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Readings at Mass

Entrance Antiphon

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.

First reading

Isaiah 55:6-9

Seek the Lord while he is still to be found, call to him while he is still near. Let the wicked man abandon his way, the evil man his thoughts. Let him turn back to the Lord who will take pity on him, to our God who is rich in forgiving; for my thoughts are not your thoughts, my ways not your ways – it is the Lord who speaks. Yes, the heavens are as high above earth as my ways are above your ways, my thoughts above your thoughts.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 144(145):2-3,8-9,17-18

The Lord is near to all who call him.

I will bless you day after day
and praise your name for ever.
The Lord is great, highly to be praised,
his greatness cannot be measured.

The Lord is near to all who call him.

The Lord is kind and full of compassion,
slow to anger, abounding in love.
How good is the Lord to all,
compassionate to all his creatures.

The Lord is near to all who call him.

The Lord is just in all his ways
and loving in all his deeds.
He is close to all who call him,
who call on him from their hearts.

The Lord is near to all who call him.

Second reading

Philippians 1:20-24,27

Christ will be glorified in my body, whether by my life or by my death. Life to me, of course, is

Christ, but then death would bring me something more; but then again, if living in this body means doing work which is having good results – I do not know what I should choose. I am caught in this dilemma: I want to be gone and be with Christ, which would be very much the better, but for me to stay alive in this body is a more urgent need for your sake. Avoid anything in your everyday lives that would be unworthy of the gospel of Christ.

Gospel Acclamation

cf Acts 16:14

Alleluia, alleluia!
Open our hearts, O Lord, to listen to the words of your Son.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 20:1-16

Jesus said to his disciples: ‘The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner going out at daybreak to hire workers for his vineyard. He made an agreement with the workers for one denarius a day, and sent them to his vineyard. Going out at about the third hour he saw others standing idle in the market place and said to them, “You go to my vineyard too and I will give you a fair wage.” So they went. At about the sixth hour and again at about the ninth hour, he went out and did the same. Then at about the eleventh hour he went out and found more men standing round, and he said to them, “Why have you been standing here idle all day?” “Because no one has hired us” they answered. He said to them, “You go into my vineyard too.” In the evening, the owner of the vineyard said to his bailiff, “Call the workers and pay them their wages, starting with the last arrivals and ending with the first.” So those who were hired at about the eleventh hour came forward and received one denarius each. When the first came, they expected to get more, but they too received one denarius each. They took it, but grumbled at the landowner. “The men who came last” they said “have done only one hour, and you have treated them the same as us, though we have done a heavy day’s work in all the heat.” He answered one of them and said, “My friend, I am not being unjust to you; did we not agree on one denarius? Take your earnings and go. I choose to pay the last comer as much as I pay you. Have I no right to do what I like with my own? Why be envious because I am generous?” Thus the last will be first, and the first, last.’

Communion Antiphon

Ps 118: 4-5

You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept; may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes.



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MASS TIMES

Wed 9:30am
Fri 9:30am
Sat 9:30am Traditional Latin Mass
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:

ALL PUBLIC liturgies, including celebrations of the Mass, are suspended until further notice. There will be daily Mass on our website, fatimarosebud.org, you will see a tab at the top saying, 'Mass and Messages'. Sunday Mass will be there, Novus Ordo English Mass, with a homily. Also, Latin Mass will be said daily. **The Sunday Obligation of the Faithful will not apply during this time of suspension.**
Parish Administration: The Parish Office will be 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 our many parishioners who have donated to our Parish during this difficult time.

Intentions:

Let us pray for the sick :**Colleen Cooper** and for all who have asked for our prayers. May God grant them comfort and healing.

Let us pray for those recently deceased :**Mollie Collins**, and for those whose anniversaries that occur at this time, 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

Social Services Sunday, 20th September – a time to reflect and give thanks. This Sunday we mark Social Services Sunday within the Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne. On this day we are invited to give thanks and pray for all who stand with and provide support to those who are marginalised and vulnerable within our communities.



Our sacramental life: Message from Archbishop Peter A Comensoli

In his latest video message, Archbishop Peter A Comensoli sends his prayers and blessings to the Melbourne Catholic community, and explains some of the work being done in the background to help us move towards an opening up again of our sacramental life here in the Archdiocese. To look at this video message connect to melbournecatholic.org.au

CONGRATULATIONS

*To Ron & Colleen Cooper who celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary
on Saturday 12th September.*



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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

Prayer for Courage and Compassion

Compassionate God, Your unconditional love for all inspires our hearts and empowers our actions for those who are most vulnerable. May we boldly and humbly serve one another and be steadfast in our work for justice for all people. Keep our hearts open to the joys and the hopes of our world, and our ears ready to hear your call to truth, justice and reconciliation. Let s continue to draw inspiration and strength from those, like St Mary MacKillop, on whose shoulders we stand. We gather in Jesus' name to be nourished and to move forward together in hope and joy. Amen

Combined Catholic All Parishes Raffle Drawn 26 September 2020. Good Luck

Winners will be notified by phone on the night (if possible), and advertised in the Herald Sun and Geelong Advertiser on Wednesday, 30th September, as well as on www.stsimonsparish.com.au and www.geelongdeanery.cam.org.au.

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

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) 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

Please include your name or envelope number (if you have one) as the reference.

Or by Credit Card via our new Payment Portal: [CDFpay for Our Lady of Perpetual Help](#)

Mass Intentions

Please pray for those who are sick especially:

Carl Rooney (Fr Joe's nephew), **Raelene Watt**, **John Coughlin**, **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 those whose anniversaries occur about this time, and for all who have died. May they rest in peace.