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**Readings at Mass** 

Entrance Antiphon Jer 29: 11, 12, 14

The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.

First reading Proverbs 31:10-13,19-20,30-31

A perfect wife – who can find her? She is far beyond the price of pearls. Her husband's heart has confidence in her, from her he will derive no little profit. Advantage and not hurt she brings him all the days of her life. She is always busy with wool and with flax, she does her work with eager hands. She sets her hands to the distaff, her fingers grasp the spindle. She holds out her hand to the poor, she opens her arms to the needy. Charm is deceitful, and beauty empty; the woman who is wise is the one to praise. Give her a share in what her hands have worked for, and let her works tell her praises at the city gates.

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 127(128):1-5

Happy are those who fear the Lord.

O blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways!

By the labour of your hands you shall eat.

You will be happy and prosper.

Happy are those who fear the Lord.

Your wife will be like a fruitful vine in the heart of your house; your children like shoots of the olive, around your table.

Happy are those who fear the Lord.

Indeed thus shall be blessed the man who fears the Lord. May the Lord bless you from Zion all the days of your life!

Happy are those who fear the Lord.

Second reading 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6

You will not be expecting us to write anything to you, brothers, about 'times and seasons', since you know very well that the Day of the Lord is going to come like a thief in the night. It is when people are

saying, 'How quiet and peaceful it is' that the worst suddenly happens, as suddenly as labour pains come on a pregnant woman; and there will be no way for anybody to evade it.

But it is not as if you live in the dark, my brothers, for that Day to overtake you like a thief. No, you are all sons of light and sons of the day: we do not belong to the night or to darkness, so we should not go on sleeping, as everyone else does, but stay wide awake and sober.

Gospel Acclamation John 15:4.5

Alleluia, alleluia! Live in me and let me live in you, says the Lord; my branches bear much fruit. Alleluia!

Gospel Matthew 25:14-30

Jesus spoke this parable to his disciples: 'The kingdom of Heaven is like a man on his way abroad who summoned his servants and entrusted his property to them. To one he gave five talents, to another two, to a third one; each in proportion to his ability. Then he set out.

The man who had received the five talents promptly went and traded with them and made five more. The man who had received two made two more in the same way. But the man who had received one went off and dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money.

Now a long time after, the master of those servants came back and went through his accounts with them. The man who had received the five talents came forward bringing five more. "Sir," he said "you entrusted me with five talents; here are five more that I have made."

'His master said to him, "Well done, good and faithful servant; you have shown you can be faithful in small things, I will trust you with greater; come and join in your master's happiness."

'Next the man with the two talents came forward. "Sir," he said "you entrusted me with two talents; here are two more that I have made." His master said to him, "Well done, good and faithful servant; you have shown you can be faithful in small things, I will trust you with greater; come and join in your master's happiness."

'Last came forward the man who had the one talent. "Sir," said he "I had heard you were a hard man, reaping where you have not sown and gathering where you have not scattered; so I was afraid, and I went off and hid your talent in the ground. Here it is; it was yours, you have it back." But his master answered him, "You wicked and lazy servant! So you knew that I reap where I have not sown and gather where I have not scattered? Well then, you should have deposited my money with the bankers, and on my return I would have recovered my capital with interest. So now, take the talent from him and give it to the man who has the five talents. For to everyone who has will be given more, and he will have more than enough; but from the man who has not, even what he has will be taken away. As for this good-for-nothing servant, throw him out into the dark, where there will be weeping and grinding of teeth."

Communion Antiphon Ps 72: 28

To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord.



## OUR LADY OF FATIMA

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### **MASS TIMES**

 Wed
 9:30am

 Fri
 9:30am

 Sat
 9:30am

**Sun** 9:00am, 5:00pm

**ADORATION** 

**Wed & Thurs** 5:30pm - 6:30pm, **Fri** 10:00am - 10:30am

CONFESSION

**Wed - Thurs** 5:30pm - 6:00pm

**Sat** 8:45am

COVID-19 Pandemic: Celebrations of the Mass, a return to Masses in a very limited way.

20 people are able to attend, therefore it will limited to the <u>first 20</u> that attend and register on the sheet provided in the foyer on the day, please have patience during this time.

The current restrictions within the government COVID Safe Plan apply when attending Mass:

- You must wear a mask at all times as per the DHHS Guidelines or you may not participate nor enter the church.
- You are required to sanitise your hands upon entering and before taking communion.
- Please sit in the designated areas and maintain social distancing restrictions.
- If you are unwell or have a health condition, flu or cold-like symptoms, please do not visit our Church.
- If you test positive to COVID-19, you need to notify the Parish Office asap to assist us with contact tracing.

#### The Sunday Obligation of the Faithful will not apply during this time of suspension.

**Parish Administration:** The Parish Office will remain closed during this period, please continue to email the parish office with any queries or updates alternately if you do not have email please leave a message on the phone and your call will be returned. Stay safe and keep well.

**Thank you** to those who generously support our parish with your prayers and financial support during this time.

**Intentions:** Let us pray for the sick: **Colleen Cooper, Dorothy McConnell** and for all who have asked for our prayers. May God grant them comfort and healing. Let us pray for those recently deceased, and for those whose anniversaries that occur at this time: and all members of our families, friends, benefactors and all the faithful departed. May God welcome them into the eternal kingdom and give them the reward of their faith filled prayer and faithful service.

**An Act of Spiritual Communion** My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



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#### MASS TIMES

 Tues
 6:00pm

 Thurs
 9:30am

 Sat Vigil
 6:00pm

 Sun
 11:00am

**ADORATION** 

**Tues** 5:00pm – 6:00pm

**CONFESSION** 

**Tues** 5:00pm - 5:30pm

**Sat** 5:15pm

**Celebrations of the Mass:** Forms will be available outside the hall for anyone wanting to reserve/guarantee their place at a Mass of their own choosing. Alternatively, you can take a chance and just turn up on the day. Parishioners registered on the form will be given priority if numbers exceed the capped limit of 20 people Please be considerate of others and not put your name down multiple times a week.

#### PARISH PRAYER

Father, pour out your Spirit upon the people of this Parish so that, inspired by your Word, nourished at your table and graced by your empowering love, our lives may be devoted to the service of our brothers and sisters and the building of your Kingdom. May our Parish Community truly be, for this place and time, the Body of Christ your Son, through whom we make this prayer.

AMEN.

Mass Intentions Please pray for those who are sick especially: Carl Rooney, Raelene Watt, Mark Burns, Jenny Brewer, Hank Morris, and all those who need our prayers.

May they receive the Lord's comfort and strength.

Please pray for **John Coughlin** who died recently, and for **Ernest Conti** whose anniversary occurs about this time, and for all who have died. May they rest in peace.

**Keep in Touch** e-mails & CENSUS: Please send the Parish an e-mail to <u>dromana@cam.org.au</u> so we can keep in touch with parish news/updates. Title your e-mail CENSUS and <u>include your name</u>, <u>address</u>, <u>and telephone number</u>.

**Support Your Parish:** Thank you to everyone who has been able to continue to contribute to the Parish in these challenging times. Those who use sacrificial giving envelopes might consider dropping their envelopes off at the Parish Office (in the box by the presbytery door, which is checked regularly for those concerned) Otherwise, you can make a direct deposit through your bank to:

1st Collection (Fr John Paul) OLPH Dromana Presbytery Account BSB 083 347 Acc No: 904378858 2nd Collection (Parish) Dromana OLPH Church Account BSB 083 347 Acc No: 650781814

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