

A PRAYER from Mother Teresa of Calcutta's about silence.

Fruit of silence is prayer

Fruit of prayer is faith

Fruit of faith is love

Fruit of love is service

Fruit of service is peace

HAPPY EASTER TO ALL

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LENT PROGRAMME 2026

SATURDAY 28th AND SUNDAY 29th March – PALM SUNDAY

6.00pm

Vigil Mass

Readers: Joe Fernando

9.00am

Mass

Readers: Rafael + Tiana

10.45am

Mass

Readers: Maryanne + Anneiston

Gospel Narrative: Telma + Savita

OTHER INFORMATION

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THURSDAY 2nd APRIL – MAUNDY THURSDAY

8.00pm Mass with washing of the feet.
Reader: Maureen + Victoria
Bidding Prayer: Chole
Washing of the feet: Pat Reilly, Rafeael, Arde, Annieston,
Theresa, Maryanne, Joe Fernando, Michael, Emma, Marshall ,
Edward and Dee

N.B.: Please those who will have the feet washed be in the church in time.

Collection: Roger and Francis

Offertory: Pauline and Adair

Procession with Blessed Sacrament. Altar will be uncovered.

FRIDAY 3rd APRIL – GOOD FRIDAY / PASSION OF THE LORD

10.00am Stations of the Cross: Rafael + Valencia

N.B.: First Holy Communion and Confirmation candidates must attend, and all our parishioners are welcome to join to reflect and pray for our children.

3.00pm Good Friday Service

Readers: Fiona Reilly

Gospel Narrators: Bryan, Mark and Fr. Agnelo

Veneration of Cross: Remember no Mass on Good Friday and Holy

Saturday.

SATURDAY 4th APRIL – HOLY SATURDAY

10.00am Mother Mary Seven Sorrows reflection

First Holy Communion candidates must attend along with parents.

All our parishioners are welcome to support and pray for our children.

9.00 pm Mass of Easter

1st Fire – Procession with candle and Easter Proclamation

2nd Liturgy of the Word

Readers: Vin, Tony, Pat Reilly, Michael & Doris

Gloria

Reader: Maryanne

Bidding Prayer: Dylan

Offertory: Emmanuel + Mary

Get your water bottle, put name on it and keep in front of Altar for blessing.

SUNDAY 5th APRIL – EASTER SUNDAY

9.00am Mass

Readers: Vincent + Luke

10.45am Mass

Readers: Arde and Chichi

Bidding Prayer: Rylan

READINGS TO MEDITATE DURING THE LENT PERIOD:

Jeremiah 30:27 – “But I will restore you to health and heal your wounds,’ declares the LORD, [...]”

Psalms 127:3-5 – “Children are a heritage from the Lord, offspring a reward from him. Like arrows in the hands of a warrior are children born in one’s youth. Blessed is the man whose quiver is full of them. They will not be put to shame when they contend with their opponents in court”.

Psalms 37:25 – “Now I am old, but ever since my youth I never saw an upright person abandoned, or the descendants of the upright forced to beg their bread”.

Psalms 23:1 – “The Lord is my shepherd; there’s nothing I shall want.”

Matthew 5:4 – Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

Esther 6:13 – and told Zeresh his wife and all his friends everything that had happened to him. His advisers and his wife Zeresh said to him, “Since Mordecai, before whom your downfall has started, is of Jewish origin, you cannot stand against him—you will surely come to ruin!”

Philippians 4:7 – And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.