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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
5:00pm - 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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"TODAY THIS SCRIPTURE PASSAGE IS FULFILLED IN YOUR HEARING"
(v.21).

Luke was a Gentile convert to Christianity who wrote his Gospel for other Gentile Christians. Luke began the account of Jesus' public ministry with his proclamation in the synagogue in Nazareth. As Jesus' fame spread throughout the land, he was often called upon to read and comment on the scriptures. The readings of the entire Pentateuch were covered in a three year cycle, much like our Christian lectionary today. Any well instructed male member of the assembly could be called upon to read and interpret the scriptures. On one occasion, Jesus was given the scroll of the prophet Isaiah to read (Is 61:1-2). The passage spoke of the restoration of Israel through the work of God's anointed one (the *Messiah* in Hebrew or *Christos* in Greek). Jesus announced that Isaiah's words applied to his own mission. He had been anointed by God's Spirit to announce a Jubilee year of God's favour, and to bring good news to the poor, the oppressed and afflicted. The Messianic era had arrived in Jesus' healing and preaching. God had anointed him to bring liberation and salvation to all who believed the good news. Although the people were amazed by Jesus' words, they rejected him as they did the prophets before him.

TO LOVE: Lord Jesus, anoint me with your Spirit to proclaim hope to the distressed.

TO SERVE: In what ways does my parish care for the poor and suffering?

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LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

Mon 28 St. Thomas Aquinas, priest, doctor (M)
 Wed 30 St. Hyacinth Maressotti, virgin (M)
 Thu 31 St. John Bosco, priest (M)
 Sat 2nd The Presentation of the Lord (F)

MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Monday 28 January - 7.00pm
 Divine Mercy Prayer Group - San. Nicola Room
Thursday 31 January - 10.00am
 Legion of Mary - Bishop Kennedy Room
Friday 1 February - 8.30am
 Liturgy Meeting - Foyer Sacristy

NO Youth and Young Adults Mass in January.

ALL are invited to attend the World Youth Day Mass at Somerton Park on Sunday, 27th January at 5.00pm



Join millions from around the world for the **World Youth Day 2019 in Panama**, January 27.

Stay tuned with SHALOM WORLD TV as we bring you the LIVE coverage of the event, including music, praise and worship, confession, and Holy Mass that would transform the participants into ambassadors of Christ!

STEWARDSHIP

Our Gifts to God and Parish

We are grateful to you for your presence, your participation and your financial support of St Francis of Assisi Parish.

Our Gifts for Weekend of 19th / 20th January

Second Collection:

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

Pledged Giving: Offertory Envelopes \$3,108.50
 Direct Debit \$193.00
 Credit Card \$340.00
Total \$3,641.50

Thank you "St Vincent de Paul Society, Newton conference would like to thank the **Ferraretto Family** for nominating St. Vincent de Paul as their preferred Charity for "in memoriam" donations. Your family and friends have contributed \$1,850 towards our mission to help the locally disadvantaged. *May God reward you for your generosity.*

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD IN THE TEMPLE (Candlemas Day)
"For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in sight of all the peoples" (v. 30-31).
Saturday 2nd February.
 The 8.00am Mass will begin with the Blessing of Candles. These candles may be taken home after Mass for a gold coin donation.

PRESENTAZIONE DEL SIGNORE (Festa della Candelora)
Sabato 2 febbraio

La S. Messa delle 8:00am inizierà con la benedizione delle candele. Queste candele possono essere portate a casa dopo la S.Messa, per una piccola offerta.



Sunday SCHOOL Children from State Schools ages 8 years & above wishing to attend **SUNDAY SCHOOL** are invited to attend an information session on **Sunday, 3rd February 2019 after 9.00am Mass in the Bishop Kennedy Room** For more information contact the **Parish Office 8337 3849**

Bambini dagli 8 anni in su delle scuole pubbliche che desiderano iscriversi per il Catechismo, sono invitati a partecipare alla giornata informativa, **Domenica, 3 febbraio**, dopo la Messa delle 9.00am, nella stanza di Bishop Kennedy.

YOUNG ADULTS - You are invited on Saturday, February 16 to an afternoon of 'A Journey of Discovery - the Married, Religious and Priestly Life' at the Henley Beach Parish Hall. Join guest speakers Lauren and Peter Bierer, Fr. Peter Zwaans and members of the Vocation Network. Please register jenny.seal@olshaustralia.org.au

FIRST FRIDAY of the month 1st February

8.00am Mass followed by Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament until 10.00am
4.00pm - 5.00pm Adoration followed by Reposition
7.00pm Italian MASS (Padre Pio) / All Souls Day 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

CLEANERS' ROSTER
 New rosters are available in the foyer of the Church. We urge members of the Saturday cleaning teams to collect their roster so that we can avoid the postage which has become significant.

I nuovi turni sono disponibili nel foyer della Chiesa. Esortiamo tutti i membri che puliscono la Chiesa il Sabato mattina di raccogliere il loro roster in modo che possiamo evitare le spese di spedizione che è diventato significativo.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Monday 11th February
8.00am Mass followed by Anointing of the Sick.

7.00pm Blessing of the sick at the Grotto, then procession into the church reciting the Holy Rosary followed by Mass.



FESTA IN ONORE DELLA MADONNA DI LOURDES

Lunedì 11 febbraio

8.00am - Messa in inglese con Unzione per gli ammalati.

7.00pm Incominciando dalla Grotto (dietro la chiesa) benedizione degli ammalati.

Poi si va in processione recitando il Santo Rosario prima della Santa Messa.

SCHOOL RESUMES - TUESDAY, 29 JANUARY 2019

40 DAYS FOR LIFE. THE 40 DAYS FOR LIFE - LENTEN CAMPAIGN

will run from **Wednesday 6th March to Sunday 14th April**
8.00am - 6.00pm at Pregnancy Advisory Centre, 21 Belmore Tce, Woodville.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED if you can spend an hour or two please call Campaign Director, Alan Tyson 8364 4516 / 0412 389 875
See the notice board for all details.

PRIMO VENERDI DEL MESE 1 febbraio

8.00am S. Messa seguita con l'Esposizione del SS Sacramento fino alle ore 10.00am
4.00pm - 5.00pm Adorazione seguito da riposto nel tabernacolo.
7.00pm Messa di San Pio da Pietrelcina / Tutti i Santi 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**

3rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE ANTP. O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth. In his presence are majesty and splendour, strength and honour in his holy place.
1st READING: Nehemiah 8:2-6, 8-10
They read from the book of the Law and they understood what was read.
PSALM: Ps 18;8-10, 15. R. Jn. 6:63
Your words, Lord, are spirit and life.
2nd READING: 1 Corinthians 12:12-30
Together you are Christ's body; but each of you is a different part.
GOSPEL ACC. Alleluia, Alleluia!
The Lord sent me to bring Good News to the poor and freedom to prisoners. Alleluia!
GOSPEL Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21
The scriptures are fulfilled on this day.
COMM ANTP. Look toward the Lord and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed.



UPDATED MASS ROSTERS commencing FEBRUARY 2019 are NOW available for collection from the foyer.

ON THE ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK

CLEANERS: 2 February - Leader: Diana Beltrame
 J. Bell, M. Belperio, E. Costanzo, R. Maiorano, I. Mercurio, A.M. Moschetta, C. Paradiso, P. Parletta, S. Spajic.
6.00pm Vigil: 2 February
 Commentator: Maria Nardi
 1st & 2nd Readers: Beata Dawidowska, Barry Burvill
 Ex. Min. Hol. Comm.: A. Burvill, J. Beyer
9.00am 3 February
 If you are unable to attend your 9am rostered day please contact Vanda on 8336 5125
 Welcomers: Lucienne Berkelmans & Vinny Fortes
 Commentator: John Middeldorp
 1st & 2nd Readers: Barbara Barnes, Vicki Rubino
 Ex. Min. Hol. Comm. I. Augustine, A. Wardle
10.30am: 3 February
 Commentator: Domenic Zollo
 1st & 2nd Readers: Iolanda Corbo, Antonio Cardone
 Ex. Min. Hol. Comm. I. Rillo, A. Catalano, A. Ruggiero
5.00pm: 3 February
 Commentator: Melanie/Marie Rego
 1st & 2nd Readers: Pat Terminello, John Placentino
 Ex. Min. Hol. Comm.: D. De Ieso, N. Farina
READINGS NEXT WEEK: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 3 Feb
 Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 / 1 Corinthians 12:31 - 13:13