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#### **Readings at Mass**

**Entrance Antiphon** Cf. Sir 36: 18

Give peace, O Lord, to those who wait for you, that your prophets be found true. Hear the prayers of your servant, and of your people Israel.

First reading Ecclesiasticus 27:33-28:9

Resentment and anger, these are foul things,

and both are found with the sinner.

He who exacts vengeance will experience the vengeance of the Lord,

who keeps strict account of sin.

Forgive your neighbour the hurt he does you,

and when you pray, your sins will be forgiven.

If a man nurses anger against another,

can he then demand compassion from the Lord?

Showing no pity for a man like himself,

can he then plead for his own sins?

Mere creature of flesh, he cherishes resentment;

who will forgive him his sins?

Remember the last things, and stop hating,

remember dissolution and death, and live by the commandments.

Remember the commandments, and do not bear your neighbour ill-will;

remember the covenant of the Most High, and overlook the offence.

#### Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 102(103):1-4,9-12

The Lord is kind and merciful: slow to anger, and rich in compassion.

My soul, give thanks to the Lord

all my being, bless his holy name.

My soul, give thanks to the Lord

and never forget all his blessings.

The Lord is kind and merciful: slow to anger, and rich in compassion.

It is he who forgives all your guilt,

who heals every one of your ills,

who redeems your life from the grave,

who crowns you with love and compassion.

The Lord is kind and merciful: slow to anger, and rich in compassion.

His wrath will come to an end;

he will not be angry for ever.

He does not treat us according to our sins

nor repay us according to our faults.

The Lord is kind and merciful: slow to anger, and rich in compassion.

For as the heavens are high above the earth

strong is his love for those who fear him.

As far as the east is from the west

so far does he remove our sins.

The Lord is kind and merciful: slow to anger, and rich in compassion.

Second reading Romans 14:7-9

The life and death of each of us has its influence on others; if we live, we live for the Lord; and if we die, we die for the Lord, so that alive or dead we belong to the Lord. This explains why Christ both died and came to life: it was so that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the living.

John 13:34 **Gospel Acclamation** 

Alleluia, alleluia!

I give you a new commandment: love one another as I have loved you. Alleluia.

Matthew 18:21-35 Gospel

Peter went up to Jesus and said, 'Lord, how often must I forgive my brother if he wrongs me? As often as seven times?' Jesus answered, 'Not seven, I tell you, but seventy-seven times.

'And so the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who decided to settle his accounts with his servants. When the reckoning began, they brought him a man who owed ten thousand talents; but he had no means of paying, so his master gave orders that he should be sold, together with his wife and children and all his possessions, to meet the debt. At this, the servant threw himself down at his master's feet. "Give me time" he said "and I will pay the whole sum." And the servant's master felt so sorry for him that he let him go and cancelled the debt. Now as this servant went out, he happened to meet a fellow servant who owed him one hundred denarii; and he seized him by the throat and began to throttle him. "Pay what you owe me" he said. His fellow servant fell at his feet and implored him, saying, "Give me time and I will pay you." But the other would not agree; on the contrary, he had him thrown into prison till he should pay the debt. His fellow servants were deeply distressed when they saw what had happened, and they went to their master and reported the whole affair to him. Then the master sent for him. "You wicked servant," he said "I cancelled all that debt of yours when you appealed to me. Were you not bound, then, to have pity on your fellow servant just as I had pity on you?" And in his anger the master handed him over to the torturers till he should pay all his debt. And that is how my heavenly Father will deal with you unless you each forgive your brother from your heart.'

#### **Communion Antiphon**

Cf. Ps 35: 8

How precious is your mercy, O God! The children of men seek shelter in the shadow of your wings.



## OUR LADY OF FATIMA

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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.** Alternative ways to celebrate mass throughout the week:

.Radio broadcasts of Sunday Mass: Sunday 7:00am on Light FM 89.9. .Televised Sunday Mass: Channel 10 / 10HD Mass for You at Home Every Sunday at 6.00am . Live streamed & televised Mass from St Patrick's Cathedral Sunday 11 am: Live Streamed and C31 Televised (Channel 44 on Digital TV) Monday - Friday 1pm: Live Streamed. Saturday: 8.00am Live Streamed.

**Parish Administration:** The Parish Office will be closed during this period, Sue will be working from home. 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.

**Thank you** —To our many parishioners who have been able to donate to our Parish during this difficult time, your generosity is greatly appreciated and assists with the financial running of the Parish.

#### **Intentions:**

Let us pray for the sick: **Mollie Collins** and for all who have asked for our prayers.

Let us pray for those recently deceased, especially and for those whose anniversaries that occur at this time, all members of our families, friends, benefactors and all the faithful departed. May God grant them eternal peace.

This weekend, the Catholic Church in Australia marks Child Protection Sunday on which we pray for those who have been abused, their families and supporters. We recognise and apologise for the harm done by priests, religious and lay people in Church settings. The Church takes a zero-tolerance approach to child abuse. We recommit to practices that support survivors and make the Catholic Church and its ministries the safest possible place for children and people at risk.

A PRAYER IN THE TIME OF A PANDEMIC—Sub Tuum This short prayer to Our Lady has been prayed by Christians in troubled times since the third century. We fly to your protection, O Holy Mother of God; despise not our petitions in our hour of need, but deliver us always from all dangers, O glorious and blessed Virgin Mary. Amen



## OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

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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

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Information about COVID-19 is found at: www.cam.org.au/coronavirus

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#### 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.

**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 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

2<sup>nd</sup> 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.

(Because we respect your privacy – For people to be named on the list of the prayers for the sick: their names must first be submitted on an AUTHORIZATION FORM. Although the Parish Office is currently unattended due to COVID –19 Stage 4 restrictions, please email dromana@cam.org.au and a form will be forwarded to you.

Please pray for those who died recently, and for Esther Conti whose anniversary occurs about this time, and for all who have died. May they rest in peace.