



**ST THOMAS MORE PARISH  
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Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn**

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**17<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2019 – SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT – YEAR C**

**Entrance Antiphon:** Of you my heart has spoken, seek his face. It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face from me.

**Response:** The Lord is my light and my salvation.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ! From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: this is my beloved Son, hear him. Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

**Communion Antiphon:** This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased: listen to him.

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Ex 3:1-8, 13-15; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9**

**EASTER MASS TIMES**

<b>Good Friday</b>	Stations of the Cross	11:00am	<b>Holy Thursday</b>	Dickson	<b>TBC</b>
	Passion of our Lord	3:00pm	<b>Easter Vigil</b>	Dickson	<b>TBC</b>
<b>Easter Sunday</b>		9:30am		Duntroon	<b>TBC</b>

**HELP**

Are you able to help with following the Parish Ministries:

**Sacristan** (to help set up before Mass on Sundays)

**Altar Society** (cleaning the church, one hour at a time, currently only one team per month)

Please contact the Parish Office on 0416 823 447 or [campbell@cg.org.au](mailto:campbell@cg.org.au) for more information or to volunteer, or see Fr Josh.

**ST THOMAS MORE FORUM – WEDNESDAY 17 APRIL**

Anne Therese Gallagher AO, President of the International Catholic Migration Commission will present the next St Thomas More Forum, '*Confronting the Globalisation of Indifference: Catholic Leadership on Migration*' at **Holy Faith Hall, 7:30-9pm on Wednesday 17 April**. We look forward to this excellent event and encourage all parishioners to attend. Tickets are \$12 online or \$14 at the door, or \$5 and \$6 for concessions. Flyers with additional information can be found at the entrances to the Church. For all enquiries please contact the Parish team at [Campbell@cg.org.au](mailto:Campbell@cg.org.au). We hope to see you there!

**Mass and Sacrament Times**

Sunday - 9:30am

Monday – 18 March – 12:30pm note change of date

Wednesday – 5:15pm

Tuesday & Thursday – Adoration – 5:00 to 6:00pm

Friday – 10:00am

Tuesday – 9:30am Southern Cross Apartments

Mass – Latin Mass Community – Sunday, 7:45am

Marriages, Baptisms and Funerals by appointments

Reconciliation – By appointment, or before any Mass - Campbell

9:30am Saturday - Dickson

12:00 – 12:30pm Friday - Braddon

### SHEPHERD'S CORNER

See the attached page for Fr Josh's invitation to prayer through St Ignatius Loyola's Examination of Conscience, the Daily Examen.

### REFLECTION AND PRAYER

Parishioners are invited to a time of reflection and prayer at 3pm, today Sunday **17 March** here, with reflection/sharing for 30 minutes, followed by a Holy Hour with the rosary (for the victims of abuse) for those who can stay on.

### ST PATRICK'S DAY MASS

Fr Emil will celebrate Mass here on Monday 18 March at 12:30pm for St Patrick's Day.

### CARDINAL PELL

With the media attention on the Catholic Church recently, we need to pray to try to support the victims of abuse in all arenas - such coverage stirs up wounds and needs profound healing.

There were very thoughtful comments by Fr Frank Brennan and Professor Greg Craven and Andrew Bolt's comments on Sky News were very revealing about the trial. All these can be found on the internet.

The Archbishop's pastoral message following the sentencing are available at the church entrances.

### PROJECT COMPASSION

Please donate to Project Compassion 2019 and help lift communities in Indonesia out of poverty and give them hope to protect our common home.

Boxes and envelopes are available at the church entrances for your Project Compassion donations this year.

### DARAMALAN COLLEGE OPEN EVENING

**Thursday 28 March 2019.** Information sessions for Year 7, 2020 will be held at 4.45pm and 7.00pm and for Year 11, 2020 at 6.00pm. School tours available from 5.00-6.30pm. Year 7, 2020 enrolments are open from 6 - 24 May 2019. For more information contact [enrolments@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:enrolments@daramalan.act.edu.au)

### EASTER SEASON PILGRIMAGE

Fr Emil is leading a parish pilgrimage to the Abbey from **Wednesday 24 to Friday 26 April**, having led over 20 parish pilgrimages to this amazing Abbey at Jamberoo. Parishioners & friends are welcome to join the pilgrimage. Limited places are available. Contact Fr Emil to book, [emil.milat@cg.org.au](mailto:emil.milat@cg.org.au), There are flyers in church foyers with costs and more info. God Bless Fr Emil

**Prayers for the Sick:** Janet Uhr, Pat McCormick

**Recently Deceased:** Darryl Rumble

**Anniversaries:**

### ROSTERS

	Acolyte	Altar Server	Eucharistic Ministers	Commentator	Readers	Collectors & Counters	Offertory Procession	Altar Society	Morning Tea
<b>Mar 17</b>		Z Mason	M Ward J Maclean	M Ward	K McKinnon R Fox	PFC / <i>R Fox</i>	<i>Sacramental Children</i>		Phelans
<b>Mar 24</b>		Z Mason	M Doyle R Hall	M Phelan	J Mclean B Mason	PFC / <i>Volunteer</i>	<i>Sacramental Children</i>	N Deasey M Priest	L Roe & F Black
<b>Mar 31</b>	C Evans	Z Mason	M Hayes H Lipsett	B Mason	M Doyle R Hall	PFC / M Dolan	<i>Sacramental Children</i>		R Fox & J Gale
<b>Apr 7</b>		Z Mason	M Phelan M Ward	M Ward	M Mason Zachary Mason	PFC / K Duggan	<i>J Maclean</i>		Cuddihys

## SHEPHERD'S CORNER

### DAILY EXAMEN

During Lent we are called to deepen our relationship with Jesus by refocussing on Him. In order to refocus, we need to examine where God is present within our lives. More than 400 years ago St. Ignatius Loyola encouraged prayer-filled mindfulness by proposing what has been called the Examination of Consciousness or the Daily Examen. The Examen is a technique of prayerful reflection on the events of the day in order to detect God's presence and to discern his direction for us.

Try this version of St. Ignatius's prayer.

1. **Transition.** I become aware of the love with which God looks upon me as I begin this Examen.
2. **Review the day with gratitude.** I note the gifts that God's love has given me this day, and I give thanks for them.
3. **Petition.** I ask God for an insight and a strength that will make this Examen a work of grace, fruitful beyond my human capacity alone.
4. **Review.** With my God, I review the day. I look for the stirrings in my heart and the thoughts that God has given me this day. I look also for those that have not been of God. I review my choice in response to both, and throughout the day in general.
5. **Forgiveness.** I ask for the healing touch of the forgiving God who, with love and respect for me, removes my heart's burdens.
6. **Renewal.** I look to the following day and, with God, plan concretely how to live it in accord with God's loving desire for my life.
7. **Transition.** Aware of God's presence with me, I prayerfully conclude the Examen.

St. Ignatius encouraged people to talk to Jesus like a friend. I encourage you look at using this prayer at the end of each day to see where Jesus, our friend and brother, has been present throughout that day. This will make refocusing on Him a journey of transformation. Let's take the first step.

Fr. Josh

