



## 3rd Sunday of LENT

3 March 2024

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### Parish Office Hours

#### Monday and Tuesday:

9.00am - 12.30pm

Closed on Wednesday

#### Thursday and Friday:

9.00am - 3.30pm

#### Parish Priest:

Fr Melvin Llabanes

#### Deacon:

Rev Phil King

#### Parish Secretary:

Mrs Lynn Kuczera

### Sacred Heart Primary School

#### Principal:

Mr Michael Russo

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### Sacrament of Baptism

Baptism will be celebrated by appointment following a Baptism Preparation Program.

### Sacrament of Marriage

By appointment with at least 6 months notice.

### St. Vincent de Paul

If assistance is required, contact SVDP: 1800 305 330 (Free Call)

### Catholic Women's League

Please contact the parish office.

### Parish Choir

Please contact the parish office.

### Mass Times

Saturday: 6.00pm Sunday 9.30am

Tuesday to Friday: 9.30am

### Weekday Rosary

before Mass

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Friday after 9.30am Mass

Saturday 5.30pm until 6.00pm

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

First Friday of the month after 9.30am Mass.

### Divine Mercy Prayers

Friday 8.30 - 9.25am

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:



#### We pray for all who are sick, especially:

Sr Gabriel, Bill Gallagher,  
Monica Murphy, Betty Croker,  
Olga McDonald,  
Michael Westworth,  
Colleen Skedden,  
Ron Buchanan, Lucy Horgan,  
Beryl Clark, Verline Moran.

**We pray for** those parishioners that are unable to be among us this weekend and for those who have died recently:

**Des Fitzgerald** (funeral - Mon 4 March at 11.30am)

**And for** those whose anniversary occurs at this time:

## ROSTERS

**Next Week: 4th Sunday of Lent**

**2 Chron 36:14-16, 19-23; Eph 2:4-10; Jn 3:14-21**

**SATURDAY 9 March**

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Sr Lee and Kaye Lawrence

**Readers**

Linda Correia

**SUNDAY 10 March**

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Janet Beck, Joie Bevi, Wilma DeJong

**Readers**

Carol Koper and Nim Menezes

## MUSICIAN AND CANTOR

**SATURDAY 9 March**

Sophia

**SUNDAY 10 March**

Francis and Elizabeth

### CHOIR PRACTICE



Saturday

9 March

16 March

23 March

at 2.00pm in the  
church

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND READERS MEETING

There will be a meeting  
on Mon 4 March at  
7.00pm.

Volunteers are required  
for Palm Sunday and  
Easter Masses.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

During Lent, parishioners are  
invited to Stations of the Cross  
each Friday at 7.30pm.

The following groups will lead  
the  
Stations of the Cross

**8 March**

Parish Pastoral Council

**15 March**

Neocatechumenal Community

**22 March**

Catholic Woman's League



## VOCATIONS NEWS

I would like to thank you for your prayers for  
Vocations over the years. We were delighted to  
accept eight men to the Seminary for Melbourne  
this year:

**Chinh Tran, Rohan Prince, Luke Kennedy,  
Luke Emslie, Tung Phan, Joseph Maae,  
Patrick Harris and Mathews Noble.**

Many of you have personally helped and  
encouraged these men along their journey to  
apply to join the Seminary; it truly is a team effort!  
Please continue to pray for them!

Part of the work of the Vocations Office is to  
promote Vocations throughout our Archdiocese.  
Please feel free to contact us if you have any  
thoughts/plans of how we can do so  
better.

In Christ,  
Fr Dishan and the Vocations Team



**"The most terrible poverty  
is loneliness, and the  
feeling of being unloved."**

Mother Teresa