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If you are having your child Baptised in our parish it is a requirement that you attend a prior Preparation Session.

Remaining dates for these sessions in 2019 are:
Sundays - 4 August, 6 October and 8 December.

Please contact the Parish Office for further information.

WEEKDAY MASS RESPONSES
Available at the back of the church

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PARISH INFORMATION

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Weekday Masses	Tuesday - Friday	9:00am
Reconciliation	Saturday	5:00pm - 5:30pm
Weekend Masses	Saturday	6:00pm
	Sunday	8:30am
	Sunday	10:00am
		5:00pm

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Fr Jeronimo Flamenco
Parish Priest



GOSPEL REFLECTION by Dianne Bergant CSA (Taken from 'Pastoral Liturgy')

Today we see the people of God offering the hospitality rather than receiving it, first Abraham and then Martha. What lessons of discipleship can be learned from these readings? First and foremost we see how important openness is, for in each case those to whom the hospitality was offered were divine visitors in human form. We can never be sure under what guise God will come to us. It could be the person on the street who asks for directions, or the one who comes to our place of work to engage the service that we provide. It may be the friend who comes to dinner or the co-worker who acts in a way we did not expect. God comes into our lives in unexpected ways and we must have an open attitude of hospitality if we are to receive the blessings that might come with such visits.

We know that we cannot lay aside the responsibilities of our lives in order to sit with Mary at the feet of Jesus. However, we cannot allow ourselves to be held captive by these responsibilities, regardless of how legitimate they may be. And so we continue to struggle; to carry the burdens that are ours for the sake of the people that we serve; to serve the people in our care realising that we will probably not be able to accomplish all of our tasks or at least as well as we would like. It is in this way that the reign of God struggles to be born.

Feast Days this week

Mon 22 July—St Mary Magdalene: A faithful disciple of Christ, Mary ministered to his needs after having seven devils cast out from her. She witnessed his crucifixion, was present at his burial, and was the first to see the risen Lord. Was commissioned by Christ to proclaim the good news of his resurrection to the apostles and is remembered in the East as the "Apostle to the Apostles".

Thurs 25 July—St James: Born at Bethsaida in Galilee son of Zebedee, he was the first apostle to die, beheaded by Herod. He was a fisherman summoned by Jesus, together with his brother, St John. Remembered as a favoured apostle; with St Peter and St John he was present at the transfiguration, the raising of the daughter of Jairus and the agony in the garden. Died about 44.

Fri 26 July—Sts Joachim and Anne: This feast honours the parents of the Virgin Mary and grandparents of the Lord.

Mass Times next week

Tuesday: 9.00am	Wednesday: 9.00am	Thursday: 9.00am
	Friday: 9.00am	
Saturday: Vigil 6.00pm		
Sunday: 8.30am	10.00am	5.00pm
Reconciliation: Saturday: 5.00pm - 5.45pm		

Parish Finance Update

2nd Collection including Planned Giving envelopes	(13/14 July)	\$1,901.95
Family Fast (June)		\$ 177.70
Direct Debit (June)		\$ 750.00

On Holiday.....

As from Sunday, 15 July, Fr Jeronimo will be enjoying 'rest and relaxation' away from the parish for some weeks. We wish him a wonderful holiday with his family and friends.



For this weekend only we welcome several priests to celebrate Masses in the parish.

They are:

- Fr Greg—from Morley, Vigil 6pm 20 July
- Archbishop Hickey 8.30am Sunday, 21 July
- Fr Garner 10am Sunday, 21 July
- Fr Greg Donovan 5pm Sunday, 21 July

Good Neighbours Group

The next luncheon planned for Wednesday, 24 July, will now be at Kim Long Restaurant (not the Inglewood Hotel), 50 Walter Road, Bedford at 12 noon. Cost for specials is \$10-\$12.

Please advise Marie—9275 6307—of numbers attending prior to Sunday, 21 July.

All are welcome to join us and if requiring transport, please ring Marie on the above number.

PARISH INCOME AND EXPENDITURE 2018-19 as presented at recent Masses

Planned Giving Envelopes	\$73,069
Loose Money	\$29,839
Other Income	\$49,136
Total Income	\$152,044
Rates & Taxes	\$ 5,177
Insurance	\$10,439
Repairs, maintenance & gardening	\$15,034
Utilities (Water, electricity, gas etc)	\$16,254
Staff expenses	\$32,626
Archdiocesan Assessment	\$ 7,200
Loan Repayments	\$16,891
Parish Redevelopment Planning	\$15,766
Other Expenses	\$40,922
Total Expenses	\$160,309
Deficit	-\$8,265

Planned Giving Envelopes

There are still envelopes for the financial year 2019/2020 available for parishioners to pick up.

For further information on joining this program either by envelope or direct debit, please fill out the yellow card at the back of the church or contact the parish office during office



Condolences

Prayers and sympathy are offered to the family of Mrs Elefteria Camilleri who died last week. Her funeral service was held at St Peter's church on Tuesday.

Headlines from this week's 'Record'

Praising God for gift of creation leads to respect for it— Pope Francis

Irene McCormack Catholic College provides support to single mothers

Annual Marriage Day Mass to celebrate the gift of vocation

New guidelines will inform Church's response to abuse

The Religious Destiny of the Irish and Catholic Missions worldwide

Secrecy of confession must never be violated, says Pope Francis.

Parishioners—please note that while Fr Jeronimo is on leave there will be no Eucharistic Adoration in the church from Thursday, 18 July till Thursday, 15 August inclusive.

It will re-commence on Thursday, 22 August.

Next weekend's (27/28 July) readings are for the 17 Sun Ord Time Year C

- 1st Reading: Genesis 18: 20-32
- 2nd Reading: Colossians 2: 12-14
- Gospel: Luke 11: 1-13

First Reading: Genesis 18: 1-10

The Lord appeared to Abraham at the Oak of Mamre while he was sitting by the entrance of the tent during the hottest part of the day. He looked up, and there he saw three men standing near him. As soon as he saw them he ran from the entrance of the tent to meet them, and bowed to the ground. 'My lord,' he said, 'I beg you, if I find favour with you, kindly do not pass your servant by. A little water shall be brought; you shall wash your feet and lie down under the tree. Let me fetch a little bread and you shall refresh yourselves before going further. That is why you have come in your servant's direction.' They replied, 'Do as you say.'

hastened to the tent to find Sarah. 'Hurry,' he said, 'knead three bushels of flour and make loaves.' Then running to the cattle Abraham took a fine and tender calf and gave it to the servant, who hurried to prepare it. Then taking cream, milk and the calf he had prepared, he laid all before them, and they ate while he remained standing near them under the tree.

Where is your wife Sarah?' they asked him. 'She is in the tent,' he replied. Then his guest said, 'I shall visit you again next year without fail and your wife will then have a son.'

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm: 14: 2-5

- R. The just will live in the presence of the Lord.**
- 1. Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain?
He who walks without fault;
he who acts with justice
and speaks the truth from his heart;
he who does not slander with his tongue. **R.**
- 2. He who does no wrong to his brother,
who casts no slur on his neighbour,
who holds the godless in disdain,
but honours those who fear the Lord. **R.**
- 3. He who keeps his pledge, come what may;
who takes no interest on a loan
and accepts no bribes against the innocent.
Such a man will stand firm for ever. **R.**

Second Reading: Colossians 1: 24-28

It makes me happy to suffer for you, as I am suffering now, and in my body to do what I can to make up all that has still to be undergone by Christ for the sake of his body, the Church. I became the servant of the Church when God made me responsible for delivering God's message to you, the message which was a mystery hidden for generations and centuries and has now been revealed to his saints. It was God's purpose to reveal it to them and to show all the rich glory of this mystery to pagans. The mystery is Christ among you, your hope of glory: this is the Christ we proclaim, this is the wisdom in which we thoroughly train everyone and instruct everyone, to make them all perfect in Christ.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation: Luke 8: 15

Alleluia, alleluia! Happy are they who have kept the word with a generous heart and yield a harvest through perseverance. **Alleluia, alleluia!**

Gospel: Luke 10: 38-42

Jesus came to a village, and a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. She had a sister called Mary, who sat down at the Lord's feet and listened to him speaking. Now Martha who was distracted with all the serving said, 'Lord, do you not care that my sister is leaving me to do the serving all by myself? Please tell her to help me.' But the Lord answered: 'Martha, Martha,' he said, 'you worry and fret about so many things, and yet few are needed, indeed only one. It is Mary who has chosen the better part; it is not to be taken from her.'

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

