

CALENDAR / MARCH & APRIL 2024

MAR 25 Mon	HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Mass	8 Mon	<i>The Annunciation of the Lord</i> HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Mass
26 Tue	HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Anointing Mass	9 Tue	HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Mass (CWL) 10:00am CWL Meeting
27 Wed	HOLY TRINITY: 7:00am Mass 9:00am Mass (Villa—for Residents only) HOLY FAMILY: 8:00am Mass HOLY SPIRIT: 5:30pm Mass 7:00pm Baptism Preparation	10 Wed	HOLY TRINITY: 7:00am Mass HOLY FAMILY: 8:00am Mass HOLY SPIRIT: 5:30pm Mass
28 Thurs	<i>Thursday of the Lord's Supper</i> HOLY TRINITY: 5:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper HOLY FAMILY: 6:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper HOLY SPIRIT: 7:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper	11 Thurs	<i>St. Stanislaus (Bishop, martyr)</i> HOLY SPIRIT: 7:00am Mass
29 Fri	<i>Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Holiday)</i> <i>Holy Places Appeal</i> HOLY TRINITY: 9:00am Stations of the Cross 3:00pm Passion of the Lord HOLY FAMILY: 9:00am Stations of the Cross 3:00pm Passion of the Lord HOLY SPIRIT: 10:00am Stations of the Cross 3:00pm Passion of the Lord	12 Fri	HOLY TRINITY: 7:00am Mass HOLY FAMILY: 8:00am Mass HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Mass & Exposition
30 Sat	<i>Holy Saturday</i> HOLY SPIRIT: 7:00pm Easter Vigil NO REGULAR RECONCILIATION <i>(Bring bottles for Holy Water)</i> HOLY TRINITY: 7:00pm Easter Vigil HOLY FAMILY: 7:00pm Easter Vigil	13 Sat	HOLY SPIRIT: 8:00am Mass & Novena 8:30am Reconciliation 6:00pm Sunday Mass COMMISSIONING OF MINISTERS HOLY TRINITY: 5:00pm Sunday Mass HOLY FAMILY: 6:15pm Sunday Mass
31 Sun	<i>Sunday of the Resurrection</i> HOLY TRINITY: 7:30am Mass & Cuppa HOLY SPIRIT: 8:30am Mass & Cuppa Bring a plate of food to share & bottles for Holy Water 5:30pm Mass HOLY FAMILY: 9:00am Mass	14 Sun	<i>3rd Sunday of Easter</i> HOLY TRINITY: 7:30am Mass & Cuppa HOLY SPIRIT: 8:30am Mass. Wedding Anniversary Celebration & Cuppa COMMISSIONING OF MINISTERS 5:30pm Mass HOLY FAMILY: 9:00am Mass & Cuppa
APR 1 Mon	<i>Easter Monday (Public Holiday)</i> HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Mass for Intentions of Parishioners, Rosary & Exposition	15 Mon	HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Mass
2 Tue	HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Mass	16 Tue	HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Mass
3 Wed	HOLY TRINITY: 7:00am Mass HOLY FAMILY: 8:00am Mass HOLY SPIRIT: 5:30pm Mass	17 Wed	HOLY TRINITY: 7:00am Mass HOLY FAMILY: 8:00am Mass HOLY SPIRIT: 5:30pm Mass
4 Thurs	HOLY SPIRIT: 7:00am Mass	18 Thurs	HOLY SPIRIT: 7:00am Mass
5 Fri	HOLY TRINITY: 7:00am 1 st Friday Mass HOLY FAMILY: 8:00am 1 st Friday Mass HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am 1 st Friday Mass & Exposition	19 Fri	HOLY TRINITY: 7:00am Mass HOLY FAMILY: 8:00am Mass HOLY SPIRIT: 9:00am Mass & Exposition
6 Sat	HOLY SPIRIT: 8:00am Mass & Novena 8:30am Reconciliation 6:00pm Sunday Mass HOLY TRINITY: 5:00pm Sunday Mass HOLY FAMILY: 6:15pm Sunday Mass	20 Sat	HOLY SPIRIT: 8:00am Mass & Novena 8:30am Reconciliation 6:00pm Sunday Mass HOLY TRINITY: 5:00pm Sunday Mass HOLY FAMILY: 6:15pm Sunday Mass
7 Sun	<i>2nd Sunday of Easter</i> <i>Divine Mercy Sunday</i> HOLY TRINITY: 7:30am Mass & Cuppa HOLY SPIRIT: 8:30am Mass & Cuppa 10:00am Baptisms 2:30-5:15pm Divine Mercy Sunday 5:30pm Mass HOLY FAMILY: 9:00am Mass 10:00am Divine Mercy Chaplet of Adoration	21 Sun	<i>4th Sunday of Easter</i> HOLY TRINITY: 7:30am Mass & Cuppa HOLY SPIRIT: 8:30am Mass & Cuppa 10:00am Baptisms 5:30pm Mass HOLY FAMILY: 9:00am Mass

St. Mary of the Cross MacKillop Parish

(Holy Spirit-Cranbrook, Holy Family-Gulliver, Holy Trinity-Mundingburra)

Email: mackillopparish@tsv.catholic.org.au

Website: www.tsv.catholic.org.au

Parish Office: 400 Ross River Road, Cranbrook, Townsville Qld
PO Box 6, Aitkenvale. Qld 4814
Phone: 07 4779 1404

Welcome to St. Mary of the Cross MacKillop Parish

Parish Priest: Fr Joshy John ocd

Associate Pastor: Fr. Lijo Thanippilly ocd

Secretaries: Mrs Betty Shenton

Mrs Rochelle Dulalia

Safeguarding Representatives: Peter Queale

Graeme McCourt

Music Co-Ordinators: Donna Parison, Graeme McCourt & Theresa Toomey

Email: hssafeguarding@tsv.catholic.org.au

Website: www.tsv.catholic.org.au/safeguarding

Office Business Hours: Mon-Fri 8:45-12:30pm, 1:00-4:30pm

Phone: 4779 1404

Parish Schools:

Holy Spirit Catholic School

Phone: 4779 4255

Principal: Paul Martin

Marian Catholic School, Currajong

Phone: 4759 5888

Principal: Kylie Helmore

St. Joseph's Catholic School, Mundingburra

Phone: 4779 1651

Principal: Tracy Nuttall

St. Margaret Mary's College, Hyde Park

Phone: 4726 4900

Principal: Kathleen McCarthy



NEW PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAMS

PARISH MISSION LEADERSHIP TEAM:

Frs. Joshy & Lijo
Zoe Brown
Carmel Cannon
Alan Cooke
Richard Kennedy
Angela Lone
Gerard Marano

PARISH MISSION COUNCIL:

Frs. Joshy & Lijo
Anna Ardill
Angelo Coco
Alan Cooke
Cheryl Elliott
Lauren Fone
Rachel Harrison
Paul Hefferan
Jim MacKinnon
Janette Power

PARISH MISSION FINANCE COUNCIL:

Frs. Joshy & Lijo
Ed Burke
Ann Chalmers
Angelo Coco
Jenny Dominguez
Paul Hefferan
Mary Wallace

MASS TIMES

(Effective 6th April, 2024)

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

SUNDAY : 9:00am

MONDAY:

TUESDAY:

WEDNESDAY: 8:00am

THURSDAY:

FRIDAY: 8:00am

SATURDAY: 6:15pm

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

SUNDAY: 7:30am

MONDAY:

TUESDAY:

WEDNESDAY: 7:00am

THURSDAY:

FRIDAY: 7:00am

SATURDAY: 5:00pm

Next week's Readings



**Easter Sunday
Year B**

March 30 & 31, 2024

Acts of the Apostles
10:34-37-43
Colossians 3:1-4
John 20:1-9 or
Mark 16:1-7 or
Luke 24:13-35



The Diocese of Townsville holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with a fundamental right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm. They are to be treasured nurtured and safeguarded by all.

Diocesan Safeguarding Officer

Craig Brereton

Phone. 4726 3264 Mobile 0439 533 172

Email cbrereton@tsv.catholic.org.au

Liturgy of the Word - 23 & 24 March 2024

First Reading:

A reading from the prophet Isaiah
Isaiah 50:4-7

The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue. So that I may know how to reply to the wearied he provides me with speech. Each morning he wakes me to hear, to listen like a disciple. The Lord has opened my ear. For my part, I made no resistance, neither did I turn away. I offered my back to those who struck me, my cheeks to those who tore at my beard. I did not cover my face against insult and spittle. The Lord comes to my help, so that I am untouched by the insults. So, too, I set my face like flint; I know I shall not be shamed.

Second Reading

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians
Philippians 2:6-11

His state was divine, yet Christ Jesus did not cling to his equality with God but emptied himself to assume the condition of a slave, and became as men are, and being as all men are, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all other names so that all beings in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld, should bend the knee at the name of Jesus and that every tongue should acclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Gospel:

The passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to
Mark 15:1-39

First thing in the morning, the chief priest together with the elders and scribes, in short the whole Sanhedrin, had their plan ready. They had Jesus bound and took him away and handed him over to Pilate. Pilate questioned him, "Are you the king of the Jews?" "It is you who say it", he answered. And the chief priests brought many accusations against him. Pilate questioned him again "Have you no reply at all? See how many accusations they are bringing against you!" But to Pilate's amazement, Jesus made no further reply. At festival time Pilate used to release a prisoner for them, anyone they asked for. Now a man called Barabbas was then in prison with the rioters who had committed murder during the uprising. When the crowd went up and began to ask Pilate, the customary favour, Pilate answered them, "Do you want me to release for you the king of the Jews? For he realised it was out of jealousy that the chief priests had handed Jesus over. The chief priest, however, had incited the crowd to demand that he should release Barabbas for them instead. Then Pilate spoke again. "But in that case", he said, "what am I to do with the man you call king of the Jews?" They shouted back. "Crucify him!" Pilate asked them, "what harm has he done?" But they shouted all the louder, "Crucify him!" So Pilate, anxious to placate the crowd, released Barabbas for them and, having ordered Jesus to be scourged, handed him over to be crucified. The soldiers led him away to the inner part of the palace, that is, the Praetorium, and called the whole cohort together. They dressed him up in purple, twisted some thorns into a crown and put it on him. And they began saluting him, "Hail king of the Jews!" They struck his head with a reed and spat on him; and they went down on their knees to do him homage. And when they had finished making fun of him, they took off the purple and dress him in his own clothes.

***ANNUAL GOOD FRIDAY APPEAL FOR HOLY PLACES:** The Annual collection for the support of the church in the Holy Land will take place on **Good Friday, 29th March**. This collection promotes the missionary work of the Church in the Holy Land by providing welfare assistance to local Christians in areas such as health, education, employment, housing, Parishes, and orphanages. It is also used to maintain over 70 churches and shrines associated with the life of Jesus. The Franciscans of the Custody of the Holy Land have the unique responsibility of caring for the Holy Places as well as caring for the Christians living in the Holy Land – the 'ancient stones' of our Christian heritage and the 'living stones' of our present and future Christians. In 2023, Australian Catholics were extremely generous and we were able to send nearly \$1.4 million to the Holy Land. The reality for the Holy Land mission is that they will continue to face challenges financial and spiritual and so we again ask Catholics around the world again to be as generous as possible, with their financial support as well as the spiritual support. Please remember the Christians of the Holy Land on Good Friday.

***SPECIAL ROSTER FOR HOLY WEEK:** We are still in need of Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Collectors, Gifts and Altar Servers for the Holy Week ceremonies, If you are going to be in town and can help out, please add your name to the roster sheet on the table at the entrance of the Church.

PURCELL TAYLOR LAWYERS Our knowledge, your resolution.

CRIMINAL LAW	COMPENSATION CLAIMS	WILLS & ESTATES
FAMILY LAW	SUPERANNUATION CLAIMS	EMPLOYMENT LAW
CONVEYANCING & COMMERCIAL	LITIGATION	VETERANS' AFFAIRS

www.purcelltaylor.com.au | Ph: (07) 4758 5858
Central Plaza, Level 3, 370 Flinders Street, Townsville

ORANGE healthcare
Enhancing life

Assistance in daily living | Shared Accommodation (SA) | Assistance in Community | Home care Nursing |

YOUR LOCAL NDIS PROVIDER
Contact: 0478122900 | www.orangehealthcare.com.au

HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH ROSTERS - 30th & 31st MARCH 2024

March 30th (Sat), 7:00pm (EASTER VIGIL) - Anne Wiseman 0412 346 755

SET-UP: WELCOMERS: READERS: Sheerah Tait, Divina Ty, Rochelle Dulalia, Sue Bandaranaike, Celerina Banzuela C: GIFTS: Flocy Isnard A/SERV: Evaan & Evonne Joseph COMMUNION: Sheerah Tait, Livia Bader, Sr. Ruth Mulyani, Ruby Guerra de Corkill, Sr. Bernaria Kuabib, Sr. Sesilia, Molly Britto, Tom Bull, Margaret Bull COLLECTORS: Molly Britto, Thomas Desa MUSIC: Elaine Gunn, Dondon Dulalia, Chisom Ifeanyieze, John Knight, Margaret Ledster, Ryan George, Rita Molloy, Cait Ouma, Fred Taudigani and Donna Parison

March 31st (Sun), 8:30am - (EASTER SUNDAY) Don Pitt - 0427 287 125

WELCOMER: R1: R2: Jana Mazierska C: Thez Hamilton SET-UP: Don Pitt GIFTS: A/SERV: COMMUNION: Brian O'Donoghue, Ruby Guerra de Corkill, Sr. Bernaria Kuabib, Jana Mazierska, Sue Bandaranaike, Molly Britto, Sr. Maite Konmawi, Thez Hamilton COLLECT: Molly Britto, Lyn & Leo Pabie MUSIC: Mary Cazzulino, Emmanuel Thomachan, Rahila Desa, Ryan George, Nevah Kadavil, Delia Mendoza, Maria Morshell, Cait Ouma, Rhey Roda, Pamelah Sales, Ella Sales, Fred Taudigani and Donna Parison

March 31st (Sun), 5:30pm (EASTER SUNDAY) Loida Pioc 0408 070 905

WELCOMER: Veronica Brown R1: R2: C: GIFTS: A/SERV: COMMUNION: Jose & Loida Pioc, Zoe Brown, Mark Grace COLLECT: Eileen Brown MUSIC: Rhey Roda, John Knight, Penny Scholl and Donna Parison

GROUNDS MAINTENANCE

April 2024 - Errol & Anne Wiseman

GROTTO WATERING & MAINTENANCE OF PLANTS

April 2024 - Errol & Anne Wiseman

MONEY COUNTING

24th March - Marie Cusumano, Colin Ryan & Nita Slee
31st March - Kate Isepy, Jana Mazierska & Emenike Okonkwo

CHURCH CLEANING

30th March - Scarlett Allende, Peter Choy, Michael & Carmel Purcell, Amendra Perera

PURIFIERS - 25th March

Theresa Joseph

SERVER ROBES - April '24

Manju Mathew

ALTAR LINEN - April 2024

Sonali de Livera

BAPTISM

24th & 31st March -

No Baptisms

Baptism Preparation -

27th March '24

Tony & Jenny Reddy

***HOLY SPIRIT CHURCH NEW ROSTERS:** The new set of mass rosters are ready for collection from the table at the entrance of the Church. If you are involved in any Parish Ministry, please collect your roster sheet.

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH MASS ROSTERS

March 23rd (Sat)

READERS:

Kylie Helmore
Vicki Winter

COMMUNION MINISTER:

Sr. Marion Firth

March 24th (Sun)

READERS:

Madeline Tolentino
Mikayla Tolentino

COMMUNION MINISTER:

Denise Morris

March 30th (Sat)

READERS:

Janette Power
Sr. Marion Firth

COMMUNION MINISTERS:

Jenny Dominguez
Michael Rabino

COMMUNION MINISTERS:

Jan Knight
Jean McMahan

March 31st (Sun) - Easter Sunday special rosters

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH MASS ROSTERS

March 30th (Sat) & March 31st (Sun)

HOLY WEEK SPECIAL ROSTERS

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED: Please pray for our recently deceased brothers and sisters: Shane Hooper and Elizabeth Jones Covell

We also remember anniversaries of our deceased relatives and friends: Bob & Mary Donaldson, Regina Mazierska



PRAY FOR THE SICK: Sheryl Tomson, Ross Berryman, Liam O'Brien, George Fock-Tave, Dorothy & Kevin Newman, Fr. Bill Bussuttin, Fay Wenck, Fay Nolan, Janet Harris, Carmel Finnegan, Anita Barnes, Veronica Toy, Dianne Kempthore, Christine Burton, Patrick Cusack, Nanett Hauff, Indra Desai, Pathmaseeli Audrey Tobin, Jersey Ford, Kyle Spickler, Carmel West, Chane' Naude, Danilo Garcia, Elizalde Gomez-Abella, Anne-Marie Cutler, Maria Jones, Daniel Montaperto, Maddison Mead, Melanie Willis, Ursula O'Donnell, Carmel Hughes, Margaret Price, Gwyneth Cutler, Bill Whelan, Julie McIntyre, Ted Randall, Robert Carlous, Manning Phillips, Neville Richard, Briana Dunn, Kiersten Dunn, Katarina Richardson, Roisin Hogan, Warwick Bull, Glynnis Jones, Bella and Matilda Dunn, Leicia Pickering, Melanie Saltzer, Sheila McKnulty, Barbara Newman, Jacob Marsilio, David Goulding, Angelic Pickering, Stephen Casonati, Jack Kenny, John FitzGerald, Rosa Maria Santos, Minundi Lisara, Carmen Gross, Bernadette Raabe, Simone Groves, Fiona Mountnev, Ethan & Nate James

TRUSTED ADVISER CENTRE

Family Business Support - personal & business bookkeeping & tax returns, strategic & succession planning, & Super **Invention Pathways** - Got a Good Idea? Turn it Into Money! Patents & trademarks for your intellectual property & commercialisation

Contact Angelo Coco on 0419 659 284
www.fambizsupport.com.au & www.inventionpathways.com.au

YOUR Goodbye

MORLEYS

Location: 2 Martinez Avenue, The Lakes, Townsville, QLD, 4810
Correspondence: PO Box 5460, Townsville, QLD, 4810
Phone: 07 4779 4744 | Fax: 07 4779 5480 | Email: funerals@morleys.net.au