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#### TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF MASSES AND PUBLIC LITURGIES All other large gatherings are suspended. For further clarification please refer to the diocesan websites or contact the parish office.



Archdiocesan Child Protection Unit Newsletter Staying Connected during COVID-19, Keeping Our Children and Young People Safe First Edition Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide, Child Protection Unit 39 Wakefield Street, Adelaide 5000 SA In this edition: Help with explaining Covid-19 to Children and Young People

#### Younger Children

A short book by author Manuela Monila, to support and reassure children under the age of 7 regarding the COVID-19 is available by PDF, please click on the following link <u>https://www.mindheart.co/descargables</u>



Play School have televised a special episode to help explain what's happening at the moment for young children. Families can watch the episode 'Play School: Hello Friends! (A COVID 19 Special)' with their little ones on either ABC iview or on the ABC Kids Community facebook page



From the Child Protection Unit **Sally, Imbi, Lili** and Kath Ph: 8210 8159 Email: childprotection@adelaide.catholic.org.au As we are working remotely please leave a message and a member of the team will get back to you as soon as possible, emails are checked and responded to daily.

#### **Children and Young People**

Beyond Blue provide the following guidance for explaining COVID - 19 to children and young people:

Families and caregivers of children and young people should discuss news of the virus with those in their care in an open and honest way. Try to relate the facts without causing alarm, and in a way that is appropriate for their age and temperament. It is important to listen to any questions they may have, to let them know that they are safe and that it's normal to feel concerned.

If the media or the news is getting too much for them, encourage them to limit their exposure. **This video has some useful tips** for talking to young people about scary stuff in the news.

Beyond Blue's **Be You** initiative has also developed the following resources to help educators support children and young people's mental health during the coronavirus outbreak.

Coronavirus (COVID-19): Supporting school learning communities • Coronavirus (COVID-19): Supporting early learning communities.





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#### THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER HE WALKED BY THEIR SIDE.

In today's Gospel we meet a person who walks with us, and talks with us, even when we walk away from Him. Jesus will never abandon us. Let us invite Him to eat with us. He will bring us joy, and give us the enthusiasm we need to continue to proclaim our faith in the resurrection.

## First Reading: Acts of Apostles 2:14, 22-33 - It was impossible for Him to be held by the power of Hades.

On the day of Pentecost Peter stood up with the Eleven and addressed the crowd in a loud voice: 'Men of Israel, listen to what I am going to say: Jesus the Nazarene was a man commended to you by God by the miracles and portents and signs that God worked through Him when He was among you, as you all know. This man, who was put into your power by the deliberate intention and foreknowledge of God, you took and had crucified by men outside the Law. You killed Him, but God raised Him to life, freeing Him from the pangs of Hades; for it was impossible for Him to be held in its power since, as David says of Him: I saw the Lord before me always,

for with Him at my right hand nothing can shake me.

So my heart was glad

and my tongue cried out with joy:

my body, too, will rest in the hope

that you will not abandon my soul to Hades

nor allow your holy one to experience corruption.

You have made known the way of life to me,

you will fill me with gladness through your presence.'

'Brothers, no one can deny that the patriarch David himself is dead and buried: his tomb is still with us. But since he was a prophet, and knew that God had sworn him an oath to make one of his descendants succeed him on the throne, what he foresaw and spoke about was the resurrection of the Christ: He is the one who was not abandoned to Hades, and whose body did not experience corruption. God raised this man Jesus to life, and all of us are witness to that. Now raised to the heights by God's right hand, He has received from the Father the Holy Spirit, who was promised, and what you see and hear is the outpouring of that Spirit.'

The word of the Lord.

# Responsorial Psalm: - $\ensuremath{\mathbb{R}}\xspace$ Lord, you will show us the path of life.

- Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you. I say to the Lord: 'You are my God.' O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup, it is you yourself who are my prize. ®
- 2. I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel, who even at night directs my heart. I keep the Lord ever in my sight: since He is at my right hand, I shall stand firm.. ®
- 3. And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad; even my body shall rest in safety. For you will not leave my soul among the dead, nor let your beloved know decay. ®
- 4. You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, at your right hand happiness for ever. ®

# Second Reading: *St Peter 1:17-1* - The ransom that was paid to free you was the blood of the Lamb, Jesus Christ.

If you are acknowledging as your Father one who has no favourites and judges everyone according to what he has

done, you must be scrupulously careful as long as you are living away from your home. Remember, the ransom that was paid to free you from the useless way of life your ancestors handed down was not paid in anything corruptible, neither in silver nor gold, but in the precious blood of a lamb without spot or stain, namely Christ; who, though known since before the world was made, has been revealed only in our time, the end of the ages, for your sake. Through Him you now have faith in God, who raised Him from the dead and gave Him glory for that very reason

The word of the Lord.

#### **Gospel Acclamation:**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Lord Jesus, make your word plain to us, make our hearts burn with love when you speak. Alleluia!

## **GOSPEL** *Luke* 24:13-35 - They recognised Him at the breaking of the bread.

Two of the disciples of Jesus were on their way to a village called Emmaus, seven miles from Jerusalem, and they were talking together about all that had happened. Now as they talked this over, Jesus himself came up and walked by their side; but something prevented them from recognising him. He said to them, 'What matters are you discussing as you walk along?' They stopped short, their faces downcast.

Then one of them, called Cleopas answered him, 'You must be the only person staying in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have been happening there these last few days.' 'What things?' he asked. 'All about Jesus of Nazareth' they answered 'who proved he was a great prophet by the things he said and did in the sight of God and of the whole people; and how our chief priests and our leaders handed him over to be sentenced to death, and had him crucified. Our own hope had been that he would be the one to set Israel free. And this is not all: two whole days have gone by since it all happened; and some women from our group have astounded us: they went to the tomb in the early morning, and when they did not find the body, they came back to tell us they had seen a vision of angels who declared he was alive. Some of our friends went to the tomb and found everything exactly as the women had reported, but of him they saw nothing."

Then he said to them, 'You foolish men! So slow to believe the full message of the prophets! Was it not ordained that the Christ should suffer and so enter into his glory?' Then, starting with Moses and going through all the prophets, he explained to them the passages throughout the scriptures that were about himself.

When they drew near to the village to which they were going, he made as if to go on; but they pressed him to stay with them. 'It is nearly evening' they said 'and the day is almost over.' So he went in to stay with them. Now while he was with them at the table, he took the bread and said the blessing; then he broke it and handed it to them. And their eyes were opened and they recognised him; but he had vanished from their sight. Then they said to each other, 'Did not our hearts burn within us as he talked to us on the road and explained the scriptures to us?'

They set out that instant and returned to Jerusalem. There they found the Eleven assembled together with their companions, who said to them, 'Yes it is true, The Lord has risen and has appeared to Simon.' Then they told their story of what had happened on the road and how they had recognised him at the breaking of bread. The Gospel of the Lord.

Weeks Readings	
Acts 6:8-15	
John 6:22-29	
St Peter Chanel	
Acts 7:51 -8:1	
John 6:30-35	
St Catherine of Siena	
Acts 8:1-8	
John 6:35-40	
Acts 8:26-40	
John 6:44-51	
Acts 9:1-20	
John 6:52-59	
St Athanasius	
Acts 9:31-42	
John 6:60-69	
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Acts 2:14, 36-41 1 Peter 2:20-25	
John 10:1-10	

"Did not our hearts burn within us while He talked to us on RDSHIP the road, while He opened to us the scriptures?" LUKE 24:32 How often do we take the time to discern what Jesus wants from us? Are our prayers always petitions, asking Jesus to do things for us? If so, that's a one-sided relationship. Living our faith means developing a personal relationship with Jesus. Just like any friendship, there is give and take, each side listening to each other and helping each other out. Take time in silence to listen to what Jesus is asking of you.

#### LIVE STREAMING OF MASS FROM ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S CATHEDRAL

The Archdiocese has commenced live streaming daily Mass at 12 pm and on Sundays at 10am from St Francis Xavier's Cathedral. It can be viewed live and on demand on the home page of www.adelaide.catholic.org.au.

Sunday Liturgy for Families and Parish-Based The Family Office has prepared Catechesis liturgies with focus а on children. This can be found at this link on the Archdiocesan website: http://www.adelaide.catholic.org.au/our -works-and-community/family-andparish-based-catechesis/prayerservices

Families can use these at home to Gospel reflect on the each Sunday. There are also other options available on Facebook including: Catholic **Parish** Salisbury To view our Weekly Bulletin ELIZABETH CATHOLIC PARISH You can keep in touch with us via via Facebook email or our Page Elizabeth Catholic Parish

#### **COYYA NEWSLETTER**

Read COYYA's latest newsletter by click on this link <u>HTTPS://MAILCHI.MP/9D6F730B1B9</u> <u>5/COYYA-NEWSLETTER-MAR2020-</u> <u>4904605</u>



#### NEW ARCHBISHOP OF ADELAIDE TO BE INSTALLED IN MAY

Archbishop-designate Patrick O'Regan will be installed as the ninth Archbishop of Adelaide on the solemnity of Our Lady Help of Christians, May 25, at 10.30am in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral. Source: *The Southern Cross*.

#### MAY - COMING EVENTS

WAT - COWING EVENTS	
Fri 1st	St. Joseph the Worker
Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup>	St. Athanasius
Sun 3rd	4th Sunday of Easter
Tue 5th	Blessed Edmund Ignatius
	Rice
Sun 10 <sup>th</sup>	5th Sunday of Easter
	Mothers' Sunday
Tue 12th	Sts. Nereus & Achilleus
	St. Pancras
Wed 13th	Our Lady of Fatima
Thu14th	St. Matthias, Apostle
Fri 15th	International Day of
	Families
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup>	6th Sunday of Easter
Mon18th	St. John I
Wed 20th	
Thu 21 <sup>st</sup>	St. Christopher Magallanes
	& Companions
Fri 22nd	St. Rita of Cascia
Sun 24th	The Ascension of the Lord
Mon 25th	Our Lady Help of
	Christians
	Patron of Australia
Tue 26th	St. Philip Neri
	National Sorry Day
Wed 27th	St. Augustine of
	Canterbury
	National Reconciliation
	Week begins
Fri 29th	St. Paul V1 – Pope
Sat 30th	St. Joan of Arc
Sun 31 <sup>st</sup>	Pentecost Sunday

#### EXPLAINING COVID-19 TO CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Over the next few weeks the Child Protection Unit will be emailing a fortnightly newsletter (see front page) with information and topics relevant to supporting families, children and young people during these times of stress and uncertainty. Remember that if you are aware of any allegations or have any concerns regarding child abuse and/or neglect to make a notification to the Child Abuse Report Line (CARL) Ph. 13 14 78.

#### COVID-19 PHONE COUNSELLING NOW AVAILABLE BY APPOINTMENT

To book an appointment for COVID-19 telephone counselling, please phone Centacare on 8215 6700. For more information, please contact Elizabeth Rowe 0437 062 302.

#### **CATHERINE HOUSE**

Accordingly our accommodation programs continue as an essential service. Phone 8232 2282.



#### FRIENDSHIP IN THE BREAD

Friendship is a kind of sacrament all its own.

We share histories with our friends. We tell the story of our lives and find common ground. And when we come together, we share food. The warmth and comfort of a meal reflects the nature of our relationship with one another. We celebrate the union of our hearts around the table. In the unique gathering of our Eucharist, we also acknowledge the great story of God and our relationship with the Holy One through Jesus Christ. Our eyes are opened in this meal to recognise the common ground we hold with divinity: the reign of God itself. Our friendship with God through Christ is true yesterday, today, and forever. This is what our faith means. Everything we need to know about God is in this meal. Weekly Parables for Catholic Parishes

#### SHED FOR MEN CONTINUES

Australia wide Shed each Monday night from 7pm to 8pm, SA time. Two interviews will be conducted each evening. A couple of trial runs have been successfully conducted with up to 150 men connecting using ZOOM. ZOOM is a programme (app) that you can download to any smart device i.e. phone, tablet or computer. If you have any questions please contact Jim Molloy on 0438 899 629.

#### PARISHIONERS ON THE SICK LIST

Romeo Hajek, Adele Kalil, Bob Sherman, Josie Hughes, Henry McGoran, Flordelisa Lugtu, Madona Blanch, Barbara Kosewicz. Ivan Baker. Falogme Shienamae (aged 12 months), Lachlan Hill, Rachael Bryant, Cobie Looyestyn, Mary Bryant, Bridie Scappaticci, Miriam McCluskey, Philip Smith, Rev. Brother John Gibson OH, Terry Cashin.

For Privacy reasons, permission from the sick person is required prior to placing their name in the bulletin.

#### **Prayer Registration Slip**

Please fill out the registration slips situated on the table in the foyer and place in the box provided.

Please note that names on the Sick List will remain for six weeks unless Parish Office is otherwise notified.

RECENTLY DECEASED:

#### ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH:





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## **Prayers of the Faithful** <sup>26th</sup> April, 2020 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter

We pray for Pope Francis who speaks hope to a frightened world and who stands in prayerful solidarity with the sick, the poor and the vulnerable. Christ, hear our prayer.

We pray for our leaders in Australia and for those around the world, who must act for the common good of all. May they bring integrity and wisdom to their decision making. Christ, hear our prayer.

We pray for all who are sick with the coronavirus, and other illnesses, who are fearful, in great need and feel the added burden of isolation from family and

friends. Christ, hear our prayer.

We pray for people around the world who are fearful for themselves and their families, for those who have become unemployed, those not entitled to any Government assistance and those struggling to pay for food, medicines and

housing.

Christ, hear our prayer.

We pray for all who generously live in the service of others – for staff in hospitals, nursing homes, detention centres and prisons, for police, emergency workers, the military and for pharmacy, supermarket and food shop staff and suppliers.

Christ, hear our prayer.

We pray, on this Anzac Day Weekend, for peace throughout the world. We pray also for our Australian Defence Forces, for a ceasefire in every war and conflict and for all who continue to suffer the effects of war. Christ, hear our praver.

We pray for all who have died recently, and for all whose anniversaries occur at this time. We pray also for all who have died protecting Australia and for the cause of freedom, for all who died from the coronavirus and for Bishop Francis Murphy who died on this day in 1858.

Christ, hear our prayer.