

Kennington Catholic Parish

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Weekend Mass Times

St Therese's Church	Saturday	6.00 pm
Poor Clares' Monastery	Sunday	7.30 am
St Therese's Church	Sunday	10.30 am
St Joseph's, Axe Creek	Sunday	9.00 am
St Mary's, Axedale	Sunday	10.30 am

Weekday Mass Times Mon 15 Feb - Sat 20 Feb 2010

<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>
Monday	8.00 am	Poor Clares'
Tuesday	8.00 am	Poor Clares'
	9.00 am	St Therese's
Ash Wednesday	8.00 am	Poor Clares'
	9.15 am	St Therese's (School Mass)
	6.00 pm	St Therese's
	6.00 pm	St Joseph's, Axe Creek
Thursday	8.00 am	Poor Clares'
	9.00 am	St Therese's
Friday	8.00 am	Poor Clares'
	9.15 am	St Therese's
Saturday	8.00 am	Poor Clares'

ROSARY Our Lady's Chapel, St Therese's Church

Poor Clares' Monastery

Thursday 1.30 pm

Saturday 9.00am.

Sunday 5.00pm.

Followed by Benediction
at 5.30 pm

RECONCILIATION

St. Therese's

Saturdays 9.30am.

ROSTERS
20-21 February

LECTORS

6.00 pm Kennington T & H Perera
7.30 am Poor Clares' W Brennan
10.30 am Kennington L Conforti, B Ward
St Joseph's Axe Creek K Ratcliff, I Horne

OFFERTORY

6.00 pm Kennington A & D O'Connor
10.30 am Kennington H Nihill
9.00 am Axe Creek Mills family

MUSICIANS

6.00 pm Kennington B Gallagher
10.30 am Kennington M Hamilton
9.00 am Axe Creek M Fitzgibbon, T
Mannes, M Connolly,
D Hockey

DATA PROJECTOR

6.00 pm N Pitson
10.30 am

BULLETIN DISTRIBUTION

6.00 pm M Creely
10.30 am J Morley's zone (2.2)

SACRISTANS

6.00 pm T Perera
10.30 am A Harrington

SOCIAL CLUB CARDS

1st Tuesday of the month. 1.30pm in the Welcoming Area. All welcome.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

6.00PM Joan Coldwell (Presentation Mass for Reconciliation) (Lent)
10.30 Gabby Walshe (Presentation Mass for Reconciliation) (Lent)

MINISTERS of COMMUNION 3rd weekend

ALTAR SERVERS Group 2

PIETY STALL

6.00 pm M Baird
10.30 am B Hoiles

CHURCH LINEN D Thomas

COUNTING TEAMS Team 2 (14th)

ENVIRONMENT

Kennington G Rankins' group
Axe Creek M Fitzgibbon, M Van Dillen

GARDENERS G Frilay, G O'Reilly

SUNDAY MUNCHERS

Will be held at the Bendigo Club each Sunday after Mass. All welcome. Contact John Green on 5443 7144 for assistance.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

MEMBERS: Michael Black, Joe van Dillen, Mike Harahan, Maria McClellan, Bill Edwards, Em Lelean, Rondah Dam.
Ex officio: Fr Joe, Fr Peter-John, Anne Hubbard, Angela Stark, Tim Moloney, and Matthew Mann.

ST JOHN OF GOD AUXILIARY coffee party Rising Sun Hotel 22 Feb 10am

YOUTH LENTEN GROUP will be meeting 1 night a week for 6 weeks at the **Cathedral Presbytery**. The first session will be held during this week 15th to the 19th Feb. Anyone interested in attending (whether occasionally or every week) please contact Sally Murphy on 5441 5164.

BOARD WANTED

A young Melbourne girl studying at Latrobe Uni seeks board with a family Mondays, Tuesdays & Wednesdays.

Please contact 0438465622.

DAYBREAK

Current programs are advertised on the notice board. Handbooks are available from the Pastoral Centre or on line at www.daybreak.net.au .
God in the Gallery with Margaret Bourke Wed 17 Feb at 11am at the Bendigo Art Gallery
God, Grief and Me - Wed March 17 with Irene Nolan and Judy Browne - Explore some of the common issues of those for whom marriage is a sacred contract but whose marriage has

ended in separation or divorce.

Ph 5441 1814 to book.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Con Barbetti, Anne Green, Eileen Martin, Paula Drum, Norman Orr, Leo Janssen Snr, Kathleen Ribarich, Mary Ridgeway, Alma Mulqueen.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM 2010

Contact **Torie** at Mackillop House Mon 8.45-11.45, Tues 1.15-3.30, Thurs 8.45-11.45 Baptism, Reconciliation, Confirmation and Eucharist this year. Ph 5439 4223 or 0437561416

vwaight@gmail.com

****SACRAMENTAL PRESENTATION** will be held at Masses over the next two weekends.

**** PREPARATION for SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** commences Tues 23 Feb (Axe Creek) Thurs 25 at 7pm (St Therese's) Parents only those dates.

1st Reconciliation 23 March 6.30pm at St Therese's

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Meeting Thursday 18 Feb 7.30pm

AXE CREEK FUNDRAISING Committee for development of church building: first meeting Thurs 18 Feb 7.30pm in the portable. Anyone & all ideas welcome. Kerri Bowman Ph: 5439 5905.

RITE OF ELECTION at the Cathedral 2pm Sun 21 Feb. Come and support Geoff, Amy, Kellie, Belinda and Laura as they "sign up" for membership of our Catholic community.

WYD FUNDRAISER - Collect 5c pieces! DVD of Parish Dinner held in Dec: \$5 'Bran Neu Dae' Sat 13 March, 2010 @ 2pm, Star Cinema Eaglehawk. Tickets \$15 each available St Therese's Parish Office 5443 3337 or Angela 0400 087 634. All proceeds will help youth of our area attend W.Y.D Madrid 2011.

PROJECT COMPASSION promotes peace by pursuing justice. Please take home a PC box and/or set of envelopes and give generously this Lent. Your donations allow Caritas Australia to work with communities to reduce poverty and hunger around the world.



Week 1: Cambodia – Samon, 14, lives with his aunty, uncle and cousins. Sadly, like many children in the province, Samon's

parents died from HIV/AIDS-related illnesses when he was a young child. Siem Reap is one of Cambodia's poorest provinces. Many people in Samon's village live on less than \$2 a day, working as rice farmers during the wet season and migrating to Thailand's border in search of construction work during the difficult dry season.

PIETY STALL

Thank you everyone who supported the Piety stall during last year. Your encouragement and continued support for this service is greatly appreciated. Gold stars to the dedicated parishioners who tend the stall each week; we couldn't operate without you. Big **thank yous** to all.

Special Offer: To make room for new stock, everything on current display will be **reduced by 20% till 22 Feb.**

Lent: Reflection with Angela after daily Mass. *Little Black Book* \$5.

LENT begins next Wednesday.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. The law of fasting binds those who have completed their 18th year, until the beginning of their 60th year; the law of abstinence binds those who have completed their

14th year. (CCL 97, 1251 - 52)

LENTEN PROGRAMME 2010
ST THERESE'S KENNINGTON

As well as the reflection by the guest speakers,
each evening (except the last) will consist of
Evening Prayer of the Church, Exposition,
Music and Silence.

<i>DATE</i>	<i>TOPIC</i>	<i>VENUE</i>	<i>TIME</i>	<i>SPEAKER</i>
Wednesday 23 February	Deacons	St Therese's	8.00pm - 9.00pm	Rev Rob Galea
Wednesday 3 March	Baptised people	St Therese's	8.00pm – 9.00pm	Ms Phil Billington
Wednesday 10 March	Priests	St Therese's	8.00pm – 9.00pm	Mgr Frank Marriott
Wednesday 17 March	Bishops	St Therese's	8.00pm – 9.00pm	Bishop Joe Grech
Wednesday 24 March	Chrism Mass	Sacred Heart Cathedral	6.00pm	

Everyone welcome!!

LITURGY: THEORY & PRACTICE,
with

REV DR JOHN FRAUENFELDER,
WEEKEND SEMINAR FEB 20-21 at
St Brendan's Parish Centre,
Shepparton, 9am – 4 pm.

RECOMMENDED FOR LITURGY
GROUP MEMBERS & ALL
SEEKING BETTER
UNDERSTANDING OF LITURGY.

Attend weekend only or enroll in 16
week unit; home study with cluster
group support: "Foundations of
Liturgical Practice" or "Advanced
Liturgy" with Broken Bay Institute/
University of Newcastle/ Sandhurst.
Weekend costs: Liturgy students
none. Other participants \$80.

**'SERVING GOD'S PEOPLE',
CERTIFICATE III IN CHRISTIAN
MINISTRY.**

Introductory skills training for
Christian Ministry.

Enrol now for 2010 program:

St Brendan's Parish Centre,
Shepparton, March 13 (note date
change), April 17, May 29, June 26,
July 24 & Aug 28 (or Aug 28-29),
Sept 18, Oct 23. Parish Priest's
endorsement required.

See brochure or Ph: 03 5441 2544.

Contact

adultfaith@sand.catholic.org.au.

**REGIONAL PRAYER DAYS FOR
LENT with Fr. Richard Shortall SJ.
All welcome.**

- Prayer Day: Sunday 28 Feb
St. Kilian's Presbytery,
McCrae St, **BENDIGO** 11.30
am – 3.00 pm (BYO Lunch).
Book by 22 Feb please.

- Prayer Afternoon: Sunday
14 March St Mary's Parish
House, **INGLEWOOD** 1.30
– 3.00 pm. Book by 8 March
please.

Suggested donation \$10 fully waged
(or as you can afford). Bookings
essential: Ph Chancery (03) 5441 2544
or email

chancery@sand.catholic.org.au

CARITAS HAITI APPEAL – Please put
donations in an envelope marked
Caritas on the collection plate or visit
www.caritas.org.au, call 1800 024 413
or post to Box 130 Numurkah 3636.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Kath Secombe would love to hear
from anyone who would like to lead
or help with Children's Liturgy of
the Word either at 6pm or 10.30am
Mass at St Therese's. Please leave
your details at the Pastoral Office.

SECRETARY...

During Em's absence (due to illness)
please be patient if things are not as
they should be, and if you can help
out, please let us know.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

5 March at Holy Trinity Anglican
Church, Keck St. Please put this date
in your diary now. Come and renew
friendships with our neighbouring
church communities.

GARDENER WANTED

A parishioner seeks a gardener for a
few hours a week. Please contact Fr
Joe.

BUS TRIP St Patrick's Day

Irish style luncheon menu and St
Patrick's Day concert at the *Pig and
Whistle* Hotel East Trentham. Keep

Wed 17 March free!!

LITURGY PAGE

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

14th February 2010

Jeremiah 17: 5-8 Ps1: 1-4, 6 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20 Luke 6:17, 20-26

Luke takes care to alert us to who is present at this gathering. There are the newly formed Twelve special friends of Jesus as well as many other disciples and both Jews and foreigners who come out of curiosity. The words of Jesus are meant for all but are especially addressed to his disciples.

Luke does not speak of 'the poor in spirit' or 'those who hunger and thirst for justice' as Matthew does. Luke is much more interested in the lived experience of those who are literally poor, hungry and suffering. They were the ones who were persecuted under the status quo of their day and it was they who had an openness to the new order announced by Jesus' preaching of the kingdom. The powerful, who directed the established order of the day, could not bear such a challenge to their own position and thus they will 'drive you out, abuse you, denounce your name as criminal' for preaching the new order of God's kingdom. Such is the challenge to those who are disciples.

- How do you feel about the fact that Jesus' words challenge many of the things we think we need to be happy and blessed?
- Reflect on what makes you truly happy.

