Sunday Mass Times: Saturday: 6.30pm Sunday: 9.30am Confession: Saturday 6-6.20pm Weekday Masses: Tuesday: 9.15am Thursday: 9.15am

9.15am

Friday:



# St. Joseph's Parish Tranmere

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# 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 16th/17th February 2019

Hymns: Entrance: I Am The Bread Of Life One Bread One Body Offertory: Communion: Be Still, For The Presence Of The Lord Recessional Go Now You Are Sent Forth 1st Reading: Jeremiah 17: 5 - 8 **Responsorial Psalm:** Happy are they who hope in the Lord R: Happy indeed is the man who follows not the counsel of the wicked, nor lingers in the way of sinners nor sits in the company of scorners, but whose delight is the law of the Lord and who ponders his law day and night. R: He is like a tree that is planted beside the flowing waters, that yields its fruit in due season and whose leaves shall never fade: and all that he does shall prosper. R: Not so are the wicked, not so! For they like winnowed chaff shall be driven away by the wind; for the Lord guards the way of the just but the way of the wicked leads to doom. R: 2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16 - 20 Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Rejoice and be glad; your reward is great in heaven. Alleluia! Gospel: Luke 6:17, 20 - 26 **Prayer after Communion** Lord, you give us food from heaven. May we always hunger for the bread of life. EL Our First Aid Kit is located in the Sacristy, FIRST look for the white cross on a green background on the cupboard.

Parish Priest

Deacon Dcn Remo Patroni

Fr. Anthoni Adimai **Assistant Priests** 

Fr. Michael Odiwa

Fr. Jeevan Gabriel

Fr. Joseph Wales Raja George

**Parish Co-ordinator** Stephanie Roach

**RE Co-ordinator** Natalie Bampton (Mon)

**Child Protection Officer** T.B.A.

Rosters for:	23rd/24th February — 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
6:30pm			<b>Communion</b> Peter Rees Fil Ciancio
9:30am	Antonetta Bartley Mikayla Bartley		Sue Wakeham Hicinta Msomi Rebecca Clarke Domenic Yeow Roger Worth
Children's Liturgy:		Tania Loro Martin & Evangelin Achusiogu	
Count Team No: 3		Chris & Kerron Gillen Danielle & Paul Roocke	
Altar:		Bridgette Barrett	
Liturgy:		Stephanie	
ALL THOSE WHO VOLUNTEERED PLEASE ARRIVE AT LEAST 15 MINUTES BEFORE THE START TIME AND REPORT TO THE COMMENTATOR FOR THAT MASS.			

#### Please remember in your prayers

All those who have died recently :

And we remember in our prayers: Ellen Higginson

We also ask you to pray for the sick in the Parish: Brian Deegan. Victoria Muscat, Eileen Ryan, Maria Cannata, Giovanna Borg, Ada Docimo, Barbara Waterman, Julian Ryan, Kathleen Quinn, Val Carter, Lino Beltrame

This list may be added to during the coming month and will be reviewed on the last Friday in the month.

# The Pope's Twitter Feed @Pontifex

February 9th: Love of God and love of neighbour are inseparable. They are two sides of the same coin: lived together they are the true strength of believers!

February 10th: If we practice seeing with the eyes of Jesus, we will always be able to recognize those who need our help.

Parish Secretaries (Mon/Tue) Angela Perilli Sue Wakeham (Thurs/Fri)

School Principal Adrian Grbin 8431 2834 St. Vincent de Paul 8112 8700 (Admin) 1300 729 202 (Assistance -9am—1pm)

**Knights of the Southern** Cross Michael Boyle 8337 3270

# FROM FR. JEEVAN

# WHY DID JESUS FOLD THE NAPKIN?

Why did Jesus fold the linen burial cloth after the resurrection? The gospel john (20:7) tells us that the napkin, which was placed over the face of Jesus, was not thrown aside like the grave cloths. The bible takes an entire verse to tell us that the napkin was neatly folded and was placed separate from the grave cloths. Early Sunday morning, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and found that the stone had been rolled away from the entrance. She ran and said to Peter. Then, Peter and john ran towards the tomb and on arrival, they found the linen that had covered the head was folded up and kept aside.

# Was that important? Absolutely. Is it really significant? Yes, of course.

In order to understand the significance of the folded napkin, you have to understand little bit about Hebrew tradition of that time. The folded napkin had to do with the master and servant, and every Jew knew this tradition. When the servant set the dinner table for the master, he made sure that it was exactly the way the master wanted it. The table was furnished perfectly and the servant would wait until the master had finished eating and the servant would not dare touch that table until the master was finished. Now if the master was done eating, he would rise form the table, wipe his fingers, his mouth, his beard and would wad up that napkin and toss it onto the table. The servant would then knew it was time to clear the table. For in those days, the wadded napkin meant, "I'm done". However, if the master got up from the table and folded his napkin and laid it beside his plate, the servant wouldn't dare to touch the table because the folded napkin meant, "I'M COMING BACK". "He is COMING BACK".

#### ANNUAL VOLUNTEERS MASS & DINNER

FRIDAY 1ST MARCH

#### 7:00 pm Mass followed by Dinner

#### 2 Course & Drinks

As this is **free** for Catering purposes please write your name and the number of tickets required on the booking forms on the doors.

EVERYONE who is on any roster, does odd jobs, turns up for cleaning bees, sweeps the leave from the driveway without being asked, in fact everyone who does anything as a VOLUNTEER!

Bring your husband/wife, young children if you can't get a babysitter.

## THE GRAHAM TOUR - ADELAIDE 2019

There has been a copy of Bishop Greg O'Kelly's letter to parishes about this on the notice board for a couple of weeks. We have now received small invitation cards, which are at each door. Admission is FREE.

It is on Wednesday 20th February at 7:30 pm at the Titanium Security Arena (44 Crittenden Road, Findon). Doors open at 6:30 pm.

It is basically a prayer service that focusses on our relationship with Christ. The organisers are very respectful of the different Christian traditions and Churches and there is no suggestion of any transfer of allegiance from one

denomination to another. The purpose of the Graham Tour is to strengthen people in their own Church or tradition.

It features performances by Crowder and Planetshakers and a personal message of hope from Franklin Graham.

## Josephites Jumping into Justice 2019

Launch of: 'Fanning the Flame of Friendship' Saturday 23rd February 2019 Bethany Centre From 2pm What is it about Mary MacKillop and her story that captures each of us? Listen to inspiring stories and share in afternoon tea. RSVP & enquiries: Mary – 0417 871 904 Special Collection on Sunday 3rd March for The Day of the Unborn Child



# World Day of Prayer - March 2019 SLOVENIA

**'Come - Everything is Ready'** Friday 1st March @ 10:00 am Pilgrim Lutheran Church, Edward Street, Magill

This is your opportunity to join Christians in 140 such services around South Australia and others in more than 170 countries of the world to celebrate the Wold Day of Prayer using a program of worship prepared by Christians in Slovenia (a former Yugoslav socialist republic.)

The theme is 'COME-EVERYTHING IS READY' asks us to reflect on our Christian role of sharing the message and offering love and care to everyone.

Through participation in the service we come to "know" the people of another country, culture and language. We can hear their concerns and needs. We can pray for them and share their joys, hopes and sorrows.

Please come along for the service at 10:00 am and stay for a "cuppa" with Christians from other churches in our area.

## **Diary Dates**

(You can also find these on the Parish website. Just Google St Josephs Parish Tranmere) Holy Hour Each Friday after 9:15 am Mass Rosary 8:45am before each weekday Mass

February 18th February 20th March 1st March 2nd March 3rd March 5th March 6th March 6th March 8th Catholic Women's League 1:30 pm St Vincent de Paul meeting 7:30 pm Volunteer's Mass & Supper Liturgy Committee Meeting 9:30 am Special Appeal - Day of the Unborn Child Shrove Tuesday Knights of Southern Cross 7:30 pm Ash Wednesday - Mass 9:15am & 7:00pm Stations of the Cross - 7:00 pm