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St Mary's Church - Next Week MASS or CS

Tuesday 10.00am
Wednesday 10.00am
Thursday 10.00am
Friday 10.00am

St Joseph's Church - Penshurst

Wednesday 10.00am & Thursday 10.00am

MASS TIMES - 14th & 15th April 2012 **3rd Sunday of the month.**

Hamilton:	Saturday Mass	6pm
	Sunday Mass	10.30am
	Sunday Mass	5pm
Dunkeld:	Sunday Mass	9.00am
Macarthur:	Sunday Mass	9.00am
Penshurst:	Sunday Mass	9.00am
Glenthompson:	Sunday SAWC	9.00am

Reconciliation: After 10am Mass on Fridays or 5.30pm Saturdays; Country Centres before or after any Mass, or by contacting Fr Pat 55711161

St. Mary's Rosters - April 14th & 15th **7pm 10.30am**

Commentator: Ray Corbett	Kevin Reed
1st Reader: Julie Gustus	Pat Blohm
2nd Reader: Ted Oliver	Don Schultz
Procession Gifts: Theresa Tuppen	T&J Daffey
Eucharistic: Min: Group 2	Group 7
Computer: Volunteer	Volunteer

Rosters: this weekend -

Eucharistic Ministers

We would appreciate 7 volunteers for each Mass this weekend.

The Lord is Risen. Alleluia!
The Lord is Risen indeed,
Alleluia. Alleluia.

RECENT DEATHS:

Ethel Pedrina (funeral Tuesday 10th April 2.30pm at St Mary's Church), Tony Redden.
Mary Collins (Aunt of Kevin O'Neill).

ANNIVERSARIES:

Douglas Byrne, Darrel Fry, Mary Pedrina.

(Please note: it is the relatives responsibility to submit anniversary names to the Parish Office.)

THOSE WHO ARE SICK:

Joan Handley, Peter Garzoli, Gayle Lee, Jim Bonner, Patrick O'Connell, Kerryn McCluggage, Mary Riddle, Betty Wentzel, Shannon Appleton, Dawn Anson, Terrence McGrath, Val Carter, Jacinta Carson, Joan Birrell, Emma Mather.

Prayer requests for the sick are continued for one month. You are welcome to extend them further.

FINANCE COLLECTIONS

PRIESTS' SUPPORT: \$1188.15
PARISH STEWARDSHIP OFFERING: \$2859.00
Count Team: Margaret Meagher & Anne Milne.

Next week: Vincent & Frances O'Brien and team.

Maryknoll Activities 2012

Everyone is welcome to join in the Groups listed below, please phone the contact person for further details.

St Mary's Playgroup: Wednesdays 10.30am - 12noon in the Family Room.

Noah's Ark Toy Library: Wednesdays 10.30am . 12.30pm. Pauline Perkins 0428 2871 13

Aus. Breastfeeding Assoc. Mon 2nd April 10am
Contact: Barb Glare 55676327

Craft Group: Weekly on Thursdays including school holidays 10 am. 3pm. in the Craft Room.

Margaret Duyveston: 5578 8213. You are welcome to BYO craft. New members welcome

Men's Day Out: Wednesdays 1.15 . 4 pm in Family Room Gerald Healy 0429 3815 95

Activities: cards (500s) & snooker or other activities as desired

Next Dance: Friday April 20th 8pm. Bring a plate please. **Dance Practise** . 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month.

Pfaff Club-Machine Embroidery: 10am. . 3pm. Monday, April 2nd Jenny Cannon 0418 3191 91

Maryknoll Inquiries for room hire - Bev Kaaye 0429909240

An enormous **thank you** to all who have helped with preparation and participation in Easter ceremonies.



You have been so generous with your time and skills.

Please Note!
Saturday Vigil Mass now 6pm

**Happy Easter Everyone!
From the Parish Pastoral
Team.**

**May the Peace & Joy
of the Risen Christ
fill your hearts to
overflowing.**



Divine Mercy Sunday – April 15.

10.30 am Mass & Blessing of Divine Mercy Image
12.00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
2.00 pm Rosary
2.30 pm Litany of the Divine Mercy
3.00 pm The 3 o'clock Prayer and
Chaplet of Divine Mercy
3.15 pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament
Reconciliation available during afternoon

*“My Heart rejoices in this feast -
on that day all the Divine floodgates
through which graces flow are opened”
(Diary 998, 699)*



Happy Easter from all at Caritas Australia! Celebrate that your generosity to Project Compassion continues aid and development work reflective of the life of Jesus Christ, and shaped by the tradition of Catholic Social Teaching principles, in over 35 countries around the world. You have offered new life to your brothers and sisters struggling with poverty and injustice.

**Thank you for supporting Caritas Australia's
Project Compassion 2012 appeal.**



Join the women of St Mary's for a meal & display of modern Jewellery, Bags & gifts from MILLY'S GIFTS for sale at very affordable prices.

**Thursday 12 April at 6.30pm
AT MARYKNOLL CENTRE**

**Bring along a meal to share & BYO drink –
along with an item of old jewellery –
that holds a special memory/story.**

Our get togethers focus on parish women gathering in friendship.

Anne Slattery 5570 8210 Val Lovell 5571 9008

EASTER BAPTISMS

Holy Saturday we welcome into the family of God through Baptism at St Mary's, Hamilton .

'Bailey Jack Borgmeyer' and 'Lauren Matilda Borgmeyer', children of Andrew & Taryn.

'Ella Louise Pietschmann' and 'Holly Maree Pietschmann', children of Tim & Lisa.

'Taelor Anne Snell', daughter of Troy & Debra.

'Tahlia Louise Wormald', daughter of Ted & Pauline.

St Mary's Parish welcomes **Corinne Raymond** into Confirmation and First Eucharist this Easter.

Easter Sunday – Baptism

We welcome to the family of God at St Mary's Church, Hamilton,

'Clancy Thomas Mullins' and 'Hilton Scott Mullins', Sons of Scott & Annie.

We welcome to the family of God at St Thomas Church, Glenthompson,

'Hamish Peter Phillips' and 'Matilda Katelyn Phillips', Children of Mark and Naomi.

Parish Dinner

- Preliminary Notice -

**A DATE FOR YOUR
CALENDAR**

Join in with other parishioners as we:

- Welcome Fr John Corrigan & the parishioners of Peshurst to our parish.
- Farewell Bishop Connors as he prepares for retirement.
- Celebrate being a member of St Mary's parish.

St Mary's Parish Hall

Friday 25th May – Dinner

Price of Tickets & further details available soon.

Numbers limited to 100 . book early to ensure a table.

Enquiries . Parish Office - 5571 1161

- Anne Slattery . 5570 8210

Dinner is being hosted by Orana Ladies Group



Welcome back to the parish Fr John McKinnon who resumes residence here after his time in Portland

**This is the day, Lord God,
that you have made!
Raising Christ from the dead,
and raising us with Christ,
you have fashioned for yourself a new
people, washed in the flood of baptism,
sealed with the gift of the Spirit,
invited to the banquet of the Lamb!**

**In the beauty of this Easter season,
fill our hearts to overflowing
with the new life of Christ
bringing us Easter peace and joy
forever and ever.**

Amen.