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Cathedral Parish Mass Times this week

Monday to Friday 8:00am (also live-streamed); 10:00am; 12:30pm; 5:10pm

Saturday 11:30am – Mass (also live-streamed)

Sunday

Cathedral of St Stephen

Saturday: 6:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am; 10:00am; 12 noon & 5:00pm

(8am & 10am also live-streamed)

St Patrick's Church

Sunday: 9:00am & 11:00am

Reconciliation: Monday to Friday: 10:30-11:30am; 1:00-1:30pm; 4:30-5:00pm

Saturday: 10:00am-11:00am; 4:30-5:30pm

Exposition: Monday to Friday 10:30am – 12:15pm

Benediction: Monday to Friday 12:15pm



THE CATHEDRAL OF
ST. STEPHEN
*Embracing Villa Maria and
St Patrick's Fortitude Valley*

WEEKDAY PRAYER SHEET

29 JUNE – 4 JULY 2020

13TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

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The community of the Cathedral of St. Stephen acknowledges the traditional custodians of the land on which our parish stands.

Dear friends,

Given that there has been some significant disruption to our usual patterns of life, including the weekly rhythm of our worship, the question remains about how ready and willing we are to return to something that approximates normality. At some point in the future all restrictions will be lifted and, at that point, it will be interesting to see how quickly our Mass attendance bounces back. My suspicion is that we will need to work harder to encourage others to return, let alone those who lost connection a long time ago. But perhaps this is approaching the situation from the wrong perspective.

The responsibility that Jesus always puts before us is never about counting numbers, but always about how we can count on each other as fellow disciples. If we live our discipleship with a greater sense of mission and purpose than perhaps, other issues about Mass attendance might take care of themselves. Jesus always sets our eyes on mission.

Jesus doesn't mention "big picture" ideas in today's gospel. Instead, he keeps things simple and tells us that discipleship is a personal choice which leads beyond whatever faith we may have inherited from our parents. At some point, our faith needs to be our own for we are all called to become mature adults in faith. Then Jesus invites to a "self-forgetfulness"; that is, self-denial and service are the marks of what Christian discipleship is all about.

As Jesus points out, Christian service is deceptively simple: it is as straightforward as a "welcome" and as ordinary as "a cup of water". We can overcomplicate things and forget that these simple, everyday human gestures can have a powerful effect. We only need to think of how we have felt when people have welcomed us and offered us kind gestures of hospitality. These are important teachings to ponder as we consider how we go about re-building our communities and our relationships after all the unforeseen disruptions of 2020.

Fr. Anthony

PRAYER IN THIS TIME OF CRISIS

Almighty and all-merciful God,
lover of the human race, healer of all our wounds,
in whom there is no shadow of death,
save us in this time of crisis;
grant wisdom and courage to our leaders;
watch over all medical people
as they tend the sick and work for a cure;
stir in us a sense of solidarity beyond all isolation;
if our doors are closed, let our hearts be open.
By the power of your love destroy the virus of fear,
that hope may never die
and the light of Easter, the triumph of life,
may shine upon us and the whole world.
Through Jesus Christ, the Lord risen from the dead,
who lives and reigns for ever and ever.
Amen.

Holy Mary, health of the sick, pray for us.
St Joseph, guardian of us all, pray for us.



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MONDAY 29 JUNE 2020

Saints Peter and Paul

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

These are the ones who, living in the flesh, planted the Church with their blood; they drank the chalice of the Lord and became the friends of God.

FIRST READING: Acts 12:1-11

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 33:2-9

R. The Lord set me free from all my fears.

I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise always on my lips; in the Lord my soul shall make its boast. The humble shall hear and be glad. *R*

Glorify the Lord with me. Together let us praise his name. I sought the Lord and he answered me; from all my terrors he set me free. *R*

Look towards him and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed. This poor man called; the Lord heard him and rescued him from all his distress. *R*

The angel of the Lord is encamped around those who revere him, to rescue them. Taste and see that the Lord is good. He is happy who seeks refuge in him. *R*

SECOND READING:

2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

You are Peter, the rock on which I will build my Church; the gates of hell will not hold out against it. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Matthew 16:13-19

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Peter said to Jesus: You are the Christ, the Son of the living God. And Jesus replied: You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my Church.

TUESDAY 30 JUNE 2020

Tuesday of the 13th Week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

All peoples, clap your hands.
Cry to God with shouts of joy!

FIRST READING: Amos 3:1-8; 4:11-12

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 5:5-8

You are no God who loves evil;
no sinner is your guest.
The boastful shall not stand their ground
before your face.

You hate all who do evil:
you destroy all who lie.
The deceitful and bloodthirsty man
the Lord detests.

But I through the greatness of your love
have access to your house.
I bow down before your holy temple,
filled with awe.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

I hope in the Lord,
I trust in his word.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Matthew 8:23-27

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all within me, his holy name.

Benediction Hymns and Prayer

O SAVING VICTIM

O saving victim opening wide
The gate of heaven to us below.
Our foes press on from every side
Thy strength supply, thine aid bestow.

All praise and thanks to thee ascend
For evermore blest three in one,
O grant us life that shall not end
In our true native land with thee
AMEN.

HYMN OF ADORATION

Down in adoration falling,
This great sacrament we hail;
Ancient types have long departed
Newer rites of grace prevail
Faith for all defects supplying
Where the feeble senses fail.

Glory let us give and blessing
To the Father and the Son,
honour, might and praise addressing
while eternal ages run;
Equal praise to him confessing
who proceeds from both as one.
AMEN

V. You have given them bread from heaven
R. Having in itself all delight.

SWEET SACRAMENT DIVINE

Sweet Sacrament Divine,
hid in thy earthly home,
Lo! Round thy lowly shrine,
with suppliant hearts we come.
Jesus, to thee our voice we raise
in songs of love and heartfelt praise,
Sweet Sacrament Divine.

Sweet Sacrament of Peace,
dear home of every heart,
where restless yearnings cease,
and sorrows all depart.
There in thine ear, all trustfully
We tell our tale of misery
Sweet Sacrament of Peace.

PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

*Lord Jesus Christ at your last supper
you prayed to the Father
that all should be one.
Send your Holy Spirit
upon all who bear your name
and seek to serve you.*

*Strengthen our faith in you, and make us
love one another in humility.*

*May we, who have been reborn in one
baptism, be united in one faith under one
shepherd.*

Amen





OUR LADY OF JUDAH
ST STEPHEN'S CATHEDRAL

SATURDAY MORNING

Mercy Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father, and have told us that whoever sees you sees Him.

Show us your face and we will be saved. Your loving gaze freed Zacchaeus and Matthew from being enslaved by money; the adulteress and Magdalene from seeking happiness only in created things; made Peter weep after his betrayal, and assured Paradise to the repentant thief.

Let us hear, as if addressed to each one of us, the words that you spoke to the Samaritan woman: "If you knew the gift of God!"

You are the visible face of the invisible Father, of the God who manifests his power above all by forgiveness and mercy: let the Church be your visible face in the world, its Lord risen and glorified.

You willed that your ministers would also be clothed in weakness in order that they may feel compassion for those in ignorance and error: let everyone who approaches them feel sought after, loved, and forgiven by God.

Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with its anointing, so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord, and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed, and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy, you who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever.
Amen.

WEDNESDAY 1 JULY 2020

Wednesday of the 13th Week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

All peoples, clap your hands.
Cry to God with shouts of joy!

FIRST READING: Amos 5:14-15, 21-24

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 49:7-13, 16-17

'Listen, my people, I will speak;
Israel, I will testify against you,
for I am God your God.

'I find no fault with your sacrifices,
your offerings are always before me.
I do not ask more bullocks from your
farms, nor goats from among your herds.

'I own all the beasts of the forest,
beasts in their thousands on my hills.
I know all the birds in the sky, all that
moves in the field belongs to me.

'Were I hungry, I would not tell you,
for I own the world and all it holds.
Do you think I eat the flesh of bulls,
or drink the blood of goats?

'How can you recite my commandments
and take my covenant on your lips,
you who despise my law
and throw my words to the winds?'

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Father gave us birth by his message
of truth, that we might be as the first
fruits of his creation.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

Matthew 8:28-34

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all within me, his holy name.

THURSDAY 2 JULY 2020

Thursday of the 13th Week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

All peoples, clap your hands.
Cry to God with shouts of joy!

FIRST READING: Amos 7:10-17

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 18:8-11

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.

The precepts of the Lord are right,
they gladden the heart.
The command of the Lord is clear,
it gives light to the eyes.

The fear of the Lord is holy,
abiding for ever.
The decrees of the Lord are truth
and all of them just.

They are more to be desired than gold,
than the purest of gold
and sweeter are they than honey,
than honey from the comb.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile the world
to himself; and the Good News of
reconciliation he has entrusted to us.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

Matthew 9:1-8

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all within me, his holy name.

FRIDAY 3 JULY 2020

Saint Thomas

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

You are my God, and I confess you;
you are my God, and I exalt you;
I will thank you, for you became my
saviour.

FIRST READING: Ephesians 2:19-22

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 116

*R. Go out to all the world, and tell the
Good News.*

O praise the Lord, all you nations,
acclaim him all you peoples!

*R. Go out to all the world, and tell the
Good News.*

Strong is his love for us;
he is faithful for ever.

*R. Go out to all the world, and tell the
Good News.*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

You believe in me, Thomas,
because you have seen me;
happy those who have not seen me,
but still believe!
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: John 20:24-29

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Bring your hand and feel the place of
the nails, and do not be unbelieving
but believing.

SATURDAY 4 JULY 2020

Saturday of the 13th Week in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

All peoples, clap your hands.
Cry to God with shouts of joy!

FIRST READING: Amos 9:11-15

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:
Ps 84:9, 11-14

*R. The Lord speaks of peace to his
people.*

I will hear what the Lord God has to say,
a voice that speaks of peace, peace for
his people and his friends and those
who turn to him in their hearts. **R**

Mercy and faithfulness have met;
justice and peace have embraced.
Faithfulness shall spring from the earth
and justice look down from heaven. **R**

The Lord will make us prosper
and our earth shall yield its fruit.
Justice shall march before him
and peace shall follow his steps. **R**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

My sheep listen to my voice, says the
Lord.

I know them, and they follow me.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Matthew 9:14-17

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

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and all within me, his holy name.

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SATURDAY MORNING HYMNS

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viewing via live streaming from home.*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: CWBII 423

By all your saints still striving

By all your saints still striving, for all your
saints at rest, your holy Name, O Jesus, for
evermore be blessed.

You rose, our King victorious, that they might
wear the crown and ever shine in splendour
reflected from your throne.

Apostles, prophets, martyrs, and all the noble
throng who wear the spotless raiment and
raise the ceaseless song:
for them and those whose witness is only
known to you by walking in their footsteps we
give you praise anew.

COMMUNION HYMN: CWBII 407

Gentle Virgin Mother

Gentle Virgin Mother, blest above all other,
guiding star of ocean, lead us to salvation.

Now with Gabriel's blessing,
we, your grace confessing, offer you our
greeting, for your peace entreating.

Break the bonds that chain us,
heav'nly mercy gain us, free us from our
blindness in your loving kindness.

RECESSIONAL HYMN: CWBII 417

Sing we of the blessed Mother

Sing we of the blessed Mother
Who received the angel's word,
And obedient to his summons
Bore in love the infant Lord;
Sing we of the joys of Mary
At whose breast that child was fed
Who is Son of God eternal
And the everlasting Bread.

Sing we, too, of Mary's sorrows,
Of the sword that pierced her through,
When beneath the cross of Jesus
She his weight of suffering knew,
Looked upon her Son and Saviour
Reigning high on Calvary's tree,
Saw the price of man's redemption
Paid to set the sinner free.

Sing again the joys of Mary
When she saw the risen Lord,
And in prayer with Christ's apostles,
Waited on his promised word:
From on high the blazing glory
Of the Spirit's presence came,
Heavenly breath of God's own being,
Manifest through wind and flame.

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