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# 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 29th September 2024 JESUS, THE SOURCE OF OUR SALVATION.

The Spirit of God is at work in us individually and collectively. By Divine Providence each one of us was amazingly created at the moment of conception to begin to mirror the presence of God in our lives. No other human being is equal to the uniqueness of body, mind, soul and spirit. From then onwards the Holy Spirit of God began to fill us with the beautiful spiritual gifts of faith, hope and love and life. Our life's journey with and through Jesus Christ began at our Baptism when we were incorporated as disciples into the Mystical Body of Christ. Because of this sacred fact we too are drawn into Christ's act of salvation. We met Jesus in our sacramental journey and particularly in the sacred celebration of the Holy Eucharist. We are called today through the Liturgy to reflect seriously on our life's values, the good and the bad which effects the Kingdom of God among us for we are marked to be priests, prophets and kings. In other words, we are to be servants of each other, teachers and leaders of the truth and royal members of the House of God. Follow the call of the Holv Spirit and all will be well. Our response is to follow that call being responsibly active in the presence of our loving God not being weighed down by earthly values for they block our vision of what is ahead of us namely our Eternal Home.

PRAYER. Holy Spirit, come like a mighty rushing wind and awaken us out of indifference. Disturb us, for we are too content to let things go on as they are and let people go on not knowing you. Penetrate the closed gates of our heart and make us live again. O Holy Spirit create among us a mighty Christian Revolution and cast the fear of the unknown out of our lives. Amen. St. Carlo Acutis and St. Padra Pio. pray for us. Mother Mary be our guide.



# **OTHER PARISH NEWS:**

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Join us every Friday from 6 pm to 12 midnight at the Cathedral Crypt. Access is through Cathedral Centre



## **MASS TIMES**

St Mary's	Cathedral, Hobart
7.30am:	Tuesday - Friday
5.00pm:	Saturday
10.30am:	Sunday (Mass Livestreamed)
6.00pm:	Sunday

#### Sacred Heart Church New Town

9.00am:Tuesda8.00am:Saturda8.30am:Sunday

Tuesday –Thursday Saturday Sunday

### Lawrenny Court

(131 Hill St West Hobart) **10.30am:** Friday

### **SACRAMENTS & DEVOTIONS**

ENQUIRIES FOR BAPTISMS AND MARRIAGE PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart 4.00pm - 4.30pm: Saturday

NOVENA TO OUR LADY AND ROSARYSacred Heart Church, New TownAfter 9am Mass:Wednesday7.30am:Saturday

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT St Mary's Cathedral Crypt (Cathedral Centre) 6pm-12am: Friday

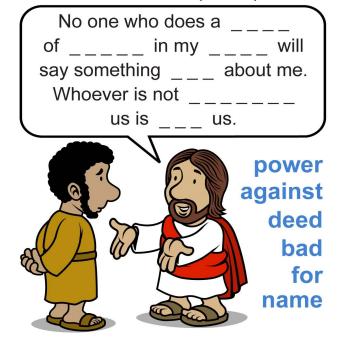
> ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC (RCIA) Please contact 62086236



# IN THE PARISH

# **Children's Corner:**

One day the disciples saw a man working miracles in Jesus' name. Because he was not one of them, the disciples told him to stop. Use the words below to find out why Jesus did not want the disciples to stop the man.



#### **The Angelus Prayer**

V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary. **R.** And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary, full of grace, The Lord is with Thee; Blessed art thou among women, And blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, Pray for us sinners, Now and at the hour of our death. Amen

- **V.** Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
- R. Be it done to me according to your word. Hail Mary...
- V. And the Word was made flesh.
- R. And dwelt among us. Hail Mary...
- V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.
- **R.** That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

#### Let us pray: Pour forth, we

beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the Incarnation of Christ Thy Son was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.



#### From Our Anniversary Book:

#### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October St Francis of Assisi

#### **HOLY ROSARY**

Each year, October is dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary.

We encourage all families to pray the Rosary this month.

If any family needs the help of a priest to initiate this Holy practice, You are welcome to contact the Priest through the Parish Office.

The Rosary is recited at St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart every evening during October at 5.30 pm.



Have a Blessed month ahead

Bible Study on Isaiah: Discover the prophet Isaiah, his turbulent times, and his prophecies. Known as the 'Fifth Gospel', this literary masterpiece offers much spiritual nourishment for us today.

When: Fortnightly on Tuesdays 10.30am -12.00pm, from 8 Oct to 3 Dec. (5 sessions).

Where: Lindisfarne Pastoral Centre, 3 Bay Rd, Lindisfarne.

Register: 6208-6236 or christine.wood@aohtas.org.au

Theology of God, Angels, and Man Course: A scriptural and theological dive into the mystery of God, the nature and role of angels, and what it means to be human.

When: Weekly on Thursdays 10.30am -12.00pm, from 31 Oct. to 5 Dec. (6 sessions).

Where: Lindisfarne Pastoral Centre, 3 Bay Rd, Lindisfarne.

Register: 6208-6236 or christine.wood@aohtas.org.au

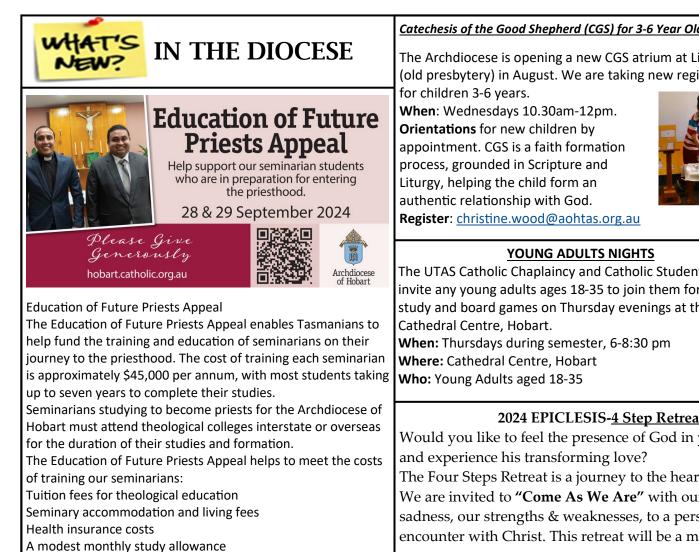
Donald Smith, Charles Dowd, Zofia Smietanski, Iris Bleasby, Graeme Kendall, Agatha (Athie) Willemsen, Gilbert Smith, Doris Ryan, Isabel Walker, David Maxfield, Ida Saracino, Maria Scavone, Mervyn Williams, Edith Garnsey, Nicola Gentile, Archbishop William Hayden, Sr. Veronica Higgins, Carmine Napoletano, Thomas McMahon, Louisa Sweeney, Douglas Hays, Stanley Hutt, Rocco Scavone, Elizabeth Tari, Joyce Lawrence, Thalia Baker, Johan Frais, Donien Picot, John Harrington May they rest in peace!



### Feast Days for this Week

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October

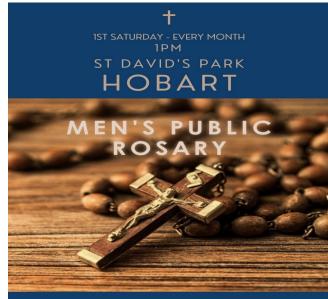
St Therese of the Child Jesus Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October The Joly Guardian Angels St Faustina Kowalska



Interstate travel between Melbourne & Hobart (Easter, Christmas. pastoral work)

Assistance with the costs of pastoral work experience in parishes.

Please give generously to the Education of Future Priests Appeal during September. Appeal envelopes are now available, or you can securely donate online at hobart.catholic.org.au



MEN OF ALL AGES WELCOME rosarycrusadetas@proton.me

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) for 3-6 Year Old Children

The Archdiocese is opening a new CGS atrium at Lindisfarne (old presbytery) in August. We are taking new registrations



The UTAS Catholic Chaplaincy and Catholic Student Society invite any young adults ages 18-35 to join them for bible study and board games on Thursday evenings at the

## 2024 EPICLESIS-4 Step Retreat

Would you like to feel the presence of God in your life

The Four Steps Retreat is a journey to the heart of God. We are invited to "Come As We Are" with our joys & sadness, our strengths & weaknesses, to a personal encounter with Christ. This retreat will be a moment of grace.

12 & 13 October 2024 (entrance Free but registrations are required)

visit https://events.humanitix.com/epiclesis-the-fourstep-retreat

Venue: Our Lady of Victories Shrine, 12 Ashbolt Crescent, Lutana.

Program includes, Mass celebrated by Archbishop Julian Porteous at 12 noon and opportunity for Reconciliation on Saturday 12th,

# Archdioces of Hobart

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**Epiclesis | The 4 Step Retreat Our Lady of Victories Shrine** 12 Ashbolt Cres, Lutana, TAS 7009





St Mary's Cathedral Parish embraces and wholeheartedly supports the Archdiocese of Hobart Safe Communities Policy and Framework, which can be found at the Parish office. Any enquiries regarding munities Safe Communities contact Jane McKeown (03) 6234 4463.

### **READINGS OF THE DAY – 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

#### First Reading Numbers 11:25-29

The Lord came down in the Cloud. He spoke with Moses, but took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. When the spirit came on them they prophesied, but not again.

Two men had stayed back in the camp; one was called Eldad and the other Medad. The spirit came down on them; though they had not gone to the Tent, their names were enrolled among the rest. These began to prophesy in the camp. The young man ran to tell this to Moses, 'Look', he said, 'Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp.' Then said Joshua the son of Nun, who had served Moses from his youth, 'My Lord Moses, stop them!' Moses answered him, 'Are you jealous on my account? If only the whole people of the Lord were prophets, and the Lord gave his Spirit to them all!'

#### Responsorial Psalm Ps 18:8. 10. 12-14. R. v.9

#### (R.) The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.

- The law of the Lord is perfect, it revives the soul. The rule of the Lord is to be trusted, it gives wisdom to the simple. (R.)
- The fear of the Lord is holy, abiding for ever.
   The decrees of the Lord are truth and all of them just. (R.)
- So in them your servant finds instructions; great reward is in their keeping.
   But who can detect all his errors?
   From hidden faults acquit me. (R.)
- From presumption restrain your servant and let it not rule me. Then shall I be blameless, clean from grave sin. (R.)

#### Second Reading James 5:1-6

An answer for the rich. Start crying, weep for the miseries that are coming to you. Your wealth is all rotting, your clothes are all eaten up by moths. All your gold and your silver are corroding away, and the same corrosion will be your own sentence, and eat into your body. It was a burning fire that you stored up as your treasure for the last days. Labourers mowed your fields, and you cheated them – listen to the wages that you kept back, calling out; realise that the cries of the reapers have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. On

earth you have had a life of comfort and luxury; in the time of slaughter you went on eating to your heart's content. It was you who condemned the innocent and killed them; they offered you no resistance.

Gospel Acclamation John 17:17

Alleluia, alleluia! Your word, O Lord, is truth: make us holy in the truth. Alleluia!

#### Gospel Mark 9:38-43. 45. 47-48

John said to Jesus, 'Master, we saw a man who is not one of us casting out devils in your name; and because he was not one of us we tried to stop him.' But Jesus said, 'You must not stop him: no one who works a miracle in my name is likely to speak evil of me. Anyone who is not against us is for us.

'If anyone gives you a cup of water to drink just because you belong to Christ, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.

'But anyone who is an obstacle to bring down one of these little ones who have faith, would be better thrown into the sea with a great millstone round his neck. And if your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life crippled, than to have two hands and go to hell, into the fire that cannot be put out. And if your foot should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life lame, than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. And if your eye should cause you to sin, tear it out; it is better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye, than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell where their worm does not die nor their fire go out.'

#### **GOSPELS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

Monday 30th September Tuesday 1st October Wednesday 2nd October Thursday 3rd October Friday 4th October Saturday 5th October

Lk 9:46-50
Lk 9:51-56
Mt 18:1-5,10

- Lk 10:1-12
- Lk 10:13-16
- Jn 10:17-24

#### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS: 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading Responsorial Psalm Second Reading Gospel

- Genesis 2:18-24
- Psalm 110:1-2,7-10
- Hebrews 2:9-11
- Mark 10:2-16

# Pray and Reflect on the Word of God

Please take your copy of the AVE home to reflect and to share with family and friends.