

6.00pm (Saturday), 8.00am

7.30pm—YAM

ENTRANCE HYMN

A New Heart for a New World 438

Refrain:***Create a new heart, Holy Lord. Beckon our lives through your word.******Open our eyes to your call, untied as one for your world.******Heighten our minds to your thoughts. Heal us of pride and of hurt.******May we go forth in your name. We pray our hearts change.***

1. The heart of the cross lowly and poor, call us on.
Lord, it is you promising hope, promising truth.
2. Restless the hearts who yearn for your peace in this land.
Deepen the dream: justice brings life, justice redeems.

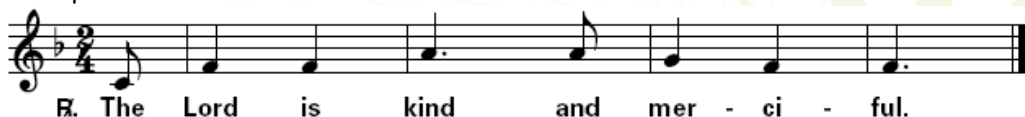
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Kyrie

St Stephen's Mass

Boughen

Responsorial Psalm

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Gospel Acclamation

Ansell

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

COMMUNION HYMN When I Survey the Wondrous Cross 330

1. When I survey the wondrous cross
On which the prince of glory died,
My richest gain I count but loss,
And pour contempt on all my pride.
2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast
Save in the death of Christ, my God;
The vain delights that charm me
most,
I sacrifice them to his blood.
3. See, from his head, his hands, his
feet,
Sorrow and love flow mingled down;
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?
4. Were the whole realm of nature
mine,
That were a present far too small;
Love so amazing, so divine,
Demands my soul, my life, my all.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Organ Music**International Women's Day**

Today in our community we recognize and celebrate International Women's Day. This day provides an opportunity to reflect on and celebrate the contribution that all women make in families, society and the Church.

Since 1911 International Women's Day has been celebrated as the global day connecting all women around the world and inspiring them to achieve their full potential. This day is an opportunity to reflect on the dignity and role of all women; in the family, society and the Church.

The Letter of Pope John Paul II to Women reminds us that Jesus Christ provided a wonderful example of treating women:

When it comes to setting women free from every kind of exploitation and domination, the Gospel contains an ever relevant message which goes back to the attitude of Jesus Christ himself. Transcending the established norms of his own culture, Jesus treated women with openness, respect, acceptance and tenderness. In this way he honoured the dignity which women have always possessed according to God's plan and in his love (n.3)

Archbishop Wilson writes:

We wish to honour you and to thank you for the precious gift that you are to the Church in Australia. Each member of the Body of Christ brings their own God-given gifts to the fundamental task in front of us all – to seek to build up God's Kingdom in our own place and our own time. As women, you bring to this holy enterprise a special gift, which Pope John Paul II famously described as "the genius of women". We see this genius brought to vibrant life all around us, both in the Church and in the wider world. It is there in the face of a young woman setting out on the journey to explore her vocation and find her place in the world. It is there in women, married or single, whose faith inspires them to excel in their profession. It is there in wives and mothers who nurture and love their offspring and bring them to know the love of Jesus Christ. We see it in the service and devotion of women with a vocation to the religious life as well as in those very many unsung women who are carers or who serve the poor, the outcast, the lonely, the sick in the spirit of true social justice modelled by Christ. We see it too in those women who play a vital role in the new ecclesial movements emerging in the life of the Church.

We pray that we, the Church, ensure that women are encouraged to flourish within the Catholic Church in Australia and that all women are appreciated for the contribution they make to the fullness of the Church.

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**THIRD SUNDAY
OF LENT**

7 MARCH 2010

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Third Sunday of Lent 7 March

To bring about the kingdom of God, we must be transformed within ourselves and our community. This week's story takes us to East Timor where Domingas is being supported in a Caritas-funded Family and Community Violence Prevention Program. Domingas, like many women in her community was the victim of violence and abuse. The program has provided her with ongoing counselling and a small grant to enable her to build a business and give her economic independence. Your donation to Caritas Australia's Project Compassion helps to support women survivors of violence and to work for just relationships.



LENT Way of the Cross: Thursdays at 10.30 am

Lenten Lunchtime Fifteen Minutes: Wednesday 10, 17 & 24 March @ 1pm

Chrism Mass: Thursday 25 March, 7.30 pm

Lenten Reflection Sheets available in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

Lenten Programme Thursdays 10:30am, Old Choir Room (after 10.00am Mass)

Sundays 6pm for Young Adults, Francis Rush Centre

The Reflection Join the Bishops of Australia exploring of the Scriptures as we journey towards Easter 2010. www.thereflexion.vividas.com

The *Lenten Lunchtime 15 Minutes* is designed for city workers who have limited time but who would like a little spiritual nourishment for their Lenten time. Fr Anthony Mellor, will speak at 1 pm on Wednesday 10, 17 & 24 March in St Stephen's Chapel. Entitled: *Luke & Lent*, these brief talks will help us focus on St Luke the evangelist and the Lenten Gospel passages we hear this year. Invite a work colleague to join you.

Parishioners' Funerals were celebrated for Charles Turner [Monday], Claudio Bidoli [Friday] and Peggy O'Neill [from St Patrick's] [Saturday] May they rest in peace. Our prayers go with them and their loved ones at this time.

Knowing Jesus Archbishop Bathersby's Brisbane Central Gathering. Monday 22 March @ 7.00pm at Sacred Heart Church, Rosalie. Hoping for a good roll-up of parishioners.

Cherish Life's 2010 Rally for Life: Saturday 13 March 2010, 1:30pm, Queen's Park, Brisbane City. Bring chair/rug, water, umbrella. Donations appreciated.

Art Show 'Cycle of Life' is the theme for a black and white art show in the Francis Rush Centre, from 6pm, Friday 19 March, then to Tuesday 23 March from 9-5 daily. All works will be for sale for under \$600. Award winning artists from interstate will be exhibiting. Opening on Friday evening at 6pm by Dr Lindsay Farrell, the exhibition offers an opportunity to businesses and private collectors to discover interesting art at an excellent price. Contact -Margaret Moore Ph 07 3870 9427.

School of Preaching: 19-21 March 2010 includes formation sessions designed to equip men and women, both young and old, with skills to share your faith and to tell the Gospel story in a way that is both relevant and compelling. Friday & Saturday 9am-5pm, Sunday 9am-1pm, at the Emmaus Centre for Renewal & Evangelisation, cnr Herbert St & Central Ave, Paddington. Information & registration www.emmanuelcommunity.com.au or contact (07) 3217 5199.

Pray 2010 July 7 to 10. Fr Ken Howell encourages parishioners to become involved in this unique event in the life of the Archdiocese. Further information about PRAY 2010 is available at www.pray2010.org.au

The Catholic Leader is on sale at the doors of the church. Still only \$1.50

CATHEDRAL LITURGIES THIS WEEK

SATURDAY 6.00pm

SUNDAY 8.00am, 10.00am, 12 midday, 7.30pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

MONDAY-FRIDAY 8.00am, 10.00am, 12.30pm, 5.10pm

SATURDAY 11.30am

MORNING PRAYER

MONDAY—FRIDAY 8.30am in the Chapel

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

MONDAY—FRIDAY 10.30am—12.15pm

BENEDICTION

MONDAY—FRIDAY 12.15pm

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

MONDAY-FRIDAY 10.30am-11.30am; 1.00pm-1.30pm; 4.30pm-5.00pm

SATURDAY 10.00am—11.00am, 4.30pm—5.30pm

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, FORTITUDE VALLEY

SUNDAY MASS 9.00am, 12noon

ST MARY'S, SOUTH BRISBANE

SUNDAY 9.00am, 5.00pm;

TUESDAY 7.00am

MAY THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED REST IN PEACE:

Peg O'NEILL, Claudio BIDOLI, Neil BLOXSIDGE, Charles TURNER, Vincent PEREIRA, Edgardo CRUZ, Betty BLAKE, Fr Chas TOMMASI, Giovawni SECCI, Jose JOVILLANOS, Esme & Severin ANDREASSEN, Ross GIRGENTI, Alan MICHAEL, Betty CRONIN, Abby & Raymond HENDERSON, Deceased members of the BYRNE, BURNS, PETER, HERHILY, HENDERSON, MURRAY, LAFFIN, WATSON, KINARY, BROWN, LONG & O'COLLON families, Holy Souls, Ada & Harold KEYES, Florence & Arthur BILL, Jane & Tom GRAHAM, Rev Fr Tom HEGERTY, Sr M DE SALES, Milagros QUINTE-JONES, Maria Magdalena SANGWARN, Kim JOSEB, Eladio & Cipriana MULATO, Calixto & Sineora NODOPA, William CRENNIN, Vera WHEATLEY, deceased members of HEYMER family, C SHANAHAN & A SHANAHAN,

Year for Priests Lord Jesus Christ, watch over your priests who serve our Archdiocese. Keep them faithful to their vocation and to the proclamation of your Word. Strengthen and heal them by the power of the Eucharist they celebrate. Teach them to see and interpret the signs of the times. Animate them with the gifts of the Holy Spirit, and help them to serve the family of the Church, especially the poor and disadvantaged. Give them a vivid sense of your presence in the world and a knowledge of how to show you to others. Enliven them to quicken the hearts of men from our families to answer the call to be shepherds for your people.

Readings: This Week: Exodus 3:1-8, 13-15
Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12
Luke 13:1-9

Next Week: Joshua 5:9-12
Corinthians 5:17-21
Luke 15:1-3, 11-32