



Our Lady of the Rosary Church
14 Barker Rd, Prospect 5082

Dominews

Palm Sunday- Year B
March 24, 2024
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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

Wed School Term
7:45 am

Wed School Hols and
every Saturday
8:30 am

Sunday:
9 am, 11 am

Friday 7 pm
Adoration and
Confession

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
St Laurence's Priory on
08-8267 2674.

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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION



We see images of the cross everywhere, from school uniforms to hospital buildings. Perhaps it is so commonplace that it doesn't stop us in our tracks the way it should. The cross of Jesus is the best key we have for understanding the mystery of God's love. God's compassion for the human family took Jesus to a lonely and brutal execution. Jesus was the victim of appalling injustice and degradation. His experience asks us to try to make



the world more just and to revere the dignity of every person. 'Whatsoever you do to the least of my sisters and brothers, you do to me.' This is part of the reason why Project Compassion has, for 60 years, been part of our Lenten observance.

This year, Holy Week begins with the reading of the passion story from Mark's Gospel. Even in busy lives, we should try to set time aside to spend with this extraordinary story, not to rush it. Gently take a little at a time and ask for the grace to be close to Jesus.

Written by Michael McGirr (edited)

This Sunday begins Holy Week. It is the greatest week of the year.

On **Monday** at the Cathedral the priests will offer Mass with the Archbishop, renewing their commitment to the priestly ministry. The Archbishop will bless and consecrate the Holy Oils for use in the sacraments during the year. A parishioner will attend and collect the oils for use in our parish.

On **Holy Thursday** we will celebrate the Mass of the Lord's Supper, in which we celebrate the institution of the Sacrament of the Eucharist, with the story of Jesus washing the disciples' feet, as a sign of the self-sacrifice of the cross.

On **Good Friday** we will commemorate the suffering of Jesus by praying the Way of the Cross in the morning and celebrating at 3 pm the liturgy of the Commemoration of the Passion. It is a day of abstinence from meat, and fast from food. (Not totally, just less than usual!) We do this as a token of sharing in Jesus' suffering.

There is a special collection at the liturgy, for the upkeep of the shrines of the Holy Land and for the pastoral care of Christians there.

On **Holy Saturday** night the Easter Vigil will be celebrated, with a liturgy of light, an extended Liturgy of the Word, a Baptismal liturgy with water, and the Eucharist of the Resurrection.

Sunday morning is the original Sunday, the day of Resurrection, the reason why Sunday is our holy day every week. We take time to celebrate the fruits of our redemption in the Eucharist. We recall that we rely on the providence of God for all good things, without our earning them.

During 10 am Mass, we will have the joy of Baptising three students of St Dominic's Priory College.



MARRIAGE MATTERS

Today is All we have

Today let us reflect on what is really important in our marriages. In this day and age the cost of living can create anxieties and tensions about making ends meet.

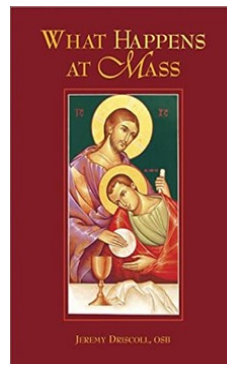
So today, let's hold hands, look at each other, and celebrate our love, which joins us together as a 'sign' of God's love for everyone.

Feasts & Solemnities

- Mar 24 Palm Sunday of the Passion.
- Mar 28 Holy Thursday
- Mar 29 Good Friday

Vinnies Meeting

Vinnies meet on the 4th Tuesday of the month in the Rosary Parish Centre at 7.30pm. The next meeting is on March 26. New Members are always welcome.



BRINGING THE GIFTS ... the material out of which the saving event of Christ's sacrifice is to be made to occur in our midst. God's Word to us is Jesus Christ .. above all in the action of his dying and rising. And this Word will now be articulated to us in the syllables and words and phrases of bread and wine transformed. They become a language. The name of this language is flesh. It is our flesh, our lives, we who brought the gifts. Our gifts become the Word made flesh. Thereby the whole creation and the whole of history are rendered capable ... of being an offering to God the Father, of being the thanksgiving and adoration that Christ's very sacrifice on the cross was and is. So it is not a throwaway phrase to say that we offer up our lives to God....Christians can only do it through, with and in Christ's offering. (p.65) Concluded. Thank you for reading. For more, buy the book!

TIMINGS FOR HOLY WEEK MASSES AND CEREMONIES

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY	ST LAURENCE'S
Holy Thursday: 7:30 pm: 28 March	Holy Thursday: 7:30 pm: 28 March
Good Friday: 11am: 29 March: Stations of the Cross	Good Friday: 10 am: 29 March: Stations of the Cross
Good Friday: 11:30 am: 29 March : Confessions	Good Friday: 10:30 am: 29 March: Confessions
Good Friday: 3 pm : 29 March : Passion of our Lord	Good Friday: 3 pm : 29 March: Passion of our Lord
Easter Vigil: 7:30 pm: 30 March	Easter Vigil: 7:30 pm: 30 March
Easter Sunday: 8 am: 31March	Easter Sunday: 9 am: 31 March
Easter Sunday: 10 am: 31 March	Easter Sunday: 11 am: 31 March

On Palm Sunday we remember Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. How would you think such an important person came into the town? Limo? Fancy carriage? No, He came on a donkey! This showed that He was coming humbly and in peace. Also, by coming on a donkey, Jesus was doing something that a prophet had predicted long before He was even born. That showed God was following through on His big plans. Now, while Jesus was coming into Jerusalem, people lined up to welcome Him. They put their coats on the ground, sort of like a fancy red carpet, but also to show that the people respected Jesus and considered Him their king. They waved palm branches, which were a sign of respect, and were also a sign of victory. They shouted "Hosanna!" which means "save us."



PARISH

Get Involved during Lent

We are still seeking volunteers for various roles within the Parish. Some of these are undertaken at Sunday Mass, some can be done from home, some can be tailored to fit in with your busy schedule.

Thank you to all the wonderful volunteers who helped with the brass cleaning and the Church cleaning bee.



Farewell Gathering

There will be a farewell party for Fr Paul on Saturday, April 6 at 7 pm in the Rosary Hall. Please bring a dish to share.
RSVP: office@napparish.org.au

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY FEAST

You, your family and friends are invited to join us to celebrate the Divine Mercy Sunday feast
On **Sunday April 7, 2024**, (the Sunday after Easter)
At **Our Lady of the Rosary Church**
14 Barker Rd, Prospect, from 1:00 pm – 4:30 pm
Divine Mercy goods table: 12:30pm – 1:00pm

- * Don't forget to bring your Rosary beads, prayer cards, books, etc, So Fr can bless them.
- * Please take a flyer or three from the church entrances, and spread the good news.
- * Car parking available.

ENQUIRIES:

Mario Forte 0412 700 300;
Lothar Bukojemski 0422 982 860;
Julie Caridi 0422 982 851

ARCHDIOCESE:

Project Compassion Palm Sunday March 23 & 24

As Project Compassion 2024 comes to an end, we want to thank you for your incredibly generous support throughout Lent. There is still time to donate!

Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow, for all future generations.

Please donate to Project Compassion
You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your parish, by visiting caritas.org.au/project-compassion or by calling 1800 024 413.



Adult Confirmation

There will be an opportunity for the celebration of the sacrament of Confirmation for adults who have been baptised but not yet confirmed. This celebration will be held at the 6pm Mass in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral on Saturday July 20. Archbishop Patrick O'Regan will be the celebrant. For further information and to register for Adult Confirmation, contact the Office for Worship P: 8210 8130, or Orla Wright P: 8210 8166.

Please pray for:

Recently deceased: Brian Stanley, Helen Dundon, Alf Paterson, Nicola Pipicella, Anna Elizabeth Martin, Nikoll Gjeka, Prena, Vgsel, Van Tam Nguyen, Domenic Celeste, Rita Cardone, Iolanda Pellegrini, Sr Rosemary Campbell OP, Romano Cittadini, Natalie Whibley, Angelo Giammaria, Juanita Paclar, Angela Bulian, Sister Elisabeth Dmytryk RSJ, Rosemary Ryan, Helen Davoren, Laurence Stanley, Rachel Kelly, Patricia Bright, Gino Romaldi

Those whose Anniversaries occur about this time:

Pellegrino Landolfi, Michael Doukas, Giuseppina Rugari, Josie Rugari, Emilia Comacchio, Gianna Comacchio, Benjamin Gelsano, Arthur Lang, Mathew Pham, Maria Thi Dinh Khuyen, Jim Smith, Florence Huff, Cristina Stenta, Eric Rossi, Alberto Villoria Sr, Pedro Membrebe, Fr Joseph Wilson OP, Francis Xavier Brown OP, Jerome O'Rorke OP, Gianna Comacchio, Biagio Ciacciarelli, Sean Woods, Antonio Caridi, Tony Centofante, Mafalda & Giuseppe Forte & family, Antonino Franze, Ben Newland, Bill Button, Lucja Newmann, Pasqualina DiMella, Maria Tkalec, John Brennan, Paolo Percat, Franciszek Szumylo, Maria Szumylo, Ria Swart, Ethan, Antonio Tarraran, Mary & Theodore Hennig, Fr Stephen Tarrant OP, Patricia McEvoy, Elda Pezzotta, Francesca Pollifrone

Those who are sick: Please keep in your prayers Bob Bates, Julie Cooper, Derek Stacy, Leanne Worrell, Tom Allen, Vincent Allen, Lucy Sloane Tran, Rosa Dathici, Fletcher Adams, John Perry, Maria Antonelli, Anthony Rissi, Maria Stilie, Domenico Carrotti, Ann Gibbings, Marion Hiosan, David Vignone, Angela, Charalambros Popadopoulos, Tam Thi Thu Pham, Ray Bishop, Berryl Wannut, the Olesinski family, the Van-der Borch family

Baptisms: Lyla Perry, Ryan Ciccarello, Cameron & Cooper Coad, Claudia Kaselow

Weddings: Josephine Yazbek & Patrick McCarthy

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.

2nd Collection 16 & 17 March

Planned Giving Envelopes:	\$ 355.00
Our Lady of the Rosary Church	\$ 1212.90
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	<u>\$ 1866.85</u>

Thank you for your continued support of the Parish.

This Week's Readings Palm Sunday

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!

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

Is 50:4-7

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians

Philippian 2:6-11

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 other names.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Mark 14:1-15:47

Responsorial Psalm

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 this 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 for my robe.

O Lord, do not leave me alone,
my strength, make haste to help me!

I will tell of your name to my brethren
and praise you where they are assembled.

'You who fear the Lord give him praise;
all sons of Jacob, give him glory.

Revere him, Israel's sons.

Communion Antiphon

Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, your will be done.



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