

**READINGS:** Ekek 37:12-14; Rom 8:8-11; John 11:1-45

**PARISH OFFICE:** The Parish Office will be closed from Friday 27 March until further notice. Peter Harbort (Parish Assistant Secretary) and Ann Eyre (Chair PPC) will be working from home and will be in regular contact with Fr Roque. They will have access to all Parish emails. The Parish phone will be diverted on Monday.

**BULLETINS AND UPDATES:**

It is our intention to continue to produce weekly Bulletins which will be emailed out to those with email addresses, posted on the SH Parish Website, and posted on the Church door.

**CARE AND CONCERN GROUP:**

The Care and Concern Group was launched on Wednesday 25 March (Feast of the Annunciation.) There are 11 volunteers who will be contacting 95 Parish individuals or families on a regular basis. Setting up a Care and Concern Group was one of Fr Roque's Priorities for 2020. Its commencement was fast-tracked due to the Coronavirus Pandemic.

The Group consists of Ann Eyre (Coordinator), Annamaria McGregor, Madonna Brosnan, Ron & Anne Jones, Webb Family, George McDougall, Angela Duff, Paul Lucas, Emilie Yu-Yap, Enid & John Camilleri, Peter Harbort.

Our initial aims are to ensure that all parishioners, have a nominated person, who checks regularly to see how the parishioner is managing and enquiring if they need any assistance. We may be able to practically help or be able to arrange for others to assist. Just having a friendly person on the other end of the phone, genuinely listening, will, I am sure be a source of comfort to many, particularly in these potentially difficult days ahead. For those parishioners who do not have internet access, the Care and Concern Volunteer will pass on Parish information.

Once we get more volunteers, we can reduce the volunteers lists. So, if you are able to assist – please contact Ann 043 242 1962.

The 95 Parishioners do not include those parishioners who will be contacted by the Legion of Mary – Anne Walters and Flora Walsh.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** Sat 8am – 8.30am

**SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Fr Roque to be contacted if necessary

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** Helen George, June Rasmussen, Therese Fitzpatrick, April Hitzke, Clayton Herron, Joseph Stafford, Oscar Javier, Dulcie Carey, Teresa Hansen, Mabel Saad, Yvonne King, Matthew Ryan, Brendan Blatchly, Alfredo Bumatay, Christine Barron, Jim McHugh. Alfredo Yap-Buzon, Kevin Prior, Pauline Mary, Geraldine Erato, Kevin Swain, Tony & Mary Lukie, Paul Stanley Holmes, Greg Long, Carmel Burke, Baby Austin Bliesner, Baby Joseph Giumelli, Louise Nutt, Kateri Byrnes. Vic Edmonds

**GENERAL INTENTIONS:** All those who are suffering and facing hardship, in any way, during this Coronavirus Pandemic

**An Act of Spiritual Communion**

*My Jesus, I believe that Thou art present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love Thee above all things, and I desire to receive Thee in my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive Thee sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace Thee as if Thou wert already there and unite myself wholly to Thee. Never permit me to be separated from Thee. Amen.*



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**Office Hours:** CLOSED, but emails and phone calls will still be accepted, during Coronavirus Pandemic

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29 March 2020

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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### FAITHFULNESS TO THE WILL OF THE FATHER

In our Gospel today, Jesus raises Lazarus to life, proving that, indeed, He is the resurrection and the life. He proves His faithfulness to the Will of the Father even at the cost of His own life. By dying on the cross, in his powerlessness, Jesus gives us the greatest good— eternal life.

## #PrayTogether

- Word of God
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- Urbi et Orbi Blessing
- Opportunity to receive a plenary indulgence

**FRIDAY, 27 MARCH, AT 6 PM (GMT+1)**

*(with Pope Francis on the steps of St. Peter's Basilica)*

*"...I invite everyone to participate spiritually through the means of communication..."*



on Vatican News  
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*"We want to respond to the virus pandemic with the universality of prayer"*

*Franciscus*

### BISHOP ROBERT ADVISES:

At 6pm Rome time today, as Rome is 9 hours behind us, this will be 3am Saturday.

Perhaps an early rise tomorrow.

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May we be united in prayer at this time.

+Robert