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Mass Timings Rosary Church

Thursday, Friday 1st, 3rd, 5th Saturday: 12 noon

Saturday Vigil: 6pm

Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5:30 pm

St Laurence's

Monday, Tuesday, 2nd & 4th Saturday: 12 noon

Sunday: 9 am, 11 am

Calvary Chapel Wednesday 12 noon

Confessions will be available before 12 pm Mass, Monday- Saturday and Saturday Vigil Mass

Parish Office

If you need to visit the Parish Office, please note it will be open by appointment only.

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If you need a priest urgently: contact
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AN INDIGENOUS VOICE TO PARLIAMENT; part 1 of 3



Sydney Archdiocese 'Catholic Weekly' newspaper, published the text of a talk by well-known Catholic priest, and lawyer, Fr Frank Brennan SJ. He is a highly respected participant in public affairs. With his permission, Dominews will publish the text in three parts, beginning today. Fr Brennan gives us some foundations for making up our minds, from the Catholic social justice tradition:

'What are Catholics to think about the proposed referendum on the Voice to Parliament? During the first year of his pontificate, Pope Francis in his Apostolic Exhortation Evangelii Gaudium said: "An authentic faith – which is never comfortable or completely personal – always involves a deep desire to change the world, to transmit values, to leave this earth somehow better that we found it

"We love this magnificent planet on which God has put us, and we love the human family which dwells here, with all its tragedies and struggles, its hopes and aspirations, its strengths and weaknesses. The earth is our common home and all of us are brothers and sisters."

Pope Francis then quoted with approval his predecessor Pope Benedict XVI, who wrote in his encyclical Deus Caritas Est that "the just ordering of society and of the state is a central responsibility of politics," and that the Church "cannot and must not remain on the sidelines in the fight for justice."

Pope Francis added this observation: "All Christians, their pastors included, are called to show concern for the building of a better world. This is essential, for the Church's social thought is primarily positive: it offers proposals, it works for change and in this sense it constantly points to the hope born of the loving heart of Jesus Christ."

Our recent Australian Plenary Council endorsed the Uluru Statement from the Heart and encouraged, "engagement with processes for implementing the statement, including local, regional, and national truth-telling efforts."

I suggest ten steps for Catholics inspired by our Catholic social teaching when approaching the forthcoming referendum.' (*To be continued*.) www.catholicweekly.com.au

MARRIAGE MATTERS



How Well do we Listen to Each Other?

As Jesus walked to Emmaus, he listened carefully to His disciples and experienced their grief. An important part of our relationship is listening. We may disagree with our partner's thoughts and judgments but they are part of who this person is. We need to experience him/her and convey the joy of discovering the person he/she is.

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INTRODUCTORY RITES continued. THE OPENING PRAYER. (Collect) "Let us pray".. After a short pause for silence ... this Collect effectively places us all together into one succinctly expressed address to God the Father... always structured according to the

same pattern, according to a very ancient usage. .. God is first addressed using one or more of His many titles. .. Next we remember before God what God has done .. acknowledging what He has done on our behalf. Next .. we ask for something in the present. When we remember what God has done in the past we have courage and reason to hope for what we ask for in the present. In a final move .. all that we ask the Father is asked 'through your Son our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.'.. we have the shape or pattern of prayer that will mark all the praying of the Mass. All the prayers are addressed *to* God the Father, *through* the Son, in the Holy Spirit.

The Road to Emmaus

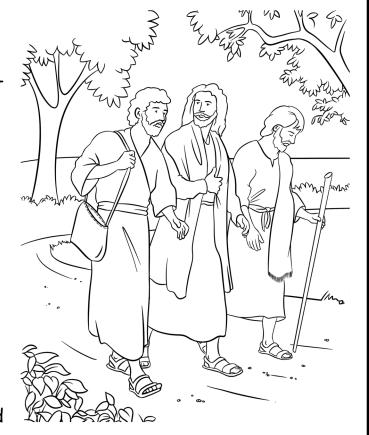
Our Bible story today takes place just three days after Jesus was crucified and shows how some of Jesus' disciples had trouble understanding what they had seen. When Jesus died, his followers thought that he was gone forever. They didn't know what to do. They were very sad. They couldn't see things clearly because they were so mixed up and upset. Two of Jesus' friends were sadly walking back to their home in the village of Emmaus when another traveler joined them on the road. They didn't recognize who it was, but they began to talk to him and tell him all about what had happened to Jesus and how sad they were. When it was evening they arrived at their home and invited the stranger to stay with them and have supper.

The sat down to eat and when the traveler broke the bread and blessed it, something happened. It was as if they had put on little Emmet's glasses. Suddenly they saw clearly what they hadn't seen before even though they had been looking right at it most of the day. They realized that the stranger who had joined them on the road was really Jesus - alive and well. After Jesus left them, they ran back to Jerusalem to tell the other disciples.

Sometimes we feel confused up and don't see things clearly. When that happens, we need help understanding our lives more clearly.

Jesus is with us to help us to do that. He helps us to understand that God loves and that there is nothing to be fear.

Father, we are thankful that as we travel along life's road, Jesus is walking with us and that he will help us see and understand the things that happen in our life. Amen.



PARISH

Knitting and Craft Group

The Parish Knitting and Craft Group will be meeting on Mondays at 1 pm in the Parish Hall. Contact Marie Whitehead for details: 0428 768 333

ARCHDIOCESE

Public Rosary – Praying the Rosary for Peace

The Legion of Mary of the Adelaide Cathedral parish invites you to pray the Rosary outdoors and to pray for peace on Saturday May 6 in Mary MacKillop Plaza (adj St Francis Xavier's Cathedral) at 8.40am (after the 8am Mass). All welcome. Praying the Rosary for Peace will be held on the first Saturday of every month. For more information contact Patrick Greenrod, Legion of Mary, M: 0414 769 635

Women's Retreat at The Monastery

'Mary and Martha Models of Discipleship', led by Val De Brenni, invites women to re-read the stories of Mary and Martha of Bethany as they reflect upon what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. The retreat provides time and space for prayer and silence, for walking and for being nourished. Commencing with dinner on Friday May 19, it will conclude on Saturday May 20 in the afternoon. \$170 includes your accommodation and all meals. Please contact The Monastery office on P: 8338 8700 or E: conference@themonastery.net.au for bookings.

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Marian Procession

The 2023 Marian Procession will be held on Sunday May 21 beginning at the Pioneer Women's Memorial Gardens (next to the Torrens Parade Ground on King William Rd) processing up King William St io Victoria Square. This year, we celebrate the Feast of the Visitation in line with the 2023 World Youth Day theme. The Procession will commence at 2pm and all are invited to attend with their parish or community. Group assembly will begin from 1.30pm. Unless there is a severe weather warning the procession will take place, however it will conclude in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral rather than Victoria Square. For more information, please contact Archdiocesan Events on P: 8210 8220.

<u>ARCHDIOCESE</u> (CONTINUED)

Marian Procession Volunteering

The Archdiocesan Events Office is currently seeking volunteers for the Marian Procession in a range of roles on Saturday May 20 and Sunday May 21. If you are available and willing to help, please contact E: events@adelaide.catholic.org.au or P: 8210 8220

MORNING TEA

There will be Morning Tea after the Sunday 10am Mass in the Rosary Church Hall. All are welcome.

Please pray for:

Recently deceased: Ilo Liddle, Pat Madigan, Dr Dora Rao, Josie Rugari, John Eric Modesto, Kevin Kitto, Biagio Ciacciarelli, Layla Craske, Alice Wheal, Nello Matrigiani, Peter Truong Van Nam, Michael Tesoriero, Jose Nayre (Papa Joe), Martino Brendan Chau Nguyen, Josephine Davies, Carmen Chetcuti, Frank Riley, Irene Tonin, Cardinal George Pell, Alessio Maiorana

Those whose Anniversaries occur about this time: John & Margaret Duryea, Michael O'Hare, Candeloro Giacciarelli, Daniela Adami, Brian Withers,

Rosa Crea, Alick Haddad, Angelo Bassani, Candeloro Ciacciarelli, Franca Urbancic, Josip Mezic & deceased members of the Serdar family, Alba Salvestrin, Eric Rossi, Maria Dinh Thi Khuyen, Anne No -Nguyen, Maria Reppucci, Michael Doukas, Pedro Membrebe, Maria Antoneli, Tonino Ricci, Maria Spoleti, Domingo Carrocci, Rosa Carocci, Alberto Villoria Sr, Pellegrino Landolfi, Arthur Lang, Jim Smith, Florence Huf, Alex Kuchel, Anthony Hien, Sean Woods

Those who are sick: Please keep in your prayers John Holland, Tony Kelly, John Perry, Colin Sandford, Maria Antonelli, Anthony Rissi, Maria Stilie, Domenico Carrotti, Rosa Dathici, Ann Gibbings, Marion Hiosan, Fr David Halstead OP, Charalambros Popadopoulos, Angela, Toni Iop, Tam Thi Thu Pham, Anne Winders, Ray Bishop, Tracy Mifsud, Berryl Wannut, Iolanda Pellegrini, the Olesinski family, Hank Dee

Baptism: Thomas Melina, Francesca De Bono Funerals: Anna Quagliara

To have the names of your loved ones printed in the weekend bulletin, please contact the office no later than Wednesday afternoon of that week.

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Today's Readings 3rd Sunday of Easter - Year A

Entrance Antiphon

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

A reading from the Acts of the Acts 2:14, 22-33 Apostles

A reading from the first letter of St 1 Peter 1:17-21 Peter

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

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

Luke 24:13-35

Communion Antiphon

The disciples recognised the Lord Jesus in the breaking of the bread, alleluia.

Responsorial Psalm

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.'

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.

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.

You will show me the path of life, and the fullness of joy in your presence, at your right hand happiness for ever.

Next Week's Readings

Acts 2:14, 36-41 1 Peter 2:20-25 John 10:1-10



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