



Sunday, February 10, 2019

MASS NEXT WEEKEND at NHILL

Sunday, Feb 17 : MASS at 10am



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Plenary Council

Margaret has asked if there are still parishioners that haven't presented their word, thoughts, etc, to please do so by Tuesday of this week.

We thank her for her time and great efforts in preparing our submission to the Council. We will meet again during February before the final paper is presented.

Country Mass Times:

Feb 17th: Murtoa 8.30. Dimboola 8.30am.
Nhill 10am

Feb 24th: Natimuk 8.30. Murtoa 8.30.
Dimboola 11.30 **Nhill 10am**

March 3: Murtoa 8.30. Dimboola 8.30am.
Nhill 10am. Kaniva 11.30am

Pope's Francis' First 2019 address:

Prayer involves recognising myself as God's beloved Child. Christians are not better than other people, but they do know that God is their Father and they are called "to reflect a ray of his goodness in this world thirsting for goodness, waiting for good news". Proclaiming the Beatitudes, Jesus affirms the blessedness and happiness of "a series of categories of people, who, in his time, but also in ours, are not particularly esteemed. Blessed are the poor, the meek, the merciful, the humble of heart. This is the revolution of the Gospel! Where the Gospel is, there is revolution because the Gospel does not leave things as they were". The core of the Sermon on the Mount is "You are sons and daughters of God who is in heaven", which is why Jesus then teaches the crowd to pray the Our Father. A Christian knows how to stand before God with awe, to call upon him and try to reflect his goodness in the world. "If you go to Church, live like a child [of God] and like a brother or sister" to others. "He asks only that we keep open a channel of communication with him to discover continually that we are his beloved children."

Sick

John Gurry, Mary Waugh,
Una Bartlett & Brian O'Loughlin

St Patrick's Beginning School Mass

We will celebrate this Mass next Sunday with the Parish and School Community commencing at 10am. We extend an invitation to Parishioners and School Families to join us for this important Mass and this will be followed by a morning tea over in St Patrick's Community Hall.

Everyone is most welcome and we hope to see you all next week.

Parish/School Dates

Sunday, Feb 17: Beginning School Mass At 10am followed by Morning Tea.

Friday, March 1: Iona & Avonlea Ecumenical Services at 10.15am

Friday, March 1: World Day of Prayer at the Anglican Church Commencing at 7pm

Wednesday, Mar 6: Mass at 2pm

Collections

Parish	\$135.00
Presbytery	\$45.00
Loose	\$91.00

ROSTER for February	Reader & Prayers	Lay Leaders	Eucharistic Minister	Offertory Procession	Monthly Collector	Counter	Cleaner
Feb 10 Mass at 10am	M Millington	————	K Clohesy	R Picone	E Cameron	D & A Munro	L Fraser
Feb 17 Mass at 10am	School	————	A Munro	School Children	E Cameron	E Cameron	L Fraser
Feb 24 Mass at 10am	C Kennedy	————	L Grayling	Volunteer Please	E Cameron	J Millington	L Fraser

Child Safety Standards :

We have a Child Safety Policy in this Parish to ensure the safety and wellbeing of children in our care.

A Child Safety Code of Conduct has been adopted for all who work with children in this Parish.

Ann Munro is our safeguarding officer.

Second Reading

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

Brothers, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, the gospel that you received and in which you are firmly established; because the gospel will save you only if you keep believing exactly what I preached to you - believing anything else will not lead to anything.

Well then, in the first place, I taught you what I had been taught myself, namely that Christ died for our sins, in accordance with the scriptures; that he was buried; and that he was raised to life on the third day, in accordance with the scriptures; that he appeared first to Cephas and secondly to the Twelve. Next he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers at the same time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died; then he appeared to James, and then to all the apostles; and last of all he appeared to me too; it was as though I was born when no one expected it. I am the least of the apostles; in fact, since I persecuted the Church of God, I hardly deserve the name apostle; but by God's grace that is what I am, and the grace that he gave me has not been fruitless. On the contrary, I, or rather the grace of God that is with me, have worked harder than any of the others; but what matters is that I preach what they preach, and this is what you all believed.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come follow me, says the Lord, and I will make you fishers of my people.
Alleluia!

Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Jesus was standing one day by the Lake of Gennesaret, with the crowd pressing round him listening to the word of God, when he caught sight of two boats close to the bank. The fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats - it was Simon's - and asked him to put out a little from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking he said to Simon, 'Put out into deep water and pay out your nets for a catch.' 'Master,' Simon replied 'we worked hard all night long and caught nothing, but if you say so, I will pay out the nets.' And when they had done this they netted such a huge number of fish that their nets began to tear, so they signalled to their companions in the other boat to come and help them; when these came, they filled the two boats to sinking point. When Simon Peter saw this he fell at the knees of Jesus saying, 'Leave me, Lord; I am a sinful man.' For he and all his companions were completely overcome by the catch they had made; so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were Simon's partners. But Jesus said to Simon, 'Do not be afraid; from now on it is men you will catch.' Then, bringing their boats back to land, they left everything and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time



First Reading

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

In the year of King Uzziah's death I saw the Lord seated on a high throne; his train filled the sanctuary; above him stood seraphs, each one with six wings.

And they cried out one to another in this way, 'Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts. His glory fills the whole earth.'

The foundations of the threshold shook with the voice of the one who cried out, and the Temple was filled with smoke. I said:

'What a wretched state I am in! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have looked at the King, the Lord of hosts.'

Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding in his hand a live coal which he had taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. With this he touched my mouth and said:

'See now, this has touched your lips, your sin is taken away, your iniquity is purged.' Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying:

'Whom shall I send? Who will be our messenger?'

I answered, 'Here I am, send me.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm We will say this together

R. In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

I thank you, Lord, with all my heart,
you have heard the words of my mouth.

Before the angels I will bless you.

I will adore before your holy temple.

I thank you for your faithfulness and love
which excel all we ever knew of you.

On the day I called, you answered;
you increased the strength of my soul.

All earth's kings shall thank you
when they hear the words of your mouth.

They shall sing of the Lord's ways:

'How great is the glory of the Lord!'

You stretch out your hand and save me,
your hand will do all things for me.

Your love, O Lord, is eternal,

discard not the work of your hands.

In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.