



Mary Immaculate Church, Waverley

PARISH OF ST CHARLES BORROMEO - CHURCH OF MARY IMMACULATE BULLETIN

MISSION STATEMENT

Waverley Parish is a sign of God's love for all people. We welcome and care for all as a community which embraces the Gospel of Jesus in the spirit of St. Francis and St. Clare of Assisi.

We acknowledge the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which we stand. We walk on a land once occupied by the Gadigal people of the Eora nation. May we continue to love and respect the land as they have.

MASS TIMES

Monday - Friday: 9:15am

Saturday: 9:15am followed by Reconciliation & 5:00pm Vigil.

Sunday: 9:15am & 5:00pm.

Baptism: Last two Sundays of each month at 10:45am. Bookings essential.

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EASTER MASS TIMES

Holy Thursday – 14th April 2022 Mass of the Lord's Supper - 6pm
(No Morning Mass)

Good Friday – 15th April 2022 Stations of the Cross - 10am
Celebration of the Lord's Passion - 3pm

Holy Saturday – 16th April 2022 Easter Vigil - 6pm
(No Morning Mass nor Reconciliation)

Easter Sunday – 17th April 2022 Resurrection Sunday Mass - 9:15am
(No Evening Mass)

GOSPEL REFLECTIONS

Passion Sunday, also called Palm Sunday, was already being celebrated in Jerusalem before the year 400. Processions with palms followed the path of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem. In following this custom today, we are not simply reenacting the events of that day but also uniting ourselves with Christ's journey to the cross and resurrection. We celebrate that victory over death and sin and share his suffering so that we may also share his resurrection and the new life it won.

Two symbols dominate the celebration of Christ's Passion: the palms and the cross. The palms symbolise Christ's triumph, and the cross is the means by which that triumph is achieved.



UPCOMING ROSTER

9 – 10 APRIL (WK 2)	SAT 5PM VIGIL	SUN 9.15AM	SUN 5.00PM
ALTAR SERVING	Barry Blake	Cameron Ward Christian Abruzzese	Dominic Hearne
PROCLAIMER OF WORD	Margaret Blake	Eloise Linfoot & Annabelle Abruzzese	Baricevic Family
EUCHARIST MINISTER	Angel Agustin	Tony & Alison Abruzzese	Janet Gerzina
HOSPITALITY	Warren Kelly	Jackie Durkin	Kathy Reilly

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PALM SUNDAY

HOSANNA IN THE HIGHEST

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Six days before the Passover,
when the Lord came into the city of Jerusalem,
the children ran to meet him;
in their hands they carried palm branches
and with a loud voice cried out:
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!
O gates, lift high your heads;
grow higher, ancient doors.
Let him enter, the king of glory!
Who is this king of glory?
He, the Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory.
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!

FIRST READING: ISAIAH 50:4-7

The Lord God has given me the tongue of a teacher,
that I may know how to sustain the weary with a word.
Morning by morning he wakens—
wakens my ear to listen as those who are taught.
The Lord God has opened my ear,
and I was not rebellious,
I did not turn backwards.
I gave my back to those who struck me,
and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard;
I did not hide my face from insult and spitting.
The Lord God helps me;
therefore I have not been disgraced;
therefore I have set my face like flint,
and I know that I shall not be put to shame.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: PS 21:8-9. 17-20. 23-24

All who see me deride me.
They curl their lips, they toss their heads.
'He trusted in the Lord, let him save him;
let him release him if he is his friend.'

Many dogs have surrounded me,
a band of the wicked beset me.
They tear holes in my hands and my feet.
I can count every one of my bones.

They divide my clothing among them.
They cast lots to see who takes my robe.
O Lord, do not leave me alone,
my strength, make haste to help me!

I will tell of your name to my people
and praise you where they are gathered.
You who fear the Lord revere him;
give him glory O children of Israel.

FOR 9.15AM SUNDAY

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

SECOND READING: PHILIPPIANS 2:6-11

Though he was in the form of God,
Jesus did not regard equality with God
as something to be exploited,
but emptied himself,
taking the form of a slave,
being born in human likeness.
And being found in human form,
he humbled himself
and became obedient to the point of death—
even death on a cross.
Therefore God also highly exalted him
and gave him the name
that is above every name,
so that at the name of Jesus
every knee should bend,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue should confess
that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: PHILIPPIANS 2:8-9

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!
Christ became obedient for us even to death, dying on the cross.
Therefore God raised him on high
and gave him a name above all other names.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

GOSPEL: LUKE 23:1-49

The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.



GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people
of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated
at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. *Amen.*

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth;
and in Jesus Christ,
His only Son, our Lord:
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary;
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell;
on the third day
He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand
of God the Father Almighty;
from there He will come to judge
the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of Saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. *Amen.*

WEEKDAY READINGS - APRIL

Mon 4th Daniel 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62
John 8:12-20
Tue 5th Numbers 21:4-9
John 8:21-30
Wed 6th Daniel 3:14-20, 24-25, 28
John 8:31-42
Thurs 7th Genesis 17:3-9
John 8:51-59
Fri 8th Jeremiah 20:10-13
John 10:31-42
Sat 9th Ezekiel 37:21-28
Jeremiah 31:10-13
John 11:45-56

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Introduction: God the Father did not spare his own Son but gave him up to death on our behalf. Therefore, we can place our needs before him with great confidence

- For the Church** - that all who take up the cross as followers of Christ will seek unity.
God of mercy and compassion *Hear our Prayer*
- For world leaders** - that they will strive for peace and bring healing and comfort to those in need.
God of mercy and compassion *Hear our Prayer*
- For those suffering because of war** – that their anticipation of a return to peace will not be fruitless.
God of mercy and compassion *Hear our Prayer*
- For those unjustly accused or imprisoned** – that they will be set free.
God of mercy and compassion *Hear our Prayer*
- For families and communities impacted by the pandemic** – that hardships faced will be met with resolve, that goodwill will rise and that the pandemic will end.
God of mercy and compassion *Hear our Prayer*
- For people who are terminally ill** – that love will enfold them and the resurrection hearten them.
God of mercy and compassion *Hear our Prayer*
- For ourselves** – that we have the courage to speak up for the victimized and vulnerable.
God of mercy and compassion *Hear our Prayer*
- For our common home** – that all people develop a new and profound respect for the earth that sustains us.
God of mercy and compassion *Hear our Prayer*

Concluding Prayer: Father, may the suffering and death of Jesus lighten the burdens of all who suffer. Lead us in the way of the cross, that as we suffer with Jesus, so we may rise to life in his glory, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen.*

MASS INTENTIONS

- Those who are sick:** Ann Thomas (Fr Bernie’s Mum), Michelle Byrne, Scott Lyons, Allana Vedder, Mike Newman, Lizzie Prior, Gaye Zammit, Jeff Linfoot, Tanja Gerzina, Rose Colombo, Anna Dziedzic, Juliet Lum, Robert Saunders, Margaret Ryan & Patricia Furner.
- Those with anniversaries at this time:** Donald Morrison (6/04)
- Those recently deceased:** Paul Goodchild

NEWS & NOTICES

MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Are you rostered on to help in one of our liturgical ministries each month? The next roster is available on our website. Please advise us if there are any changes to your allocation or unable to volunteer.

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