



Parish of Camp Hill with Norman Park

Community Information

Sunday 18 March 2007

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Today: The Parable of the Prodigal Son

Welcome.

Lent is about new opportunities to return to our faith in Christ and have a new beginning and a fresh start. This year the Gospel readings for last week, today and next week follow this theme. Today's Gospel is the Parable of the Prodigal Son (also more accurately known as the Father and his two sons). This parable, along with the Parable of the Good Samaritan, are the two stories that encapsulates the meaning of Christ's good news for the human race.

Special Welcome to Melissa Coyne & her Family & Friends

Today Melissa makes her first communion. This receiving of Christ is part of her growing up as a Child of the Kingdom of Heaven and as a participant of the life and being of our Lord.

We only ever get baptised once in our lives, but every time we receive Holy Communion we renew, restore and reinvigorate our Baptismal life in Christ. At each Easter we personally reaffirm the promises of our Baptism. When we really go off the rails confession restores our baptismal status. Even though many of us were baptised as infants our life in the Church is to keep, renew and grow our baptismal life in Christ.

Baptism is our way of life, not an event a long time ago.

Low gluten communion wafers are available for those with coeliac difficulties. If you would like to use these please mention this to Fr Martyn before the mass.

Parish Information is on our webpage www.camphillanglicans.com

Parish Council Meeting 7.30pm Thursday 22 March

At Fr Martyn's home, 22 Kilmorey Street, Carindale

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Times of Sunday Services: Survey for the Parish Council

Last week a questionnaire was given out to help the Parish Council think through new times for our Sunday services. As announced this is to make adequate provision for the priest to speak to the increasing numbers attending worship at Camp Hill. Adjustment in times are also needed to create a timeslot for an alternative form of worship. **Make sure that you return your response to the questionnaire today**

This Week



Julian Meeting

7.30pm Tuesday 20 March @ Norman Park
30 minutes of shared silent prayer, followed by studying a book about Christian Prayer.

Order your Hot Cross Buns TODAY

Pack of 6 for \$4.20 Delivery on Friday 30 March. Order forms are available. Orders need to be in by Sunday 18th March for delivery on Friday 30 March at Camp Hill.

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Your Coffee.

New yellow order forms for Abrisca coffee are now available. Coffee *Orders will be placed with Abrisca at the end of each month.*

Recipes for the Passover Celebration Sunday 1 April.

It is great to have over 60 people in attendance – but now they have to be fed! Please select one or many of the recipes and indicate what you are doing so we can ensure the event is properly catered for.

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Parish Sunday Outing to Ormiston House

11 am Sunday 20 May

The outing to Ormiston with mass on the great lawn means that there will be no mass celebrated in the Parish churches.

Outings such as these are important as it brings the two congregations together. It also provides time for people to talk to each other and to get to know each other. A community such as ours needs these activities for the health of its life.

Planned Giving: Envelopes & Direct Debit

The Planned Giving envelopes are a great way to regularly contribute to the life of our parish and pay the bills. Do ensure that you make provision for this support, *even if you happen to go away*. Another way is by arranging a direct debit through ANFIN (Anglican financial services) and many parishioners now use this method. There are forms for this on the entrance table. Ensure your giving is consistent as our expenses certainly are.

"This is our Faith"

A Popular Presentation of Church Teaching

40 copies of this book have been sold to parishioners and to parents having their children baptised. This is also the text being used by those involved in Adult Christian Education Programme in the Parish. More copies are now available at \$20 each.

The meeting of this group is next week 7.30pm Tuesday 27 March at Norman Park – it is never too late to join the group.

Web Page

Last week our first booking taken for a wedding at Norman Park through our web page. The couple just searched the internet for a place to get married and found our new web page. Thanks to Alistair Read who maintains our web page.

Next Week's Readings

25 March 2007: Lent 5

Reading I: Isaiah 43:16-21
Reading II: Philippians 3:8-14

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 125
Gospel: John 8:1-11

Parish Directory

Due to the increased volume of community news and activities this Directory is not printed in full each week - so make sure you save this page when it appears

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Parish Church Services

Normal Times of Mass (these may vary according major festivals & events)

Sunday	8.00am	Camp Hill
Mass.	9.45am	Norman Park Mass
Wednesday	10am	Camp Hill Mass