#### First Reading Jer 23:1-6

'Doom for the shepherds who allow the flock of my pasture to be destroyed and scattered - it is the decrees of the Law. This was to Lord who speaks! This, therefore, is what the Lord, the God of Israel, out of the two of them and by savs about the shepherds in charge of my people: You have let my flock be scattered and go wandering and have not taken care of them, Right, I will take care of you for your misdeeds - it is the Lord who speaks! But the remnant of my flock I myself will gather from all the countries where I have dispersed them, and will bring them back to their pastures: they shall be fruitful and increase in numbers. I will raise up shepherds to look after them and pasture them; no fear, no terror for Alleluia, alleluia! My sheep listen to them any more; not one shall be lost - it is the Lord who speaks!

See, the days are coming it is the Lord who speaks - when I will raise a virtuous Branch for David, who will reign as true king and be wise, practising honesty and integrity in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel dwell in confidence. And this is the name he will be called: The Lord-our-integrity.'

#### Responsorial Psalm Ps 22. R. v.2

(R.) The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

#### Second Reading Eph 2:13-18

For he is the peace between us, and length. has made the two into one and broken down the barrier which used to keep them apart, actually

destroying in his own person the hostility caused by the rules and create one single New Man in himself restoring peace through the cross, to unite them both in a single Body and reconcile them with God. In his own person he killed the hostility. Later he came to bring the good news of peace, peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near at hand. Through him, both of us have in the one Spirit our way to come to the Father.

#### **Gospel Acclamation Jn 10:27**

my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me. Alleluia!

#### Gospel Mk 6:30-34

The apostles rejoined Jesus and told him all they had done and taught. Then he said to them, 'You must come away to some lonely place all by vourselves and rest for a while': for there were so many coming and going that the apostles had no time even to eat. So they went off in a boat to a lonely place where they could be by themselves. But people saw them going, and many could guess where; and from every town they all hurried to the place on foot and reached it before them. So as he stepped ashore he saw a large crowd; and he took pity on them In Christ Jesus, you that used to be because they were like sheep so far from us have been brought without a shepherd, and he set very close, by the blood of Christ. himself to teach them at some

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#### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC PARISH



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#### 17th & 18th July 2021, 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

#### Dear Friends,

In last week's Gospel passage Jesus called His apostles, prepared them for their mission and sent them out to the surrounding towns and villages to drive out evil spirits, anoint the sick with oil and cure them, and to preach that the kingdom of God is present among them. Jesus shared His power with them so that they would continue His work of salvation in the world.

Now, the disciples return full of their own importance instead of recognising that their success depended entirely upon the One who sent them, "they told him all that they had done and taught." The disciples fail to understand that they have been called to be Jesus' followers.

At the end of the Gospel passage Jesus reveals Himself as the Good Shepherd, "He took pity on them... and he set himself to teach them at some length." Jesus is the Good Shepherd because he loves them, is moved by their needs, and makes himself their servant and he preaches the Gospel of God's love to all.

Reflecting on Jesus the Good Shepherd challenges all Christians to be true followers of Jesus. This means that like Christ, His disciples are called to love and serve others, listen to God's Word, and put His commandments into practice in their lives. May the Virgin Mary Mother of God pray to Jesus for people of good will.

#### St Joseph Reflection Day

Saturday 4 September, 10 am - 3.00 pm St John's Parish Meeting Room Glenorchy

In this international Year of St Joseph, and drawing from Pope Francis' Patris Corde letter, facilitator Belinda Chapman will offer four sessions: Joseph-obedient and accepting; tender and loving father; creatively courageous and a working father; a father in the shadows. BYO Lunch; tea, coffee provided. To register please contact Parish Office on 6272 6363 or email: glenorchy@aohtas.org.au

#### **Don Bosco Window**

"Teach the Youth: Serve the Lord iovfully" Don Bosco Blessing of new Window - 10 am, 8 August 2021, St John's Church, Glenorchy. Fr Peter Rankin SDB will be the main celebrant. Parishioners, please come to this historic event for the Parish. All welcome!



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#### **PARISH DIARY** July2021 17 Saturday, Mass of Virgin Mary

- 9.00am Mass at St John's
- 6.00pm Mass at St John's 18 Sunday, 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 8.30am Mass at St Monica's
- 10.00am Mass at St John's 19 Monday
- 9.00am Mass at St John's 20 Tuesday, St Apollinaris, bishop, martyr
- 9.00am Mass at St John's 21 Wednesday, St Laurence of Brindisi, priest, doctor
- 8.00am-8.50am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 9.00am Mass at St John's 22 Thurs, St Mary Magdalene
- 9.00am-11.50am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St John's
- 12.00 noon Mass at St John's 23 Friday, St Bridget, religious
- 9.00am Mass at St John's
- 3.00pm Divine Mercy Prayer Group at St John's

#### 24 Saturday, Mass of the Virgin Mary

- 9.00am Mass at St John's
- 6.00pm Mass at St John's 25 Sunday, 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 8.30am Mass at St Monica's
- 10.00am Mass at St John's

**Evangelium Conference Becoming Missionary Disciples** 

Saturday 28 August 2021, 9.00am - 9.00pm Christ the Priest Catholic Church 2 Jindabyne Road, Kingston Beach. Keynote Speaker: Jude Hennessy Director of Renewal & Evangelisation, Diocese of Wollongong. Be inspired with new ideas to renew your parishes! To register go to: www.eventbrite.com.au and search 'Evangelium Conference Tas'. Cost: \$32,49 includes lunch, dinner, tea coffee.

The National Catholic Men's Gathering for 2021 will take place on 9.30 am - 3.15pm, Saturday 31 July. The Archdiocese of Hobart will have two hubs to enable

men to take part in this online event, one in Hobart at Guilford Young College, Hobart Campus and the second at St Anthony's Primary School, Riverside. contact Ben Smith if you require further information via email at ben.smith@aohtas.org.au. or mobile number 691 To 0410 371 or reaister ao

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St Thomas Aguinas Teachers School Institute

Are you considering a career in Catholic Education Tasmania? The St Thomas Aguinas Teaching Schools may be the answer for you. You can apply for full-time study and work as a part-time paid Cadet Teacher within a Tasmanian Catholic school while you complete vour teaching degree. You will receive full professional and accredited academic training as a teacher, whilst receiving comprehensive formation in your faith. You will be supported as part of a community of cadet teachers and placed (part-time) with a mentor teacher in class. You will also attend weekly tutorials, lectures and activities alongside your fellow Cadets. Need more information? Check the Catholic Education Tasmania Website - click on the Working in Catholic Education Tasmania Tab (https:// catholic.tas.edu.au/teaching-schools).

EMBER NIGHTS 28 July, 6-8pm

The Office of Youth Evangelisation invites all young adults to join us for a beer and meal at Shambles Brewery. Our special guest is Matt Galea, who will be sharing his experience of 12 years working with youth on the streets. The topic is extending our capacity to love: working on the streets with the lost & abandoned. To secure a spot go to eventbrite.com.au and search '2021 Ember Night Winter - Hobart'. Alternatively, email <a href="mailto:youth@aohtas.org.au">youth@aohtas.org.au</a> Please note this is strictly an 18+ event.

A Conversation with Pope Francis about the Environment Concerned Catholics Tasmania invites you to explore with us the Pope's beautiful, challenging and hope filled environmental encyclical: Laudato Si: Care for our Common Home. Inspired by Pope Francis, we ask: 'What is happening to our beautiful planet? How should we respond, as Catholics and as citizens of the world?' His call is to a change of practice.....and a change of heart! Facilitators: Dr Trish Hindmarsh and Fr Krish Mathavan MSC, with Mr Tony Smith **Hobart:** Bellerive Catholic Parish Hall 9.45 for 10.00-12.30pm **Saturday August 7**<sup>th,</sup> Registration: cdsmith18@bigpond.com or 0407231426

#### Parish Fundraiser

• Donations of Pre-loved gifts in good condition, Plants and Scratchies would be greatly appreciated. This will be needed for our parish fair on 17th October 2021. Many thanks, Kay Grainger (6272 9024).

#### **Mary's Mantle Consecration Retreat**

Parishioners are invited to participate in a retreat for Spiritual Renewal - commencing 1st July - 15th August 2021. It will be a 46 day Sacred journey with 5 minutes or so of daily spiritual reading, praying the Rosary and one day of fasting, all in the privacy of your home. Registrations: https://www.throughourlady.org/retreat.

All parishioners, regardless of whether they participated in our retreat, are welcome to consecrate themselves on 15th Aug. For more info call Michelle 0400 935 314.

#### Ministers of the Word

Rosters for 28/29 August to 20/21 November inclusive will be drawn up shortly. If you know you will be unavailable at any time between these dates please let me know before Sunday 1 August. Thank you. Jo Elliott 0419 510 014

**Vinnies Winter Appeal** 

This Winter Vinnies Appeal will provide emergency relief to people at risk and experiencing homelessness. By supporting our Vinnies volunteers, you will help ensure that families at risk of homelessness get the financial and emotional support they need to keep their children safe. Envelopes are available on the table in the fover.

#### **Footy Points Margin**

No winner yet for round 17 - 63 points.

Our Sick - Please remember in your prayers

Alida Beric, Eileen Sherrin, Don Ambler, Doreen Street, Fr Bob Curmi, Mary Dowd, Monique Matzner, Amy Matzner, Patricia Leamey, June Webb, Vince Mele, Barbara Campbell, Sr Carmel Hall, Barbara Oakley, Fr Peter Rankin, Judy Kingston, Paul Becker, Kerris Direen

#### Pravers for the Deceased

Please remember in your prayers our deceased parishioners, family and friends especially: Bill Oakley, Sr Janet Ryan OP, Gwen Lincoln, Betty Direen, Frances Direen, Graziano Ceron, Simon Khiet Van Tran, Craig Rickards

Eternal rest grant unto their souls O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace. Amen.

#### St John the Baptist Catholic Parish: Glenorchy/Chigwell **Covid-19 Safety Action Plan**

The parish Covid-19 Action Plan is in place to meet government regulations. A copy of this plan is available on the churches' noticeboards.

#### **WEEKEND MASSES** St John's, Glenorchy

- 6.00pm Saturday
- 10.00am Sunday St. Monica's, Chigwell
- 8.30am Sunday

## WEEKDAY MASSES St. John's, Glenorchy

- 9.00am Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday
- 12.00pm Thursday

#### **ROSARY** At St. John's, Glenorchy

• 8.30am every Wednesday and Saturday

#### RECONCILIATION At St. John's, Glenorchy

• 9.30am-10.00am & 5.15pm-5.45pm Saturday

# EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT At St. John's, Glenorchy

- 8.00am 8.50am Wednesday
- 9:00am 11.50pm Thursday

#### LEGION OF MARY at St. John's, Glenorchy

• 6.45 pm Every Tuesday

#### ST. JOSEPH'S PRAYER GROUP at St. John's, Glenorchy

 1st Wednesday of the month at 9.30am

#### **DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP** at St. John's, Glenorchy

• Every Friday at 3.00pm

#### **COUNTERS' ROSTERS**

This Week: 19 July Roberta Puckett's Team Next Week: 26 July

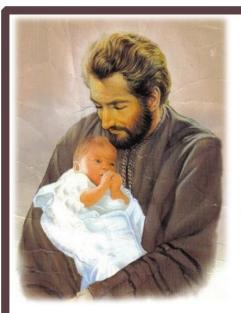
Bob Mochrie's Team

## **WEEKLY COLLECTION**

Envelopes: \$1.024.80 Quest Tap \$180.00 and Go Loose Plate: \$515.90 Direct Deposit: \$450.00 TOTAL: \$2,170,75

Weekly Budget: \$ 2,500.00

Difference: -\$329.25



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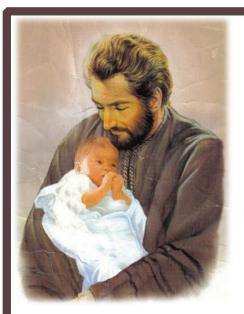
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