

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday: Mass
Tuesday: 5.30pm Mass
Wednesday: 9.30am Mass
Thursday: 5.30pm Mass
Friday: 9.30am Mass
Saturday: 9.30am Mass

RECENT DEATH: Giuseppe Pezzaniti

ANNIVERSARY: Domenico Mammone

SICK: Joe Mammone, Bishop Ron Mulkearns, Jill Terrill, Henry Chung, Barry Pollock, Bev Antonie, Kerry Crosbie, Cos Pezzaniti, Judy Hunt

PARISH RECEIPTS

PRESBYTERY: \$262.75
SACRIFICIAL GIVING: \$428.30

Upcoming Events

Monday 1 Feb: Meals on Wheels

Wednesday 10 Feb: Ash Wednesday

Sunday 28 Feb: Youth Mass and Parish BBQ

Sunday 20 Mar: Palm Sunday

Thursday 24 Mar: Holy Thursday

Friday 25 Mar: Good Friday

Saturday 26 Mar: Easter Vigil

SAVE THE DATE SAVE THE DATE

Our Lady of the Rosary Committee have once again organised a dinner dance. This year it is to be held on Saturday 30th April at Club da Vinci with Peter Letto providing his wonderful talent to entertain us on the night.

Tables of 10 or 12 with every ticket purchased in the draw for a \$500 cash door prize!!

Get in early....you won't regret it!!

For tickets call Marianna on 0419 860 247 or Chris on 50243475.



ST JOSEPH'S RED CLIFFS (St Joseph the Worker)

NEWSHEET 2016: No. 5
Presbytery: 5024-1966
Carmel Russo: 5021 2872
Marianna Cavallaro: 5025-7473

PROJECT COMPASSION: Lent approaches, and with it our great annual effort to raise up some of the world's poor. Project Compassion envelopes are on the seats today.

Words of Wisdom

Speaking at the opening of a Holy Door in a homeless shelter before Christmas, Pope Francis said: "The way of salvation is not to be found through luxury, vanity, riches, or power."

YOUTH GATHERING

Halls Gap, April 4th—7th, 2016

For young people aged 16 and over.

More information to follow

THE SEASON OF LENT 2016

Ash Wednesday 10th February
First Sunday 14th February
Second Sunday 21st February
Third Sunday 28th February
Fourth Sunday 6th March
Fifth Sunday 13th March
Palm Sunday 20th March

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NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: 7th February, 2016
5th Sunday Ordinary Time / Year C

First Reading: Isa 6:1-8
Resp Psalm: Ps 137:1-5, 7-8. R. v. 1
Response: In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.
Second Reading: 1 Cor 15:3-8, 11
Gospel: Lk 5:1-11

Misericordiae Vultus – The Face of Mercy

Pope Francis officially began the Jubilee Year of Mercy on December 8, 2015. It also was the Feast Day of the Immaculate Conception and coincided with the 50th anniversary of the closing of the Second Vatican Council. In par 4 of the Bull of Indiction (a letter to the Church, explaining the rationale for the special, year-long celebration), he explained why he chose this date: "The Church feels a great need to keep this event alive...The walls which too long had made the Church a kind of fortress were torn down and the time had come to proclaim the Gospel in a new way...We recall the poignant words of St John XXIII when, opening the Council, he indicated the path to follow: 'Now the Bride of Christ wishes to use the medicine of mercy rather than taking up the arms of severity...' (Par 4)

SACRED HEART PARISH MISSION 2016

Fr Michael extends an invitation to all Parishioners to participate in our forthcoming Parish Mission. Please try to keep the following dates free. You may not be able to attend all of the days or evenings, but **highly recommends that you try to participate in some of the sessions as a means of some personal renewal during the Season of Lent.** All sessions will take place in the Church. Morning Sessions will be 10:15am – 12:15pm. Evening Sessions will be 7:00pm – 9:00pm.

Session 1 Sunday 28th February -

Jesus – who is he really?

Session 2 Monday 29th February

Jesus, Law and Conscience

Session 3 Tuesday 1st March -

Human Growth & Faith Growth

Session 4 Thursday 3rd March -

Jesus, Church & Community

Session 5 Friday 4th March -

Jesus, Forgiveness & Reconciliation

The final session will include a **Celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation.** Visiting priests will be available.

MASSES NEXT SUNDAY

RED CLIFFS: 10.00 am

(Irymple: 8.30 am)

(Mildura: Sat. 6.00 pm Sun. 5.00 pm)

Our Parish School

St Joseph's Primary School

Principal: *Mark Gibson* 5024 1654

ROSTERS FOR THIS WEEKEND

Sunday, 31st January, 2016

CHURCH CLEANING: Volunteers

COUNT TEAM: G & S Warman

LEADER: T Lewis

READER 1: J Lewis

READER 2: C Markham

LAY MINISTERS: C Markham, N Morello, M Monteleone

OFFERTORY: Lewis family

ALTAR SERVERS: Natalie Tassone, Gemma, Jamey & Nathan Monteleone, Gabrielle Spataro

MUSIC: Guitar

FLOWERS: Volunteer please

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Sunday, 7th February, 2016

CHURCH CLEANING: Volunteers

COUNT TEAM: F & M Dominelli

LEADER: C Russo

READER 1: M Monteleone

READER 2: J Vines

LAY MINISTERS: S Orr, N Pitt, C Russo

OFFERTORY: N Orr

ALTAR SERVERS: Natalie Dichiera, Sebastian Morello, Kycen Romeo, Rohan & Jahnvi Venkatesan Villa

MUSIC: Guitar

FLOWERS: Volunteer please

Saint of the Week - [St Blaise, Bishop, martyr](#) (February 3)

