

First Reading

Isaiah 50:4-7
A reading from the prophet Isaiah

The Lord has given me
a disciple's tongue.
So that I may know how to reply to the wearied
he provides me with speech.
Each morning he wakes me to hear,
to listen like a disciple.
The Lord has opened my ear.
For my part, I made no resistance,
neither did I turn away.
I offered my back to those who struck me,
my cheeks to those who tore at my beard;
I did not cover my face
against insult and spittle.
The Lord comes to my help,
so that I am untouched by the insults.
So, too, I set my face like flint;
I know I shall not be shamed.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 21:8-9, 17-20, 23-24

R. My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

All who see me deride me.
They curl their lips, they toss their heads.
'He trusted in the Lord, let him save him;
let him release him if this is his friend.' **R.**

Many dogs have surrounded me,
a band of the wicked beset me.
They tear holes in my hands and my feet.
I can count every one of my bones. **R.**

They divide my clothing among them.
They cast lots for my robe.
O Lord, do not leave me alone,
my strength, make haste to help me! **R.**

I will tell of your name to my brethren
and praise you where they are assembled.
'You who fear the Lord give him praise;
all sons of Jacob, give him glory.
Revere him, Israel's sons.' **R.**

**Second Reading**

Philippians 2:6-11
A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians

His state was divine,
yet Christ Jesus did not cling
to his equality with God
but emptied himself
to assume the condition of a slave,
and became as men are,
and being as all men are,
he was humbler yet,
even to accepting death,
death on a cross.
But God raised him high
and gave him the name
which is above all other names
so that all beings
in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld,
should bend the knee at the name of Jesus
and that every tongue should acclaim
Jesus Christ as Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.
The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Philippians 2:8-9

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!
Christ became obedient for us even to death,
dying on the cross.
Therefore God raised him on high
and gave him a name above all other names.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Gospel

Luke 22:14 - 23:56
The passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

Next week:

Blackwood Catholic Community

Parish Newsletter

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Yr C

14th April 2019

**St Paul of the Cross**

cnr of Simla & Coromandel Pde
Blackwood

Our Lady of the Way

4-6 Laffers Rd
Glenalta

Introduction: We see ourselves in the crowds who cried 'Hosanna to the Son of David' one day and 'Crucify him' just a few days later. Like Peter and the other disciples we can be fickle followers of Jesus. We should not, however, imitate Judas and despair at our infidelity. Rather, we should look to Jesus who allowed his blood to be poured out for many 'for the forgiveness of sins'. Let us praise him with grateful hearts

Entrance Antiphon:

Six days before the Passover,
when the Lord came into the city of Jerusalem,
the children ran to meet him;
in their hands they carried palm branches
and with a loud voice cried out:
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!
O gates, lift high your heads;
grow higher, ancient doors.
Let him enter, the king of glory!
Who is this king of glory?
He, the Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory.
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!

Prayers of the Faithful:

Grant this, almighty God

Memorial Acclamation:

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

Communion Antiphon:

Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, your will be done.

Welcome

Are you new to the Parish?

Please see all the ways you can be part of the community by collecting our welcome brochure from the foyer and complete the form. Completed forms can be returned on the collection plates.

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Baptisms

By appointment

Weddings

By appointment

Mass Times

St. Paul of the Cross (SPC)
Sacristan: Maria Marwede

Tuesday 9.30am
Wednesday 9.30am
Friday 11am
Sunday 8am

Our Lady of the Way (OLW)
Sacristan: Barbara Baggoley

Wednesday 7pm
Thursday 9.30am
Saturday 6pm
Sunday 10am

Confessions - SPC
Friday 10.30am-10.55am

Confessions - OLW
Saturday 5.30pm -5.50pm

Holy Hour OLW
Wednesday 7.30pm-8.30pm

Rosary for Peace OLW
Monday 10am

Please Pray for friends, some named previously, some wishing to remain anonymous

Sick: Tee Ping Koh, Jacob Van Eyk, Carmel Balnaves, Teresa and Tony Lavers, Bob McEvoy, Chris Baggoley, Jack Higham, Frank Tomas, Ivanka Cosic, Jennifer Brown, Patricia Pinkerton, Josie Piccolo

Recently Deceased: Colleen Bellett

Anniversaries: Margaret Higham

Today Sunday 14th April PALM SUNDAY—EASTER LUNCHEON.

Parishioners and their families are invited to a shared luncheon in the Cottage at 11.30am (after 10am Mass). Please bring a plate of finger/fork food to share. Drinks provided. We encourage parishioners attending both Mass centres to attend this Parish event.

Monday 15th April Chrism Mass 6pm in St. Francis Xavier's Cathedral. Blessing of the Oils for celebration of sacraments during the year.

Thursday 18th April There will be **No Mass** at St Paul of the Cross at 9.30am.

Good Friday Collection—HOLY PLACES APEAL. This collection promotes the missionary of the church in the Holy Land by providing welfare assistance to local Christians in areas such as health, employment and housing.

PLENARY COUNCIL PRAYER

*Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost. Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.
O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council. Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road.
Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth.
Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying. Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the journey from age to age. Amen.*

*Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us
St Mary MacKillop, pray for us*

Stewardship Reflection

"I tell you, Peter, before the cock crows this day, you will deny three times that you know me." (LUKE 22:34)

How many times have you heard someone make a disparaging comment about Jesus or our catholic faith? How did you react? Do you remain quiet not to cause a disturbance? Or, do you remain quiet because you believe people will think negatively about you? Pray for the courage to speak up and enter into a respectful dialogue when the opportunity arises.

Easter Rosters. Thank you everyone who responded to the call for volunteers to cover the Exposition and Easter rosters. The response was remarkable. There are a few spots still uncovered and if you think you may be able to help have a look and add your name. Blessings for a safe and holy Easter period to you and your families.
Barbara Baggoley

Thank You. Tee Ping, Mary-Ann and family would like to thank you for your prayers and attendance at his installation as acolyte, lector and admission to Diaconate Candidacy. The coming months will be continuing formation including training in liturgical rites. Please continue to pray for them.

Adult Faith Group Here are the dates of the next 2 sessions.
June 11 7.30-9pm in the Cottage—The role of women in the catholic church—the ideas of Mary McAleese. We will watch a video and discuss.

July 30 7.30-9pm in the Cottage. We will look at the last chapter of Greg Sheridan's book, God is Good.

Pauline Webster

Easter Rosters The rosters for Easter are available

Child Safe Environment Briefing for Volunteers. As you may be aware all volunteers in our Archdiocese are mandated notifiers under the South Australian Child Protection Legislation. To ensure we hear the voices of children and have the necessary skills to identify and respond appropriately, we invite any volunteer who have not yet participated in Child Safety Environment training or an equivalent course to attend a 90 minute volunteer Briefing Session facilitated by the Archdiocesan Child Protection Unit. Please note that these briefings (or an equivalent course) are a compulsory requirement for anyone wishing to be a Eucharist Minister.

A Volunteer Briefing will be held in our Parish on **Thursday 2nd May 2019 at 7pm.**

Note: *If you have attended a Child Safe Environments or RAN training within the past 3 years you do not need to attend a Volunteer Briefing.*

Please contact the Child Protection Unit to book into this session, either via email at hildprotection@adelaide.catholic.org.au or by phone 8210 8159

**ARCHDIOCESE OF ADELAIDE
PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS**

Jesus you are the Good Shepherd who is always mindful of your Church. Watch over those who are baptised in your name and grant peace and harmony to all families. We ask you to choose from the families of our parishes many priests, deacons, sisters and brothers who will gladly spend their lives making you known and loved. Amen

***If a Priest is required call
8278 6619***

	This Week 14/04/2019			Next Week 21/04/2019		
	6pm	8am	10am	7.30pm	8am	10am
MC	Johann	Cathie Luke	Tony Conlon	Tony Conlon	Peter Donovan	
Reader	Charlie Borda	Carol Pisters	Tony Egan	Leonie Borda Kay Conlon	Phil Doyle	Margaret Ash
Special Minister	Laurence Borda Claire Jennings Tee Ping Koh	Tracey Tessitore Terry Tierney Peter Shepherd	Tee Ping Koh Clem Colla	Paula Wegener Barb Baggoley Tee Ping Kohn Brian Fogarty	Maria Marwede Cathie Luke Peter Shepherd	Joanna Tan Charlie Borda Laurence Borda
Offertory	Ruby Tessitore			Charlie and Rebekah Borda		
Altar Server	Jack and Noah Borda	Peter Shepherd Michael Anderson	Jack and Noah Borda	Jack and Noah Borda	Larry and John Doyle	Jack and Noah Borda
Music	Loreen Tomas	Trevor Fuller and Arthur Finch	Georgian Singers	Georgian Singers	Trevor Fuller and Arthur Finch	Folk Group
Hospitality	Brenda Parkinson	Tracey Tessitore	Jytte Smailes	Jytte Smailes	Trish Fuller and Ann Harman	Jytte Smailes
Flowers		Maria Marwede	Barbara Baggoley		Maria Marwede	Barbara Baggoley
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