

**DEATHS:** Benjamin Mooney, Don Kube, Steven Richards, Paul Byrne, Freddie Hayes.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Stephen Gatehouse, Jim Molony, Ethel Chamberlain, Melville Cunningham, Steven O'Callaghan, Margaret Picknell, Marjo Espanol, Peter Corbett.

**BAPTISMS:** Georgia Taylor, Daniel Cullen

**LEAVING OUR PARISH:** Leonard and Tina Nyamaswe

**LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK:** Chris Guthrie, Ernie Shambrook, Debbie Burke, Annette Toby, Alice Santos, Toni Olsen, Michael Gorrey, Coral Dean, Cheryl Smith, Milagros Wilson, Molly Garvey, Laurel Rutley, Trisha Kennedy, Ian Gardner, Leonard Nunis, Rose Stãmaria, Rosaria Panichelli, Kate Anderson, Jenny Escriva, Tyrone Mullins, Brian Jensen, Jorjah Price, Joyce Lymen, Harry Curry, Victor Eathorne, Margaret Taylor, Jonathon Smith, Sarina Norris, Molly Magowan, Sr Kath Clancy, Ted Helmuth, Julieta Sturrock, Marie Blunck, Judith Billanes, Jovi Baier, Will Carland, Peter King, Sr Margaret Scott (Immaculata), Veronica Spain, Lyn Galley, Ted Butterworth, June Oliver, Angela Fell, Terry Casey, Fred Dowse, Laurie Raynes, Lally Biondi.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18

St Paul to Philippians 3: 17-4:1

Luke 9: 28-36

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

Exodus 3:1-8, 13-15

St Paul to Corinthians 10: 1-6, 10-12

Luke 13: 1-9

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Materials for Caritas are available in the Church or from the Parish Office. There is a calendar for reflection on our lifestyle for each day of Lent which you may find useful too. Please take a packet of envelopes for your home if you do not have any. **PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE MONEY IN THE CHURCH.** Return them to Fr Mick before mass, the Parish Office or on the collection plate.

**WEBSITE OF THE WEEK:** <http://www.childrensdailyprayer.com/> Children's Daily Prayer Under the Southern Cross 2010 is a scriptural and liturgical prayer book for each day of the school year with a website established to promote the publication. It is prepared annually for use in the southern hemisphere by primary students. The prayer is designed to be led by students and it follows the Church's year enabling students to pray through all the liturgical seasons; celebrate the major feasts of the liturgical year; and meet saints, old and new. The site supports the publication with free samples of the publication and new features which have been included for 2010.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Each Friday at 6pm in the Church for about 30 mins.

**The LITTLE BLACK BOOK FOR LENT 2010:** is available in the Church Piety Shop. There is one book for children and one for adults. Cost \$ 4.00.

**WYD MADRID 2011:** Our Parish is conducting quiet prayer each Wednesday from 6pm til 6.30pm in support of pilgrims and the youth of our area. Please join us in prayer for this special group in our community. **100 CLUB WINNER:** #22: Joseph C/- Edna Anderson **WYD RAFFLE:** A donated crocheted rug was raffled and won by Mat Whitney, and is awaiting collection. We thank everyone for their continued support of all Parish Fundraising. The WYD event is scheduled for July 2011 and as you can see, our Parish will be able to subsidise our local pilgrims.

**KEEP SUNDAY SACRED:** St Augustine has written, "You made us for yourself, O God, and our hearts find no peace until they rest in you." Sunday gives us time for resting in God.

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER:** All are welcome to join with other Christian Churches on *Friday 5<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm in the Uniting Church.* The women of Cameroon will share with us their own prayers and thoughts. This year's theme is "Let everything that has breath praise God".

**FOUND:** Rosary Beads and some medals in a little cream-coloured pouch have been found on the street and handed in to Good Shepherd College. If these sound like they are yours, please call at the school office to collect them.

**PLANNED GIVING RENEWAL:** Next weekend at all Masses we will have an opportunity to make our FINANCIAL commitment to the Parish. Please consider these thoughtfully and prayerfully. Any commitments you can make, allow us to run the Parish Office, pay our wages, Liturgies, Functions and various programs each year.

**RECYCLING/DONATIONS:** Items such as old bath towels, bath soaps, disposable razors, empty pump bottles used for liquid detergents, and shampoo are all items we find useful to have because of the public showers. If you are able to help with any of these, it would be most appreciated in the Parish Office

**CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY:** Is on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2007. One million volunteers are wanted Australia wide this year. If you would like to identify a space in your local area to clean up register with Clean Up Australia at [www.cleanup.org.au](http://www.cleanup.org.au) or call 1800 282 329. Round up some family and friends to help as every little bit counts.

**PROSTATE CANCER:** There is a group being formed to look at Men's Health issues and particularly prostate cancer. Come to the RSL club this Wednesday at 7p.m at CWA Meetng Room in Isa Street.

**AUSTRALIAN CATHOLICS:** The latest issue is at the Church doors today – free for you to take and share with others too.

**THOUGHT FOR TODAY:** "Community is not built on heroic actions but rather upon the love shown in the little things of daily life." *Jean Vanier.*

**OUR GIFT TO GOD – FOR GOD'S GIFT TO US**

Planned Giving \$ 2166.30

Loose \$ 834.85

**\$3001.15**

**WYD2011 to date \$4273.35**

Thank you for your Lenten Pledges and Project Compassion Donations. \$240 Caritas



**SOME IMPORTANT DATES COMING UP:**

MARCH 5<sup>th</sup> Beginning of Year mass at St. Kieran's School from 8.45am  
World Day of Prayer from.30pm in Uniting Church  
7<sup>th</sup> Welcome BBQ after 6pm Sunday Mass – all welcome to attend.  
11<sup>th</sup> Laura Johnson Home Mass from 9.30am  
17<sup>th</sup> St Patrick's Day

**PLEASE SUPPORT our Multicultural Festival**

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**RE IN STATE SCHOOL:** Teachers for Religious Program are urgently, desperately required in order for us to continue to provide some form of Religious Lessons in State School. Please call Lorna Fisher for details if you are able to help.

**CENSUS AND MINISTRY DAY:** Please continue to return any Census and Ministry forms with family details for us and highlight any ways you would like to be involved in our Parish this coming year. We will hand out the forms again today for your consideration.

**CAN YOU HELP:** Frank Bruman is requiring a lift to Mass Mondays or Tuesdays? If you are able to help, please call him on 4749 2320.

**GOOD SHEPHERD COLLEGE MASSES:** Each Tuesday for the next 5 weeks we will have Mass here in the Church at 8.30am to accommodate Year levels from the College. Year 12's begin this Tuesday.