

West Tamar Catholic Parish



**MASS
TIMES**

Riverside:
6.00pm Saturday
9:00am Sunday
9:00am Wed & Fri
5.00pm Tues

Beaconsfield:
11:00am
1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays of the Month
12:00 noon 1st Friday of the month

Glengarry:
11:00am
2nd & 4th
Sundays of the Month

Additional Masses: 5.00pm Wed: St Vincent's Hospital Chapel
7.30am Thurs: Carmelite Monastery, 7 Cambridge St Launceston

Third Sunday of Easter Year A, 30th April 2017

Today's Readings

First Reading Acts 2:14, 22-33
Second Reading 1 Pt 1:17-21
Gospel Lk 24:13-35

*Peter addresses the people on the day of Pentecost.
We are delivered through the blood of the lamb.
Jesus greets disciples on the road to Emmaus.*

Next Week

*Acts 2:14, 36-41
1 Pt 2:20-25
Jn 10:1-10*

WEST TAMAR PARISH MISSION

Seven Capital Virtues:

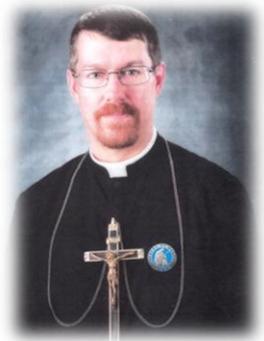


Overcoming the Seven Capital Sins

Sunday 7th May – Thursday 11th May 7.00 – 8.00pm
at St Francis Church, Riverside (106 Pomona Rd)

A Parish mission, is a special event for Catholics in which EVERYONE is invited to take part in several days of activity and prayer, all focusing on their coming to a better understanding of the Faith. This mission will be conducted by Fr Ben Cameron CPM, and this series of presentations will show how our Christian lives can be transformed by the Virtues:

- ❖ Sunday - Humility & Meekness: Overcoming Pride & Anger
- ❖ Monday - Generosity & Temperance: Overcoming Avarice & Gluttony
- ❖ Tuesday - Chastity: Overcoming Lust
- ❖ Wednesday - Brotherly Love & Diligence: Overcoming Envy & Sloth
- ❖ Thursday - The Holy Eucharist: Fount of All Virtue



**Presented by Fr Ben Cameron CPM
Of
Fathers of Mercy (USA)**

For further inquiries contact Fr Martin on 6327 3971
Reconciliation will be available from 6.00pm and following the Mission service.

The celebration of the Word

FIRST READING

Acts 2:14, 22-33

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

On the day of Pentecost, Peter stood up with the Eleven and addressed the crowd in a loud voice: 'Men of Israel, listen to what I am going to say: Jesus the Nazarene was a man commended to you by God by the miracles and portents and signs that God worked through him when he was among you, as you all know. This man, who was put into your power by the deliberate intention and foreknowledge of God, you took and had crucified by men outside the Law. You killed him, but God raised him to life, freeing him from the pangs of Hades; for it was impossible for him to be held in its power since, as David says of him: I saw the Lord before me always, for with him at my right hand nothing can shake me. So my heart was glad and my tongue cried out with joy: my body, too, will rest in the hope that you will not abandon my soul to Hades nor allow your holy one to experience corruption. You have made known the way of life to me, you will fill me with gladness through your presence. 'Brothers, no one can deny that the patriarch David himself is dead and buried: his tomb is still with us. But since he was a prophet, and knew that God had sworn him an oath to make one of his descendants succeed him on the throne, what he foresaw and spoke about was the resurrection of the Christ: he is the one who was not abandoned to Hades, and whose body did not experience corruption. God raised this man Jesus to life, and all of us are witnesses to that. Now raised to the heights by God's right hand, he has received from the Father the Holy Spirit, who was promised, and what you see and hear is the outpouring of that Spirit.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 15:1-2. 5. 7-11. R. v.11



(R.) **Cantor:** Lord, you will show us the path of life

All: Repeat

1. 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.' (R)
2. 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
I shall stand firm forever. (R)
3. 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. (R)
4. You will show me the path of life,
the fullness of joy in your presence,
at your right hand happiness forever. (R)

SECOND READING

1 Pt 1:17-21

A reading from the first letter of St Peter

If you are acknowledging as your Father one who has no favourites and judges everyone according to what he has done, you must be scrupulously careful as long as you are living away from your home. Remember, the ransom that was paid to free you from the useless way of life your ancestors handed down was not paid in anything corruptible, neither in silver nor gold, but in the precious blood of a lamb without spot or stain, namely Christ; who, though known since before the world was made, has been revealed only in our time, the end of the ages, for your sake. Through him you now have faith in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory for that very reason – so that you would have faith and hope in God.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Cantor: Alleluia! ...



All: Repeat

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

All: Alleluia! ...

GOSPEL

Lk 24:13-35

From the Holy Gospel according to

Two of the disciples of Jesus were on their way to a village called Emmaus, seven miles from Jerusalem, and they were talking together about all that had happened. Now as they talked this over, Jesus himself came up and walked by their side; but something prevented them from recognising him. He said to them, 'What matters are you discussing as you walk along?' They stopped short, their faces downcast.

Then one of them, called Cleopas, answered him, 'You must be the only person staying in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have been happening there these last few days.' 'What things?' he asked. 'All about Jesus of Nazareth' they answered 'who proved he was a great prophet by the things he said and did in the sight of God and of the whole people; and how our chief priests and our leaders handed him over to be sentenced to death, and had him crucified. Our own hope had been that he would be the one to set Israel free. And this is not all: two whole days have gone by since it all happened; and some women from our group have astounded us: they went to the tomb in the early morning, and when they did not find the body, they came back to tell us they had seen a vision of angels who declared he was alive. Some of our friends went to the tomb and found everything exactly as the women had reported, but of him they saw nothing.'

Then he said to them, 'You foolish men! So slow to believe the full message of the prophets! Was it not ordained that the Christ should suffer and so enter into his glory?' Then, starting with Moses and going through all the prophets, he explained to them the passages throughout the scriptures that were about himself.

When they drew near to the village to which they were going, he made as if to go on; but they pressed him to stay with them. 'It is nearly evening' they said 'and the day is almost over.' So he went in to stay with them. Now while he was with them at table, he took the bread and said the blessing; then he broke it and handed it to them. And their eyes were opened and they recognised him; but he had vanished from their sight. Then they said to each other, 'Did not our hearts burn within us as he talked to us on the road and explained the scriptures to us?'

They set out that instant and returned to Jerusalem. There they found the Eleven assembled together with their companions, who said to them, 'Yes, it is true. The Lord has risen and has appeared to Simon.' Then they told their story of what had happened on the road and how they had recognised him at the breaking of bread.

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ

Processional:

1. All creatures of our God and King,
lift up your voice and with us sing:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
O burning sun with golden beam
and silver moon with softer gleam:
O praise God! O praise God!
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

2. O rushing wind and breezes soft,
O clouds that ride the winds aloft:
Alleluia! Alleluia!
O rising morn, in praise rejoice,
O lights of evening, find a voice,
O praise God! O praise God!
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Recessional:

1. Now thank we all our God
with hearts and minds voices,
who wondrous things has done,
in whom the world rejoices;
who, from our mothers' arms,
has blessed us on our way
with countless gifts of love,
and still is ours today.

2. O great and bounteous God
through all our life be near us,
with ever joyful hearts
and blessed peace to cheer us;
and keep us in your grace,
and guide us when perplexed,
and free us from all ills,
in this world and the next.

April - Feast Days this Week:

30 St Pius V

May

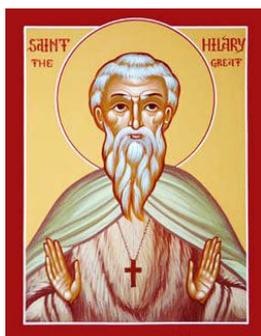
1 St Joseph the Worker
6 Sts Marian & James

2 St Athanasius

3 Sts Phillip & James, Apostles

5 St Hilary of Arles

Feast day of the Week – Saint Hilary of Arles



It's been said that youth is wasted on the young. In some ways, that was true for today's saint. Born in France in the early fifth century, Hilary came from an aristocratic family. In the course of his education he encountered his relative, Honoratus, who encouraged the young man to join him in the monastic life. Hilary did so. He continued to follow in the footsteps of Honoratus as bishop. Hilary was only 29 when he was chosen bishop of Arles.

The new, youthful bishop undertook the role with confidence. He did manual labor to earn money for the poor. He sold sacred vessels to ransom captives. He became a magnificent orator. He traveled everywhere on foot, always wearing simple clothing.

That was the bright side. Hilary encountered difficulty in his relationships with other bishops over whom he had some jurisdiction. He unilaterally deposed one bishop. He selected another bishop to replace one who was very ill—but, to complicate matters, did not die! Pope Saint Leo the Great kept Hilary a bishop but stripped him of some of his powers.

Hilary died at 49. He was a man of talent and piety who, in due time, had learned how to be a bishop.

Reminders

- This Tuesday 2nd May:** Parish Pastoral Council meeting 7.30pm
- This Friday 5th May:** Anointing of the Sick 9.00am Mass and Holy Hour 7.00pm
- This Saturday 6th May:** Cenacle: Devotion to Mother Mary 11.00am

Parish Raffle

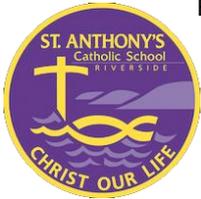
Congratulations to Jadwega Izbicki on winning first prize and Thea Schouten on winning second prize in the last raffle. A new raffle will begin this weekend. Thank you to all who have supported this fundraising endeavour.

Catholic Women's League

Monthly Meeting and A.G.M. to be held on **Tuesday, 9th May, 2017, at 1.15 p.m.**, in the Parish Pastoral Centre, Church of Apostles. Each League Member please bring small plate of afternoon tea. New Members most welcome. Enquiries please phone Bernice on 63 441799.

Mass of Remembrance for deceased Presentation Associates and Sisters

will be celebrated at St Francis Church, Riverside on **Saturday, 13th May, commencing at 10 a.m.** Morning Tea will be served after Mass.



Kindergarten 2018

Enrolments are now open for Kindergarten 2018 at all Northern Catholic Primary Schools, including St Anthony's. Enrolment forms for St Anthony's are available from the school office or may be downloaded from the school website at <http://www.stanthonytas.edu.au/fees-and-levies>. Families currently at the school who have an eligible child intending to enrol in Kindergarten 2018 must complete an application form. I ask parents to inform others who have a Kindergarten aged child that applications are now being taken. Application forms must include a copy of the child's Birth Certificate, Immunisation Record and Baptismal certificate (if applicable). Age eligibility – child must be 4 years of age on or before the 1st January 2018. For more information please contact the school office on 63273618.

Matrimonium Project

Parish information and training day

BUILDING A RENEWED CULTURE OF MARRIAGE WITHIN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN TASMANIA

You are warmly invited to join guest speakers Archbishop Julian Porteous, and Francine and Byron Pirola (Parish and Marriage Resource Centre, Australia), at a free information and training day in Hobart in May. Discuss and learn how together, we can strengthen marriages, families, and parish life. The program includes mentor training for the SmartLoving Engaged marriage preparation program: smartloving.org/mentor

Saturday 27th May 2017, 12- 4pm. Murphy Room, Catholic Diocesan Centre, 35 Tower Rd New Town, Hobart.

Please RSVP by 19 May 2017 to: Catia Fancsali (03) 6208 6235 or catia.fancsali@aohtas.org.au

New Rosters

for Readers, Commentators, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters, Counters, Morning Tea and Senior Servers are available in the Narthex or have been emailed to you.

If you would like your roster to be emailed to you please let Jenelle know at the office (wtparish@bigpond.com).

Thank you to all the volunteers who give so generously of their time and talents.

We offer prayers for family and friends who have recently died:

Susan Finnigan and Antonio Bertoia

We offer prayers for family and friends whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Peter Adams, Ronald Arthur Tyne, Sr Monica Franklin mss, Cath Wallis, Jack McInerney, Tim Campbell, Malcolm McKenzie, Doug Smith, Margaret Jacobs, Pasquale Germano, Lynette O'Neill, John Butler, Donald Boutcher, Ellen Speed, Remy Kossman and Jack Symons.

We offer prayers for family and friends who are unwell:

Willie Veldhuis, Rick Murfet, Anthea Maynard, Rick Waters, Andre A, Anthony A, Brian Hoare, Ted Gillies, Thea van Borkulo, Shannon Visser, Anthony Midson, Nettie Burke, Maureen Bamping, A L, Sophie and Scott Bailey, Daniel and Marina Aye, Susan Finnigan, Geoff Jones, Mary Townsend, Lucius U, Kylie Breen, Pat Duffy, Doug Chase, Sandra Shields, Sally Bonner, Lorna Capps, Andrea Franchina, Peter Franchina, Melissa Cherry, Maureen Symons, Ron Willis, Guy M, Gerard Mackrell, Irene Bingham, Lyn Porter, Ria Van Galen, Murray Jones, Andrew, James, Matthew J, Roger Orr, Fr Richard Ross, Trevor Peters, Errol Vincent, Ann Gordon, Claire, N. MacLaine, Max Antel, Ben Beumer, Max Jamieson and

all patients in St Vincent's, St Luke's & General Hospitals

We offer prayers for our whole Parish community

Next Week's Roster

6.00pm Sat 6th May

Reader: R Cawley
Commentator: P Fleming
Communion: T Schouten J Payne
Greeters: K McInerney B Harris
Collectors: K McInerney
Counters:
Morning Cuppa:

9.00am 7th Sun May

E Cunningham
A Cunningham
H Skrzeczynski S Rossler
S Rossler V McMullen
J Shadbolt L Males
S Clive J Payne V Dearsley
V McMullen H Skrzeczynski

Holy Hour: every 1st Friday of the month 7.00pm. (Reconciliation is available)

Anointing of the sick: every 1st Friday of the month during 9.00am Mass at St Francis Church, Riverside.

Cenacle: every 1st Saturday of the month, St Francis Church, Riverside 11.00am.

Rosary: every Monday at 7.30pm at Church of the Apostles.

Gregorian Chant: every 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month, 7.30pm at St Francis Church, Riverside. Compline and Benediction every 4th Tuesday.

Praise and Worship Prayer Group: Every 2nd Thurs of the month at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall at St Francis Church, Riverside.

Latin Mass: Once a month 6.00pm, St Francis Church, Riverside. Contact office for next Mass time.

Mass at Calvary Health Care: St Vincent's: 5 pm Wed, 5 Frederick St.

Human Life Protection Society: Prayers for mothers, babies, the sick, the elderly and the dying. Thursdays 1pm, Chapel at St Vincent's Hospital.

One Hour with Jesus: every First Sunday at the Carmelite Monastery, 7 Cambridge Street, Launceston at 2.00pm

St Francis of Assisi Church

108 Pomona Road, Riverside

St Francis Xavier Church

190 Weld Street, Beaconsfield

St Canice Church

Glengarry Road, Glengarry

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Reconciliation

Riverside:

Saturday 5:15 pm—5:45 pm

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