## **Entrance Antiphon:**

Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless. From the deceitful and cunning rescue me, for you, O God, are my strength.

#### **Responsorial Psalm:**

Create a clean heart in me, O God.

Lạy Chúa Trời, xin tạo cho con một tấm lòng trong trắng.

## **Gospel Acclamation:**

Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ! If you serve me, follow me, says the Lord; and where I am, my servant will also be. Glory to You, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

# THIS Weekend ROSTERS: (17/18 Mar. 2018)

	(SAT) 6.00 pm	(SUN) 9.00 am	(SUN) 11.00 am	
Readers	Merna O'Brien	Veronica Smith	Elenora Cardoso	
Commentators	Sr Veronica	Clifford Jordon	Tony Liparota	
Special Ministers	Mary Moran Mary Teuma	Jaunita Jordon Shirley Martin Henry Chong-gum	Sylvia Vella Carole Glover Lahra Stewart	
Money Collectors	As Per Volunteers At Each Mass			
Money Counters	Cassy, Whitney, Melvin & Jenny Pestana			
Church Cleaners	Sam & Vicky Buhagiar			
Flower Arranger	N/A			

## NEXT Weekend ROSTERS: (24/25 Mar. 2018)

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	(SAT) 6.00 pm	(SUN) 9.00 am	(SUN) 11.00am
Readers	Cecilia Wong	Jaunita Jordon	Nguyen Thi Ngoc Tuyet
Commentators	Vicky Buhagiar	Henry Chong-gum	Nguyen Thi Thanh
Special Ministers	Carmen Gosgriff Ada Meloury	Emy Demato Taafoanga Chong-gum Veronica Smith	Nguyen Van Hai Tran Tuyet Quang Van Quang
Money Collectors	As Per Volunteers At Each Mass		
Money Counters	Judy Cartwright, Dolinda Decunha, Vincent Vu		
Church Cleaners	Jacinto Lay, Cecilia Yong		
Flower Arranger	N/A		

Thank

# Flowers Donated By

No Flowers in Lent

# Thanksgiving Collection

Church Offering: \$ 1702.00 Loose Money: \$ 501.10

Presbytery: \$ 578.40





18 March, 2018

# Dallas & Meadow Heights



This Weekend Readings: Year B

1st Reading: Jeremiah 31:31-34 2nd Reading: Hebrews 5:7-9

**Gospel:** John 12:20-33

Parish Priest: Fr Vincent Nguyen

Asst. Priest: Fr Van Xua Nguyen 0431 390 220

Syrian Rite Priest: - Fr Fadhel Yakob 0433 833 647

Syrian Mass - Sundays 5.00pm, Dallas

Church: 227 Blair St, Dallas, Vic.3047

Parish Office & Holy Family Centre:
133 Malmsbury Dr, Meadow Heights

Hours: Tues - Fri 9.30 am - 4.00 pm Phone: 9302 3376 Fax: 9302 3374 Email: Dallas@cam.org.au

Parish House:

115 Corinella Cres. Dallas, Vic 3047; Phone: 9302 2057

School Principal: Mr. Alan Smith School Phone: **03** 9309 1620

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Dallas: Mon - Fri. 9.15 am 1st Fri. Anointing Mass: Dallas 10 am Meadow Heights: Tues (Viet) 9 am Meadow Heights: Thu, Sat (Eng) 9 am

#### **WEEKEND MASSES:**

Sat. Dallas Vigil Mass 6.00 pm Sun. Meadow Heights 9.00 am Dallas 11.00 am

#### \*Note: Vietnamese Mass

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Month: 9.00 am 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Month: 11.00 am

#### RECONCILIATION

Meadow Heights Sat. 8.30 - 8.55 am Dallas Saturday 5.15 - 5.45 pm

#### BAPTISMS

Contact Parish Office during office hours

#### **WEDDINGS**

Thank

Contact Parish Office. Preferably 6 months before the wedding.

#### LEGION OF MARY

Eng. Mon. at 6 pm at the Parish House Viet. Mon. at 7 pm at Holy Family Centre

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Dallas: Eng. Mass 7.00 pm, & Stations of Cross HFC: Viet, Mass 6.30pm & Stations of the Cross

#### A reading from the holy Gospel according to John:

If a grain of wheat falls on the ground and dies, it yields a rich harvest.

Among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. These approached Philip, who came from Bethsaida in Galilee, and put this request to him, 'Sir, we should like to see Jesus.' Philip went to tell Andrew, and Andrew and Philip together went to tell Jesus. Jesus replied to them: 'Now the hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. I tell you, most solemnly, unless a wheat grain falls on the ground and dies, it remains only a single grain; but if it dies, it yields a rich harvest. Anyone who loves his life loses it; anyone who hates his life in this world will keep it for the eternal life. If a man serves me, he must follow me, wherever I am, my servant will be there too. If anyone serves me, my Father will honour him. Now my soul is troubled. What shall I say: Father, save me from this hour? But it was for this very reason that I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name!' A voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.' People standing by, who heard this, said it was a clap of thunder; others said, 'It was an angel speaking to him.' Jesus answered, 'It was not for my sake that this voice came, but for yours. 'Now sentence is being passed on this world; now the prince of this world is to be overthrown. And when I am lifted up from the earth. I shall draw all men to myself.'

By these words he indicated the kind of death he would die.

# The Gospel of the Lord Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



# Palm Sunday Year B

1st Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7 2nd Reading: Philip. 2:6-11 Gospel: Mark 14:1-15:47



#### PLEASE KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS

(Names of the sick will only be printed for a month, unless the Office has been notified otherwise)

SICK: Brian & Joyce Holmes, Kim Nguyen, Bill Moore, Michelle Fernando, Fr Steven Nguyen, Antonio Casimiro, Rolando Tamayo, Bui Thi Thom, Benjamin Jason, Mario Rivera, Diana Verdi, Raymond Casser, Lizete Pinheiro, Nancy Donadel, Jane Cutajar, Filomena Cruz; Celine Santos; Joaquim Quaresma, Lorraine Arbuckle, Antonetta Abela, Araceli Endozo; Filomena Cruz; Adelaida Bernardino; Evaristo Endozo; Amelia DeMelo, Mehmet Tillem, Ellen King, Blossom D'Cruz, Neil Furze, Joan Lobs, Maria Tonna, Joyce Marshall, Emy Damato, Ryan Doidge

ANNIVERSARIES/Sr Catherine Mary Power,Peter Nguyen Dang, oseph Vella,Carmela Sammit REMEMBRANCE: Oliolio Tuilau, Paul & Carmen Busuttil, George & Adriana Buhagiar, Carmelo Micallef, Joanne & Nathalie Busutti, John Toole, Alfredo Tabone, Carmena Camilleri, Nic Ruys, Peter Tuan Bang, Mary Galea, Gerald Brolly, Adoracion & Joselito Tabanguil, Bahri Reetzepoglou Snr, and all those mentioned in the Book of Remembrance.

RECENT DEATH: Piju Scerri (Malta)

# Fifth Sunday Of Lent Year B

During our Lenten renewal, are we willing to be like garden seeds and risk being split apart so that we can renew ourselves and grow into a life rich with abundance to share with others? Are we willing to dedicate ourselves to growing our faith and our relationship with Christ so that we may become the Christians God wants us to be? Equally as important, are we willing to let the world's greatest gardener nurture us, not by sun and water, but by His never-ending love and his promise to us each and every day?

If so, then through our death and rebirth we, too, can produce much fruit, fruit that we can share with others through our service to them.

The Annual Chrism Mass at St Patrick's Cathedral-Tues, 27 March 2017

Mass of the Chrism to be held at 11:00 am at St Patrick's Cathedral. All welcome.

# Tuesday, 27 March - Morning Mass

All the priests will be attending the Chrism Mass at St Patrick's Cathedral and therefore, Morning Masses on this Day will be only at 8.00 am in Dallas (Eng).



# **Volunteers Needed for setting up the Church for Ceremonies**

Wed. 28 March, after morning Mass, the Liturgy Group would like help in setting up the church for the Holy Thursday Mass, Lord's Supper.

## Holy Thursday, Washing of Feet - Volunteers Needed

At our celebration of the Lord's Supper, the priest will wash the feet of 12 parishioners. Kindly place your name on the clipboard in the Foyer if you would like to participate in this wonderful expression of this humble service that Jesus offered to his disciples and to all of us.

# Holy Thursday - 29 March

- Mass of the Lord's Supper 7.00 pm at Dallas.



# **STATIONS OF THE CROSS - FRIDAYS IN LENT**

Holy Child, Dallas Eng. 7.00 pm Mass followed by Stations.



Holy Family Centre Viet Mass 6.30 pm, followed by Viet





# Reconciliation Before Easter

Monday, 26 March 7pm Dallas Tuesday, 27 March 7pm Dallas



## Altar of Repose

Will be at the Hub portable classroom, near the old basket ball court. All are encouraged to participate in the Adoration until 11 pm. Those who are staying back for it, please DO NOT park in the school car park in case you get blocked in by the Syrian community who will be attending their service during that time.



Palm Sunday - 25 March - Holy Child Parish
Procession + Vigil Mass: Sat.24 March 6.00 pm. Dallas
Procession+Mass: Sun.25 March 9 am. M.Heights (Eng)
Procession + Mass: Sun.25 March 11.00 am. Dallas
(Eng)



Please bring along palms/olive branches.

# "Called to Welcome & Protect" - Sunday, 25 March, 1.00 pm

Prayer Service at St Patrick's Cathedral; 1.40 pm Depart Cathedral to join 'Walk for Justice for Refugees'. Check Notice Board in Foyer.

# Walk for Justice for Refugees Palm Sunday, 25 March

End Cruelty. 2 pm Start from State Library (Cnr Swanston & La Trobe Sts. Melb). All Welcome. Check Notice Board in Foyer.

# Copies of the Holy Week Time Table available in the Foyer.



# Good Friday Special Collection - 30 March

The Annual Collection for the support of the Church in the Holy Land. Thank you for your generosity & support. Envelopes on the Benches/Foyer.



# Enrolments for Confirmation, First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion 2018

Parents and Carers please note that Enrolments for Confirmation, First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion for those children who are attending government schools are now being taken at the Parish office. Please ring the Parish Office on 9302 3376 for a copy.



RECONCILIATION

# Please take a copy for your information.



### 2018 FLOWER CALENDAR NOW AVAILABLE

Kindly donate and book your weekend. Money to be handed to the Fathers/Parish Office. *Thank you* for your support.



<u>Sat.23 June</u> Multi-Cultural Dinner Dance