

THE 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A 18th / 19th January 2020 Vol 47, No 1

St Dominic's Parish 816 Riversdale Road Camberwell East, VIC, 3124

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St DOMINIC'S PARISH CHURCH - Mass Times

Monday to Friday: 12 noon
Saturday: 9am and 6pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 8am, 9.30am, 11am and 6pm
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RECONCILIATION
Wednesday-Friday: 11.40am-11.55am
Saturday: 4.00pm- 5.00pm
NAZARETH HOUSE - Mass Times
16 Cornell Street, Camberwell 3124
Monday to Friday: 7.00am
Saturday & Public Holidays: 7.00am

Sunday: 10.00am PASTORAL TEAM

PARISH OFFICE: Manuela Brambilla 9912 6870 X310 OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Thurs: 9am-12noon; 1pm - 4pm

Friday: 9am-1pm

Public Holidays and Weekends: Closed

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PARISH CALENDAR: 19th – 26th January 2019

Sun 19th 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 7.15pm Solemn evening prayer

Tue 21st St Agnes

5:00pm Siena Chapel Holy Hour

Deadline for Bulletin: 10.00am Thursday

Fri 24th St Francis of Sales Sat 25th The Conversion of St Paul

Sun 26th 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"LOOK, THERE IS THE LAMB OF GOD THAT TAKES AWAY THE SIN OF THE WOLD."

Today's gospel continues the story of Jesus' baptism story from a different perspective. John the Baptist announces the identity of Jesus as the "the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world." The phrase 'the Lamb of God' recalls great event

happened for the God's chosen people in Egypt. It was the Passover in Egypt when God told Moses to have His people kill a lamb and sprinkle its blood on their doorposts and lintels as a sign to distinguish their homes from the Egyptians, and when the death angel comes he will Passover their houses.

I saw the Spirit come down like a dove from the sky

The Lamb of God is the Lamb of sacrifice. The adjectival participle, "that takes away sin," expresses the idea of the pardoning or

forgiveness of sin, and the removal of guilt because Jesus was destined to be sacrificed like a spotless lamb as a sin offering to God. We come to understand the term 'the Lamb of God' referred to Jesus, who volunteered to carry the cross, and being crucified, died, and rose again to save us from our sins. Jesus has made the ultimate sacrifice in dying, once and for all, for the forgiveness of sins.

Jesus in his public ministry reminded the apostles about his own baptism. We today understand Jesus talked about his cross, and death, and resurrection. The apostles came to understand what Jesus meant about his baptism, not before, but after he rose; leaving behind the now empty tomb. It is the 'Cup of Salvation' Jesus once asked if the sons of Zebedee could drink it, when their



mother asked Jesus to allow one of her sons to sit on his right hand side, and the other on his left (Mat 20:20-23).

At Mass, just before communion, we hear the very words that John the Baptist used when first announcing the presence of Jesus,

"Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sin of the world." What a blessing it is if we take that announcement as a reminder that we too are called to be like John the Baptist to other people.

We, who have been baptised in the spirit, are called to point towards Jesus not simply by word of mouth, but above all by daily lives lived by his standards of compassion, care and forgiveness.

Fr Peter Toan Nguyen OP, PP

PASTORAL SERVICES

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: 25th / 26th Jan

06:00pm Sat D&N Tam

Sun 08:00am C Howie A Tam

> 9:30am C&J Killalv J Arundell

> > Sr Kim D Vu A Tam

11:00am C Xerri

06:00pm D Verey

22nd Jan Mews M Wheeler

25th / 26th Jan **READERS**

06:00pm C: G Woodhatch Sat R: M Conlan Sun 08:00am C: R: J Adderley

C Sheehan 9.30am C: P Sheehan R:

C: M Balsillie 06:00pm C: R:

SANCTUARY CARERS FOR: January

Altar Washing: Helen Renwick Flowers & Candle: Pauline Pinhorn

COLLECTION COUNTERS

11:00am

Phyllis Kelly, Marlene Martin This week Frank Sharpe, Helen Dowsing Next week

COLLECTION STATISTICS

Thanksgiving Dom Priests Ave Loose \$ 677.74 Dec \$3.784.02 \$ 1,314.92

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Gracie Bresolin,

18th Jan

19th Jan

21st Jan

24th Jan

Mon 20th Jan

Sun

Tue

AUDIO LOOP If you are wearing a hearing aid, the best place to hear in the church is in the middle near the audio loop

WE PRAY FOR THOSE RECENTLY DECEASED:

For those whose anniversaries occur at this time: The sick

of our parish: Mandy, Ilena Wilson, Shirley Kennedy,

Alina Kobylanski, Barbara Dunstan, 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, Ann Stewart, John Meehan, Baby

Emerick OP, Fr Brian Reynolds OP, Lina Agius, Joy Patrick and those visited by St. Vincent de Paul Society this

MASS INTENTIONS

9:30am

12:00pm

9:00am Nathaniel Whittaker

11:00am | Flora Meiliana Kesuma

12:00pm Deceased Dominicans

12:00pm | Isabella Whittaker

Janet Hudin, John Carroll, Fr Karl

For the People of the Parish

Dominican Vocations

Our PERPETUAL REMEMBRANCE BOOK

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



PARISHIONERS are invited NEW 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

The Library is now closed for the Summer break & will reopen mid-Feb 2020. Enquiries: Librarian 9836 2632, or email: stdomslibrary@op.org.au https://opau.follettdestiny.com



already promised to the am of the Universe. He is more splendid St. Perunis Youth than the sun and the stars, and he has said He will never leave me!" - St Agnes Proverbs 22:6

NEXT LUMEN - Friday 7th February is our next High Schoolers LUMEN Event at the Parish Centre. 6.00 pm-9:00pm Please e-mail any dietary requirements to youth.worker@stdominics.org.au

NEXT YOUTH MASS - 23rd February Musicians at 5pm. Refreshments for all afterwards in Parish Centre

NEXT YOUNG ADULTS CHILL N CHAT -

23rd February (aged 18-35) @8PM

Hymn: The Lord Upholds my Life - Tom Booth Facebook: St. Dominic's Youth Camberwell - SDYC

Instagram: sdyc_

ST DOMINIC'S PARISH SACRAMENTAL UPDATE

REGISTRATION FORM FOR RECONCILIATION.

HOLY COMMUNION **CONFIRMATION 2020** are now available from the Parish Office. You are required to complete this if your child is receiving Reconciliation, 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation in 2020 and return it to the

parish office with payment by 14th February 2020.

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.



WEEKDAY MASS TIMES DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON

Weekdays

12 noon Mass ONLY

Monday 27th January

Australia Day—9.00am Mass only and Parish Office will be CLOSED

THE ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

will be involved in assisting communities, for a very long period of time into the future, that have been affected by the horrific bushfires especially in Victoria and NSW. The Society will be assisting communities after the initial work of the Salvation Army and Red Cross, through our Conferences in affected areas. The Society has set up a Bushfire Appeal which will be ongoing. You are invited to financially donate to the Bushfire Appeal through placing your donations in an envelope (you are welcome to use the Christmas Appeal envelopes that are at the doors of the Church) and place them in the Collection bags during Mass, leave them in an envelope at the Parish Office or donating the internet via https://donate.vinnies.org.au/appeals-vic/vinnies-nswbushfire-appeal-vic. Any donations through the Parish for the Bushfire Appeal, will be delivered to the Society's Head Office in Box Hill. If you require a receipt (for taxation purposes etc) please place your name and address on the envelopes. Many thanks for your support in this Appeal which has been endorsed by Most Reverend Peter A Comensoli, Archbishop of Melbourne. John Dowling - Vice President - Camberwell Regional

SENIORS'

Council



COMMUNITY LUNCHEON THURSDAY 6th FEBRUARY This is an invitation to our older seniors who would like some company LUNCHEON lunch. The next seniors' luncheon will be held on Thursday 6th February,

2020 at 12.30pm. Please add your name to the list at the Church front entrance, by Monday 3rd February, if you would like to attend. Or phone the Parish Office 9912 6870 x310. Pls let us know if you have any food intolerance. There is no charge to you for the lunch, but we need to know numbers for catering purposes. We hope to be able to provide transport if necessary.

THE SVdP CONFERENCE wishes to thank the Parish for it's ongoing support especially in relation to the Christmas Appeal. The non perishable food, gifts for children and donations in excess of \$3,000.00 were used by the

Conference to assist those in our local area that would not have had a good Christmas without your support. John Naughtin - Conference President





EXERCISE CLASSES chair based will resume on Tuesday 18th February and for active adults on Thursday 20th February.

ALTAR **WASHING** AND FLOWER/ **CANDLE ROSTER 2020** several vacancies exist in this Roster for 2020. If anyone is able to assist pls call Vincey Millemaci 9888 4104..





Our next trip is **Around** the Bay—The Westernport Way with morning tea at Hastings. Then we will arrive at Stony Point where we will take the ferry across

to Philip Island and French Island. A 2 course lunch will be served at Philip Island RSL. Afterwards we will reboard the coach stopping at the New Nobbies and then taking a trip through the seaside towns of Rhyll, San Remo and Toorandin where you will have a chance to grab an ice-cream or a coffee. Return approx. at 4.30-5.00pm. \$78pp Please contact the Parish Office to book. For more info please contact Margaret Holm (0430 300 185).

NAZARETH HOUSE Weekday Mass will be at 7am till Friday 24 January.

OPENING OF THE LEGAL YEAR RED MASS 2020 St Patrick's Cathedral on Tuesday 28 January 2020 at 9:00 am - all welcome for Mass celebrated by Archbishop Peter Comensoli, and morning tea to follow.

WALK THE CAMINO! Two Catholic Mission group 2020. Pilgrimages Small led by an Veronica experienced guide. Sr Rosier OP (0451 387 906) www.catholicmission.org.au/camino2020

PLENARY COUNCIL The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference has requested that each Diocese nominate four people, who may be laypersons, members of religious orders or Clergy, who are willing to be called as delegates for the Plenary Council Sessions in October 2020 and June and July of 2021. Each delegate will participate in the process of discernment and contribute to a variety of forums before, during and after the Plenary Council Sessions. This is an important and critical role for the life of Catholic Church in Australia. Any person who expresses their interest in being called by our Archdiocese to be a delegate to the Plenary Council must be available for the following dates:

1. Preparation and formation days for Delegates on ONE of the following four dates:

Melbourne: Thursday 5.00pm, 18 June 2020 - Saturday 12.00pm, 20 June 2020

- 2. Plenary Council General Assembly 1: Sunday 2.00pm, 4 October 2020 - Sunday 12.00pm, 11 October 2020
- 3. Plenary Council General Assembly 2: Monday 12.00pm, 28 June 2021 - Saturday 12.00pm, 3 July 2021

If you are interested in applying, please fill out the following online form and submit by the deadline of Friday 24 January 2020: https://www.surveymonkey.com/ r/2RPTKHZ

9:30AM MASS: Mass Booklet for Assembly

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

AS ONE VOICE 1 76 All the ends of the earth - processional

74 Come to the water - offertory

90 Here I am, Lord - communion

28 Praise to you, O Christ, our Saviour - recessional

Mass Booklet for Assembly

Lord, Have Mercy - Mass of St Francis - p. 59 Gospel Acclamation - Celtic Alleluia - As One Voice #13 Holy, Holy, Holy - Mass of Creation - p. 88 Memorial Acclamation # 1 - Mass of St Francis - p. 62 Amen - Mass of Creation - p. 90

Lamb of God - Mass of Creation - p. 91



PROPER OF THE MASS: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Entrance Antiphon All the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to you,

shall sing to your name, O Most High!

Responsorial Psalm Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.

Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, alleluia! The Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us.

He enabled those who accepted him to become the children of God. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon You have prepared a table before me, and how precious is the chalice

that quenches my thirst.

Today's Readings (2nd Ord, Year A) Isaiah 49: 3, 5-6; Psalm 39; 1 Corinthians 1:1-3; John 1:29-34

Next Week's Readings (3rd Ord, Year A)) Isaiah 8:23—9:3; Psalm 26; 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17; Matthew 4:12-23

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