

Processional Hymn CWB 366

That Easter day with joy was bright,
the sun shone out with fairer light, Alleluia, alleluia
when to their longing eyes restored,
the glad apostles saw their Lord.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

His risen flesh with radiance glowed;
his wounded hands and feet he showed; Alleluia, alleluia
those scars their solemn witness gave
that Christ was risen from the grave.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

O Jesus, King of gentleness,
who with your grace our hearts possess, Alleluia, alleluia
that we may give you all our days
the willing tribute of our praise.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Liturgy of the Word

Acts 5: 12-16 Apocalypse 1: 9-13, 17-19 John 20: 19-31

Psalm Response

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,
His love is everlasting.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me;
Happy those who have not seen me, but believe! Alleluia!

St Thomas was a great apostle who is believed to have preached the Good News as far afield as India. Later, he was martyred for his faith. May the risen Christ come to us, as he came to Thomas, and strengthened our faith. May we in turn express our faith by being ambassadors of mercy and reconciliation.

By a tradition handed down from the apostle which took its origin from the very day of Christ's Resurrection, the Church celebrates the Paschal mystery every seventh day, which day is appropriately called the Lord's Day or Sunday. The day of Christ's Resurrection is both the first day of the week, the memorial of the first day of creation, and the "eighth day," on which Christ after his rest on the great Sabbath inaugurates the day that the Lord has made, the day that knows no evening. The Lord's Supper is its centre, for there the whole community of the faithful encounters the risen Lord who invites them to his banquet.
Catechism of the Catholic Church 1166

Next weekend
3rd Sunday of Easter
Year C
30 April—1 May

Acts 5: 27-32, 40-41
Apocalypse 5:11-14
John 21:1-19



May they rest in peace

Recently Deceased

Mary Borg
Doris Evans
Iris Pearce

Preparation of the Gifts

Mary, you now reign on high,
far beyond our southern sky;
Queen endowed with royal grace,
highest honour of our race. Alleluia!

You gave birth to God the Son,
Christ the sole-begotten One;
in a stable cold and bare:
Virgin-Mother, dear and rare. Alleluia!

Now enthroned with Christ your Son,
Resurrection victory won;
Help of Christians, Star of Sea,
Mary, Mother – hear our plea. Alleluia!

Patron of our wide brown land,
guide us with your gentle hand
where the Southern Cross shines bright,
home to Christ the one true Light. Alleluia!



Holy Communion CWB 349

Ant: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

When Thomas first the tidings heard,
How they had seen the risen Lord,
he doubted the disciples' word. Alleluia! Ant

"My wounded side, O Thomas, see;
Behold my hands, my feet," said he;
"not faithless but believing be." Alleluia! Ant

No longer Thomas then denied,
he saw the feet, the hands, the side;
"You are my Lord and God," he cried. Alleluia! Ant

How blest are they who have not seen,
and yet whose faith has constant been,
for they eternal life shall win. Alleluia! Ant

On this most holy day of days,
To God your hearts and voices raise,
In laud, and jubilee and praise. Alleluia Ant

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O Lord of all, with us abide
in this our joyful Easter-tide; Alleluia, alleluia
from ev'ry weapon death can wield
your own redeemed forever shield.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

All praise to you, O risen Lord,
From death to endless life restored; Alleluia, alleluia
To God the Father equal praise,
And Spirit blest, our songs we raise.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

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Second Sunday of Easter 24.04.2022



WEEKDAY MASS

Monday 10am *St Gabriel's (ANZAC Day)*
Tuesday 4pm *St Raphael's*
Wednesday 9.30am *St Stephen's*
Thursday 8.30am *St Raphael's*
Friday 9am *St Gabriel's*

WEEKEND MASS

Saturday *St Stephen's*
5pm Reconciliation 6pm Vigil Mass
Sunday *St Gabriel's*
9am Reconciliation 10am Mass

Thanksgiving, Clergy support & Easter offering by direct debit

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***Our Parish is committed
to the safety, wellbeing and dignity***

Sincere thanks to all who assisted with our Parish celebration of Holy Week and Easter. We were glad to welcome Fr Hctor.

- Palm / olive branches: Gianna Spina, Calgero, Anglican Parish, Numurkah—Nathalia
- Altar servers, Readers, Ministers of Holy Communion, Music Ministry, Colin Jenkins
- Sacristy: Ange and Ofelia Braysha
- Parish Office: Gracie Forde, Hung Chau,
- Easter Candles: Moira Mullan
- Flowers: lillypadweddings.com.au
- Altar Cloths: St Gabriel's linen roster:
- St Stephen's: Helen Nowak, John & Lucy Lilburne, Marcia Bettin, Readers, Ministers of Holy Communion
- RCIA: Jonathan Abuthan, Tim Rebbechi, nancycreations.com.au
- Mission: Love Real Estate reservoir@lovere.com.au

We welcome **Frs Hctor and Favez** who celebrate weekend and weekday (Wednesday & Friday) Masses. Daily Mass is available at St Raphael's, Hardy St Preston West.

The **Parish office** is open Mondays & Tuesdays 9am to 12noon, and Fridays 9am to 3pm. The Parish office is happy to manage enquiries about Baptism and Funerals, Parish administration, etc. A message can be left on voicemail or sent by email outside office hours.

RG Maintenance has repaired the brick fence and painted St Gabriel's Hall. St Gabriel's Hall will serve as a polling place on 21 May. St Gabriel's MACS is contributing 75% of costs for painting and repair of St Gabriel's Hall.

The **Easter offering** provides extra support for our Bishops and Priests. *Thank you!*

Project Compassion boxes and envelopes can be placed in baskets at St Gabriel's and at St Stephen's.

St Gabriel's Theatre Group announces this year's production, the musical Peter Pan at St Gabriel's Hall.

Inquires: Judy O'Meara 0488 580 145
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Reservoir RSL hosts ANZAC Day Dawn Service Monday 25 April 5.30am at the Cenotaph Edwardes Street Reservoir



***Almighty everlasting God,
who sent your Son to die that we might live,
grant, we pray, eternal rest
to those who gave themselves
in service and sacrifice for their country.
Through Christ our Lord.***