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ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC PARISH

Contemplation | Fraternity | Mission

Sunday 8th April 2018
2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)



On the evening of the resurrection, the disciples were gathered in fear behind locked doors. They were overjoyed when the Risen Lord appeared in their midst with a greeting of "peace" (Hebrew, *Shalom*). Just as God breathed life into Adam, the first living being (Gn 2:7), the Son of God breathed the life-giving Spirit upon his disciples, sending them forth with the power to forgive sins. Thomas (called Didymus, meaning "twin") was absent on this occasion and he refused to believe their testimony. His defiant words "unless I see" (Jn 20:25) came from one who knew Jesus as an intimate friend. A week later, the Risen Christ appeared again, and this time Thomas was present. When Thomas touched Christ's wounds, he declared Jesus to be his "Lord and God." Jesus told Thomas that those who believed in faith were more blessed than those who needed visible proof.

TO LOVE: Am I Thomas' twin? Do I refuse to believe unless I see?
TO SERVE: My Lord and my God, help me to believe when my faith wavers.

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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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Day of the Unborn Child Appeal

There will be a special collection at all Masses this weekend in support of the work undertaken by Birthline, Right to Life in South Australia and Matercare Australia. *We thank you in anticipation for your generous support.*

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

Mon. 9th The Annunciation of The Lord (S)
Wed. 11th St. Stanislaus, (M)

MEETINGS THIS WEEK - ALL WELCOME

Monday 9th April 7.00pm
Divine Mercy Group every week in the San Nicola Room
Thursday 12th April 10.00am
Legion of Mary, Bishop Kennedy Room



ST VINCENT DE PAUL REQUIRE MORE:

Cans of Baked Beans.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

HOLY LAND APPEAL - The amount received from the Good Friday Collection was **\$2,067.85**

Thank You

PROJECT COMPASSION

Please return your Project Compassion Boxes/ Envelopes to the basket near the Baptismal Font at the front of the Church. Donations are tax deductible - if you require a receipt, please count the contents of your box and write your name, address and the amount on the panel on the top of the box. Project Compassion envelope users will find a receipt in their envelope packs.

PROGETTO COMPASSIONE

Siete pregati di depositare la vostra scatola delle offerte nel cestino accanto al fonte battesimale.

IL GRUPPO CARISMATICO

si riunisce ogni giovedì nella sala parrocchiale ore 7.00pm. Il terzo giovedì del mese viene celebrata la S. Messa **GIOVEDÌ 12 APRILE ore 7.00pm**

STEWARDSHIP

Our Gifts for Weekend of 31st March / 01st April

Second Collection:

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

Pledged Giving:	Offertory Envelopes	\$2428.50
	Direct Debit	\$218.00
	Credit Card
	Total	\$2646.50

Unpledged Giving: Loose Plate \$1678.45

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI PARISH

join us All to contemplate our Lord's Mercy and love.

Divine Mercy Sunday

Sunday 8th April, 2018

in the Church TODAY

1.00pm – 1.30pm *Venerate the Divine Mercy image & also after Mass until 4:45pm.*

1.30pm – 2.45pm *Confession,*

1.45pm – 2.45pm *Adoration, Divine Mercy prayers & Divine Mercy Chaplet.*

3.00pm *Holy Eucharist*

Jesus, I trust in You

PARROCCHIA DI SAN FRANCESCO D'ASSISI

siete tutti invitati a contemplare, la Misericordia e l'amore del Signore.

Domenica della Divina Misericordia

Domenica 8 Aprile, 2018

nella chiesa OGGI

1.00pm – 1.30pm *Venerare l'immagine della Divina Misericordia anche dopo La Santa Messa fino alle 4:45pm.*

1.30pm – 2.45pm *Sacramento Della Riconciliazione (Confessione),*

1.45pm – 2.45pm *Adorazione e Preghiere della Divina Misericordia - Chaplet.*

3.00pm *Santa Messa*

Jesus | Trust in You

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY Sr. Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun, was God's instrument to proclaim Divine mercy toward every human being. Sr. Faustina was inspired by a vision in which Jesus told her that a painting should be made of his image with the invocation "Jesus, I trust in you." She commissioned the painting in 1935.

Cardinal Karol Wojtyla, then Archbishop of Krakow (later St. Pope John Paul II), began Sr. Faustina's process of beatification.

At her canonization in 2000, the Pope designated the Second Sunday of Easter to be Divine Mercy Sunday.

The Pope's final days coincided with the Church's preparation to celebrate the feast he described as flowing from Christ's "most profound mercy," and which the Lord himself established.

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.



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.

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
Pastoral Care Group



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:
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EASTER SUNDAY / YEAR B

ENTRANCE ANTP.	Like newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in him you may grow to salvation, alleluia.
1st READING:	Acts 4:32-35 <i>The whole group was united, heart and soul.</i>
PSALM:	Ps 117:2-4, 15-18, 22-24, R.v,1, Give thank to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.
2nd READING:	1 John 5:1-6 <i>Anyone begotten by God has already overcome the world.</i>
GOSPEL ACC.	Alleluia, Alleluia! <i>You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me; happy those who have not seen me, but still believe!</i> Alleluia!
GOSPEL	John 20:19-31 <i>After eight days, Jesus came in and stood among them.</i>
COMM ANTP.	Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia.

ON THE ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK

6.00pm Vigil: 14th April

Commentator: Eli Piantedosi
1st & 2nd Readers: Fabian Royan, Barry Burvill
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm.: Sr Jimsy, A. Burvill, J. Beyer

9.00am: 15th April

If you are unable to attend on your rostered day please contact Vanda on 8336 5125

Welcomers: Jim Shi & Vivian Lustrì
Commentator: Frank Congedi
1st & 2nd Readers: Barbara Barnes, Vanda Bartemucci
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm. Sr Jimsy, Angela Ferraro, Jim Howe, Lola Kelly

10.30am: 15th April

Commentator: Giovanna Mercuri
1st & 2nd Readers: Teresa Marona, Ferdinando Palumbo
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm. Sr Jimsy, Erminia Maiorano, Giuseppina Cerasa

5.00pm: 15th April

Commentator: Gary Rego
1st & 2nd Readers: Mary Grace Estrada, My Linh
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm.: Sr Jimsy, Cristina Simpson, N. Farina

CLEANERS: 14th April - Leader: Angela Ferraro,

Gina Callisto, Frank Congedi, Antonio D'Uva, Ravi Fernando, Jaquie Furmage

READINGS NEXT WEEK 3rd Sunday of Easter 15th April

Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/1 John 2:1-5