

PARISH OF ST ANNE & ST BEDE

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TODAY'S LITURGY – 3rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 26 JANUARY 2020 AUSTRALIA DAY

Entrance: GA 404: Christ, Be Our Light

1st Reading: Isaiah 8: 23- 9:3

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 26
R. The Lord is my light and my salvation.

2nd Reading: Corinthians 1: 10-13, 17

Gospel: Matthew 4: 12-23

Offertory: GA 502: The Summons

Communion: GA 323: Where There is Charity and Love

Recessional: GA 468: I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say

Your prayers are asked for:

Alma & Isak Rutstrom, Patrick John Carty, Francesco Cassani, Brennan Family, Kelly Family, Susie Deane, John Clancy, Jean Trethewie and Grace Smith whose anniversaries occur about this time.

Welcome Fr Thang Vu

We welcome Fr Thang who will celebrate the 9:00am and 11:00am Masses at St Bede's today.

THIS WEEKEND THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL COLLECTION AT ALL MASSES FOR THE ST VINCENT DE PAUL BUSHFIRE APPEAL.

Donations can also be made online at www.vinnies.org.au.

Parish Office Closed on Monday, 27 January

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed on Monday, 27 January for the Australia Day Public Holiday.

No Mass at St Bede's on Tuesday, 28 January

On Tuesday, 28 January there will be a 9am Mass at St Anne's for the school staff of St Anne's and St Bede's. Therefore, there will be no 9:15am Mass at St Bede's on this day. All are welcome to attend.

MASS TIMES SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday

St Anne's	5.00pm
St Bede's	6.00pm

Sunday

St Joachim's	8.30am
St Bede's	9.00am
St Anne's	10.30am
St Bede's	11.00am

WEEKDAYS

Tues	St Bede's	9.15am
Wed	St Anne's	8.00am
Thur	St Bede's	9.15am
Fri	St Anne's	8.00am
	St Bede's	9.15am
Sat	St Bede's	10.00am

RECONCILIATION

ST BEDE'S

10.30am Saturday

ST ANNE'S

4.30pm Saturday

PARISH STAFF

Parish Priest:

Fr John Salvano

Associate Priest:

Fr Toan Nguyen

Parish Secretary:

Maria Costanzo

Pastoral Coordinator:

Jo Ryan

Finance Officer:

Kristina Slavec

PARISH SCHOOLS

St Anne's Primary School

Principal: Gregory James

Ph: 9859 4116

St Bede's Primary School

Principal: Brian Grace

Ph: 8851 4637

HOLY SPIRIT SISTERS

51 Strathalbyn St, Kew East

Ph: 9859 2440

GOOD SAMARITAN SRS

33 Severn St, Balwyn North

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LENTEN SMALL GROUPS: MARCH/APRIL 2020

The Parish of St. Anne and St. Bede have run Lenten Small Group programs for many years now. This year's program 'Be Opened: A Journey to New Life' comes from the Brisbane Archdiocese.

These small group meetings are a wonderful opportunity to get to know your fellow parishioners better and provide a chance for relaxed reflection on the best stories that the world has ever heard - The Scriptures.

Next week lists of times, dates and venues will be made available at the back of the churches.

GENERATION X RESEARCH PROJECT INFORMATION



Christina Westmore-Peyton is a Doctoral student at the University of Divinity who is doing a research project investigating Generation X and their relationship to the Catholic Church. Generation Xers were born between 1965 and 1980, now aged 39 to 54 years of age.

The people that Christina would like to interview grew up in a family where both parents were active and participating Catholics, and regularly took their children to Mass. They would have been to Catholic schools for most of their schooling. They may or may not be Church attenders now or may have become completely disaffiliated from the Church. She wants to find out about their spiritual and religious journey.

Are you in this age-group and interested in participation? If so, Christina would be pleased to hear from you, and will provide further information about the study to anyone interested in taking part. The parents of Gen Xers are welcome to pass on this information to their adult children or other people in this age group whom they think may be interested in this valuable research.

Christina believes this project is important because it may help explain why the majority of Gen Xers no longer practise their faith in the way that their parents did.

All possible steps will be taken to ensure strict confidentiality, and interviews will take place in a safe environment chosen by the interviewee and take between 1 - 1.5 hours.

Further information from Christina: 0407 689022 or christinawestmore@bigpond.com

Thank you.

SAFETY OF CHILDREN AND ALL VULNERABLE PEOPLE

We hold the care, safety and wellbeing of children and all vulnerable people as a central and fundamental responsibility of our parish. The Parish Statement of Commitment and Reporting Process are on display in all churches and all Parish Policies are available on the website or at the parish office.