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School Children 1st Reconciliation

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### **SERVICES & CONTACTS:**

BAPTISM:	9763 7302	
By Appointment. 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month		
at 12 noon. Welcoming: Sunday prior at		
10.30am Parish Mass.		
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## 1<sup>st</sup> Reading – Isaiah 50:4-7

The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue. So that I may know how to reply to the wearied he provides me with speech. Each morning he wakes me to hear, to listen like a disciple. The Lord has opened my ear. For my part, I made no resistance, neither did I turn away. I offered my back to those who struck me, my cheeks to those who tore at my beard; I did not cover my face against insult and spittle. The Lord comes to my help, so that I am untouched by the insults. So, too, I set my face like flint; I know I shall not be shamed.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – Philippians 2:6-11

His state was divine, yet Christ Jesus did not cling to his equality with God but emptied himself to assume the condition of a slave, and became as men are, and being as all men are, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all other names so that all beings in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld, should bend the knee at the name of Jesus and that every tongue should acclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

### Holy Week:

The Church celebrates today as both Palm Sunday and Passion Sunday. It is on Palm Sunday that we enter Holy Week, and welcome Jesus into our lives, asking him to allow us a share in his suffering, death and resurrection.

This is also the time we remember and relive the events which brought about our redemption and salvation. That is why the Holy Week liturgy presents us with the actual events of the dving and rising of Jesus.

The liturgy also enables us to experience in our lives here and now what Jesus went through then. In other words, we commemorate and relive during this week our own dying and rising in Jesus, which result in our healing, reconciliation, and redemption. Just as Jesus did, we too must lay down our lives freely by actively participating in the Holy Week liturgies.

In doing so, we are allowing Jesus to forgive us our sins, to heal the wounds in us caused by our sins and the sins of others and to transform us more completely into the image and likeness of God. Thus we will be able to live more fully the divine life we received at Baptism.

Proper participation in the Holy Week liturgy will also deepen our relationship with God, increase our faith and strengthen our lives as disciples of Jesus. But let us remember that Holy Week can become "holy" for us only if we actively and consciously take part in the liturgies of this week. This is also the week when we should lighten the burden of Christ's passion as daily experienced by the hungry, the poor, the sick, the homeless, the lonely and the outcast through our corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

The Passion Sunday liturgy combines two contrasting moments, one of glory, the other of suffering - the welcome of Jesus into Jerusalem and the drama of his unjust trial and suffering culminating in his crucifixion and death.

## WOOLWORTH'S 'EARN AND LEARN' IS ON AGAIN IN 2019

Stickets will be available to collect from 1<sup>st</sup> MAY – 25<sup>th</sup> JUNE

Sticker sheets will be available from the Holy Trinity School office as well as collection boxes at the school office and Woolworths in Scoresby.

## · <u> entertainment</u>

The 2019 Entertainment Book Memberships are now open. Order before 31<sup>st</sup> May to receive the early bird specials. Click on the link below to order. https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/186p541

Please contact Rose Valentini on 0417018788 if you have any queries or require assistance.



## Would you like to bring and share Christ's presence to each person we meet?

As Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion our main focus is to distribute the Eucharist in the form of bread and wine at Mass, and through this sacrament, we truly bring the presence of Christ to those who come forward to receive Holy Communion. Being an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion is humbling and beautiful. It is an opportunity to serve the deep hunger of people to find the presence of Christ.

We are currently in the process of putting a roster for our current Special Ministers. If you wish to change your commitment or would like to be an Extraordinary Minister please contact Eska Ta, with your name, contact details, preferred mass, on the

email at liturgv.stjudes@gmail.com

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

It is a blessing to serve the Lord and to serve him with joy! We are looking for more volunteers to clean the Church on Saturdays. If you would like to be a part of the roster, please contact the Parish office on 9763 7302 or email at scoresby@cam.org.au



This is a call out to anyone who would like to join the Choir for our Easter Services. To be involved in this celebration, please contact Margaret Nahon on 0425 767 547.

### **LITURGY UPDATE**

Thank you to those of you who responded to the invitation to join the Liturgy Team. The Team has now formed, and its members are Fr. Longinus Onyechesi, Sr. Mary Brady, Mary King, Rosary Pereira, Louise Cooper, Eska Ta, Lyn Grace, Dorothy Teh, Xavier David and Leon Raj.

Over the coming months, the team will start to implement some changes with the intent to involve more parishioners in liturgical ministries and to make some of our liturgical practises more consistent. If you are a Reader, Special Minister or would like to be one, please keep an eye out for notices in the near future. If you wish to contact the Liturgy Team, please approach a team member, email us at liturgy.stjudes@gmail.com or leave us a message at the Parish Office (9763 7302).



# Serve the Lord with Joy



## **FREE FISH AND CHIPS NIGHT**

Hi everyone! The Youth Group will be hosting a fish and chips night for the young people (14-30). It's straight after Sunday 6pm mass on the 5th of May and all young people are welcome.

To join the event and sign up for St Jude's Youth Group text the following details to Dinelle 0416 810 541 or Amanda 0421 632 417 - your name, age and which of the following you would be interested in (choir, reading, slides or communion).

See you there!

## **ROSARY AND BENEDICTION**

On Wednesday, 22nd May from 7.30 – 8.30 pm a multicultural rosary, adoration and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be held at St Jude's parish church to honour Jesus and Mary and pray for our parish community and our world, so that all may turn away from sin and return to God.

## **MASS FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS**

The Life, Marriage & Family Office warmly invites all expectant mothers and their families to the Mass for Expectant Mothers. The Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Peter A. Comensoli at St Patrick's Cathedral on **Sunday 2 June at 11.00am**. Registrations can be made online at: www.cam.org.au/lifemarriagefamily or alternatively

by contacting: 9287 5587 or lmf@cam.org.au. Please note that registration closes on Friday 24 May. Expectant mothers who register will receive a small token of recognition.



## **Next Movie and Soup Lunch**

When: Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> 10:30am to 2:30pm Where: Parish Community Centre Theatrette. Movie: <u>'The Song Keepers'</u> – this tells the story of an Aboriginal women's choir and their historic tour of Germany.

Parishioners are invited to enjoy some time and friendship together.

**Cost:** Free event. Gold coin donation welcome. Please register your interest on the clipboards in the Church foyer.

Further enquiries and cancellations – please ring Maureen Buick on 0417634600