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Member of Knox Deanery  
1st April, 2018  
Easter Sunday

**EASTER SUNDAY MASS TIMES: ,**  
Sunday 5.30am, 8.30am & 10.30am  
Weekday Mass Times:  
Tuesday 6.30pm, Wednesday - Saturday 9.00am



**PARISH ADMINISTRATOR:** Father Longinus Onyechesi 9763 7302  
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### Today's Readings

First Reading: Acts 20:34, 37-43  
Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4  
Gospel: John 20:1-9

### Next Week's Readings

First Reading: Ezekiel 36:16-28  
Second Reading: Romans 6:3-11  
Gospel: Mark 16:1-7

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*This is the day the Lord has made;  
let us rejoice and be glad.*

### ROSTERS

**ALTAR SOCIETY 7th April, 2018**  
Maureen James

**BINGO: "Eyes Down" 8.00pm**  
Neethin Thottan & don Uberti

**CLEANING ROSTER: 7th April, 2018**  
Cora Lijnders & Lucille Everetts

**COUNTERS TODAY:**  
Elaine & Richard Ashe

**COUNTERS NEXT WEEK 8th April, 2018**  
Doris Teh & Margaret Addicoat

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**  
Returning in Term Two

**READERS NEXT WEEK**  
6.30pm Arina Healy, Alan Horwood  
8.30am Rachel Cheng, Dorothy Teh  
10.30am Mary King, Trish Welti  
6.30pm Dinelle Hetterachchi, Rhea Veigas


### MUSICIANS & COMPUTER SUPPORT

**Next Week:**  
6.30pm Margaret, Jadyen & Ethan  
8.30am Therese & Bill Ta  
10.30pm Sr Mary, Sydney & T.J. Bulloch  
6.30pm Bronwyn Dean

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BREAD RUN:**  
Apr 02 Monday Anthony & Anita Anthony  
Apr 05 Thursday Robert & Angela Koevoets  
Apr 09 Monday Anita D'Mello  
Apr 12 Thursday Carmen & Monika  
Apr 16 Monday Filomena Uberti  
Apr 19 Thursday Terri McKay, Vicki Clarke

*Thank you to all those who continually "Serve the Lord with joy" by participating on these rosters.*

### SOME IMPORTANT DATES 2018



Apr 01 Easter Sunday  
Apr 03 Judeans  
Apr 03 St Vincent de Paul Mtg  
Apr 12 Mass at Balmoral 2.00pm  
Apr 16 Start of Term 2  
Apr 17 St Vincent de Paul Mtg

### Reflection:

A description of an Easter ceremony in Russia under communism when it was dangerous to be a believer.

*'Someone at the back of the church lit a candle, a single point of light not able to pierce the darkness. Then there was another, and another. Swiftly the flame was passed from one to another. In less than a minute the church was a blaze of light. Each candle lit up the face behind it, a face marked with suffering. But now that suffering turned into joy, because of the certain knowledge that the Lord has risen. These people do not debate the resurrection. They have experienced it in their lives. They have not persevered the faith in hostile surrounding; it has preserved them.'*

*Lord, may your Easter light shine on us this day, and chase the shadows of the night of death away.*

### PARISH SCHOOLS: PRIMARY

St. Jude's School Principal Mr Tim Mc Mullen 8761 9600  
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### PARISH SCHOOLS: SECONDARY

Mater Christi College Principal Ms Mary Fitz Gerald 9754 6611  
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### SERVICES & CONTACTS:

**BAPTISM:** 9763 7302  
By Appointment 4th Sunday of the month at 12 noon. Welcoming: Sunday prior at 10.30am Parish Mass.

**BIBLE STUDIES:** 9763 0712  
Xavier David (AH)

**BLESSED SACRAMENT EXPOSITION:**  
8.30am, Wednesday - Saturday

**CENACLE OF PRAYER:**  
First Saturday of the month 9.30am

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Sr Mary Brady 9753 2170

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Saturday 6.00pm

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# EASTER SUNDAY

We welcome each one of you to this great celebration of Easter!

At Christmas we celebrated the absolutely amazing event of God becoming man and being born as a baby in a stable in first century Bethlehem!

Now, having been blown away by the loving gift expressed on Calvary – that Jesus, the Son of God, out of love for us should submit to the brutal death of a common criminal – we come to Easter Day to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus – and the new life which Jesus extends to all of us.

At Easter the world takes on a different tinge of colour – as along with Jesus we participate in our own ‘resurrection’. Taken beyond the ordinary dimensions of our lives, we allow our spiritual selves to be lifted up in joy!

Each Sunday in the Mass we commemorate the Death and Resurrection of Jesus and open ourselves to the transforming love of Jesus.

If you would like to join us here each Sunday – as we pray for peace within ourselves and throughout the world – you will be most welcome.



## 1<sup>st</sup> Reading – A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: ‘You must have heard about the recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil. Now I, and those with me, can witness to everything he did throughout the countryside of Judaea and in Jerusalem itself: and also to the fact that they killed him by hanging him on a tree, yet three days afterwards God raised him to life and allowed him to be seen, not by the whole people but only by certain witnesses God had chosen beforehand.

Now we are those witnesses – we have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead – and he has ordered us to proclaim this to his people and to tell them that God has appointed him to judge everyone, alive or dead. It is to him that all the prophets bear this witness: that all who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name.’

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading a reading from the letter of St Paul to the Colossians

Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is, sitting at God’s right hand. Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are on the earth, because you have died, and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed – and he is your life – you too will be revealed in all your glory with him.

## Gospel – A reading from the Gospel according to John

It was very early on the first day of the week and still dark, when Mary of Magdala came to the tomb. She saw that the stone had been moved away from the tomb and came running to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one Jesus loved. ‘They have taken the Lord out of the tomb’ she said ‘and we don’t know where they have put him.’

So Peter set out with the other disciple to go to the tomb. They ran together, but the other disciple, running faster than Peter, reached the tomb first; he bent down and saw the linen cloths lying on the ground, but did not go in. Simon Peter who was following now came up, went right into the tomb, saw the linen cloths on the ground, and also the cloth that had been over his head; this was not with the linen cloths but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple who had reached the tomb first also went in; he saw and he believed. Till this moment they had failed to understand the teaching of scripture, that he must rise from the dead.

# Serve the Lord with Joy

## Paschal Candle

The design features the traditional elements of the Alpha, Omega and the year 2018, superimposed onto a beautiful Celtic Cross. The cross, with its circular background and endless knotwork, spirals and patterns, symbolises God’s unending love for humankind and the salvation won for us through the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. The colours of the design are in rich tones of red, green, gold, yellow and blue, all of which proclaim the new life and joy of Easter.



The bands which surround the top and bottom of the candle also feature Celtic knot work and golden flames. The words on the bands echo the great proclamation from the Easter Vigil: “Christ Our Light” (top band) “Thanks Be to God (bottom band).

## EASTER CEREMONIES

Thank you to all who participated in the Easter Ceremonies and helped make them meaningful for our Parish community and visitors. Special thanks to our Liturgy Team, and all who volunteered for the various roles at each ceremony during this Easter Triduum.



Thank you also to all who have catered and assisted with the Easter Breakfast.

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## SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

The Parish Sacramental program for the Sacrament of **Reconciliation** will begin on the 29<sup>th</sup> April, at 9.30am in the Community Centre. The Sacrament will be received on the 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> May.

Please contact the Parish office on 9763 7302, or email [scoresby@cam.org.au](mailto:scoresby@cam.org.au) to enrol.



Our parish primary schools are now taking **enrolments for 2019** – please tell family and friends to contact the schools. See front cover for details



*Quote*  
‘What you are is God’s gift to you, what you become is your gift to God.’

Fr [Hans Urs von Balthasar](#), Catholic theologian

**The Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver** will hold their Annual Mission Concert on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2018 at the St Peter Claver Hall, 154 Cotham Rd, Kew commencing 2.00pm. Admission is free - collection will be taken during the Concert.

Proceeds will go to assist Sisters of St John the Baptist, in Dibrugarh, Assam India. They are endeavouring to provide an education for poor children.

See Notice Board for further details.

## COMMUNITY INFORMATION PAMPHLET RACK

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## JUDEANS

The next Judeans morning will be 3<sup>rd</sup> April.

## Attention all Parish Groups



Community Centre Bookings for Parish Groups and Committees will be taken before dates will be accepted from the wider community.

If your group /committee is planning functions please advise Leigh Fleming 0419 381 058 as soon as your plans are confirmed.

**Please Note: Friday and Saturday Evenings Functions finish time 11pm - Cleaning finish time 11.45pm**

## Stewardship Corner

“Think of what is above, not of what is on earth.” – Colossians 3:2

On this day we thank God for His Son, Jesus, who died and rose for us. We celebrate and sing “Alleluia.” Let’s try to keep the joy of this Easter season in our hearts throughout the year! Pray daily and listen for how He is calling each of us to joyfully use our gifts to fulfil His salvation plan.

## St Jude's Primary School

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Kind regards Rose Valentini 0417 018 788

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