



THE SAVING WORD

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER / B (ANZAC DAY)

25 APRIL 2021

FIRST READING

Acts 4: 8-12

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

This is the only name by which we can be saved.

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Peter said: 'Rulers of the people, and elders! If you are questioning us today about an act of kindness to a cripple, and asking us how he was healed, then I am glad to tell you all, and would indeed be glad to tell the whole people of Israel, that it was by the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, the one you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by this name and by no other that this man is able to stand up perfectly healthy, here in your presence today. This is the stone rejected by you the builders, but which has proved to be the keystone. For of all the names in the world given to men, this is the only one by which we can be saved.'

■ The word of the Lord.

RESP PS Ps 117: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28-29. R. v. 22

R. The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone. (*or* Alleluia!)

1. Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, / for his love has no end. / It is better to take refuge in the Lord / than to trust in men: / it is better to take refuge in the Lord / than to trust in princes. R.

2. I will thank you for you have given answer / and you are my saviour. / The stone which the builders rejected / has become the cornerstone. / This is the work of the Lord, / a marvel in our eyes. R.

3. Blessed in the name of the Lord / is he who comes. / We bless you from the house of the Lord; / I will thank you for you have given answer / and you are my saviour. / Give thanks to the Lord for he is good; / for his love has no end. R.



SECOND READING

1 Jn 3: 1-2

A reading from the first letter of St John.

We shall see God as he is.

Think of the love that the Father has lavished on us,

by letting us be called God's children; and that is what we are.

Because the world refused to acknowledge him, therefore it does not acknowledge us.

My dear people, we are already the children of God

but what we are to be in the future has not yet been revealed;

all we know is, that when it is revealed we shall be like him

because we shall see him as he really is.

■ The word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Jn 10: 14

Alleluia, alleluia! / I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; / I know my sheep, and mine know me, / Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Jn 10: 11-18

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

The good shepherd lays down his life for his sheep.

Jesus said:

'I am the good shepherd:

the good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep.

The hired man, since he is not the shepherd



OUR LADY of MT CARMEL CHURCH BULLETIN

4th Sunday Easter (Anzac Day), 25 April 2021, Year B

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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MASS INTENTIONS



4th Sunday Easter, 25 April ... ANZAC Day

6pm Mass for Emilio Jurica (RIP) + Teodoro & Marlon Nadela (RIP Anniversary) + Ian Walker (RIP 1st Anniversary)



Sunday 7.30am Mass for Andrew De Sousa (RIP)

Sunday 9am Mass for Vincenzo & Italia Colazilli (RIP) + Franjo Lazar (RIP Anniversary) + Deceased Members of Ottobre Family + Maria Fernandes (RIP)



Monday 26 April ... St Mark

7-9pm NO Holy Trinity Prayer Group



Tuesday 27 April ... St Louis Grignon De Montfort

9am Mass for Nicola Jurica (RIP) + Rosina Franco (RIP)

Wednesday 28 April ... St Peter Chanel

9am Mass for Ivona Jurica (RIP) + Mary Egert (RIP)

Morning Tea after Mass

10.30am Legion of Mary

6-7pm Eucharistic Adoration



Thursday 29 April ... St Catherine of Siena

8.15am Mass at Seton Catholic College

9am-4pm Church Open for Prayers

Friday 30 April

9am Mass for Stjepan Skratulja (RIP Anniversary) + Thanksgiving to Sacred Heart of Jesus

9.30-10.30am Eucharistic Adoration

10.30am Mass at Hilton Park Aged Care



Saturday 1 May

9am Mass for Emilio Jurica (RIP) + Thanksgiving to Immaculate Heart of Mary

5th Sunday Easter, 2 May

6pm Mass for Souls in Purgatory

Sunday 7.30am Mass for Andrew De Sousa (RIP)

Sunday 9am Mass for Parishioners Intentions

12 Noon Baptism of Mikayli Ava Fong



WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF MT CARMEL PARISH

If you are a new parishioner, please introduce yourself to Fr Paul. We could like to know a bit about you and your family. You can also fill in a Parishioner Registration Form and join in the Parish Planned Giving Program.



PLEASE PRAY FOR SICK PARISHIONERS

Christine Rhow, Veronica, Maria, Consiglia Ciavatta, Irwin Beachell, Isabella Da Cunha, Norma Elliott, Rudi Tassell, David Azzaro, Steven, Davina, Elisabetta Paddon, Dermot McKernon, Edward Fortune, Lou Collova, Franca Kalat, Joan McGrath, Zdenka Mravljinc, Christine Parish, Jacqueline Gracy - Fr Paul's sister ...



2021 SACRAMENT DATES

CONFIRMATION

9am Sunday 20 June

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

9am Sunday 12 September



RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9.30-

10am and

5.15-5.45pm

Or by appointment.



MASS INTENTIONS

Suggested Offering **\$15 per Mass**. Please give Mass Intention Envelopes to Fr Paul or Parish Office.



NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

5th Sunday Easter, 2 May

1st: Acts 9:26-31

2nd: 1 Jn 3:18-24

Gospel: Jn 15:1-8



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth; by the word of the Lord the heavens were made, alleluia.



COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.





STEWARDSHIP: Theology of Stewardship – Giving Thanks in the Bad Times ... to discern the presence and the workings of God even in desperate situations means we have developed a

deeper sensitivity to God's presence and how God acts in our lives. To give thanks in those kinds of circumstances is to be shaped by a deep faith.



OLMC PIETY STALL: Open on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday mornings before and after 9am Masses. Please contact Marion on 0415 917 496 for more information.



CARMEL OF THE HOLY TRINITY GIFT SHOP: The Carmelite Sisters have established an online shop to assist with maintenance works and to preserve their Chapel and

Monastery buildings. Please visit their shop online at: www.holytrinitycarmel.com.au.



FREE CHAIRS: We have six chairs in the Meeting Room, which we are giving away for free. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office. **Many thanx 😊.**



CHURCH AIR CONDITIONING: Cooling in summer and heating in winter are essential need these days for all of us, specially to our

elderly parishioners. The present evaporative system in the church is not performing well. Now it is time to have split system air conditioning – heater and cooler in our church. We will have more discussion in our Parish council and Finance Committee. In the meantime, your support for the air conditioning is welcome. Please consider sponsoring a unit. We need 9 or 10 units to be installed. I will give you more details soon. Your contribution (donation) is welcome. **Fr Paul.**



SVDP HILTON: The St Vincent De Paul Society would like to thank you for all your support so far this year. Our members have visited 60 households so far this year and given the recent lifting of the moratorium on rents, we expect to be doing many

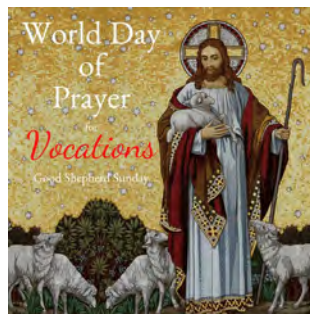
more calls. Many of the people we visit in Hilton and Hamilton Hill will struggle to meet \$20 - \$40 per week rent increases. We ask for your help again with food. The food

items we need are long life milk, cereal, pasta, pasta sauce, tin fruit, tin vegies, tin soup, rice, baked beans, biscuits and noodles. They can be dropped into the basket at the rear of the church. If you prefer, there is a built in cash box for donations just inside the church entrance. Your ongoing assistance is a must in enabling us to assist those in our community who really need the help. Thanks once again for your ongoing support. **Ian Digney - SVDP Hilton President.**



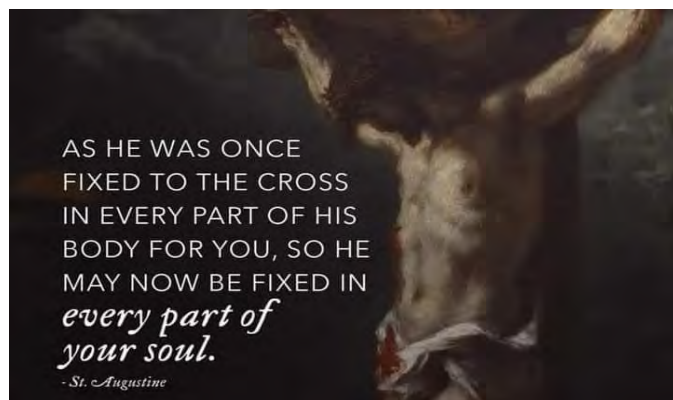
MESSAGE FROM OLMC PARISHIONER:

It is not Father writing this, but one of you, so don't chastise him... As a youngster, I was taught that Jesus, although not suffering or shedding his blood, continues the same sacrifice as he did on Calvary, at every Mass. When you see the attendance at daily Mass at most about 20, you can imagine his disappointment. If not working or are well enough why not show our appreciation? Also, we are now fortunate to have the church opened 9am to 4pm on Thursdays. So far, only one or two turn up. We are fortunate to have a lovely church and a priest. In some countries, you can't practise your faith or have a bible, etc. Let us be grateful and show the Good Lord our thanks for what we have and where we live by visiting Him. Give it a try...



GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY:

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you; before you came to birth I consecrated you" (Jeremiah 1:5). This passage informs us that from the moment we were created, God has a special plan for each of us. So, we can ask ourselves, how are we following that plan? As we celebrate the **World day of Prayer for Vocations**, let us pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the ordained ministry, religious life, single life and married life. To find out more, contact Fr Israel Quirit on vocations@perthcatholic.org.au or at 9220 5901.





ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION



My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

**The richest wealth
 is Wisdom.
 The strongest weapon
 is Patience.
 The best security
 is Faith.
 The greatest tonic is
 Laughter.
 All are Free and
 may God bless you
 with them today.
 Amen.**

POSITIVITY
 IN LIFE

Prayer to St Joseph

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
 Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
 To you God entrusted his only Son;
 in you Mary placed her trust;
 with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too,
 show yourself a father
 and guide us in the path of life.
 Obtain for us grace, mercy,
 and courage, and defend us
 from every evil. Amen.



ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL,
 DEFEND US IN BATTLE.
 BE OUR PROTECTION AGAINST THE WICKEDNESS
 AND SNARES OF THE DEVIL.
 MAY GOD REBUKE HIM, WE HUMBL Y PRAY,
 AND DO THOU, O PRINCE OF THE HEAVENLY HOSTS,
 BY THE POWER OF GOD, THRUST INTO HELL SATAN,
 AND ALL THE EVIL SPIRITS, WHO PROWL
 ABOUT THE WORLD SEEKING THE RUIN OF SOULS.
 AMEN.

**Don't ever stop
 praying and never
 stop believing.
 God will answer your
 prayers and the prayers
 of someone who is
 praying for you.**

Kelly's Treehouse

**God
 is good all
 the time.
 Amen**

**God said,
 "Don't look around
 because you'll be
 impressed,
 Don't look down you'll be
 depressed,
 Just look to me & you'll be
 blessed!"**



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4th Sunday Easter (Anzac Day), 25 April 2021, Year B

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OUR LADY of MT CARMEL NOVENA:
 God our Father, prompted by Your Spirit the order of Carmel has from the beginning dedicated itself to the Mother of Your Son. As she unites her prayers with ours, look with favour upon us and bless our families, keep each of us from harm And bring us to the joy of heaven. We ask this through Jesus the Lord. **Amen.**



SOULS in PURGATORY PRAYER:
 Eternal Father, I offer You the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, for those in my own home, and in my family. **Amen.**



OUR LADY of ALL NATIONS PRAYER: Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Father, send now Your Spirit over the earth. Let the Holy Spirit live in the hearts of all nations, that they may be preserved from degeneration, disaster and war. May the Lady of All Nations, the Blessed Virgin Mary, be our Advocate. **Amen.**



PRAYER FOR PRIESTS By St Faustina: O my Jesus, I beg you on behalf of the whole Church: Grant it love and the light of your Spirit, and give power to the words of priests so that hardened hearts might be brought to repentance and return to you, O Lord. Lord, give us holy priests; you yourself maintain them in holiness. O Divine and Great High Priest, may the power of your mercy accompany them everywhere and protect them from the devil's traps and snares which are continually being set for the souls of priests. May the power of your mercy, O Lord, shatter and bring to naught all that might tarnish the sanctity of priests, for you can do all things.

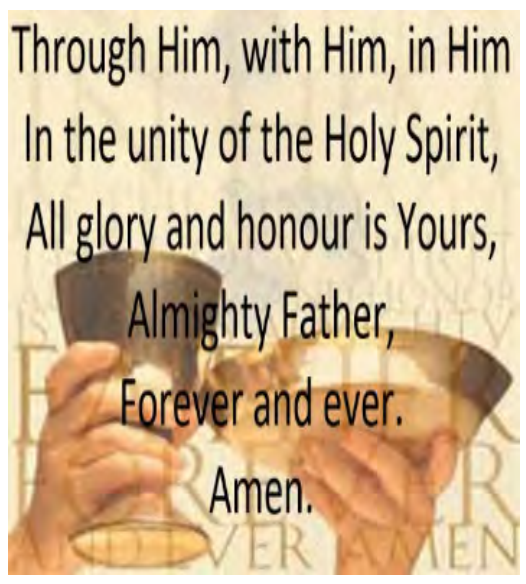


Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish Hilton

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
One Hour with Jesus
 Wednesday Evenings
 7 – 8pm
 Friday Mornings
 9.30 – 10.30am



WEEK 4 APR 24-25 4 TH EASTER	COMMENTATOR	READERS	ACOLTYE
Sat 6pm	Volunteer	Katie Hughes	Enrico D'Alessandro
Sun 7.30am	Diane Richards	Jenny Troy	Gerry Miller
Sun 9am	Monica Cook	Elizabeth Sabella	Gerald Farrell
WEEK 1 MAY 1-2 5 TH EASTER	COMMENTATOR	READER	ACOLYTE
Sat 6pm	Martha Kalat	Susie Poleschtschuk	Joe De Ornelas
Sun 7.30am	Diane Richards	Jenny Troy	Gerry Miller
Sun 9am	Monica Cook	Franca Kalat	Ken Hla



and the sheep do not belong to him,
abandons the sheep and runs away
as soon as he sees a wolf coming,
and then the wolf attacks and scatters the
sheep;

this is because he is only a hired man
and has no concern for the sheep.

I am the good shepherd;

I know my own

and my own know me,

just as the Father knows me

and I know the Father;

and I lay down my life for my sheep.

And there are other sheep I have

that are not of this fold,

and these I have to lead as well.

They too will listen to my voice,

and there will be only one flock

and one shepherd.

The Father loves me,

because I lay down my life

in order to take it up again.

No one takes it from me:

I lay it down of my own free will,

and as it is in my power to lay it down,

so it is in my power to take it up again;

and this is the command I have been given
by my Father.'

The Gospel of the Lord.



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Breaking Open the Word

GOD'S MYSTERIOUS WAYS

There are always different ways of seeing the same thing. For some of the Jews in Jerusalem, Jesus' death was the necessary outcome for someone who was leading the people astray. Peter on the other hand has come to see it as the foundation and cornerstone of a new building. He does not deny that Jesus was rejected by some of his own, but he has come to appreciate it from a new point of view. As John expresses it, it is the means by which God lavishes us with love ushering in a new dawn for those with eyes to see.

In a similar fashion Jesus speaks to his disciples in the Gospel today about how he understands his own death. The disciples could only see their hopes of being part of a new kingdom being dashed to pieces, and as a failure. Jesus did not see his death in this way. Rather, it is the gift of the loving shepherd, given freely for his flock that they might live. On this Anzac Day we remember with profound thanks the sacrifice of so many who have served and died so that we might live.

Despite how things might appear there is always a deeper reality that the person of faith is called to see and appreciate. There is an invitation to hope and trust in the hidden and unexpected ways that God works in our midst. Even failures and suffering can have a part to play in God's plan for us. Having the openness to look once again with the eyes of faith is part of the challenge of Easter.

Christopher Monaghan CP