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**NEWTON MASS TIMES**  
Saturday: 6:00pm (Vigil)  
Sunday: 9am, 5pm, 10:30am Italian  
Monday-Saturday: 8am  
Friday: 7:00pm (in Italian)  
LAST Friday: 7:00pm (in English)

**YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MASS**  
Every 4th Sunday:  
5:00pm Family MASS  
Includes children's Liturgy and various activities after Mass

**CONFESSIONS**  
Saturday: 8:30am - 9:00am  
5.15pm - 5.45pm

**ADORATION**  
Weekdays: 8:30am - 9:30am  
Friday Nights: 7:40pm - 9:30pm  
1st Friday: 8:30am - 5:00pm  
& 7:40pm - 9:30pm

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Reception to Year 7

## 22nd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME 2nd September, 2018/Year B



*"This people pays me lip service but their heart is far from me" (v 6).*

The religious leaders of Israel had developed elaborate rituals to separate themselves from those who did not believe in God ("putting a fence around the Law"). These oral traditions were regarded as having the same binding force as the Law of Moses. Jesus and his disciples were criticized by the religious leaders for their failure to perform the market and kitchen purification rites. Jesus quoted the prophet Isaiah who faced hypocrisy in his own day. Jesus said that external acts should reflect the moral intent of God's Law and not be mere pious observances. It was not food or objects that defiled a person. It was the sinful motives of the heart that led to immoral acts. Jesus asks them to look to the various ways they are living in relationship with others to see if they are responding to God "from within" (with their whole being) or merely with "lip service".

**TO LOVE:** What is my attitude toward people whose religious observances are different than my own?

**TO SERVE:** Holy Spirit, help me to examine my motives for the things I do.

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**FATHERS' DAY PRAYER**

God our Father, in your wisdom and love, you made all things,  
Bless all dads, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers,  
Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.

Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honour them always with a spirit of profound respect and love.  
Grant this through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!**

**PREGHIERA PER LA FESTA DEL PAPÀ**  
Dio nostro Padre, nella tua saggezza e amore, hai creato tutte le cose.  
Benedici tutti i padri, affinché possano essere rafforzati come padri Cristiani.  
Lascia brillare l'esempio della loro fede e del loro amore.  
Concedi a noi, i loro figli e figlie, di onorarli sempre con uno spirito di profondo rispetto e amore.  
Concedi questo per Cristo nostro Signore.  
Amen.

**AUGURI A TUTTI I PAPÀ e BUONA FESTA!**

## FEAST OF ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Sunday 7th October 2018 - Bi-lingual Mass at 10.30am.  
There will be **NO 9.00am Mass** on this day.  
6.00pm (vigil) & 5.00pm Mass will be as usual.

## ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI FEAST DAY LUNCHEON

**SUNDAY 7th October at 12.00pm**

St Francis of Assisi Church Hall,  
59 Newton Road, Newton  
COST: \$35.00 Adults, \$20.00 (children under 12)  
4 Course Meal, Bar Facilities  
Tickets available from  
Ralph Ruggiero 0412 996 001 or the Parish Office



## FESTA SOLENNE IN ONORE DI SAN FRANCESCO - PRANZO

**Domenica 7 Ottobre**

**12.00pm Pranzo nella sala parrocchiale.**

Biglietti: \$35 per adulti  
\$20 per i bambini (sotto l'eta di 12)  
Pranzo di 4 portate, Servizio Bar  
Per i biglietti si prega di contattare:

Ralph 0412 996 001 o l'Ufficio Parrocchiale 8337 3849

## FEASTS THIS WEEK

Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> St. Gregory the Great (M)  
Sat 8<sup>th</sup> Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary (F)

## MEETINGS THIS WEEK All welcome

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 7.00pm**  
Divine Mercy Group every week - San Nicola Room  
**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 9.30am**  
Divine Will Prayer Group - Bishop Kennedy Room  
**Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September 10.00am**  
Legion of Mary - Bishop Kennedy Room



**ST VINCENT DE PAUL** is in need of long life milk & baked beans. Thank you for your generosity.

## ANNIVERSARIES MASS

If you are celebrating an ordination, profession or marriage anniversary of 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 50, and 60 or more years please contact the Parish Office with the names, year of anniversary and address by 7<sup>th</sup> September  
**Mass will be held at St Patrick's Church in Adelaide on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September at 2:00pm.**

## STEWARDSHIP

**Our Gifts for Weekend of 25th / 26th August**

### Second Collection:

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

**Pledged Giving:** Offertory Envelopes \$2164.00

Direct Debit \$ 40.00

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**Total \$2414.00**

**Unpledged Giving:** Loose Plate \$681.00

## SEPTEMBER IS CATHOLIC CHARITIES MONTH



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## FESTA MADONNA ADDOLORATA

Triduo in preparazione  
**Mercoledì 12, Giovedì 13, Venerdì 14 settembre alle 7.00pm**

**Domenica 16 settembre - Messa solenne 10.30am.**

Processione dopo la messa. Il comitato invita tutte le Associazioni Religiose a partecipare alla processione con i loro stendardi e distintivi.

## PADRE PIO RELICS

VISITING  
**ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH, NEWTON & MATER CHRISTI CHURCH, SEATON**

**Saturday, September 15 - NEWTON**

5.40pm Rosary 6:00pm (Vigil) Mass, Veneration with the Relics

**Sunday, September 16 - NEWTON**

USUAL MASS TIMES  
9.00am, 10:30am (Italian) & 5:00pm, with Rosary commencing 20 minutes BEFORE Mass Veneration with the Relics,

**Monday, September 17 - NEWTON & SEATON**

8.00am *Newton*  
Mass, Veneration with the Relics, Adoration and Rosary

12.00pm - 6.00pm *Mater Christi, Seaton*  
Viewing, Adoration with Reconciliation

7.00 pm *Mater Christi, Seaton*  
Padre Pio Relics Mass

**Tuesday, September 18 - NEWTON**

8.00am Mass, Veneration with the Relics, Adoration and Rosary  
10.30am (Italian Village, St Agnes)  
Mass, Veneration of the Relics, and Rosary  
7.00pm Mass, and Veneration of the Relics

**Wednesday, September 19 - NEWTON**

8.00am Mass, Veneration with the Relics, Adoration and Rosary  
9.30am (Parish School Mass), Veneration with Relics  
12.00pm Mass, Veneration of the Relics, Reconciliation and Rosary  
7.00pm Mass, and Veneration of the Relics



For more information contact: St Francis of Assisi Church 8337 3849 | [newtonparish@bispnd.com](mailto:newtonparish@bispnd.com)

## FIRST FRIDAY of the month 7th SEPTEMBER

**8.00am** Mass followed by Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament until 5pm.

**5.00pm** Reposition

**7.00pm** Italian MASS (Padre Pio)  
Rosary with the St. Pio Prayer Group  
Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament

**9.30pm** Close of Adoration with Solemn Benediction

**Come and keep vigil with the Lord!**

THIS WEEK'S ADORATION SUPPORT GROUPS  
**Padre Pio Prayer Group / Divine Mercy**



## WORLD YOUTH DAY ADELAIDE 2019

The Catholic Office for Youth and Young Adults is inviting those aged between 16 & 35 to apply to be members of a Street team for January's World Youth Day Adelaide festival.  
The Street team will be formed by creative communicators and influencers who will help generate excitement for the upcoming festival in school and parish settings across the Diocese.  
To apply (or make a recommendation), email Mary-Anne Maio, Diocesan Youth Communications Officer - [mary-anne.maio@cesa.catholic.edu.au](mailto:mary-anne.maio@cesa.catholic.edu.au), or phone 8301 6109.

Celebriamo qui nella nostra chiesa la  
**Natività della Beata Vergine Maria**  
**S. Messa, Domenica 9 settembre ore 10.30am**



## FESTA DELLA MADONNA DI MONTEVERGINE

La Missione avrà inizio **lunedì 24 settembre**. S. Messa sarà celebrata ogni sera alle **ore 7.30pm**. La Missione inizia con la fiaccolata partendo dalla Grotta della Madonna di Lourdes, recita del Santo Rosario e processione in Chiesa.

Come al solito mezz'ora prima della Santa Messa (**7.00pm**) ogni sera si cono le confessione individuale, e recita del Santo Rosario.

**Lunedì** - Serata di preghiera per le Vocazioni  
**Martedì** - Serata di preghiera per le Famiglie  
**Mercoledì** - (bi-lingual Mass) serata per i bambini e giovani  
**Giovedì** - Serata di preghiera per i nostri anziani e ammalati con unzione speciale  
**Venerdì** - Serata di preghiera per i nostri defunti  
**Sabato** - S.Messa Parrocchiale Prefestiva in inglese ore 6pm

**DOMENICA 30 SETTEMBRE** - La processione avrà inizio dalla chiesa di Hectorville **ore 9.00am, ore 10.30am** Messa Solenne celebrata da Padre Eldridge D'Souza OFM Cap.

**TUTTI BENVENUTI**

## CELEBRAZIONE IN ONORE A SAN PIO DI PIETRELCINA

Triduo in preparazione Mercoledì 19, Giovedì 20, Venerdì 21 settembre alle 7.00pm

S. Messa in Italiano, 7.30pm Recitazione del S. Rosario  
**PREDICATORE: PADRE BERNARD MORAWSKI**

## GIORNO DELLA FESTA DOMENICA 23 SETTEMBRE

10.30am Solenne Messa cantata dal coro San Francesco d'Assisi, processione intorno alla Chiesa. I comitati delle feste religiose sono invitate a partecipare con i loro stendardi. **12.30 pm** Pranzo familiare in sala.  
N.B. Per i biglietti per il pranzo rivolgersi ai membri del comitato, Antonio 8362 5210.



## PRIMO VENERDI DEL MESE 7 SETTEMBRE

**8.00am** S. Messa seguita con l'Esposizione del SS Sacramento tutto il giorno, fino alle ore 5pm

**5.00pm** Il SS Sacramento sarà riposto nel tabernacolo.

**7.00pm** Messa di San Pio da Pietrelcina  
Rosario con il gruppo di Preghiera di San Pio da Pietrelcina  
Esposizione del SS Sacramento

**9.30pm** Benedizione Solenne

**Vegliate con il Signore ogni venerdì sera!**

Questa settimana per l'Adorazione sono incaricati  
**i gruppi di San Pio / Misericordia Divina**

## Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

**ENTRANCE ANTP.** Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O. Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.

**1st READING:** Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8 *You may add nothing to the word which I speak to you - keep the command of the Lord.*

**PSALM:** Ps 14:2-5. R. v. 1  
**The just will live in the presence of the Lord.**

**2nd READING:** St James 1:7-18, 21-22, 27  
*Be doers of the word.*

**GOSPEL ACC.** *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** Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23  
*You forget the commandments of God to hold on to human tradition.*

**COMM ANTP.** How great is the goodness, Lord, that you keep for those who fear you.

## CHILD PROTECTION WEEK - "Play your Part"

As part of National Child Protection Week, Child Protection Sunday will be celebrated on **8th September at the 6.00pm (Vigil) Mass.**

**6.00pm Vigil: 8th September**

Commentator: Frank Placentino  
1st & 2nd Readers: c/o Frank Placentino  
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm.: Sr Jimsy, D. Ferguson, T. Aistropo

**9.00am: 9th September**

**If you are unable to attend your 9am rostered day please contact Vanda on 8336 5125**

Welcomers: Jim Shi & Beata Dawidowska  
Commentator: Maurice Hayek  
1st & 2nd Readers: John Middeldorp, A. Wardle  
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm. Sr Jimsy, A. Burvill, B. Burvill

**10.30am: 9th September**

Commentator: Antonietta Corbo  
1st & 2nd Readers: A.M. Moschetta & Saverio Puccini  
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm. Sr Jimsy, G. Cerasa, R. Ruggiero

**5.00pm: 9th September**

Commentator: Jacquie Furmage  
1st & 2nd Readers: Isaac Nakone, Shane Subasinghe  
Ex. Min. Hol. Comm.: Sr Jimsy, M. Ramsay, M. Rego

**CLEANERS: 8th September- Leader: Tony Bartemucci,**

Vanda Bartemucci, Mercedes D'Onise, Mary Mitolo, John Mitolo, Linda & Rebecca Tatarelli

**READINGS NEXT WEEK, 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 8/9 September**

**Isaiah 35:4-7 / James 2:1-5**

**ON THE ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK**