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Palm Sunday - Year C
April 13, 2025
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Our Lady of the Rosary Church
14 Barker Rd, Prospect 5082

St Laurence's Church
134 Buxton St, North Adelaide 5006

FR MANNES TELLIS OP PARISH PRIEST

Palm Sunday

Today is bittersweet for we know what is to come. The crowds treat Jesus as their king, the hope for a better, independent Israel. They call Jesus the one who comes in the name of David, they throw palms across his way as they did for kings in the past. This scenario has been played out before in the Old Testament when the anointed King-Jehu rode into town he had been made king after the infidelity of his predecessor Ahab; Jesus is also riding into town to clean up not only the infidelity of the sons of Israel but of the whole world.

Each of us needs then to ponder in his own heart, am I like the crowd that day? Do I praise Jesus when He doesn't offend me, do I like Jesus when it's all nice? Or, am I fickle like the crowd, one minute saying hosanna and the next crucify Him? This is our challenge in the last week of Lent. How do we demonstrate our love for Christ after the love He has shown us?

First of all we need to take seriously the call to repentance so frequently echoed for these last 40 days, make sure that you have examined your conscience, if need be go to confession. Second, make a concerted effort to do some penance this week-spend some time in prayer, do a bit of fasting, give to charity. The aim is to shake off the possibility that we are no better than those crowds that came to see Jesus come into town. May we find ourselves at the end of this sacred time closer to Christ, confessing his name and truly saying to him "blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord".

HOLY WEEK TIMINGS

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY	ST LAURENCE'S
Holy Thursday: 7:30 pm	Good Friday: 8 am Tenebræ (Office of Readings and Morning Prayer with Preces)
Good Friday: 3 pm : Passion of our Lord	Good Friday: 10 am: Stations of the Cross Good Friday: 10: 30 am Confessions
Easter Vigil: 7:30 pm (with Baptisms)	Good Friday: 3 pm: Passion of the Lord
Easter Sunday: 8 am	Easter Vigil: 8 am Tenebræ (Office of Readings and Morning Prayer with Preces)
Easter Sunday: 10 am	Easter Sunday: 9 am
There will be no 5:30 pm Mass on Easter Sunday	Easter Sunday: 11 am

There is no midday Mass on Holy Thursday

Pilgrimage & Mass with Archbishop O'Regan in Sevenhill

Archbishop O'Regan will be making a pilgrimage to the Jubilee Pilgrimage Site of St Aloysius Church in Sevenhill on Saturday June 28, where he will celebrate Mass at 12.30pm. If you wish to attend this Mass, please register at the following link: <https://www.trybooking.com/DASOD> or scan the QR code. Reconciliation will be offered from 11am, and tea and coffee will follow the Mass. All are welcome!

The first aid kit is located in the Sacristy.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Dear Parishioners,

You, your family and friends are invited to join us to celebrate the Divine Mercy Sunday feast
On Sunday 27th April 2025, (the Sunday after Easter)
in Our Lady of the Rosary Church
14 Barker Rd, Prospect
Time: 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Divine Mercy goods table: 12:30pm - 1:00pm.

- * Don't forget to bring your rosary beads, prayer cards, books, etc,
So Fr can bless them.
- * Flyers available in the Church porches.

ENQUIRIES:

Mario Forte 0412 700 300;
Lothar Bukojemski 0422 982 860;
Julie Caridi 0422 982 851

Indulge Responsibly this Easter

Chocolate is a delicious treat and popular gift. Each year, Australians will spend millions of dollars buying hundreds of kilograms to enjoy over Easter season. But as delicious and quintessential as it has become, much of it has been tainted with slavery. As consumers we can play a part in combating slavery in chocolate supply chains. We can do this by purchasing chocolate that has the Rainforest Alliance, Cocoa Horizons or Fairtrade certification logos. This means that these companies are working to eliminate slavery in the cocoa industry. You can also double-check Be Slavery Free's chocolate scorecard (chocolatescorecard.com).

MORNING TEA

There will be Morning Tea after the Sunday 10am Mass in the Rosary Church Hall. All are welcome.



Marian Procession

The 76th Marian Procession will be held on Sunday May 18, 2025, beginning at Victoria Park and processing up Wakefield Street into Victoria Square. The Procession will commence at 2pm and all are invited to attend. For more information, please contact Archdiocesan Events on 8210 8220.

Mass of Thanksgiving for canonisation of Blessed Carlo Acutis

Blessed Carlo Acutis will be canonised in Rome on April 27, 2025. A Mass of Thanksgiving for the canonisation of Saint Carlo Acutis will be celebrated at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, 7 Marian Road, Payneham on Wednesday, April 30 at 7pm followed by veneration of his first-class relic. For further information contact office@paynehamcatholic.org.au All welcome

Marian Procession Volunteering

The Archdiocesan Events Office is currently seeking volunteers to support at the Marian Procession in a range of roles. If you are available and willing to help, please contact events@adelaide.catholic.org.au or 8210 8220. Volunteer roles are needed for Saturday May 17 (10am – 12pm) and Sunday May 18 (which is the date of the event and begins at 2pm).



St Vincent De Paul Conference

We are looking for the following food items to fill our food bags which we deliver to families in need:

Tins of soup, vegetables, fruit, tuna, baked beans.

Spaghetti, tea, coffee and pasta sauce.

Thank you for your generosity.

There will be no 12 pm Mass at Calvary on Wednesdays. This has been moved to St Laurence's until further notice.

Parish Knitting and Craft Group

The Parish Knitting and Craft Group meets on Mondays at 1 pm in the Parish Hall. All are welcome. Contact Marie for more details: 0428 768 333



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Entrance Antiphon

Six days before the Passover, when the Lord came into the city of Jerusalem, the children ran to meet him; in their hands they carried palm branches and with a loud voice cried out: Hosanna in the highest! Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy! O gates, lift high your heads; grow higher, ancient doors. Let him enter, the king of glory! Who is this king of glory? He, the Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!

First Reading : Isaiah 50:4-7

The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue.
So that I may know how to reply to the wearied
he provides me with speech.
Each morning he wakes me to hear,
to listen like a disciple.
The Lord has opened my ear.
For my part, I made no resistance,
neither did I turn away.
I offered my back to those who struck me,
my cheeks to those who tore at my beard;
I did not cover my face
against insult and spittle.
The Lord comes to my help,
so that I am untouched by the insults.
So, too, I set my face like flint;
I know I shall not be shamed.

Responsorial Psalm:

Response: My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

His state was divine, yet Christ Jesus did not cling to his equality with God but emptied himself to assume the condition of a slave, and became as men are, and being as all men are, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all other names so that all beings in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld, should bend the knee at the name of Jesus and that every tongue should acclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Gospel Acclamation:

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ,
king of endless glory!
Christ became obedient for us even to death,
dying on the cross.
Therefore God raised him on high
and gave him a name above all other names.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ,
king of endless glory!

Communion Antiphon

Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, your will be done.

Did you know that the United Nations Convention has established 42 rights for children and young people and we as adults have a responsibility to protect these rights? These rights are known as articles, this is article number 17;

Children have the right to information that is important to their wellbeing.

As adults it can be easy to forget to share information with children and young people. Sometimes we might even withhold it because we feel it isn't important, that they wouldn't understand or that it might be upsetting. It is

important to remember that children have the right to be informed and we have the responsibility to present information to them in a way that is easy to understand, age appropriate and meaningful. Whether that is information about their rights, discussions about difficult issues in the world around us, or the redeeming message of the Gospel that is universal to old and young. How do we ensure the messages of our Church are given to children equally as to adults? Let us speak to our children as God speaks to us every day.

To find out more about child protection initiatives contact the Child Protection Unit on Ph. 8210 8159

Please pray for:

Recently deceased: Shirley McKenna, Dr Tony Smith, Carla Becagli, Tim Howard, Bernadette Honner, Lito Esquilla, Vincent Allen, Phillips Tucio, Angela Foley, Vincenza Martucci, Peter Hill, Ben Wilson-Hill, Estrella Dela Pisa Bas, Katherine Welling, Glenice Brown, John Farrelly, Maria Tam Pham, Joseph Khang Nguyen

Those whose Anniversaries occur about this time:

Franca Urbancic, Candeloro Ciacciarelli, Carlo Bittoto, Conor McKenna, Brian Withers, Veronica Munday, Angelo Bassani, Maria Barecca Caridi, Esteuta Velasco, Rose-Anne Cabaddu, Maria Reppucci, Josie Rugari, Eric Rossi, Franca Urbancic, Filomena Crea, Anthony Nguyen, Gino & Elide Gazzola, Pellegrino Landolfi, Florence Huff, Brian Stanley, Cristina Stenta, Michael Doukas, Jim Smith, Pia Iadanza, David Bool, Bianca Guidolin, Marino Campagnolo, Anna Elizabeth Martin, Gabriele & Secondina Stenta

Those who are sick:

Dora Curley, Ann Gibbings, Sr Claudette Hiosan, Members of the Hale Family, Andrew, Tien Dzung Do, Colin Sanford, Nadia Dametto, David Fiorentino, Mother Pauline, Leanne Worrell, Tom Allen, Marion Hiosan, Jorge, XiAnna, Svetlana, Berryl Wannut

To have the names of your loved ones printed in the weekend bulletin, please contact the office no later than Wednesday afternoon of that week.





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