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MASS TIMES

Sundays Saturday Vigil 7pm Sunday 9am & 11.00am

 Exodus Community, 12 Noon in the shed at 273 Liberty Pde, Heidelberg West

Weekdays 9am Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

CONFESSIONS & ROSARY After 9am Mass on Saturday mornings

CHURCH OPEN FOR PRAYER 8.30am – 4pm on school days only

**SAINTS/FEAST DAYS FOR THE WEEK**

* *17 March St Patrick*
* *19 March St Joseph, Spouse of the blessed virgin Mary*

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** will take place the following Friday’s at 7pm in the Church; March 19 & 26

***Reflection:*** *“For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son…” - JOHN 3:16*

Of all the wonderful gifts that God has given to us, the gift of His own Son is truly the greatest.  How can we ever thank God for a gift like that?  God does not ask us to sacrifice our own precious firstborn, but He does ask that we are grateful and generous with our God-given gifts. That we nurture and develop our gifts, and in

gratitude, generously give back with increase our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to support the mission and ministry of our parish and greater Church.

A message from *Aid to the Church in Need Australia*: Did you know that each year the Catholic charity, *Aid to the Church in Need,* supports the training of 12,000 seminarians and provides ongoing formation for 8,000 priests. Could you help support a priest or seminarian? Visit [www.aidtochurch.org/formation](http://www.aidtochurch.org/formation)

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| COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND |
| Presbytery $873.00 | Loose$377.00 | Thanksgiving $1145.00 |

***FR. TED TEALE WILL CELEBRATE MASS FOR FR. WAYNE ON SUNDAY 21ST MARCH @ 11AM***

**NEXT SUNDAY’S READINGS – FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

2Chr 36:14-16, 19-23; Eph 2:24-10; Jn 3:14-21

***St Pius X Parish is commited to growing a Child Safety Culture with Love***

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| CaritasAU_MasterLogo_H_MONOFourth Sunday of Lent14th March 2021 |
| Arsad, an Indonesian farmer, had no toilet at home and was often sick due to the practice of open defecation. Through Caritas Australia’s support, Arsad and his community improved hygiene and sanitation, and funded their own toilets.**Please donate to Project Compassion 2021 and help improve health and wellbeing of communities in Indonesia so they can work towards eradicating poverty, providing a better future for all.** You can donate through Parish boxes and envelopes, by visiting [www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion](http://www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion) Or phoning 1800 024 413. |

***Prayers for the Sick***; Eileen Mangan, Alan Crabbe, Pauline Lambert,

Josephine Fenech, Leo Fenech, Ronald Gale, Norma Gale, Frank Cassar Will Anderson

***For the Recently Departed****: For the repose of the souls of the faithful departed*

***Anniversary of Death****:* Maria, Elisabetta & Domenico Fossella, Benjamin H

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| HOLY WEEK AND EASTER |
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| Anointing MassWednesday, 24 March at 11.00am(No 9.00am Mass) | ReconciliationThursday, 25 March at 7pm | *Palm/Passion Sunday of the Passion of the Lord and the Blessing of Palms*Sunday, 28 March (9.00am & 11.00am) | Holy Thursday1 April at 7.30pm(No 9.00 am Mass) |
| http://www.holy-cross-oldham.org.uk/content/pages/uploaded_images/52.jpg | thorns | Candles clipart easter vigil, Candles easter vigil Transparent FREE for  download on WebStockReview 2021 | eastory |
| Good Friday Stations of the Cross Exodus Community 2 April at 11am Olympic Village Green TBC | Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord 2 April at 3pm | Holy Saturday 3 April, Easter Vigil at 8pm(No 9am Mass) | Easter Sunday4 April 9am & 11.00am*(Daylight saving finishes)* |