m. -12:00 noon.

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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: O Lord, I trust in your merciful Love. My Heart will rejoice in your salvation. I will sing to the Lord who has been bountiful with me.

Communion Antiphon: Lord I have come to believe that your are the Christ, the son of the living God, who is coming into the world.

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: Kelvin O'Connor, Joseph Reddan. (Uncle of O'Donoghue Family)

24th February 2019 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time *Reflection*

"But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend without expecting anything back" (Luke 6:35)

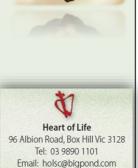
Easier said than done, right? But if we are to imitate Christ, most of us need to practice mercy and compassion more frequently. Start with little daily annoyance that we experience, the unkind word or hateful glance we received. Instead of plotting revenge on that person, try saying a quick prayer for that person. Mercy and compassion will put us on the path to holiness.

Let the Heart Listen

This part-time formation program is an invitation to

- Enter into a process of transformation, connecting you with deeper mysteries of your own heart.
- Open your heart in compassion for and connection to and with others.
- Deepen your relationship with your Divine Companion, especially in vulnerable aspects of your life.

A 15 week x 3 hour program
Thursdays, 28 February to 27 June 2019
Facilitator: Carole Camody rsm



Web: www.heartoflife.melbourne

Lectio Divina: 2nd Tuesday at 10:00 am at Uniting Church. All

welcome

Princeton View: 1st Wednesday of Every Month at 10:30 am

Mass

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

Adoration: 1stThursday after 9:15 a.m. Mass.

THIS WEEK

Saturday 23 Feb Mass at 8:30 a.m. Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m.

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

TuesdayWednesday26 Feb Mass at 11:30 a.m.Wednesday27 Feb Mass at 9:15 a.m.SIP at 7:30 p.m.

Thursday 28 Feb Mass at 9:15 a.m.

2nd Session for Preparation of Reconciliation 2:00-3:00 p.m. or 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Friday 01 Mar Rosary & Prayer to St. Peregrine at 11:15 a.m. followed by Mass

Saturday 02 Mar Mass at 8:30 am.

Vigil Mass at 6:00 p.m. **Sunday 03 Mar** Mass at 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

7th 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 sessions):

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.

Choose one of these dates: Saturday March 23rd 2019 at 11.00 am Saturday March 30th 2019 at 11.00 am

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

Vinnies Appeal 23rd / 24th 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 year.



Lenten Program in March 2019

We welcome you to join us for our Lenten Reflection every Tuesday morning during Lent. "While he was still far off, His father saw him and was filled with Compassion" (Luke15:20)

13th March at 10:00 a.m. Trusting 19th March at 10:00 a.m. Transforming

26th March at 10:00 a.m. Risking 2nd April at 10:00 a.m. Reconciling

9th April at 10:00 a.m. Encountering 16th April at 10:00 a.m. Redeeming

We will be 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 and Resurrection in our families communities and world situations:

Come join "The Voices": We would like to extend the invitation to all to join the Choir, Please contact Cynthia for more information

Save the Date

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

2nd 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.