

St. Philip's Catholic Parish

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (B) – 21 APRIL AD2024

MASS TIMES

Saturday Evening 7.00pm Vigil Sunday 8.30am & 10.30am

Mon, Thu, Friday 9.00am <u>Church</u> Tue & Wednesday 8.00am Hall

Saturday 9.00am Latin Mass 1962 Missal <u>Church</u>

CONFESSION

Saturday 10.00am – 11.00am – other times by request EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

No Exposition this week

ANZAC Day – Thursday 25th April 2024

Holy Mass at 9.00am St Philip's Church

ENTRANCE: THE MERCIFUL LOVE OF THE LORD FILLS THE EARTH; BY THE WORD OF THE LORD THE HEAVENS WERE MADE, ALLELUIA.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: THE STONE REJECTED BY THE BUILDERS HAS BECOME THE CORNERSTONE.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA! (Verse read by reader)

COMMUNION: THE GOOD SHEPHERD HAS RISEN, WHO LAID DOWN HIS LIFE FOR HIS SHEEP AND

WILLINGLY DIED FOR HIS FLOCK, ALLELUIA.



THERE SHALL BE ONE FLOCK AND ONE SHEPHERD

It is He Who, born of the Virgin Mother by the Holy Ghost, fertilises His pure Church with the same blessed Spirit, that by the birth of Baptism an innumerable multitude of sons may be born to God, of Whom it is said, who were born not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God (John 1:13). It is He, in Whom the seed of Abraham is blessed by the adoption of the whole world (Genesis 22:18), and the patriarch becomes the father of nations by the birth, through faith not flesh, of the sons of promise.

It is He Who, without excluding any nation, makes one flock of holy sheep from every nation under heaven, and daily fulfils what He promised, saying, Other sheep also I have which are not of this fold; them also I must bring, and they shall hear My voice, and there shall be one flock and one shepherd (John 10:16). For though to



the blessed Peter first and foremost He says, Feed My sheep; yet the one Lord directs the charge of all the shepherds, and feeds those that come to the rock with such glad and well-watered pastures, that countless sheep are nourished by the richness of His love, and hesitate not to perish for the Shepherd's sake, even as the good Shepherd Himself was content to lay down His life for His sheep.

- POPE ST LEO THE GREAT (C.461), SERMON ON THE PASSION OF THE LORD

BUILDING UPDATE: STEEPLE SUPPORT FRAMEWORK AND BASE NOW IN PLACE

Last week saw the arrival of the steel components of the steeple – the support frames, base, and the steeple itself. The support frames were secured in place and the base of the steeple attached to these on Tuesday 16 April. The design means that the support structure is hidden between the ceiling and the roof tiles. This will mean that the steeple will rise from the roof without any of the steel support structure being visible.



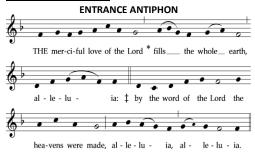


Scaffolding will remain in the Church through this week and will be removed early the following week. The next steps will be putting the tiles back in place on the roof, and then the cladding with zinc of both the base and the steeple. A large cross will surmount the whole structure once the steeple is lifted into place. The bell will be added later in the year with a formal blessing.

<u>PLEASE NOTE – MASS TIMES:</u> Continuing work on the Church means that some days we need to change Mass time and be in the Hall. Please refer to the Mass times at the top of the bulleting for this week's schedule.

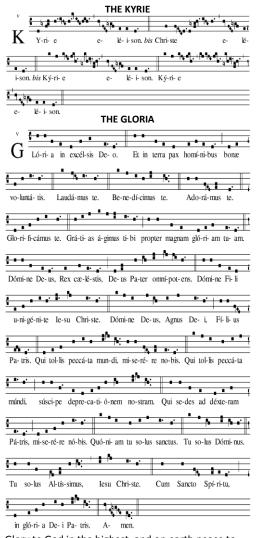
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PENITENTIAL ACT

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, (STRIKING THEIR BREAST, THEY SAY:) through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our



Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory. Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

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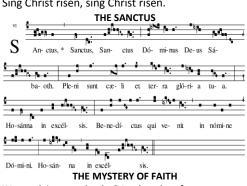
I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten

Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (ALL BOW) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. (RISE) For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come, Amen,

BY YOUR KINGLY POWER, O RISEN LORD,

All that Adam lost is now restored: In Your Resurrection be adored.

- 1. Sing the joyful Easter cry, Sound it to the souls in prison, Shout our triumph to the sky: Sing Christ risen, sing Christ risen.
- 2. Sing the joyful Easter cry, Let all times and peoples listen: Death has no more victory, Sing Christ risen, sing Christ risen.
- 3. Death has lost and life has won; Ev'ry new-born son we Christen Now becomes the Father's son: Sing Christ risen, sing Christ risen.



We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.



THE KING OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS,

Whose goodness faileth never; I nothing lack if I am His, And He is mine forever.

2. Where streams of living water flow My ransomed soul He leadeth, And, where the verdant pastures grow, With food celestial feedeth.

- 3. Perverse and foolish oft I strayed, But yet in love He sought me, And on His shoulder gently laid, And home rejoicing brought me.
- 4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill With Thee, dear Lord, beside me; Thy rod and staff my comfort still, Thy Cross before to guide me.
- 5. Thou spread'st a table in my sight; Thy unction grace bestoweth; And oh, what transport of delight From Thy pure chalice floweth!
- 6. And so through all the length of days Thy goodness faileth never; Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise Within Thy house forever.



alle-lú-ia: O-ra pro no-bis De- um, alle-lú- ia. Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia! For He whom you did merit to bear, alleluia! Has risen, as he said, alleluia! Pray for us to God, alleluia!

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Holy Father, look upon this humanity of ours.

Its life is still deeply marked by hatred, violence and oppression,

but the thirst for justice, truth and grace

still finds a space in the hearts of many people, who are waiting for someone to bring salvation, enacted by You through Your Son Jesus. There is the need for courageous heralds of the

for generous servants of suffering humanity. Send holy priests to Your Church, we pray, who may sanctify Your people with the tools of Your grace.

Send numerous consecrated men and women, that they may show Your holiness in the midst of the world

Send holy labourers into Your vineyard, that they may labour with the fervour of charity and, moved by Your Holy Spirit, may bring the salvation of Christ to the farthest ends of the Earth. Amen.

- Pope St John Paul II, 8th September 2001

COLLECTION: Sunday morning Masses, 1st Collection (Presbytery) is taken up after the homily; 2nd Collection (Church) is taken up during the Offertory. Fundraising envelopes may be placed in 2nd.

CATHOLIC WEEKLY: \$2.00 in the Narthex.

ST PHILIP'S SOCIAL CLUB: We meet each third Thursday of the month 12.30pm, Blackburn Hotel. New members are always welcome. Please phone Mary Wynd 0409 114 918 for more information.

ST PHILIP'S PLAYGROUP: Parents, pre-schoolers, and babies are welcome to join together for a play, cuppa, and chat - every Monday morning during term (9.30am - 11.30am) at St Philip's Hall. Contact Ashley for more details: 0448 510 319

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