

ST JOSEPH'S ✠ ST MONICA'S SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL

CLUSTER OF PARISHES

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We gather, pray, and celebrate on the traditional land of the Dja Dja Wurrung people.



SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Our parishes are committed to child safety. All children and young people who come to our parishes have a right to feel and be safe. The welfare of the children and young people in our care will always be our first priority and we have a zero tolerance of child abuse.

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B : 28TH JANUARY 2024

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LITURGICAL MINISTRY SEMINARS: POSTPONED
The Liturgical Ministry Seminars (Ministry of the Word, Extraordinary Ministry of Holy Communion and Ministry of Liturgical Music) planned for February at St. Kilian's Parish have been postponed. These seminars will be re-scheduled to a later date in 2024 TBC.

ECOLOGY CARE FOR CREATION GROUP
Meeting: Tuesday 6th February 2024 at 11am at St Joseph's Hall
We extend everyone an invitation to join us on the 6th February for an informal discussion and morning tea. Find out how each one of us can respond to the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor. Bring your own knowledge and experience to share with others.
Discover ways to reduce general waste by learning what we can and cannot recycle and what to do with our plastic waste and textiles. Ecology contact: Vyonne McLelland-Howe 0408 414036

CARITAS ALERT
Some Parishioners have advised they have received phone calls from Caritas, asking for donations. This is probably a scam. Please ignore!

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP:
Our Lady of Good Counsel Charismatic Prayer Group is in recess for the month of January and will resume meetings on Wednesday 14th Feb 2024. For all inquiries or for any prayer support during this break, please call Denise Ilott 0407 506 813.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL IN OUR PARISHES WHO ARE SICK OR UNDERGOING MEDICAL PROCEDURES AND TREATMENTS

Pam Wright, Tess Dockter, Gary Muller, Carmel Moon, Mary Mooney, Roma O'Shannessy, Gerald Kavanagh, Glenda Waddington, Mathew Craine, John Mangan, Bruno Zausa, Matthew Turner, Theresa Cain, Judy Gaffee, Maureen O'Keefe, Elaine Kelly, Rose Capicchiano, Audrey Drechsler, John Whelan, Kath Munari, April Twyford, Ben Castles, Kay Ross, Audrey Hope, Brendan Drechsler, Pat Fitzpatrick, Pat Bonham, Bob Hayden, Lauren Horton, Malcolm Connolly, Lyn Wright.

RECENTLY DECEASED: MARGARET DUNN

ANNIVERSARIES OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Fr John Daley, Gerard Overberg, Ellen Comer, Eileen Suell, Bertha Sedgeway, Lawrence Williams, June Pedretti, Neil Dunn, James Watson, Ethel Cullis — John Wills, John Costello, Baby Kiara, Perce Slater, Mary Davis, James Smith, Kath Morris, Jose Martinez, Bill Morris, Robert Datmau, John McKeogh, Margaret & William Harris — Ellen Crimmins, Jack Gardener, Beryl Wilson, Norm Brindle, Frances Douglass, Trevor Morgan, Catherine Kennedy.

	CATHEDRAL— 4TH FEBRUARY 2024			ST MONICA'S— 3rd/4th FEBRUARY 2024		ST JOSEPH'S 3RD FEB
	8.30AM	11.00AM	6PM	SAT 6PM	SUN 9AM	SAT 6PM
COMMENTATOR				Volunteer Please	C Friswell	C Williams
READER 1	M Flynn	T Dowling	Volunteer	L Waddington	A Brown	D Lawrence
READER 2	K Massam	R Gabriel	Volunteer			
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	J Parker	R Peacock	Volunteer	Volunteer Please	R Tickell	M Pianta
	K Dullard	B Anglin				
OFFERTORY	M Gobbie	J Hudson	Volunteer	Volunteer Please	T McDermott	
ALTAR SOCIETY	Feb 2nd Team 3 (Names on roster)			Feb 3rd/4th M Evans, C Britten		

READINGS OF THE DAY

FIRST READING Deuteronomy 18:15-20

A reading from the book of Deuteronomy

Moses said to the people: 'Your God will raise up for you a prophet like myself, from among yourselves, from your own brothers; to him you must listen. This is what you yourselves asked of the Lord your God at Horeb on the day of the Assembly. "Do not let me hear again" you said "the voice of the Lord my God, nor look any longer on this great fire, or I shall die"; and the Lord said to me, "All they have spoken is well said. I will raise up a prophet like yourself for them from their own brothers; I will put my words into his mouth and he shall tell them all I command him. The man who does not listen to my words that he speaks in my name, shall be held answerable to me for it. But the prophet who presumes to say in my name a thing I have not commanded him to say, or who speaks in the name of other gods, that prophet shall die.'"

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

(R.) If today, you hear his voice,
harden not your hearts.

NEXT SUNDAYS READINGS:

1st Reading: Job:7: 1-4, 6-7

2nd Reading: 1Cor: 9:16,19, 22-23

Gospel: Mark 1:29-39

SECOND READING 1 Corinthians 7:32-35

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

I would like to see you free from all worry. An unmarried man can devote himself to the Lord's affairs, all he need worry about is pleasing the Lord; but a married man has to bother about the world's affairs and devote himself to pleasing his wife: he is torn two ways. In the same way an unmarried woman, like a young girl, can devote herself to the Lord's affairs; all she need worry about is being holy in body and spirit. The married woman, on the other hand, has to worry about the world's affairs and devote herself to pleasing her husband. I say this only to help you, not to put a halter round your necks, but simply to make sure that everything is as it should be, and that you give your undivided attention to the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Matthew 4:16

Alleluia, alleluia!

A people in darkness have seen a great light:
a radiant dawn shines on those lost in death.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL Mark 1:21-28

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Jesus and his followers went as far as Capernaum, and as soon as the Sabbath came Jesus went to the synagogue and began to teach. And his teaching made a deep impression on them because, unlike the scribes, he taught them with authority.

In their synagogue just then there was a man possessed by an unclean spirit, and it shouted, 'What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are: the Holy One of God.' But Jesus said sharply, 'Be quiet! Come out of him!' And the unclean spirit threw the man into convulsions and with a loud cry went out of him. The people were so astonished that they started asking each other what it all meant. 'Here is a teaching that is new' they said 'and with authority behind it: he gives orders even to unclean spirits and they obey him.' And his reputation rapidly spread everywhere, through all the surrounding Galilean countryside.

MUSIC FOR CATHEDRAL (CATHOLIC WORSHIP BOOK II)

Entrance - CWB 457 Blessed Jesus at Your Word

Mass Parts - CWB 22 Mass of St Francis

Prep. Of Gifts - CWB 584 Praise the One Who Breaks the
Darkness (cf.G)

Communion - CWB 469 Christians, Let Us Love One Another

Recessional - CWB 467 Christ Is the World's Light

Postlude 8.30am and 6pm- Prelude in G (BWV 541) -
JS Bach (1685-1750)

SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL CHOIR – CHORAL LEADER BURSARY AUDITIONS (Sun 18 Feb. 2024)

The Diocese of Sandhurst Chancery in collaboration with the Sacred Heart Cathedral Parish is kindly funding four new adult choral leader bursaries (i.e. for 1 Soprano, 1 Alto, 1 Tenor and 1 Bass) (valued at \$2,400 per leader per annum) in addition to the (8) ongoing student scholarships for students in local schools/colleges (most of these continue from the later primary school grades through to end of Year 12). The 4 new bursaries (for 12 months at a time and awarded after successful audition) are designed to provide principal vocal leadership in each choral section (S, A, T, B) as well as leadership within smaller vocal ensembles at various Cathedral liturgies (e.g. solemnities and special celebrations) and liturgical/musical formation workshops in Bendigo and other regions of the Sandhurst Diocese. For further information and a PD, please contact Paul Taylor (Organist & Director of Music) at paul.taylor@sandhurst.catholic.org.au. Auditions will take place in the Cathedral Choir Room after the 11am Mass on Sunday 18 February 2024 (NB: revised date).