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WEEKEND MASSES

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. Ash Wednesday 9 a.m. & 7p.m. Thursday 7.30 a.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 at 7 p.m.

SAMOAN MASS EACH 1st SUNDAY 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.**

LENT BEGINS THIS WEDNESDAY

ASH WEDNESDAY is a day of **some fasting from food and drink** (for Catholics aged 18 to 60 years) also a day of **abstaining from meat** (for Catholics aged 14 and older). **Masses 9am and 7pm**

LENTEN PENANCE NOTICE from **Archbishop Anthony for 2025**

copies of the letter are available in the foyer.

THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be prayed in the Church **each Friday during Lent**, starting next **Friday March 7 at 5.30pm** then subsequent weeks starting at **6pm**.

PROJECT COMPASSION supports Caritas (Australian Catholic Relief Overseas Aid) in its work for the poor. **From Ash Wednesday** there will be **Project Compassion boxes and envelopes** available **Any** donations of \$2 and over to Project Compassion are tax-deductible.

LENTEN GROUP Parishioners are invited to join this group led by Cathy Burke, the Family Educator from Good Shepherd Primary. **The group will meet each Thursday from March 6 at 8.45am.** in the Parish meeting room using resource **LET YOUR WILL BE DONE not mine.**

GOOD FRIDAY - WAY OF THE CROSS We desire to present the dramatisation Stations of the Cross in the grounds on Good Friday morning April 18 at 11 a.m. and we are looking for willing young adults, High School youth to make it a reality, please contact the office 9825 8154.

LENTEN COMPANION 2025 LET YOUR WILL BE DONE not mine. The booklet may be downloaded at www.gomakedisciples.org.au It contains the Gospel passage for each Sunday of Lent, as well as Gospel Reflections. This may be completed in an individual, family or group setting.

OUR MONTHLY MORNING TEA is this Sunday after 8am and 10am Masses. We need more volunteers to help out. If you or your family would like to help setup, serve and clean up after morning tea please contact Susan Ives 0419 606 683

GOOD SHEPHERD PRIMARY SCHOOL are holding **School Tours this Monday 3 March 9.30 to 10.30am & 4.00 to 5.00pm.** there are flyers at the back of the Church. Scan the QR Code to register.

GOOD SAMARITAN CATHOLIC COLLEGE OPEN DAY for parents and students wishing to **enrol for Year 7 2027. Saturday 8 March 11am - 1pm.** The Open Day commences with a presentation in the College Hall.

MASTERY OF THE WILL: Exploring the human senses, addiction, and sin. Talk by Dr John Poon, a retired psychologist at Good Shepherd Hoxton Park, on March 18. Adoration 6pm, Mass 7pm, talk 7.40pm.

BISHOP RICHARD UMBERS will instal Fr Simon as Parish Priest on Sunday 30th March at the 10am Mass.

ROSTERS FOR THE 1st SUNDAY LENT C

MARCH 8/9	Sat. 5.30 p.m.	Sun. 8 a.m.	Sun. 10 a.m.	Sun. 5.30 p.m.
Reader 1 Reader 2	Angela Agius Mark Gates	Charlotte Jaison Riona Jaison	Mathew Picone Gloria Rivera	Kevin Simonnet Julee Wilson
Communion Ministers	Noel O'Donnell Maria Doculara	Vincent Ogu Abella Bernabe	Angela Jong Edna Rodriguez	David Di Bartolo Beverly Fraser

