

St James' & St Bede's

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time C

12th June 2016

Entrance Antiphon:

O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you;
be my help.
Do not abandon or forsake me, O God, my Saviour!

Collect

O God, strength of those who hope in you,
graciously hear our pleas,
and, since without you mortal frailty can do nothing,
grant us always the help of your grace,
that in following your commands
we may please you by our resolve and our deeds.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy
Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

2 Samuel 12:7-10, 13

Nathan instructs David on his sinfulness.

Responsorial Psalm

Lord, forgive the wrong I have done.

Galatians 2:16, 19-21

Paul died to the law to live for God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
God first loved us
and sent his Son to take away our sins.
Alleluia!

Luke 7:36-8:3

In Simon's house, a woman washes Jesus' feet with oil.

Prayer over the Offerings

O God, who in the offerings presented here
provide for the twofold needs of human nature,
nourishing us with food
and renewing us with your Sacrament,
grant, we pray,
that the sustenance they provide
may not fail us in body or in spirit.
Through Christ our Lord.

Communion Antiphon:

There is one thing I ask of the Lord, only this do I seek:
to live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

Prayer after Communion

As this reception of your Holy Communion, O Lord,
foreshadows the union of the faithful in you,
so may it bring about unity in your Church.
Through Christ our Lord.

St Anthony of Padua was born at Lisbon, Portugal in c.1193. He joined the Franciscan friars around the age of 25 and worked as a missionary among the Muslims in Morocco. Returning to Europe due to ill health, Anthony spent time at an Italian hermitage, where his gift for preaching was soon discovered. Due to his reputation as a biblical scholar, he spent the remaining nine years of his life teaching in France and Italy before dying in Padua, around 1232. Many miracles were attributed to his intercession and St Anthony is regularly invoked as the finder of lost items. He is named as one of the doctors of the Roman Catholic Church.



Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven & earth, of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Memorial Acclamation:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

Welcome to the Christian Community

Chet Xavier Ly,
Son of Anthony and Sarajoy Ly.
Baptised at St James, Forest Lodge

St. Mary Magdalene

On Thursday, 10th June, Pope Francis raised the Church's celebration of St. Mary Magdalene from a memorial to a feast. Pope Francis has taken this decision precisely in the context of the Jubilee of Mercy to highlight the revelation of this woman who showed great love for Christ and was much loved by Christ. Pope Francis includes her in the prayer for the Jubilee Year of Mercy: "Your loving gaze freed Zacchaeus and Matthew from being enslaved by money; the adulteress and Magdalene from seeking happiness only in created things; made Peter weep after his betrayal, and assured paradise to the repentant thief."

Mary Magdalene was the first to see the empty tomb and first to listen to the truth of the resurrection and preach it. For this reason she is patroness of the Dominicans.

Mary of Magdala has traditionally thought to be the woman who anoints the feet of Jesus that we hear about in today's gospel. This is principally because she is mentioned immediately after the event. Some believe Mary of Magdala to be the Mary who is the sister of Martha. What the scriptures make clear about Mary of Magdala is that she was a follower of Christ, who accompanied and ministered to him. The Gospels record her as being one of the women present at Jesus' crucifixion.

Pope Benedict XVI once remarked: "the story of Mary of Magdala reminds us all of a fundamental truth. A disciple of Christ is one who, in the experience of human weakness, has had the humility to ask for his help, has been healed by him and has set out following closely after him, becoming a witness of the power of his merciful love that is stronger than sin and death."

This is fundamentally the message the Mary Magdalene preaches to us by her life in the scriptures to this day. We celebrate her feast on 22nd July.

Fr Anthony

Notices

VINNIES GLEBE CONFERENCE LUNCHEON

Saturday 18th June from 11.30am –3pm at the Pyrmont Point Hotel, 59 Harris Street.
 This is a thank you to Peter Nomchong for his 10 years of work on the Wednesday Visitation Roster and Christmas Hampers.
 If you are interested in attending, please contact Gemma Avon on 0416 058 020 or gemmaa@bigpond.net.au

ST JAMES' STORY TIME

An invitation is extended to all parishioners with babies, toddlers or preschoolers to join us for our weekly story time. Story time is held each Monday and Wednesday at 2.30 pm in the school library. Our Teacher Librarian carefully selects stories each week for the young audience. Come along and join the group, mothers and their young children are most welcome.

REFUGEE WEEK AT THE GLEBE JUSTICE CENTRE

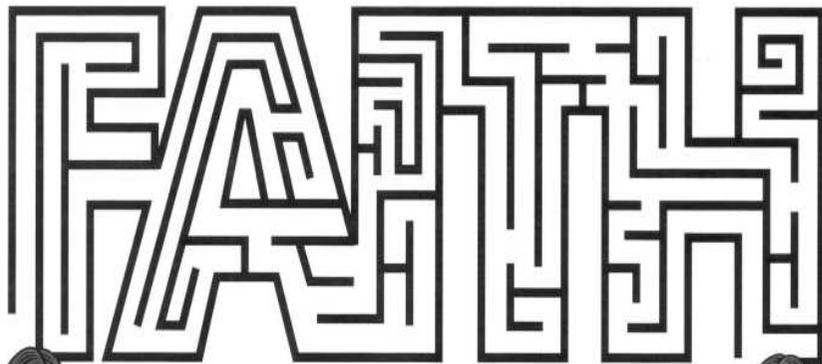
The Glebe Justice Centre will host a screening of *Freedom Stories* to celebrate Refugee Week 2016 featuring MC Eva Cox. *Freedom Stories* is an exploration of the achievements and struggles of former 'boat people'. Now Australian citizens, they arrived seeking asylum from the Middle-East around 2001. The film was a finalist in the 2015 Sydney Film Festival.
 Date: Wednesday June 22, 2016 at 7:30 PM Where: [Glebe Justice Centre, 37-47 St Johns Rd, Glebe](#). Cost: \$20
 Proceeds from the event will go to Liverpool Migrant Resource Centre (MRC), who work with newly-arrived migrants, refugees and diverse communities by building their capacity to take part in local life. More info at <http://freedomstoriesproject.com>

AN EVENING WITH KATH EVANS

You are invited to an evening with Kath Evans, who received a healing miracle through the intercession of St Mary Mackillop. Following will be a presentation and question time, when Kath will be happy to answer your queries. *Kath's miraculous Recovery from terminal lung cancer led to the canonisation of Mary Mackillop and the declaration of Mary as Australia's first saint. Kath is a very ordinary Australian who has had this extraordinary Healing in her life and wishes*
 Where: St. Joseph's Catholic church. 2 Missenden Rd., Camperdown. When: 28th July. Thursday Time 7.30.p.m.

Readers for next Sunday, 26th June 2016

	St. James' 5pm	St. Bede's 8am	St. James' 9:30am	St. Bede's 11am
First Reader	Alday Family	Gus & Kathy Loo	Politoni Family	Monique M Ras
Second Reader	Alday Family	Gus & Kathy Loo	Politoni Family	Aulia Kumalasari



Help the woman find her way through the maze so that she may anoint Jesus' feet with ointment.



Your _____ are _____
 Your _____ has _____
 you. Go now in _____.

saved
 sins
 peace
 forgiven
 faith

Please pray for the sick:

June Ebert, Pam Mara, Debbie Julius, Hazel Spratt, Archbishop Anthony, Fran Campisi, Irene Malin, Meryl Tapsell, Fr. Michael Walsh, Allan Hoad, Aziz Latif, Bp Geoffrey Robinson, Kate Mara, Leslee Hoad-Mara, Lee Tillam, Noleen Reddie, Noreen Hayes, Hazel O'Connor, Kay White, family members, parishioners, friends.

Please pray for the deceased:

Bill Donnelly, Peter Walsh, Coralie and Ronald Morrow, Terrie McCabe, Adife Cetin, Graeme Blackburn, Sam Tinman, Georgia Hoad, Maria Lo, Rosie White, Petra Seranilla, Benedicto Zamora, Dr Lucy Landia, Eric Russell-Smith, Betty Rowswell, Laurie Zammit, Monica Ellis, Tom Gibbons, Mick Kennedy, Allan White, Phil Garde, Sean & Pat Flanagan, Frank & Melina Galluzo, O'Connor family members & all the faithful departed. weekly for all Parish-

Weekend Masses

St James:
Saturday Vigil: 5pm (Standard Time)
 6pm (Daylight Savings Time)
Sunday 9:30am
 (Tongan Choir: 4th Sunday)

St Bede: Sunday 8am & 11am

Weekday Masses

St. James: Wed & Fri 9am
 Saturday at 8:30am

Confession (Reconciliation):

St James 4:00pm

Baptisms / Weddings

by appointment
 (weddings: 6 months notice required)



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