Easter Liturgy Times

**HOLY THURSDAY - 24th MARCH 2016**
(Mass of the Lord’s Supper)
7:00pm ~ Holy Rosary Catholic Church

**GOOD FRIDAY - 25th MARCH 2016**
(Stations of the Cross)
10:00am ~ Holy Rosary Catholic Church
3:00pm ~ Holy Rosary Catholic Church
3:00pm ~ St Patricks Catholic Church

**HOLY SATURDAY - 26th MARCH 2016**
(Easter Vigil)
7:00pm ~ Holy Rosary Catholic Church

**EASTER SUNDAY - 27th MARCH 2016**
(Resurrection Sunday)
7:00am ~ St James’ Catholic Church
8:00am ~ Holy Rosary Catholic Church
9:00am ~ St Mary’s Catholic Church
Christ became obedient for us even to death, dying on the cross.

SUNDAY MASSES
Sunday of the Resurrection
27th March 2016
SATURDAY
7.00pm Holy Rosary
SUNDAY
Acts 10:34, 37-42; Colossians 3:1-4; John 20:1-6
7.00pm St James’
8.00pm Holy Rosary
9.00am St Mary’s

WEEKDAY LITURGIES
Sunday March 20
8.00am Holy Rosary
9.00am Holy Rosary
10.00am Holy Rosary
11.00am Holy Rosary
12.00pm Holy Rosary
1.00pm Holy Rosary
2.00pm Holy Rosary
3.00pm Holy Rosary
4.00pm Holy Rosary
5.00pm Holy Rosary
6.00pm Holy Rosary
7.00pm Holy Rosary

Please note there will be No Reconciliation on Holy Saturday.

PLEASE PRAY FOR
RECENTLY DECEASED: Fr Anthony Daly (Sydney); Remigio MARGOLIETTO; Bishop Ray Benning; Cecil Jensen; Salvatore Russo (Inirial); Eileen Henricks; Ismay Wells; Dave Holt; Ellen Schlegel; Maria Spessa; Carmelita Dryden; Reg Stewart (Brisbane); Robert Shaw (Brisbane); Natalie Batzloff (Esk); Peggy Mathews (Rockhampton); Claudia Regananz (Italy); Sir Pat Hayes; Ryan Savage (Longreach); Dale Carmichael; Perecval Ware; Mark Bestman (Mareeba); Melanie Robinson; Terrence Robertson; Baldino Friscioni (Vancouver); Maureen Dunne (England); Marc Ephraims; John Gallagher; James Barry.

RCIA HAPPENINGS
Next Saturday morning our Elect will celebrate the PREPARATORY RITES OF HOLY SATURDAY surrounded by the candidates for full communion into the Church, their godparents, and catechists. This is a time for reflection and prayer, and some of the minor rites may be celebrated as an immediate preparation for the sacraments: the presentation of the Lord’s Prayer, the ‘return’ or recitation of the Creed, the ephphatha rite and the anointing with the oil of cincture. (RCIA 17.2)

PLEASE PRAY FOR those preparing for initiation or reception into our faith community during the Easter Vigil: Isabel O’Brien, Tanya Groves, Kelsie Schuler, Emma-Lee Laschelles, Aaron Black, Sharon Black, Karen & Connor Miller-Smith, Nathan & Katia Saffiotti, Hannah Jamieson, Jesse Clery & Emily Oost.

EASTER NEWS
EASTER LITURGY REHEARSALS
• Altar Servers - Monday, 21st March 2016, 4:00pm to 5:00pm in Holy Rosary Church.
• Holy Thursday - Monday, 21st March 2016, 5:00pm to 6:00pm in Holy Rosary Church.
• Good Friday - St James’ ~ Sunday, 20th March 2016 after Mass): 8:00am to 9:00am: Holy Rosary & St Patrick’s Churches ~ Tuesday, 22nd March 2016, 5:00pm to 6:00pm.
• Easter Vigil - Monday, 21st March 2016, 6:00pm to 7:30pm in Holy Rosary Church.

EASTER TRIDUM WORKING BEE:
Volunteers are needed in the Novakoski Centre on Wednesday, 23rd March 2016 to help prepare vessels & objects used during the Easter Triduum.

TENEBRAE: A Service of Darkness featuring the Bundaberg Sinfonietta & the Christ Church Choir will be held on Wednesday, 23rd March 2016 at 7pm in the Anglican Christ Church. All welcome!

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION: The annual collection for the support of the Church in the Holy Land takes place on Good Friday.

THE EASTER VIGIL LITURGY, next Saturday at Holy Rosary Church, begins at 7:00pm, OUTSIDE around the Easter fire. All, except those who are physically unable to do so, are asked to gather on the school oval to begin the Service of Light. The Church will be in darkness.

A “RESURRECTION PARTY” to congratulate and welcome the Newly-Baptised & Received will be held in the Novakoski Centre after the Easter Vigil for a short time.

The Little White Easter Books are available from all Churches & the Parish Office at a cost of $3.00 each.

PARISH NEWS
The Parish Office will be closed from Friday, 25th March 2016 to & including Monday, 28th March 2016.

DIOCESAN NEWS
A commemorative Mass for Bishop Ray Benning who passed away earlier this month, will be celebrated in St Joseph’s Cathedral, Tuesday 22nd March 2016 at 7:00pm, at which Bishop Michael will preside.

The Vigil & Funeral for Bishop Benning will also be streamed live via the following links:
Vigil - Wednesday 16th March 2016 @ 7:00pm https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BOoVdTaZc34
Funeral - Thursday 24th March 2016 11:00am https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SiJ1YtJMc9Q

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“In every person the desire for peace… coincides with the desire for a full, happy and successful human life.” (Pope Benedict’s 2013 Message for World Day of Peace)

Let us be peacemakers who establish bonds of love and fairness in our own family, with friends, colleagues and the community. Also let us pray for all those people throughout the world living in situations where there is conflict.

DID YOU KNOW?
FEAST OF ST JOSEPH, March 19th. This year marks the 150th year of the formation of the Sisters of St Joseph’s by St Mary of the Cross Mackillop, whom we hold dear to our heart in this Parish.

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