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10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 9th June 2024

I remember growing up hearing the saying "two wrongs don't make a right!"

If only Adam and Eve had heard the same advice, as God in our first reading from Genesis calls out to Adam, he discovers they have eaten of the tree and when he askes them about it, Adam's answer is "Eve started it" and Eve's answer is "the serpent started it" they are both trying to justify their wrong actions based on the other person already doing the wrong thing, they did, so I can. Once again, two wrongs don't make a right.

It is Jesus who through his life and ministry, passion, death and resurrection shows us the true meaning, he has so many people commit wrongs against him, and yet he does not reply in kind, they did the wrong thing, so I can, instead he keeps his focus on doing the will of God, and in all the right things he does, because he does not act in the way that those around him do that we are so blessed to read the words of St Paul today in his letter to the Corinthians "we too believe and therefore we too speak, knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus to life will raise us with Jesus in our turn".

As Catholics today, this advice remains quite sound. After all we are called to be in the world but not of the world. And yet the temptation is always there, others do things, and it would be so much easier if I did the same. But we are called to greater things, and yes they can be harder things, we are called to be Jesus's "brother and sister and mother" to do the will of God. And no greater example is there then Jesus's own mother. When Jesus says 'my brother and sister and mother are those who do the will of God', besides Jesus himself there is no greater example of one who heard the call of God, and lived the will of God in everything she did, even at the hardest of moments, and there could be no harder moment for a mother then to walk the passion and death of her Son.

In response to the scribes accusing Jesus of casting out demons through the devil, he reminds them that no house can remain standing if divided against itself, the same goes for us, as Catholics, we can't follow the example of Mary and the Saints who have heard and lived the will of God if we are trying to copy the wrongs of the world.



MASS TIMES

St Mary's Cathedral, Hobart

7.30am: Tuesday - Friday

5.00pm: Saturday 10.30am: Sunday 6.00pm: Sunday

Sacred Heart Church New Town

9.00am: Tuesday –Thursday

8.00am: 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 ROSARY Sacred Heart Church, New Town After 9am Mass: Wednesday

7.30am: Wednesda 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



Congratulations to our 2024 Sacramental Candidates:

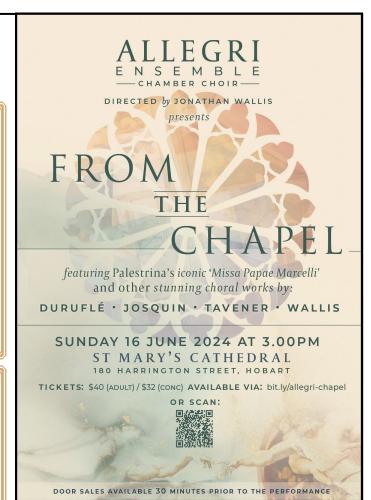
Christian Alexander, Dominic Carnevale, Matthew Choi, Noah Craig, Kate D'Mello, Keith D'Mello, Luca Forrest, Molly Fulton, Michael Guinane, Lucas Hasson, Francisco Hoggett, Monica Holloway, David Ibegu, Joy Ibegu, Avery Long, Stefano Lufi, Scarlett Matteo, Tian Oakham, Stella Peardon, Wolf Pound, Amelia Santos, Leonardo Santucci, Lorenzo Santucci, Valentina Santucci, Maximus Shaw, Laura Torto and Lucinda Torto

who are completing the Sacrament of Confirmation today. Please continue to pray for them and their families.



On 5th June, the Most Rev. Julian Porteous DD celebrated his 75th birthday. On behalf of the Parish, we wish His Grace a very **Happy Birthday!**

Please join us after Mass in the Cathedral Centre for morning tea and a hot cuppa, to celebrate His Grace's birthday and also congratulating our 2024 Sacramental Candidates on completing their Confirmation.



Upcoming performances at St Mary's Cathedral:

Sunday 16th June at 3pm:

Allegri Ensemble present *From the Chapel*. It has been said that the "godfather" of renaissance polyphony, Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina, wrote a mass setting so beautiful that it changed the Pope's mind on "complicated music". Meet the man, the myth and the legend that surrounds 'Missa Papae Marcelli'.

Saturday 22nd June at 2pm:

Ensemble Antiqua present The Spirit of Italy. This programme features works by Italian Baroque composers as well as works by Italian-inspired composers such as Marcello, Simonetti, Vavilov, Vivaldi, Molter and Sammartini.

Tickets can be purchased at the door and through the Cathedral Website.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2024:

First Holy Communion preparation will commence for our Parish Candidates on 28th July, 4:30pm - 5:30pm in the Cathedral Centre.

From Our Anniversary Book: Leslie Asley, Charles Witcombe, Joseph Brown, Bepi Giacon, Chiara Napolitano, Sr. Philippa Chapman, Robert Sinclair, Kevin Ranalli, Elisabetta Pulsoni, Phyllis Dwyer, Pat Smith, Anna-Rita Longo, Mary Dwyer, Fr. Rex Donohoe, Barbara Cooper, Dallas Kathleen McVilly, Charles Cook, Bertie Carr, Doris Dwyer, Gregory MA, Douglas Bratt, Rosalie & Frank Parkes, Kelvin Edman, Joan County, Francis Morgan, Pierre Kennedy, Donald McShane, Luigi Amorosa, Doreen Lennard, Rosa Di Virgillio, Margaret Witcombe, Ellen Scoles, Elsie Clay, Bernarda Glowacki, William Horne, Grace Coghlan, John & Caterina Folino-Gallo, Victor Shaw, Franco Mainella, Judith Kent. May they rest in peace!



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15th - 26th October 2024

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SATURDAY 29 & SUNDAY 30 JUNE 2024

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Vhat message would you like to send to Jesus?

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40TH YEAR OF ST PAUL'S CATHOLIC: CHURCH CELEBRATION 1984-2024

ACTIVITIES (SUNDAY- 23 June 2024):

1st Mass:

8:15 AM ROSARY AND PRAYER TO ST. PAUL 9:00AM HOLY MASS, FUNDRAISING RAFFLE & CUPPA

2nd Mass:

11:15AM ROSARY AND PRAYER TO ST. PAUL 12:00NN HOLY MASS, VENERATION & LUNCH & GIVING OF CERT.

Humbly acknowledging the prayers and efforts of Fr. Peter O'Loughlin & previously assigned priests...

(St Paul's Church was officially opened 08 April, 1984)

ST VINCENT PALLOTTI SCHOLARSHIP TRUST:

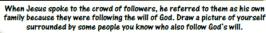
The St Vincent Pallotti Scholarship Trust offers scholarships to enable lay people to further their understanding and skills in leadership/ministry or a specialised activity, such as promoting faith enhancement, social justice and pastoral care.

More information and Applications Forms are available on our website: pallottine.org.au/svpscholarship

Closing Date: 31st July 2024.

Children's Corner

Those who chey God are my brother or sister or mother



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.







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 Safe Communities contact Jane McKeown (03) 6234 4463.

READINGS OF THE DAY – 10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading Genesis 3:9-15

The Lord God called to the man after he had eaten of the tree. 'Where are you?' he asked. 'I heard the sound of you in the garden;' he replied 'I was afraid because I was naked, so I hid.' 'Who told you that you were naked?' he asked. 'Have you been eating of the tree I forbade you to eat?' The man replied, 'It was the woman you put with me; she gave me the fruit, and I ate it.' Then the Lord God asked the woman, 'What is this you have done?' The woman replied, 'The serpent tempted me and I ate.' Then the Lord God said to the serpent, 'Because you have done this, 'Be accursed beyond all cattle, all wild beasts. You shall crawl on your belly and eat dust every day of your life. I will make you enemies of each other: you and the woman, your offspring and her offspring. It will crush your head and you will strike its heel.'

Responsorial Psalm Ps 129. R. v.7

(R.) With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

- Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord, Lord, hear my voice!
 O let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleading. (R.)
- 2. If you, O Lord, should mark our guilt, Lord, who would survive?
 But with you is found forgiveness: for this we revere you. (R.)
- 3. My soul is waiting for the Lord,I count on his word.My soul is longing for the Lord more than watchman for daybreak. (R.)
- 4. Because with the Lord there is mercy, and fullness of redemption, Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity. (R.)

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

As we have the same spirit of faith that is mentioned in scripture – I believed, therefore I spoke - we too believe and therefore we too speak, knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus to life will raise us with Jesus in our turn, and put us by his side and you with us. You see, all this is for your benefit, so that the more grace is multiplied among people, the more thanksgiving there will be, to the glory of God. That is why there is no weakening on our part, and instead, though this outer man of ours may be falling into decay, the inner man is renewed day by day. Yes, the troubles which are soon over, though they weigh little, train us for the carrying of a weight of eternal glory which is out of all proportion to them. And so we have no eyes for things that are visible, but only for things that are invisible; for visible things last only for a time, and the invisible things are eternal. For we know that when the tent that we live in on earth is folded up, there is a house built by God for us, an everlasting home not made by

human hands, in the heavens.

Gospel Acclamation John 12:31. 32

Alleluia, alleluia!

The prince of this world will now be cast out, and when I am lifted up from the earth I will draw all to myself, says the Lord.

Alleluia!

Gospel Mark 3:20-35

Jesus went home with his disciples, and such a crowd collected that they could not even have a meal. When his relatives heard of this, they set out to take charge of him, convinced he was out of his mind. The scribes who had come down from Jerusalem were saying, 'Beelzebul is in him,' and, 'It is through the prince of devils that he casts devils out.' So he called them to him and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot last. And if a household is divided against itself, that household can never stand. Now if Satan has rebelled against himself and is divided, he cannot stand either - it is the end of him. But no one can make his way into a strong man's house and burgle his property unless he has tied up the strong man first. Only then can he burgle his house. 'I tell you solemnly, all men's sins will be forgiven, and all their blasphemies; but let anyone blaspheme against the Holy Spirit and he will never have forgiveness: he is guilty of an eternal sin.' This was because they were saying, 'An unclean spirit is in him.' His mother and brothers now arrived and, standing outside, sent in a message asking for him. A crowd was sitting round him at the time the message was passed to him, 'Your mother and brothers and sisters are outside asking for you.' He replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking round at those sitting in a circle about him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers. Anyone who does the will of God, that person is my brother and sister and mother.'

GOSPELS FOR THE COMING WEEK

 Monday 10th June
 - Mt 5:1-12

 Tuesday 11th June
 - Mt 10:7-13

 Wednesday 12th June
 - Mt 5:17-19

 Thursday 13th June
 - Mt 5:20-26

 Friday 14th June
 - Mt 5:27-32

 Saturday 15th June
 - Mt 5:33-37

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS: 11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading - Ezek 17:22-24
Responsorial Psalm - Ps 91:2-3, 13-16
Second Reading - 2 Cor 5:6-10
Gospel - Mk 4:26-34

Pray and Reflect on the Word of God