



HOLY ROSARY PARISH

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Parish Priest	Fr. Max Vodola	Mass Times
Assistant Priest	Fr. Francis Fahim	
Pastoral Associates	Sr. Pat Dimeck CSB Carmel Powell	HOLY ROSARY KENSINGTON
Secretary	Jo McEwen	Saturday (Vigil) 5.30 pm
Parish House	35 Gower Street (Opposite Church)	Sunday 9.00 am
<i>Weddings & Baptisms Welcome by Appointment</i>		Wednesday & Friday 9.15am
		St Brendans Flemington
		Saturday (Vigil) 6.00 pm
		Sunday 10.30 am
		Reconciliation:
		Saturday 9.45 am

Next Week: 3rd & 4th May 2014

(3rd Sunday of Easter)

Readers

5.30 pm Gerry Pinto, Pia Vasquez
9 am Jonathan Smith, Bernadette White

Eucharist Ministers

Gia Garcia
Marina Tores, Maria Trieste

Children's Liturgy of the Word Shelly Cullen

Recent Deaths:

Anniversaries:

TEN TON: Week 12 – Maryanne Mifsud and Gary Hynes

PRAYER TIMES THIS WEEK

Wednesday 30 April 9.15am Mass Friday 2nd May 9.15am Mass

CANONISATION EVENT

Archdiocesan Mass of Thanksgiving for the Canonisations of Popes John XXIII and John Paul II

Sunday 27 April, 2pm

Archbishop Denis Hart will celebrate Mass at St Patrick's Cathedral in thanksgiving for the canonisation of Popes John XXIII and John Paul II. All welcome.

Where: St Patrick's Cathedral, East Melbourne

Webcast of the Canonisations of Popes John XXIII and John Paul II
xt3.com: One Day – Two Saints
Sunday 27 April, 6pm

Watch the webcast of the canonisation of Pope John XXIII and Pope John Paul II live streamed from Rome at

www.Xt3.com/canonisations

THANKS FROM CARMEL

Heartfelt thanks to all in Holy Rosary Parish community for the joys and faith I have experienced these past two years.

I carry you all in my heart and prayers as I journey into a sunny retirement!

Special thanks to Fr. Max, Sr. Pat and parish staff for a wonderful team experience.



PLEASE RETURN YOUR PROJECT COMPASSION BOXES OR ENVELOPES OVER EASTER. Thank-you to all who contributed to Project Compassion. As you are aware Caritas Australia does amazing work throughout the world. With your help so much is achieved. **THANK YOU**

TO A GOOD HOME

The parish has an old fridge and washing machine looking for a good home. Please contact the parish office on 9376 6148.

EASTER RAFFLE ...

Thanks so much to everyone who bought tickets. The raffle raised \$156.25

CANONISATION EVENT

T@p in May: Two Popes – Two Saints

Monday 5 May, 6:30pm – 8:30pm

T@P is excited to announce our next major event: "Two Popes, Two Saints!" Come and hear celebrated Jesuit Theologian, writer and commentator, Fr Gerald O'Collins SJ give testimony on Pope John XXIII and Pope John Paul II. Fr Gerald is a well-known Vatican expert. Living in Rome for 30+ years he became a personal friend of John Paul II and also covered his funeral for the BBC. He has written extensively about Pope John XXIII. Young Adults 18-35, Priests and Religious (of all ages) are very welcome.

Where: Pumphouse Hotel, 128 Nicholson Street Fitzroy

Contact: Neil 0409 171 459

Reflection

Pope Francis reminds us: "Faith must be renewed and refreshed again and again. God does not give us faith by dictating abstract truths; God revealed himself in history by entering into it with us." Then the pope said that faith is not genuine unless it is tinged with a trace of doubt.

This Sunday, Thomas demonstrates more than a trace of doubt when he declares, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nail marks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe."

Our faith and its foundation are already present in our lives. We need only take the time to remember when God entered into our personal life history. When we remember, we can say with Thomas the words of contrition: "My Lord and my God!"