



St John the Apostle Parish A Missionary of the Sacred Heart Parish

#### Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord Year B

4 April 2021

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## Reflection



### Parish Administration

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#### MASS TIMES

Vigil Saturday 6:00pm Sunday 8:30am, 10:00am, 6:00pm Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri 9:30am Liturgy of the Word with Communion: Tues 9:30am

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Mary Magdalene, plays an important role in the gospel accounts of the resurrection. She was obviously a significant follower of Jesus, being named as a witness to the crucifixion, discovering the empty tomb and the first to encounter the risen Christ. One would think that she would hold a prestigious place in the Church, but for many years she was confused with another character identified in the gospels and was portrayed as a prostitute and sinner. Mary is named in each of the four gospels and not once is it indicated that she was a sinner or prostitute. She has been a victim of mistaken identity for 2000 years. Greg Sunter at LiturgyHelp

#### **Parish Office Closure Dates**

### Closed over the Easter weekend from 2 April reopening Wednesday 7 April

## Changing Mass Time End of Daylight Savings time



**The Vigil mass** time will move forward to 5:00pm

## 10 April 2021 to 2 October 2021.

Confessions will also move forward one hour 4:00pm – 4:30pm

**Over 45's** will meet on **Wednesday 28 April** for Mass at 9:30am, followed by morning tea in the parish centre. Please come and join us, you are all most welcome. Please bring a plate to share.

Enquiries phone Margaret 6254 4048



#### PROJECT COMPASSION

Please return your Project Compassion donations to the Parish Office.

## Short Course in Pastoral Care

St Mark's National Theological Centre Barton ACT 2600 Course starts 25 June 2021 Application deadline 11 June 2021 Course details can be found at the St Mark's website <u>https://mailchi.mp/stmarks/short-course-</u> pastoral-care-2021?e=19ffbe6615

"Be on earth the Heart of God"

## Seeking Volunteers for a Study Project

I am currently in my final year of a Postgraduate



Masters in Pastoral Counselling at Charles Sturt University.

This year I need to undertake 40 hours of field work in counselling. I am seeking four or five people who would be interested in participating in 5 to 6 counselling sessions. If this may be of interest to you I invite you to contact me at the parish office on 6254 3236 With thanks Marian England



#### 2 May 2021 Cotter Avenue recreation area

#### Vinnies news

Many thanks to parishioners for your interest in the good works the St Vincent de Paul Society. Thank you for your donations of over \$1300 which will sustain our work. We will hold an information night for people interested in volunteering with Vinnies on Monday 12 April at 7pm in the Parish Centre. Please contact Mike for more information 0419818410.

**20 – April (6:00 pm) "Our Health Ahead"** This Black Friars lecture will reflect on the opportunities and challenges for community health and wellbeing in a post COVID world, & especially on the role of people, policy and politics.

A free public lecture from 6pm-7pm at ACU Canberra Campus, Rm 301.1.20, Veritas Bldg, 223 Antill Street, Watson. RSVP by Friday 16 April to <u>ocd.canberra@acu.edu.au</u>



Check In CBR App is mandatory https://www.covid19.act.gov.au/businessand-work/check-in-cbr/information-forbusinesses#Using-the-app-at-your-businessor-venue

# **Heart Spirituality**

#### The Gift of the Heart

Everything that God does is to win our heart. All his works are a petition:

My child, give me your heart. Give! For love is free; I do not want to steal your heart against your will; give it to me; that is enough for me; possessing your heart, I shall possess you entirely, and through you all the rest.

God give everything and wishes that everything be given to him. And since he gives everything through love, he wishes that all be given him through love. We possess the whole of God's Heart; he wants to have the whole of ours:

My child, give me your heart.

Jules Chevalier msc Le Sacré-Coeur de Jésus p.65. Paris, 1900

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be everywhere loved......forever!

## **Stewardship**

Today, we celebrate the Resurrection of Christ! Our readings today reveal how we can live out the joy of Easter all year long in our day-to-day lives.

Our Gospel portrays the third day after Jesus' death when Mary of Magdala visits Jesus' tomb. Once she saw the stone removed, she ran to tell Simon Peter and John. They ran to the tomb as well, and upon seeing, they believed. We can tell the relationship that these disciples had with Jesus because of the way they responded about Him — they "ran." Mary didn't see the empty tomb and think, "someone else will figure it out." Peter and John didn't hear the news and think, "I will check on it later." They each responded with conviction as they "ran" for Jesus. We must ask ourselves, "Do I have a relationship with Christ to the point where I am running to Him each day?"



#### Recently Deceased: Judy Davidson

#### **Anniversary:**

Sybil Lazaro, Bill Corby, Francesca Fernando, Kay Haworth, Katherine Jones, John Henshaw, Helen McGee, Harold Allester, Jordan Matthews, Vivienne Montgomery, John Napier, Caitlin Brice, Alyssa Brice, Betty Kerekes, Janelle Brice, Leonard Smith, Trevor Agnew, Elena Guindas, Kenneth Marlor, Jim Curran, Noel Smith, Leon Fernando, Kees Van Rooy, Daniel Cassar, Leslie Thomson, Edward Yewdall, Ian Stephenson, Wanda Parkitny, Paul Rogers, John Margetts, Adrian Krook, Keith Aikins, Bryan Cowman, Sharon Hannah, Mihaly Baruta, Augusta Colquhoun, Sharron Diamond, Jim Fallon msc, Alan Hodge, Leslie Savage, Joan Sculthorpe, Julio Vinoles.

## 2021 Calendar

#### April

Thursday 1	Holy Thursday	
2	Good Friday	
Saturday 3	Easter Vigil	
Sunday 4	Sunday of the Resurrection	
Monday 5	Office Closed	
Friday 16	Men's Group	
Sunday 18	Baptism during 10am Mass Bookclub	
Monday 19	Pins & Needles Parent Formation Night for Confirmation	
Sunday 25	ANZAC Day	
Monday 26	Office closed	
Tuesday 27	Women's Breakfast	

#### Tribunal of the Catholic Church

Marriage breakdown is a traumatic experience for all those concerned. The Church reaches out in support of those who are divorced, while upholding the permanence of a true Christian marriage. The Canberra-Goulburn Office of the Tribunal extends an invitation to any divorced person who would like to talk about the annulment process. You can be assured that your privacy will be respected. Should you choose to apply for an annulment, you will be guided and supported through the process.

For further information please phone the Canberra Office of the Tribunal Office on **6239 9813** or email tribunal@cg.org.au

## SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Baptisms	1st & 3rd Sun during
	10:00am Mass
Reconciliation	Sat 5:00pm – 5:30pm
Sacramental Program	Contact Parish Office
School of Religion	Sunday 9.15am
(Parish Centre)	during school term

## **PRAYER LIFE**

Charismatic Prayer:	Thursday 7:30pm
Maida: 0423 658 326	Rosary 7:00pm
Meditation	Friday 6.15-7.15 pm
Rosary	Monday – Friday 9:05am
Eucharistic Adoration	1 <sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month
	7:30pm – 8:30pm
Adult Choir	Wednesday 7:30pm

## SOCIAL LIFE

Coffee	Fourth Sunday
Club	after 10:00am Mass
Over 45's	Last Wednesday of the Month
	9:30am Mass and morning tea
Pins &	3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday of the Month
Needles	7:15pm Parish Library
Book club	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Month
	3:00pm Parish Library
Women's	4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the Month 7:30am
Breakfast	Bean Origin Belconnen
Youth	AGAPE - First & Third Sunday
Group	after 6:00pm Mass Parish Centre
Men's	3 <sup>rd</sup> Friday of the Month 6:00pm
Group	Parish Centre

**SMOKE FREE ZONE** There is a 4-metre smoke free zone from the entrance and exits of the church buildings. Thank you





Hearing Loop: in the central body of the church.

#### **TAP & GO** -

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Donations to the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections at St John the Apostle Parish can now be made using **Qkr** 

#### **RESPONSE TO THE PSALM:**

This is the day the Lord has made; Let us rejoice and be glad

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia! Christ has become our paschal sacrifice; Let us feast with joy in the Lord. Alleluia!

#### Readings - 11 April 2021

First Reading Psalm Second Reading Gospel

Acts 4:32-35 Ps 117:2-4, 15-18, 22-24 1 Jn 5:1-6 John 20:19-31

#### 11 Anril Reading Roster

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6:00pm	Mary French, Therese Kercher		
8:30am	Sigrid Kropp, Mariana Rollgejser		
10:00am	Erin Trevaskis, Dennis Puniard		
6:00pm	Brian Mahony, Joe Ots		
1 April	Ministers of Communion		
6:00pm	Anthony & Chitra Jayawardena		
8:30am	Brian Green, Margaret Stanford, Shane		
	Murtagh, Peter Polkinghorne		
10:00am Anthony Noakes, Frank Colley, Margarete			
6:00pm	Margare Curry, Andrew Webster, Andrew Luck		
1 April	Hospitality Roster		
6:00pm	Jenny Maher		
8:30am	Mandy Lalor		
10:00am	Judy Kenny		
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#### Weekly Rosters

6:00pm Kay Dwyer

Altar Society:	4 Apr		Margaret Ferguson
Grounds	10 Apr		Allan Laycock, Rob Breen, Mike Blyth, Dennis Puniard
Church Cleaning:		5 Apr	John O'Heir, Pat Keenan, Debbie & Ted Milne

#### On a Lighter note

