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# ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC PARISH

Contemplation | Fraternity | Mission

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2018  
3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER / Year B



As two disciples returned to their home in Emmaus from their Passover pilgrimage to Jerusalem, they discussed the meaning of the events they had witnessed there. As they journeyed along the road, the Risen Christ appeared to them, but they mistook him for another pilgrim. They told the "stranger" that Jesus was a mighty prophet, but their hope that "he was the one to redeem Israel" (Lk 24:21) was shattered at the crucifixion. They also told him of the rumor that some women went to the tomb and found it empty, but the apostles dismissed their story as nonsense. Jesus listened to their anguished tale, and then explained that God's plan had been revealed in Moses and the prophets (the Jewish scriptures), and that it was necessary that the Messiah should suffer so as to enter glory. At nightfall, the disciples urged Jesus to stay and share a meal with them. Though the disciples' eyes had been closed to Jesus' presence, they recognized him "in the breaking of the bread" (v. 35). Then he vanished from their sight. Unable to keep the good news to themselves, they hastened back to Jerusalem with great joy. There they discovered that the apostles had already experienced the Risen Christ. Although Jesus is physically absent, he continues to be with his followers through the Word and Eucharist.

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### NEWTON MASS TIMES

Saturday: 6:00pm (Vigil)  
Sunday: 9am, 5pm, 10:30am Italian  
Monday-Saturday: 8am  
Friday: 7:30pm Italian

### CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 11:00am - 12:00 noon  
5:00pm - 5:45pm

### ADORATION

Weekdays: 8:30am - 9:30am  
Friday Nights: 8:10pm - 10:00pm  
1st Friday: 8:30am - 5:00pm  
& 8:10pm - 10:00pm

### ATHELSTONE

HOLY NAME CHAPEL MASS  
Sunday 9:00am  
Wed & Fri 8:00am  
(School Term Only)

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### TO LOVE:

How can I help others discover Jesus on their spiritual journeys?



### TO SERVE:

Risen Lord, open my eyes to your presence in the scriptures and the sacrament.



**Day of the Unborn Child Appeal**

The amount received from the "Day of the Unborn Child" collection was **\$623.75. Thank you**



**WELCOME**

to God's family through Baptism,  
**Giuseppe Pellegrino  
& Marcus de Sciscio**

Our Prayers & Blessings to them and their families.

**MEETINGS THIS WEEK - ALL WELCOME**

**REMINDER: TODAY - 2.00pm**

Secular Franciscan Order Fraternity (in the Hall)  
Benediction (in the Church) at 3:45pm

**Monday 16th April 7.00pm**

Divine Mercy Group every week - San Nicola Room

**Tuesday 17th April 9.30am**

Divine Will Prayer Group - Bishop Kennedy Room

**Thursday 19th April 10.30am**

9.00am - St Vincent De Paul - Bishop Kennedy Room  
10.30am - Legion of Mary - Bishop Kennedy Room



**youth and young adults MASS**

FOLLOWED BY REFRESHMENTS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE  
St Francis of Assisi Catholic Parish, 59 Newton Road, Newton  
22 April 2018 (Fourth Sunday of each month) at 5pm

**STEWARDSHIP**

Our Gifts for Weekend of 07th / 08th April

**Second Collection:**

Weekly Promised Amount: - \$2,993 (as at 5 May 2017)

<b>Pledged Giving:</b>	Offertory Envelopes	\$2071.50
	Direct Debit	\$145.00
	Credit Card	\$722.00
	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2938.50</b>

**Unpledged Giving:** Loose Plate \$651.80



**ANZAC DAY**

Here at St. Francis of Assisi  
Wednesday 25th April  
Mass at 8.00am

We remember and give thanks for the sacrifice made by fellow Australians during times of conflict and to pray for peace during these troubled times.

**ANZAC Eve Mass at the Cathedral,  
Tuesday, April 24, 5.45pm**

followed by a procession to the War Memorial on North Terrace for a Youth Vigil  
For more information see our Noticeboard.

A Little Rock Scripture Study Course on the

**ACTS OF THE APOSTLES**

Is to commence on **Sunday, 20th May, 2018**  
in the Bishop Kennedy Room from  
**6.30pm - 8.00 p.m.**

The program involves 10 sessions.  
The Bible Commentary and the Study Guide which form the Study Set are likely to cost \$25.

Please register your interest in the List in the foyer or call the Parish Office on 8337 3849 early so that the Study Sets can be ordered in time.

**PROJECT COMPASSION**

If you still have Project Compassion boxes or envelope packs at home, please return them to the church or Parish Office as soon as possible.

**PROGETTO COMPASSIONE**

Se avete ancora scatole o pacchetti di buste a casa, per favore riportali al piu presto alla Chiesa o all'ufficio parrocchiale. Grazie.

**HOME BLESSINGS FOR THE EASTER SEASON**

Request forms are available in the Church foyer or the Parish Office. Please return the completed form to the Parish Office.

**BENEDIZIONE DELLA CASA**

Per richiedere la benedizione della casa si prega di riempire il modulo nell'atrio della chiesa e consegnarlo al personale dell'ufficio.

**ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT  
Every FRIDAY  
TO PRAY FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD &  
RELIGIOUS LIFE**

**7.00pm Mass in Italian**  
Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament.  
**9.30pm Solemn Benediction**

THIS WEEK'S ADORATION SUPPORT GROUP  
**St George Committee**



**Anzac Day Mercoledì 25 Aprile**



Commemoriamo i defunti che hanno dato la loro vita per la patria durante il conflitto della prima guerra mondiale.

E preghiamo anche per la pace nel mondo.

**La Santa Messa in suffragio verrà celebrata nella nostra chiesa alle ore 8.00am Mercoledì mattina 25 Aprile.**



**FESTA IN ONORE DI SAN GIORGIO**

Chiesa di San Francesco d'Assisi, Newton  
Triduo condotto da  
**Padre Eldridge D'Souza**

Mercoledì 18, Giovedì 19, Venerdì 20 aprile ore 7.00pm.

**Domenica 22 aprile**

Giorno della Festa processione alle 9.30am.  
Messa Solenne 10.30am

celebrata da **Rev. Fr. Philip Marshall, Vicar General.**  
Canterà il coro di San Francesco.  
**12.30pm** Tutti siete invitati e benvenuti al pranzo.

**MESSA IN ONORE DI SAN MARCO**

**Domenica 29 Aprile**  
10.30am Messa Solenne  
Processione dopo la S. Messa.  
**TUTTI BENVENUTI**



**IL GRUPPO CARISMATICO** si riunisce ogni giovedì nella sala parrocchiale ore 7.00pm.

**DIOCESAN SERVICE FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY**

Archbishop |Philip Wilson would like to invite all parishioners of the Adelaide Archdiocese to participate in the inaugural  
'Diocesan Service for Christian Unity,'  
on Saturday, May 26, 2018 between 2pm-4pm.



**WELCOMERS**  
and **ITALIAN LITURGY**  
Rosters  
available from the foyer.

**ADORAZIONE del SS Sacramento  
Ogni VENERDÌ sera  
PREGARE PER VOCAZIONI AL SACERDOZIO  
E ALLA VITA RELIGIOSA**

**7.00pm Messa in italiano**  
Esposizione del SS Sacramento  
**9.30pm Benedizione Solenne**

QUESTA SETTIMANA È DI TURNO IL GRUPPO DI:  
**San Giorgio**

**THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER / YEAR B**

**ENTRANCE ANTP.**

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth;  
O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

**1st READING:**

**Acts 3:13-15, 17-19**  
*You killed the prince of life; God, however, raised him from the dead.*

**PSALM:**

**Ps 4:2, 4, 7, 9**  
**Lord, let your face shine on us.**

**2nd READING:**

**1 John 2:1-5**  
*Jesus Christ is the sacrifice that takes away our sins and those of the whole world.*

**GOSPEL ACC.**

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

**GOSPEL**

**Luke 24:35-48** *It is written that the Christ would suffer and on the third day rise from the dead.*

**COMM ANTP.**

**The Christ had to suffer and on the third day rise from the dead; in his name repentance and remission of sins must be preached to all the nations, alleluia.**

**6.00pm Vigil: 21st April**

Commentator: Malcolm Ferguson  
1st & 2nd Readers: Melwin Rebello, Des Evans  
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm.: Sr Jimsy, D. Ferguson, J. Beyer

**9.00am: 22nd April**

If you are unable to attend on your rostered day please contact Vanda on 8336 5125  
Welcomers: V. Bartemucci & L. Berkelmans  
Commentator: Helen Mysak  
1st & 2nd Readers: Theo Augustine, Jim Shi  
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm. Sr Jimsy, M. Iasiello, L. Berkelmans

**10.30am: 22nd April**

Commentator: Rossella Branca  
1st & 2nd Readers: San Giorgio Festa  
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm. Sr Jimsy, I. Rillo, A. Ruggiero

**5.00pm: 22nd April**

Commentator: Gary Rego  
1st & 2nd Readers: Jacqui Furmage, Joanna Lamek  
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm.: Sr Jimsy, D. De Ieso, M. Rego

**CLEANERS: 21st April - Leader: Albina Cuzzocrea,**  
T. Aistrope, A. Martino, P. Milanese, B. & M. Ryan,  
M. Sassano, F. & M. Palumbo

**READINGS NEXT WEEK 4th Sunday of Easter 22nd April**

**Acts 4:8-12 / 1 John 3:1-2**

**ON THE ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK**