



St. DOMINIC'S PARISH

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St Dominic's Parish
816 Riversdale Road
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St DOMINIC'S PARISH CHURCH – Mass Times

Monday to Friday: 12noon and 6pm

Saturday: 9am and 6pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 8am, 9.30am, 11am and 6pm

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Sunday: 10.00am

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PARISH CALENDAR: 18th–25th March 2018

Sun 18th 5th Sunday of Lent

6:00pm Youth Mass

Mon 19th St Joseph

10:30am Lenten Group—Sr M M Brown

Tue 20th 9:45am Exercise Class - Chair based

4:00pm RE Classes—Dominic Room

5:00pm Siena Chapel Holy Hour

7:00pm First Reconciliation—Church

7:30pm Lenten Group—Parish Centre

Wed 21st 12:30pm Seniors Luncheon –PC

6:00pm RCIA—Parish Centre

6:30pm Adoration **7:00pm** Benediction

Confessions are available during this time

7:30pm PPC meeting—Dominic Room

Thur 22nd 9:30am Exercise class for active Adults

7:00pm First Reconciliation—Church

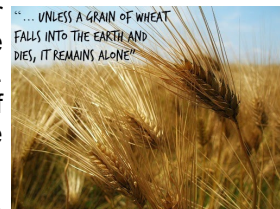
Frid 23rd 10:30am Craft Group—Parish Centre

6:30pm Stations of the Cross and Confessions

Sun 25th Palm Sunday

A GRAIN OF WHEAT MUST DIE

The grain of wheat must first die in order to produce much fruit. All humanity will be saved by Jesus' death and glorification. What Jesus said of himself, is also said of his followers, the grain of wheat must die in order to produce much fruit.



Jesus says that those who wish to serve him must follow his path. Jesus teaches that we lose our life when we cling to it and win our life when we are ready to give it up. He is inviting his disciples to follow his path of service into glory.

Since we have a catechumen (unbaptised) and a candidate (baptised in other Christian denominations), for RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) in our parish, the readings for 11am Mass are from year A. Today we hear the raising of Lazarus. Jesus tells Martha that her brother will rise again. She thinks he means the resurrection "on the last day." But the message throughout John is that Jesus is offering us life now, not just at the end time. Jesus refers to himself today with another "I am" statement ("I am the resurrection and the life.") Jesus, in John's gospel, is very present tense. He isn't, "I was," – or just, "I will be." He is "I am!" The discussion with Martha and then Lazarus' rising from the dead underlines and substantiates Jesus' description of himself, "I am the resurrection and the life." In our church and in our personal lives we need what Jesus is promising now. We need him to be our resurrection.

Thank you



Big thank you for your generous response to the appeal for the Brigidine Asylum Seeker Project. It went really well. It's good to see so many people support and be involved in helping those in need.

Repairs to church front and entrance

Some repairs are being undertaken to the stonework around the main entrance to the church on Riversdale Road next few weeks during weekdays. The work is designed to stop water damage to the stone work and decorative panels above the entrance. For safety sake, the front entrance will be closed. Entry to the church will be via the two side doors. Thank you for your cooperation and patience.



Prayer service at St Patrick's Cathedral and Walk of Justice on Palm Sunday

You are invited and encouraged to attend one or both of these events. I'll be at both events. Our walk expresses hope of new life or at least for the better treatment of asylum seekers and refugees.

Fr Peter Toan Nguyen OP

ST DOMINIC'S IS A CHILD SAFE PARISH

At St Dominic's we hold the care, safety and wellbeing of children and young people as a central and fundamental responsibility of our parish.

PASTORAL SERVICES

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST:

24th/25th March

Sat 06:00pm J Dowling T Wilson
Sun 08:00am J Adderley D Thomas
09:30am M Wheeler J Arundel
 E Bunetta R Halpin
11:00am M Balsillie
06:00pm H Fuller
Mews 21st Mar L Nguyen

READERS

24th/25th March

Sat 06:00pm C: C Leydon R: C Leydon
Sun 08:00am C: R: J Adderley
09:30am C: Marulli Family R: Pote Family
Offertory Cornelius Family
11:00am C: P Stokes R: E Stokes
06:00pm C: Youth R: Group

SANCTUARY CARERS FOR: March

Altar Washing: Lorraine McBeath
Flowers & Candle: Wk 3&4 Joan Forsyth

PRAYERS WRITERS: 25th March Tania Wilson

COLLECTION COUNTERS

Geraldine Fennessy, Aileen Crothers **This week**
 John Smith, Margaret Coacley **Next week**

WELCOMERS 25th March

9:30am Sheehan Family, Jane Lawless

COLLECTION STATISTICS

Ave Thanksgiving Dom Priests Loose
Feb \$4,789.39 \$589.23 \$1,569.20

Deadline for Bulletin: 10.00am Thursday

WE PRAY FOR THOSE RECENTLY DECEASED:

Barbara Robinson, Paul Sparrow **For those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** Greta Callanan, Joe Ielpo, Theckla Jongebloed, Elaine Labrooy, Kevin McBeath **The sick of our Parish:** Maria Rajendran, Mandy, Ilena Wilson, Shirley Kennedy, Marino Cossich, Alina Kobylanski, Roma Jansen, Winifred Adam, Barbara Dunstan, Margaret Collis, Sarah Cumming, Yvette van den Driesen, Patricia McInnes, Kathleen Conlan, Martin Blake, Grace Dunn, Michael Taveira, Grazyna Van Egmond, Victoria D'Astoli, Ken Petersen, Patricia Mooney, Joe Markham, Albert Mahoney, Sr Julie Thomas CSB, Tyrone Howie, Joe Stanley, Fr Mark O'Brien OP **and those visited by St. Vincent de Paul Society this week.**

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	17 th Mar	6:00pm	Greta Callanan
Sun	18 th Mar	9:30am 11:00am	For the People of the Parish Joe Ielpo
Mon	19 th Mar	12:00pm 6:00pm	Theckla Jongebloed Elaine Labrooy
Tue	20 th Mar	12:00pm 6:00pm	Special Intention Dominican Vocations
Wed	21 st Mar	12:00pm	Special Intention
Fri	23 rd Mar	12:00pm 6:00pm	Kevin McBeath Deceased Dominicans



AUDIO LOOP If you are wearing a hearing aid, the reception is better towards the front.

Our PERPETUAL REMEMBRANCE BOOK

for the month of March is located in the St Joseph's Chapel to remind us to pray for those mentioned



NEW PARISHIONERS

are invited to complete the (green) Membership Form available at all Church entrances. Completed form can be returned to the Parish Office or dropped into the Parish letterbox, which is situated in the front of the Church.



St Dominic's Centre of Studies Library

Due to building works the library will be closed until further notice.
 Enquiries: Librarian 9836 2632, or email: stdomslibrary@op.org.au



"Lent comes providentially to reawaken us, to shake us from our lethargy." – Pope Francis

NEXT YOUTH MASS - 15th of April 6pm.
 Refreshments afterwards in Parish Centre

NEXT YOUNG ADULTS CHILL N CHAT - @8PM SUNDAY
 15TH APRIL – Doncaster Max Brenner

NEXT LUMEN - Friday the 6th of April is our next High Schoolers LUMEN Event at the Parish Centre. 6-8:30pm please e-mail any dietary requirements to youth.worker@stdominics.org.au

WOMEN'S RETREAT – 6th – 8th of April, visit Archdiocesan website for more info!

Song of the week – Ever Be (Kalley Heiligenthal)



Mass at 9.30am and 11am on Palm Sunday 25th April will start at 9.20am and 10.50am with the procession from the Priory. **Since the supply of greenery for Palm Sunday is uncertain, we recommend that each person bring a small piece of greenery from your own garden**

We invite Parishioners to volunteer as Collectors, Special Ministers and for the washing of the feet. Please write your name and contact number in the clipboard provided at the back of the Church.



A take home Holy week timetable is also available from all church entrances.

ST DOMINIC'S PARISH SACRAMENTAL UPDATE

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION will be celebrated on Tuesday 20th March and Thursday 22nd March at 7pm

CHILDREN'S LITURGY DATES FOR (TERM 1) are: March:18





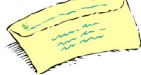
WALKING GROUP The next walk is on Monday 19th March. The walk is a local walk from Hawthorn Station to Camberwell Station. This walk will take us past early homes circa 1800's and parklands. We will meet in the carpark at 9.30am, BYO lunch, drink and MYKI card. All welcome. Enquiries Kerry Smith 0408 517 778

SENIORS' COMMUNITY LUNCHEON Wednesday 21 March This is an invitation to our older seniors who would like some company for lunch. The next seniors' luncheon will be held on Wednesday 21 March, 2018 at 12.30pm. Please add your name to the list at the Church front entrance, by Monday 19 March, if you would like to attend. Or phone the Parish Office 9912 6870 x310. Please let us know if you have any food intolerances. There is no charge to you for the lunch, but we need to know numbers for catering purposes.



WOMEN'S INTERFAITH MODEL PASSOVER SEDER 2018 WED 21 MARCH—6PM You are invited to take part in this unique interactive Interfaith Women's Passover experience. <https://www.ncjwavic.org.au/event-2812449/Registration>.

Offering Envelopes



STEWARDSHIP ENVELOPES The new pledging period envelopes and the progress receipt are at the main entrance today. **Please collect them as this will help us to save some postage.**

11am Post-Communion Hymn

Dear Father, Lord of humankind,
forgive our foolish ways;
re clothe us in our rightful mind:
in purer lives thy service find,
in deeper reverence, praise,
in deeper reverence, praise.

O Sabbath rest by Galilee!
O calm of hills above,
where Jesus knelt to share with thee
the silence of eternity,
interpreted by love. *(repeat)*

Drop thy still dews of quietness,
till all our strivings cease;
take from our souls the strain and stress,
and let our ordered lives confess
the beauty of thy peace. *(repeat)*

Breathe through the heats of our desire
thy coolness and thy balm;
let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;
speak through the earthquake, wind and fire,
O still small voice of calm. *(repeat)*



11am - Hymns for the congregation

E: 730 Ps: 204 O: 698 C: see above

Mass Booklet 59-64

During Lent, music will be somewhat restrained: some straightforward parts of the Mass are Unaccompanied; including the "Amen" in simplest form. Concluding organ music will be reflective.

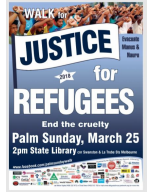
7 CHURCHES LENTEN PILGRIMAGE

The Dominican student brothers and novices of St Dominic's Priory Camberwell invite young adults (18-40 yrs) to join us for the 7 Churches Lenten Pilgrimage on Saturday, March 24th At 10am Commencing at St Dominic's, East Camberwell and concluding at Sacred Heart, St. Kilda, this pilgrimage will honour the ascent of Our Lord to Jerusalem for his final hours. BYO Lunch & Water and please remember to slip, slop and slap. Please RSVP to Fr Thomas Azzi OP by March 20th on thomas.azzi@op.org.au.



THE 2018 WALK FOR JUSTICE FOR REFUGEES

will be on next Sunday, Palm Sunday March 25 at 2pm in front of the State Library in the city (Cnr Swanston & La Trobe Sts). You are invited to join fellow parishioners and the Dominican Sisters at **1pm at St Pats Cathedral** for a prayer service - organised by the Office for Justice & Peace, Catholic Migrant & Refugee Office - and then walking down to the State Library at 1:30pm. For more information www.refugeeadvocacy.org or ring Denis Fitzgerald (0418 136 372)



HYMN FOR 6PM SATURDAY MASS

TREE OF LIFE *(Text: Marty Haugen)*

Tree of life and awesome myst'ry,
In your death we are re-born,
Though you die in all of hist'ry
Still you rise with every morn.(2)

Seed that dies to rise in glory,
May we see ourselves in you,
If we learn to live your story
We may die to rise anew. (2)

Gentle Jesus, mighty Spirit,
Come inflame our hearts anew.
We may all your joy inherit
If we bear the cross with you. (2)

God of all our fear and sorrow,
God who lives beyond our death;
Hold us close through each tomorrow,
Love as near as every breath. (2)
(Text: Marty Haugen)

Gospel Acclamation:

Give us hearts renewed in love, O Lord,
Turn us back to walk with you.
Through your saving power, redeem us,
In your love, our lives renew.
(M.Herry. fms)

CONGRATULATIONS

*to Rene Caldwell who celebrates
her 90th Birthday on 20th March.
Well done Rene!*



PROPER OF THE MASS: 4th Sunday of Lent Time, Year B

Entrance Antiphon

Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless.
From the deceitful and cunning rescue me, for you, O God, are my strength.

Responsorial Psalm

Create a clean heart in me, O God.

Gospel Acclamation

Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

If you serve me, follow me, says the Lord; and where I am, my servant will also be.

Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

Communion Antiphon

Amen, Amen I say to you: Unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains a single grain.
But if it dies, it bears much fruit.

Today's Readings

(5th Lent, B) Jeremiah 31:31-34; Ps 50; Hebrews 5:7-9; John: 12:26

11:00am Mass only (5th Lent, A) Ezekiel 37:12-14; PS 129; St Paul to the Romans 8:8-11; John 11:1-45

Next Week's Readings

(Palm Sunday, B) Isaiah 50:4-7; Ps 21; Philippians 2:6-11; Mark: 14:1-15

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