



The Parish of St Mary, Portsea with St Faith's
Weekly notes 28th January 2024
4th Sunday after Epiphany

Today

2.30pm Panto Players meet at St Mary's
5.30pm Young People meet at St Faith's
5.45pm Farewell to Archdeacon Jenny
 at the Cathedral

Monday Jan 29th
Epiphany Week 4

Noon Mass at St Mary's (live streamed)

Tues Jan 30th
Epiphany Week 4

9.30am Mass at St Faith's and coffee and chat

Weds Jan 31st
S John Bosco

10.15am Melody Tots meets at St Mary's
Noon Mass at St Mary's (live streamed)
 followed by **Fellowship Lunch** and a chance to
 hear about Cycling without Age.

Thurs Feb 1st
S Brigid

10.30am Mass at St Faith's

Friday Feb 2nd
Candlemas

11am Coffee and Chat at St Mary's
1.30pm Funeral Service at St Mary's
7pm Parish Mass at St Faith's – and welcome of
 those exploring their faith.

Sat Feb 3rd
S Blaise

10am Just Ask at St Mary's *come and enquire.*
about Christenings, Weddings etc or simply 'just ask'
something of the clergy.

Sunday Feb 4th
2nd Sunday
Before Lent

8am BCP Eucharist at St Mary's
9.30am Mass with Hymns at St Faith's
10am Sung Mass (live streamed) at St Mary's
2.30pm Panto Players meet at St Mary's

*Please note we often take photographs at our services and events that may
 appear on social media – please let us know if this causes you any problems.*

*If you have any suggestions as to what you would like to see included on these
 notices, please let us know.*

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Exploring Faith (Confirmation) If you are interested in exploring your
 faith and considering Confirmation later this year (March
 10th at 4pm) then please contact one of the Ministry Team
 – we hope to start meeting after Feb 2nd.

Tuesday

10.15am welcome back to **Melody Tots** at St Mary's
 Join us for live music, singing, movement & playtime. Babies,
 Toddlers, Preschoolers & their parents/carers welcome.
 Contact Ruth Morgan for more details

Wednesday

Noon after the Mass **the Fellowship** will meet and hear
 about (and experience) the work of **Cycling without age**.
 Come and see what they offer ...

Friday

7pm Parish Candlemas Mass and welcome
for those exploring their faith at St Faith's. We
 celebrate the day that Jesus was presented in the temple –
 and greeted by Simeon as the light to lighten the nations.
 We will also be 'welcoming' those who are preparing for
 confirmation this year.

Friday
Saturday

Feb 9th 7pm Organ Recital given by Michael Stoddart
Feb 10th 10am a Valentine's Coffee Morning at St
 Faith's to welcome those planning their weddings this year
 and to raise funds for Hope into Action

Tuesday

Feb 13th 6pm – Shrove Tuesday Celebrations –
 Pancake Races; Food; and a Quiz to raise funds for Lord
 Mayor's Appeal (starting at 7pm) Tickets £5.

Can you help ?? We will be providing **Chilli and Rice** as part of the
Shrove Tuesday evening... if you could help cook some
 chilli or rice please contact Fr Bob or Fr Rajiv

Wednesday

Feb 14th Ash Wednesday – services at Noon and 8pm
Please bring in your Palm Crosses from last year to
burn to create ashes!

Saturday

Feb 17th 2.30pm and 7pm Parish Panto at St Faith's
 Tickets are now available for this year's Panto – we hope to
 see you there!