Entrance Antiphon:
My eyes are always on the Lord, for he rescues my feet from the snare. Turn to me and have mercy on me, for I am alone and poor.

Responsorial Psalm:
If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Gospel Acclamation:
Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ! Lord, you are truly the Saviour of the world; give me living water, that I may never thirst again. Glory to you, word of God!

ROSTERS: 29/30 March 2014

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Money Counters: Margaret Rawlinson, Anne Hill, Bert Gribble
Church Cleaners: Taafoonga Chong-Gum, Joicy Taiafi, Shirley Martin

Next Weekend Readings: Year A - Fourth Sunday in Lent
1st Reading: 1 Samuel 16:1-6-7, 10-13
2nd Reading: Ephesians 5:8-14
Gospel: John 9:1-41

Flowers
No Flowers During Lent

Thanksgiving Collection:
Church Offering: $1443.50
Loose Money: $442.10
Priests Offering: $501.10

No Adoration during Lent
(The names of the sick will only be printed for a month, unless the Office has been notified otherwise)

SICK: Amelia Espiritu, Emma McKee, Odete D’Costa, Elizabeth White, Mable Misquitta, Sia Nyugên, Joanne Toevai, Jose Antonio, Araceli Endozo, Giokim & Maria, Crispina Abogadie, Maria Nguyen, Tammy Joachim, Nita Misquitta, Valasi Fata, Lorraine Hrendricks, Brian & Evans Senn, Hoa Ngo, Jack Salau, Joseph, Bernie Bertus, Darren Crowley.

ANNIVERSARIES: Sr Anna Nguyen Thi Cung, Giuse Do Van Tinh, Domingas Noronha, Vicente Dos Reis, Custodia, Luis, Elvira Quaaremsa; Visue Almeida, Norberto Saide, Dominico Tran Van Van

REMEMBRANCE: Paul & Carmen Busuttil, George & Adriana Buhagiar, Carmelo Micallef, Catherine Aguis, Andrew Brear, Georgette Dullard, Sr Carolina Leite, Natalia & Mario Leite, Moses Vella and all those mentioned in the Book of Remembrance.

RECENT DEATH: Manuel Montebello

'Believe me, woman, the hour is coming when you will worship the Father neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem. You worship what you do not know; we worship what we do know; for salvation comes from the Jews. But the hour will come - in fact it is here already - when true worshippers will worship the Father in spirit and truth: that is the kind of worshipper the Father wants. God is spirit, and those who worship must worship in spirit and truth.' The woman said to him, 'I know that Messiah - that is, Christ - is coming; and when he comes he will tell us everything.' 'I who am speaking to you,' said Jesus 'I am he.' Many Samaritans of that town had believed in him on hearing what she said, 'He told me all I have ever known.'

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

YEAR A Third Sunday in Lent

The living water I shall give will turn into a spring inside him, welling up to eternal life.” Jesus grew up in a dry land in a time when reservoirs and taps were unknown so water was much more precious than gold, wars were fought over the ownership of water wells. So while Jesus was talking to the woman at the well he used this wonderful image of a spring of water welling up inside a person. He was saying the Goodness of God is something so wonderful that you cannot keep it to yourself, once you have experienced it you bubble with the goodness yourself and you just have to pass it on. This Lent see if there are moments when you experience the goodness of God bubbling up in you or in someone you know.

Sunday, 30 March - East Timorese Mass

5th Sunday of the month, the 11 am Mass will be organised by the East Timorese Community. Special Collection at all Masses for our sister parish, Hatolia. All welcome.

PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO ADORATION ON FRIDAYS IN LENT.

Mass & Stations of the Cross on Fridays in Lent

At Holy Child, Dallas (Eng) at 7.00 pm Mass followed by Stations of the Cross. Morning Mass remains as usual. At Holy Family Centre, Meadow Heights (Viet) at 7.00 pm Mass followed by Station of the Cross.

A Short Report of the Parish Council Meeting 12 March 2014

Parish Jubilee Committee

The committee will work with the Parish Council in planning social and spiritual events as part of the Jubilee year.

Ideas included in the minutes of February meeting to be considered along with these ideas:

- A Mass, to open the Jubilee Year close to 31 Jan 2015.
- A Mass and Party, to conclude the year perhaps in Sept or Oct 2015.
- A date, to be established as a regular parish feast day to celebrate the Holy Child.
- A symbol of our 50 years as a worshipping community be developed.
- A Jubilee Year Prayer to be formulated.
- A Recipe Book or other publication that recognizes the various cultural groups who belong within our parish.

The parish history to be displayed in words and photos on the pin-board in the foyer.

 Ministers of the Eucharist

Ministers of the Eucharist are invited to be present in the foyer before every Weekend Mass to welcome people as they arrive and to hand-out the Chimes.

Annual General Parish Meeting

It was suggested last month’s meeting that the AGM would be in July. Committees and Groups in the parish will gather interested people and discuss their progress as Liturgy Team, Fundraising Team, and Social-Event Managing Team etc.

School Report

School Principal read out his report on the progress in the school.

School Families to join ‘Parish Contribution Program’

With the ending of the two tiered school fee system, it is decided that the school parents either be a part of our Thanksgiving Program or else join our Parish Contribution Program. The concerned parents are being made aware of the necessity of the new Program.

Next Parish Council Meeting: 9 April 2014, at 7.00 pm

Liturgsy Ministry Workshop

The date has been changed to Thurs.10 April from 7.30-9.30 pm at Good Shepherd Parish Hall, 88 South Circular Rd, Gladstone Park. Further info & booking 9338 2840. Seminar is FREE. All welcome.

First Reconciliation for Children

Will be held on Wednesday, 26 March at 6.30 pm at Holy Child Dallas. These Children will be presented to the Parish during this weekend Masses. Keep these children in your prayers.

Josephite Associates Meeting

Tues. 25 March at 1.30 pm at 57 Woodburn Cres., Meadow Heights. All Associates and friends are invited by Sr Veronica to come and share in prayer and friendship.

Hume Council Tip Stickers

If you are not making use of the your Tip Stickers, The Parish Office would be interested in having the same for disposal of rubbish. Drop the same at the Parish Office. Thank you.

Save the Date:

Saturday, 14 June, 2014
Holy Child Parish
Multi-Cultural Dinner Dance

Hume Council Tip Stickers

Tuesday, 25 March
Feast of the Annunciation