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Lord, Grant Eternal Peace to:

*The Funeral Service for the Repose of the Soul of
Alexander Victor Martin (Husband of Joan, father of Susan)
will be celebrated here Friday, 26 March @ 11:45 am*

Recently Deceased;

John & Elizabeth Kane, Bishop Bede Heather, Patrick Mackle & Joseph Coghlan, Carmel Fisher, John Francis Warner, John Chapman, Julieann Miller, John Gittoes, Andrew McGill.

We remember those whose Anniversaries we commemorate at this time:

Rusty Abel, Angelo Casamento, Brian Dooley (20th Anniversary), Nicola "Colin" Franco, Rita Harris (5th Anniversary), Tine Harris, Laurence & Margaret Mason, Peter Mounce-Stephens (1st Anniversary), Sid & Sylvia Domenica Mullen, Troy Quinliven, Jim & Robyn Willis, Mary & Norman Wong and Family.

Also; *Roy & Mary Esplin, Lean Family, John Vincent Sidgreaves, The Holy Souls, Deceased Members of the Friendship Club.*

*We pray for all the sick of our Parish Community and their carers.
Especially: Bev Hurst, Jeff Greenaway, Maree Hinton, Anthony Morris, Julia Quach, Evelyn Spiteri, Yin Kwan Tsang, and :
Gerry Banister, Jean Bell, Pamela Buckley, Robert Cashman, Alice Elliott, Carmel Farnham, Dorothy Fraser-Bell, Trevor Gittoes, Patricia Gordon, Jonah Iona, Aileen & Larry McDonnell, Doug Maybon, Marie Rayner, Tony Ryan Lindy Webb, Father Reg Wilson.*

*27 / 28 March 2021 Palm Sunday of
the Passion of Our Lord - Year B*



	Sat 5 pm Vigil	Sunday 7:30 am	Sunday 9:30 am
Acolyte	Kevin Bourke	Gary Reneker	Graham Ward
Minister	Jim Gothard	Paul Marsden	Michele Anthony
Minister	David Gormley	Amelia Paras	Carole Venier
1st Reading	Emma Honey	Doreen Vernon	Carole Venier
Psalm	Jim Gothard	James Clancy	Barbara Foster
2nd Reading	Jenni Gormley	Adele Greenaway	Graham Ward

Thursday Morning 10 am: The Legion of Mary (meet in the Conference Room)
Thursday Evening 6:00 pm: The Medjugore Prayer Group (meet in the Church)

THE ALTAR SOCIETY: Group 4: June Frost, Kath Burns & Laurice Dooley.

IN THE COUNTING HOUSE: Team 4: Norm Frost and Peter Wild.

THE CLEAN TEAM: Group D: Norm Frost & Chris Jacobs.

From the Mons:

Dear Parishioners,

EPISCOPAL VISITATION BY BISHOP RICHARD UMBERS

His lordship, Bishop Richard Umbers will be undertaking an episcopal visitation at the Parish of St Catherine Labouré NEXT Thursday, 25 March and then, Saturday, 27 and Sunday 28 March, 2021. The Bishop looks forward to his visit and the time he will spend with you all. Should you wish to speak with the Bishop about our Parish, during this visitation, please contact his private secretary, Paul Griffin via email to: paul.griffin@sydneycatholic.org phone: 9390.5100—or submit your name to Kerry at the Office on 9525.1138, for a 20 minute booking: (your time will then be provided to you later)

Volunteers are required for the packing of containers for Fiji on an occasional needs basis, for 3 hours at a time. Our four great workers are not getting any younger and need assistance from time to time. If you can help, please contact the office on 02-9525.1138. Thank you.

***Anyone who is able to provide details about Brian FEATHERSTONE, please contact Mons ASAP on 9252.1138.*

Mons

NOTICES FOR THE BULLETIN Please remember, the cut-off for ANY notices for the Bulletin, Mass Intentions, Anniversaries, etc. MUST be in by Thursday, 12 noon or they may not be included that week-end.

GARDENING: Anyone able to tend our Church gardens at your leisure, or on Tuesday mornings with others, please contact Mons or Kerry on 9525.1138.

UNSCRUPULOUS EMAIL SCAM/FRAUD ALERT: Please be aware that scammers are using our Parish based emails (ending in @stcaths.org.au) as well as NON DOMICILED parish email accounts in an attempt to solicit funds.

THESE ARE A SCAM/ FRAUD.

Know that the parish, parish groups or Monsignor, will never send an email asking/demanding monies especially from an email account NOT ending with our Parish codes.

Should you receive a suspect email, please, never open it – report them to police immediately!!!!

Mons

From the Mons:

Dear Parishioners,

ATTENTION PLEASE: Members of the Altar Society, the Counting Team, Church Wardens, money collectors and ANY volunteers at the Parish—under current Safe Guarding Legislation **ALL** volunteers must at least sign a **Code of Conduct** document. These are available in the Sacristy and **MUST** be completed and returned. If you are a volunteer in any of our Parish Ministries and **HAVE NOT** signed one, please do so immediately—**this excludes current** Altar Ministers—Acolytes, Ministers of Communion & Readers who are already up to date.

PLEASE NOTE: We have resumed ALL Ministries, Counting, Altar Society, Cleaning Team

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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION— State School Children, Yr 3 and older. Lessons: from 8.30 am to 9.25 am—Sunday, 18 and 25 April, Sunday, 2 and 9 May. Please take an enrolment form (at back of church), complete and return to office asap. Mass attendance forms (attached) are to be signed off in the Sacristy after each Mass—also see our Parish Website under the SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME banner.

ST CATHERINE LABOURÉ PRIMARY SCHOOL 2022 ENROLMENT OPEN DAYS - Enrolment packs will be ready for collection at the Open Days.

Sunday, 21 March from 10.30 am - 11.30 am, Tuesday, 23 March from 2.15 pm - 3.00 pm or 4.30 pm - 6.00 pm and also Friday, 26 March from 9.30 am - 10.30 am Please register for your tour online:

via: www.schoolinterviews.com.au using event code **zgmfw**

St Pat's College is now taking enrolments for 2023.

THE COLLECTIONS: The First Collection is taken up immediately after the Homily whilst the Second Collection is taken up after Communion—after the tabernacle has been closed.

PALMS FOR NEXT WEEK'S PALM SUNDAY: Palms can be left at the Church after the 9:15 am Mass - Friday, 26 March for Palm Sunday Ceremonies that week-end - 27 / 28 March up to and including Saturday morning.

Volunteers are also sought AFTER the Saturday 9:15 am Mass & Rosary (10:00 am) to help the team cut up and prepare the palms.