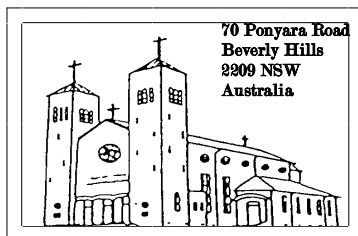


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SUNDAY MASSES: 8.30 am 10.00 am Saturday (Vigil) 6.00 pm
WEEKDAY MASSES: Monday & Thursday: 7.00 am
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 9.15 am
Saturday: 8.00 am
RECONCILIATION: Saturday: 11.00 am - 12.00 pm & 5.15 - 5.45 pm
DEVOTIONS: Stations of the Cross: Wednesday 7.30 pm

NB: Public Holidays Mass at 9.00 am only
BAPTISMS BY APPOINTMENT (Notice of one month is required)
MARRIAGES BY APPOINTMENT (Notice of six months is required)

Feast Days: Wednesday: Annunciation of the Lord

Fourth Sunday of Lent - Care for God's creation has always been an important part of Christian tradition. In this week's Project Compassion story we meet Ipaou from South Kalimantan, Indonesia. Her indigenous Meratus Dayak community has long struggled against the impacts of large scale forestry which causes damaging landslides and flooding. She is participating in a Caritas Australia supported advocacy program that supports vulnerable indigenous communities to secure a just and sustainable future. Your donation to Caritas Australia's Project Compassion helps indigenous Indonesian communities protect their rights and forests for the benefit of us all.

Thank you and God's blessing to Veronica Torrington. This Sunday at the 10.00 am Mass we welcome Veronica and give thanks to God for the many years of working at Regina Coeli Parish. We ask God to bless her as she is beginning a 'new phase' of her life. After this Mass morning tea will be served in our Community Centre in which everybody is invited to participate.

Kindergarten Enrolment 2010 - The enrolment period for children ready to commence school in 2010 begins 23 March 2009 and continues until the end of May. The Application package can be obtained from the school office. Your child to be enrolled for Kindergarten 2010 should have turned five years of age by **31 July 2010**. Regina Coeli will be having Open days for parents considering enrolment on Monday 23 & Wednesday 25 March at 2.15pm.

Lenten Scripture Reflection: Dominican Sisters, 1/54 Kirrang Street. PH: 9554 3103
Mondays 7.30 pm. 23rd, 30th March, 6th April. **All Welcome**

Parish News - Closing date for the next issue is Monday, 23 March.

THE PRESENCE OF JESUS

David Haas

Refrain: Eat and drink, feed on the presence of Jesus the Lord

Come to me all you who labor and find your rest.
Come lay your burdens upon me,
my yoke is easy and light ®

Come to me, live in the light of unending joy
I come that you may have new life,
life in its fullness forever ®

Come to me, I know my own and they know me.
Live in the life down before you,
that you may live forever ®

Come to me I am the light of the world.
Live in the light of my presence,
darkness is ended forever ®

Come to me I will never forsake you
Be not afraid, I am with you,
holding you always, close to my heart ®

Come to me I am your God, you my people.
I will be with you always,
steadfast and faithful, your God ®

Come to me, Go forth and serve my people.
I send my spirit to guide you,
to strengthen the weary, and the broken ®

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Palm Sunday Mass and handover of the Cross and Icon in Rome on 5 April 2009.

The Palm Sunday Mass with the Holy Father and the official handover of the World Youth Day Cross and Icon from Sydney to Madrid will be covered live on the Archdiocese of Sydney's international online network xt3.com. This first-ever live webcast of the ceremony from St Peter's Basilica in Rome will mark the final official event of World Youth Day Sydney 2008. xt3 members and non-members will be able to see the event on the xt3.com home page. An instruction page is available on xt3.com with easy to follow steps to view the Mass and handover.

Catholic Weekly - (On sale at Church doors - \$2.00 each) - Points of Interest:

Catholic Schools Week: 24-page supplement :
Bishop condemns aid to fund foreign abortion
Papal letter to world's bishops: full text :
Good Friday TAB betting plan lacks 'sensitivity' :
'The wearin' o' the green!' - St Patrick's Day parade :
Big steps for tiny feet - more pages of Catholic kindergarten classes :
Program focuses on ecological justice in Indonesia - Project Compassion :
And God bless you, Sister :
'Living models of this new creation':
Lenten reflection :
Parenting: Why it's so important to practise self-control :
Easter bonanza - win \$2000 for your parish plus \$1000 for yourself

Marist Brothers Kogarah Class Reunion

for Intermediate Certificate years '45, '46, '47 and Leaving Certificate years '47, '48, '49, at Kogarah Golf Club, Marsh Street, Arncliffe, 11.00 am for lunch, Sunday 29 March. Contact Jim O'Meara, 9529 9392 or 106 The Promenade, Sans Souci, 2219. or jomeara@isp.net.au

Holy Rosary: The Rosary Statue will be at the home of Mr & Mrs J Costa, 15 Kooemba Road. Phone 97150 4113.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Recently deceased: Father David Nies, John F Maher, Johnny Shumack, Nancy Andrea, Jack Fitzgerald, John Raftery, John Doherty
Anniversary: Joe Ovens, Mary Moira Crawford, Eileen Munn, Vicko Hrdalo, Chris Franchella, Glennie Rowe
Rest of the Souls of: Florence Lynch, Deceased of the Duggan and McAuliffe Families, Carmelo Algozzino, Stephen Xuerb, Rosaria Franchella, Giovanni Franchella, John Maher

The Memorial Church Collection last week was \$2,401.05 - Thank you