

ST ALOYSIUS PARISH

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MISSION STATEMENT

Through our worship and our daily living we strive to follow faithfully the way of Jesus Christ tell courageously the truth of Jesus Christ live joyfully the life of Jesus Christ

MASS TIMES

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| SATURDAY VIGIL MASS | 6.00pm |
| SUNDAY MASS & Children's Liturgy | 9.30am |
| WEEKDAY MASS | 8:00am |
| RECONCILIATION | 5.30pm Saturday or by appointment |
| BAPTISMS & MARRIAGES | By Appointment |

Welcome to all who worship with our parish community

Morning tea is shared on Sundays after 9.30am Mass in the Parish Centre

Newly arrived and not registered? Please fill in a Parish Registration Form on the porch bench

PARISH DIARY

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| Sunday | 21 January | Third Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year B |
| Wednesday | 24 January | St Francis de Sales (patron of Journalists) |
| Thursday | 25 January | Feast of the Conversion of St Paul |
| Friday | 26 January | Australia Day, Republic Day of India (NOTE: Mass will be at 9.00am) |
| Sunday | 28 January | Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year B Summer Recess |

Offering – 14 January 2018

First Collection \$431.75 Second Collection \$526.25

Thank you for your continued support

Australia Day – Friday 26 January 2018

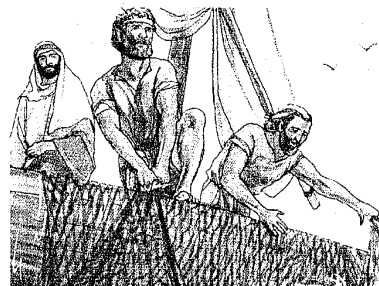
A special Australia Day Mass will be celebrated at 9.00 am. This is an ideal opportunity to give thanks to God for our wonderful country and all the blessings it has received. It is particularly appropriate that we remember and pray for indigenous Australians. We also pray for our future and that all Australians will embrace truth, justice and Christian values.

As India also celebrates its National Day on 26th January, we remember and pray for the needs of its people and give thanks for its special gift to our Parish.

A morning tea will be held after Mass.



Australia Day



Archbishop Timothy Costelloe

SDB *From his homily on last Sunday's gospel on the call of Andrew and James*

At the beginning of his ministry Jesus announced that, among other things, he had been sent by his Father to proclaim freedom to those in prison, freedom to captives.

Today, the Gospel invites us to reflect on the kinds of prisons in which we often find ourselves: the prisons of possessiveness, of pride, of self-delusion and self-importance. Jesus wants to, and can, release us from these prisons. Just as he said to these disciples whom John the Baptist set free to follow him, so Jesus says to us: *come to me, stay with me, learn from me, and follow me.* This of course is what we do every time we gather together to celebrate the Eucharist. So let us take to heart John the Baptist's words about Jesus: *Look there is the Lamb of God – go to him, follow him and let him give you life.*

Parish Website. See Latest News in the parish website, shentonparkcatholics.org.au

Bulletin. Any notices, ideas or suggestions proposed for the Sunday Bulletin can be forwarded to bulletin@shentonparkcatholics.org.au

Please Continue to Pray for David Cornish, Mary Barnett, Ines Janca, Virginia O'Shannassy (Pam Meehan's cousin) and Sandra (sister of Rita de Faria).