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Last Sunday after Epiphany

23rd February 2020

**THE ANGLICAN PARISH OF
SWANBOURNE – MT. CLAREMONT**
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Welcome to The Church of the Resurrection and our Parish of Swanbourne - Mt. Claremont. We extend a warm welcome to those visiting or worshipping with us for the first time today.

ALL things bright and beautiful 251 (ii)
COME down, O Love divine 175 (i)
THE kingdom of God is justice and joy591

SettingCommunity Mass
Motet.....My Eyes for Beauty Pine
(Howells)(NOEAB)

For your diary...

Wednesday 26 February	7:00 p.m.	Sung Mass Ash Wednesday
Sunday 1 March	9:00 a.m.	Sung Mass First Sunday in Lent
Wednesday 4 March	8:30 a.m.	Said Mass
Sunday 8 March	9:00 a.m.	Sung Mass Second Sunday in Lent
Wednesday 11 March	8:30 a.m.	Said Mass
Wednesday 11 March	7:00 p.m.	Council Meeting
Sunday 15 March	9:00 a.m.	Sung Mass Third Sunday in Lent
Wednesday 18 March	8:30 a.m.	Said Mass
Sunday 22 March	9:00 a.m.	Sung Mass Fourth Sunday in Lent

For your prayers this week...

In the Diocese we pray for:

- Archbishop Kay Goldsworthy; Bishop Jeremy James and Bishop Kate Wilmot
- Parish of Lakelands, Robert Graue and people
- Parish of Leederville, Steven Daly and people
- Legislation Committee, Eric Ross-Adjie, Chair, and members of the Committee

In the Province we pray for:

- Mullewa, clergy and people
- Boyup Brook, clergy and people

In our Partner Diocese, Eldoret, we pray for:

- Sinonin, clergy and people

In the Anglican Communion we pray for:

- Archbishop Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury
- Archbishop Philip Freier, Primate and Archbishop of Melbourne
- Diocese of Springfield, United States, bishop, clergy and people

In the Parish we pray for:

- The Church Wardens and assistant clergy as they lead the parish during the interregnum.

Those who are sick:

- Beryl Staunton, Fred Banyard, and Barbara Meys.

The faithful departed:

- Those who died recently, and all those whose anniversaries occur this week.

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Pastoral Care...

Should you require any pastoral care or a visit during February, please contact Jim Gallagher 0417 904 704, Sandra Hughes 9384 1532 or Ilona Day 0411 115 116.

Prayer Chain...

For any Prayer requests, please contact Eileen on P: 9381 7798. Prayer chain requests are treated with full confidentiality.

Parish Visiting

After reflection I have come to see that I cannot continue to be your priest without at least some connection with you beyond Sunday mass. I have never been one for 'tea with the vicar', but do believe that there needs to be some understanding and knowledge between parishioner and priest if we are to be a real and practicing Christian community together. Obviously, because of my full-time work at the university I am not as available as I would be otherwise. However, my work there does leave me some flexibility in my working hours. So, I would like to be able to visit each of you at least once during the course of the year. Sometimes this can be during the day, while for some that will be best in the evening. I don't want to bother you, or take up your time; but I do want to know you better and have you know me better as your priest. I am not sure how we might best do this, but for now have settled on the following plan. Using the parish roll, I will contact a group of you at the start of each month, and identify a time to visit by seeing you after mass or emailing to agree on a time to call. Equally, I am perfectly comfortable if you would rather not have a visit – simply say so.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

This sacrament - sacramental confession – will be available once a month in the Lady Chapel between 8:00 and 9:00 a.m., on the 2nd Saturday of each month. This will commence on Saturday 7 March.

Shenton Christian Youth Care Council

The school year has started with 9 Chaplains in our local public schools. CRE classes continue at Dalkeith and Nedlands Primary Schools and clubs at Freshwater and Nedlands PS. To be able to continue with this ministry a Fund Raiser Film is being held at 6:00 p.m. Friday 13 March. For details please see the flyer on the notice board. Tickets are available from Ilona.

Lent:

Ash Wednesday 26 Feb. Will be observed at 7pm with a mass at which the choir will sing the Reproaches during the penitential rite of ashing. There will be no 8:30 morning mass that day.

Lent Group

This year it will be led by Fr Rowan on the theme of 'Reflections on being an Anglican'. After input from Fr Rowan there will be a time of sharing our questions and insights, prompting insights into ways forward for our discipleship.

The Group will meet in the meeting room on Wednesdays in Lent from 7:00-8:30 p.m., beginning on Wednesday 4 March.

The schedule of themes for the five weeks of Lent are as follows:

I Believe: Reflections on being an Anglican

1. I believe in the Holy, Catholic, Church: Saints & Sinners
2. I believe in God: Beginning the journey of faith
3. I believe in Jesus Christ our Lord: word & sacraments
4. I believe in the Holy Spirit: the experience of faith
5. The Jesus-like God: love, loss & resurrection

Security Call Out

At the moment we only have 2 parishioners on the Security Call out list. If anyone is willing to add their name to the list please tell Roger.

This Week's Readings...

Leviticus 19:1-2,9-18, Psalm 119:33-40,
1 Corinthians 3:10-17 and Matthew
5:38-48.

Next Week's Readings...

26th February – 7:00 p.m. Ash
Wednesday Mass with Fr. Rowan
preaching and presiding.
Isaiah 7:10-4, Psalm 40:6-13, Hebrews
10:4-10 and Luke 1:26-38.
1st March – 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass
with Fr. Rowan preaching and
presiding.
Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7, Psalm 32,
Romans 5:12-21 and Matthew 4:1-11.

Next Week's Roster...

Ash Wednesday:
Welcomers – B. Browne and A. Crevald
Readers – A. Crevald and I. Day

First Sunday of Lent:
Welcomers – J. Edwards and A. Crevald
Readers – J. Foulsham and A. Crevald
Hospitality – H. Heptinstall and J.
Elsegood
Cash Counters – S. Hughes and J.
Foulsham