

The Parish of St Mary, Portsea With St Faith's and St Wilfrid's Weekly notes- March 6th, 2022 First Sunday of Lent

Today 3pm Panto Players meet at St Mary's

Monday March 7<sup>th</sup> Noon Mass at St Mary's (live streamed)

Ss Perpetua and Felicity

Tuesday March 8<sup>th</sup> 9.30am Mass at St Faith's S John of God Reflection online from Revd Sue

7pm PCC meets at St Mary's

Wednesday March 9th Noon Mass at St Mary's

Lent Week I followed by Fellowship Lunch at St Mary's

And discussion on 'a House built on love'

1.30pm Funeral Service at St Mary's

7pm Book Club contact Revd Sam for details

Thursday March 10<sup>th</sup> 10.30am Mass at St Wilfrid's

Lent Week 1 Reflection online from Fr Nicholas

Friday March II<sup>th</sup> I Iam Coffee and Chat at St Mary's
Lent Week I Noon Mass at St Mary's (live streamed)

Saturday March 12<sup>th</sup> 9am Book Breakfast at St Mary's

Lent Week I and discussion on 'a House built on love'

10am Just Ask at St Mary's

An opportunity to come and enquire about Christenings, Weddings etc or simply 'just ask' something for the clergy (Church open till I I am)

10.30 Meeting for those marrying this year

at St Mary's.

Next Sunday March 13th 8am Book of Common Prayer

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Eucharist at St Mary's in Lent 9am Mass at St Faith's

10am Sung Mass at St Mary's
11am Mass at St Wilfrid's

I I.30am Young Families at St Mary's3pm Panto Players at St Mary's

## Details of our Lent Programme are available

We will be looking at a book from Hope into Action 'A House built on Love'. If you would like to join an online book club to discuss the book please contact Revd Sam.

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> After Noon Mass** Fellowship lunch and discussion of the book at St Mary's

Saturday 12th note the Book Breakfast will be at St Mary's

**Next Sunday** I **I.30am Young Families** gather at St Mary's for worship, activity and a chance to catch up. Please let us know if you hope to be there.

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm Julian Prayer Group at St Faith's

**Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> 2.30pm and 7pm – Parish Panto** at St Wilfrid's. **Tickets** for 'Sherlock Holmes and the mystery of the Pantomime' are on sale at the Churches – or send a message to Parish Office.

**Sign of Hope and New life** Can you share an easter Egg or make a donation for gardening equipment for the Roberts Centre and SDA? Please bring to Church over next few weeks.

COVID

We continue to encourage people to wear face coverings in Church, to respect one another's space. So that we can enable as many of us as possible to gather and feel safe we will not be changing any of our guidance or arrangements, we will continue to review and consider when will be a good time to change, we thank you for your support with this, which is about ensuring others feel safe rather than our own personal preferences. The one change will be at St Mary's from Ash Wednesday at the 7pm service and then I 0am services on Sunday we will be exploring how best to administer communion in both kinds by intinction (touching the wine with the wafer). This will be offered as an option for those who wish to receive in this way. We will review each week how this happens and would welcome your feedback and comment.

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