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MASS TIMES FOR THE LORD'S DAY IN GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH

SATURDAY 5.30 P.M. SUNDAY 8 A.M. 10 A.M. 5.30 P.M.

WEEKDAY MASSES FOR THIS WEEK

Tuesday 7 p.m. Wednesday 9 a.m. Thursday 7 p.m. Friday 9 a.m. also Nazarene Mass 7 p.m.

RECONCILIATION Tuesday 6.20 p.m. to 6.50 p.m. Saturday 4.30 p.m. to 5.15 p.m.

NAZARENE MASS NEXT FRIDAY March 1st at 7 p.m.

SAMOAN MASS NEXT SUNDAY March 3rd at 11.30 a.m.

CHILDRENS LITURGY EVERY 3rd SUNDAY 10 a.m. Mass.

ADORATION AND BENEDICTION Tuesday from 6 p.m.

ROSARY Every Wednesday morning 8.35 a.m.

YOUNG ADULTS PRAYER GROUP (ages 18-35) Wednesday at 7:30 pm in the Church Contact Jacinta Vella for enquiries contact the Parish Office.

GOOD SHEPHERD SCHOOL TOURS Thursday 7th March from 9.30-10.30 or 4.30 – 5.30. To register scan the QR Code from the poster on the noticeboard

PROJECT COMPASSION helps us keep the LENTEN spirit by supporting CARITAS (Australian Catholic Relief Overseas Aid) There are Compassion envelopes for those who would like to give weekly donations, or there are Compassion boxes to keep until the Triduum when you can return the box with your donations.

GOOD SAMARITAN OPEN DAY will be held on Saturday 9th March from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Please see the brochure on the notice board.

SEMINARY OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD Men's Discernment Retreat Seminary of the Good Shepherd Homebush, March 8th to 10th to register scan the QR code from the flyer on the noticeboard.

JOIN THE VINNIES CALL FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE The Society of St Vincent de Paul seeks out the most vulnerable to provide much needed assistance. But we also go further to identify the unjust structures that cause poverty and hardship in the first place. Where injustice, inequality, poverty or exclusion are due to unjust economic, political or social structures the Society speaks out. We help the poor and disadvantaged speak for themselves, and when they cannot, we advocate for those who are ignored. The Vinnies social Justice Network is a community of people committed to building a more just and compassionate NSW. We take actions big and small, from collecting signatures on petitions at Conference and Region Recruitment Campaigns. Meeting with political representatives on some of the big issues include homelessness, mental health, justice for refugees and the First Nations peoples we speak on behalf of the needy in our communities. To find out more, or to join the Vinnies Social Justice Network, visit:

<https://socialjustice.vinnies.org.au/> Vinnies is looking for people in this Parish and local community who are interested in joining the Society as Conference Members. To find out more, speak to one of our Vinnies Members after Mass on 2nd or 3rd March 2024 or join us at our Vinnies Information session In Parish meeting room on Friday 8th March at 7 p.m.

PASTORAL COUNCIL meeting this Tuesday 27th February at 7.30 p.m.

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be prayed in the Church each Friday during Lent at 6 p.m. except on the 22nd March when the Stations will start at 5.30

COUPLES FOR CHRIST are hosting a Lenten retreat with Father Roni George from Divine Retreat Centre, Somersby. Come with your friends and family to receive God's healing touch. There will be worship, healing mass and adoration at Good Shepherd Church [21 Twentieth Ave, Hoxton Park](#) on Friday March 22nd from 7 p.m. to 9.30 p.m.

ROSTER FOR THE NEXT LORD'S DAY

<i>March 2/3</i>	<i>Sat. 5.30 p.m.</i>	<i>Sun. 8 a.m.</i>	<i>Sun. 10 a.m.</i>	<i>Sun. 5.30 p.m.</i>
<i>Commentator Reader</i>	Mark Gates Angela Agius	Michael Bernabe Fernanda Soares	Rosalinda Dayoan Gloria Rivera	Kevin Ambosta Bella Dela Cruz
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