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Readings at Mass

Entrance Antiphon

Save us, O Lord our God!
And gather us from the nations,
to give thanks to your holy name,
and make it our glory to praise you.

Ps 105: 47

First reading

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

Moses said to the people: ‘The Lord your God will raise up for you a prophet like myself, from among yourselves, from your own brothers; to him you must listen. This is what you yourselves asked of the Lord your God at Horeb on the day of the Assembly. “Do not let me hear again” you said “the voice of the Lord my God, nor look any longer on this great fire, or I shall die”; and the Lord said to me, “All they have spoken is well said. I will raise up a prophet like yourself for them from their own brothers; I will put my words into his mouth and he shall tell them all I command him. The man who does not listen to my words that he speaks in my name, shall be held answerable to me for it. But the prophet who presumes to say in my name a thing I have not commanded him to say, or who speaks in the name of other gods, that prophet shall die.”’

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 94(95):1-2,6-9

If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.
Come, ring out our joy to the Lord;
hail the rock who saves us.
Let us come before him, giving thanks,
with songs let us hail the Lord.
If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.
Come in; let us bow and bend low;
let us kneel before the God who made us:
for he is our God and we
the people who belong to his pasture,
the flock that is led by his hand.
If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.
O that today you would listen to his voice!
‘Harden not your hearts as at Meribah,
as on that day at Massah in the desert
when your fathers put me to the test;
when they tried me, though they saw my work.’
If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Second reading

1 Corinthians 7:32-35

I would like to see you free from all worry. An unmarried man can devote himself to the Lord’s affairs, all he need worry about is pleasing the Lord; but a married man has to bother about the world’s affairs and devote himself to pleasing his wife: he is torn two ways. In the same way an unmarried woman, like a young girl, can devote herself to the Lord’s affairs; all she need worry about is being holy in body and spirit. The married woman, on the other hand, has to worry about the world’s affairs and devote herself to pleasing her husband. I say this only to help you, not to put a halter round your necks, but simply to make sure that everything is as it should be, and that you give your undivided attention to the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 4:16

Alleluia, alleluia!
A people in darkness have seen a great light:
a radiant dawn shines on those lost in death.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 1:21-28

Jesus and his disciples went as far as Capernaum, and as soon as the sabbath came he went to the synagogue and began to teach. And his teaching made a deep impression on them because, unlike the scribes, he taught them with authority.

In their synagogue just then there was a man possessed by an unclean spirit and it shouted, ‘What do you want with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are: the Holy One of God.’ But Jesus said sharply, ‘Be quiet! Come out of him!’ And the unclean spirit threw the man in- to convulsions and with a loud cry went out of him. The people were so astonished that they started asking each other what it all meant. ‘Here is a teaching that is new’ they said ‘and with authority be- hind it: he gives orders even to unclean spirits and they obey him.’ And his reputation rapidly spread everywhere, through all the surrounding Galilean countryside.

Communion Antiphon

Mt 5: 3-4

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
Blessed are the meek, for they shall possess the land.



OUR LADY OF FATIMA

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MASS TIMES

Wed 9:30am
Fri 9:30am
Sat 9:30am
Sun 9:00am, 5:00pm

HOLY HOUR

Thursday 5.00pm—6.00pm

CONFESSION

Rosebud 30 minutes before each Mass

IMPORTANT-COVID-19 Pandemic: 200 people are able to attend in our Parish being 1.5m apart. When you attend please register on the sheet or QR Code provided in the foyer. 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.

Intentions: Let us pray for the sick: **Colleen Cooper, Dorothy McConnell, Marge Jorgensen, Filomena Marsucci** 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: **Len Bell**, 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.

HOLY HOUR - A holy hour is being held in Our Lady of Fatima Parish on **Thursdays from 5.00pm - 6.00pm.** All welcome.

TAP & GO—machine located in the Church foyer for cashless Covid-safe donations in place of loose donations to our Parish, this is an alternative way for those wishing to use this facility.

♦ **WEEKLY OFFERING ENVELOPES** - For those parishioners who have not collected their envelopes they are available on the table in the foyer under the noticeboard.

St Patrick's Cathedral, Melbourne Thomas Heywood, Friday 5th Feb, 2021, 6.00pm-7.00pm
Music by Bach, Elgar, Verdi, Grieg, Tchaikovsky, Guilment, Cocker & Mulet Tickets \$25. Children under 15 free. Bookings: www.trybooking.com/

Children are to be supervised by a parent/guardian at all times.



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MASS TIMES

Tues 6:00pm
Thurs 9:30am
Sat Vigil 6:00pm
Sun 11:00am

CONFESSION

Dromana 30 minutes before Mass

COVID-19 Pandemic: Celebrations of the Mass: No pre bookings required.

The inside capacity for Mass is 120 people. Please register on arrival by QR code or in the manual sign in book located in the foyer. Please maintain social distancing & safe practices at all times.

Volunteer Cleaners Sought: Anyone able to spare approx. ½ hr every 4-5 weeks to assist with the cleaning of the Church, please contact the Parish Secretary or Joy Anderson. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

Pastoral Council Meeting:

The next Pastoral Council Meeting is scheduled for this coming Tuesday 2nd February @ 4pm in the Presbytery.

Divine Mercy Prayer Group recommencing Friday 5th Feb:

Then every Friday at 2pm, followed up with a cuppa & chat! All Welcome.

Mass Intentions :

Please pray for those who are sick especially: **Mick Millman, 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 those who died recently, and for **Lily Mifsud** whose anniversary occurs about this time, and for all who have died. May they rest in peace.

Support Your Parish: Thank you to everyone who has been able to continue to contribute to the Parish in these challenging times. Those who haven't yet collected their sacrificial giving envelopes, they are still available for collection in the Church foyer.

Otherwise, you can make a direct deposit through your bank to:

1st Collection (Fr John Paul) OLPD Dromana Presbytery Account BSB 083 347 Acc No: 904378858

2nd Collection (Parish) Dromana OLPD Church Account BSB 083 347 Acc No: 650781814