

Gospel

Luke 21:25-28,34-36

Jesus said to his disciples: 'There will be signs in the sun and moon and stars; on earth nations in agony, bewildered by the clamour of the ocean and its waves; men dying of fear as they await what menaces the world, for the powers of heaven will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. When these things begin to take place, stand erect, hold your heads high, because your liberation is near at hand.

'Watch yourselves, or your hearts will be coarsened with debauchery and drunkenness and the cares of life, and that day will be sprung on you suddenly, like a trap. For it will come down on every living man on the face of the earth. Stay awake, praying at all times for the strength to survive all that is going to happen, and to stand with confidence before the Son of Man.'

Mystery of Faith

We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection
until you come again.

Communion Antiphon

Ps 84: 13

The Lord will bestow his bounty, and our earth
shall yield its increase.

The Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to
people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we
adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for
your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God,
almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten
Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you
take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our
prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the
Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy
One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most
High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of
God the Father. Amen.

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of

heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I
believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father
before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true
God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from
heaven, *At the words that follow, up to and including
'and became man', all bow.*

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin
Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day in accordance with
the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is
seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come
again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his
kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the
Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son
is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the
prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic
Church. I confess one Baptism for the
forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the
resurrection of the dead and the life of the
world to come. Amen



1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (YEAR C)

1ST DECEMBER 2024



Entrance Antiphon

Cf. Ps 24: 1-3

To you, I lift up my soul, O my God.
In you, I have trusted; let me not be put to
shame.
Nor let my enemies exult over me;
and let none who hope in you be put to shame.

First reading

Jeremiah 33:14-16

See, the days are coming – it is the Lord who
speaks – when I am going to fulfil the promise I
made to the House of Israel and the House of Judah:

'In those days and at that time,
I will make a virtuous Branch grow for David,
who shall practise honesty and integrity in the land.
In those days Judah shall be saved
and Israel shall dwell in confidence.
And this is the name the city will be called:
The-Lord-our-integrity.'

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 24(25):4-5,8-9,10,14

To you, O Lord, I lift my soul.

Lord, make me know your ways.
Lord, teach me your paths.
Make me walk in your truth, and teach me:
for you are God my saviour.

To you, O Lord, I lift my soul.

The Lord is good and upright.
He shows the path to those who stray,
He guides the humble in the right path,
He teaches his way to the poor.

To you, O Lord, I lift my soul.

His ways are faithfulness and love
for those who keep his covenant and law.
The Lord's friendship is for those who revere him;
to them he reveals his covenant.

To you, O Lord, I lift my soul.

Second reading

1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2

May the Lord be generous in increasing your love
and make you love one another and the whole
human race as much as we love you. And may he so
confirm your hearts in holiness that you may be
blameless in the sight of our God and Father when
our Lord Jesus Christ comes with all his saints.

Finally, brothers, we urge you and appeal to you
in the Lord Jesus to make more and more progress
in the kind of life that you are meant to live: the life
that God wants, as you learnt from us, and as you
are already living it. You have not forgotten the
instructions we gave you on the authority of the
Lord Jesus.

Gospel Acclamation

Ps 84:8

Alleluia, alleluia!
Lord, show us your mercy and love,
and grant us your salvation.
Alleluia!

(Readings continued
on the back page)

Our Lady of Fatima

CATHOLIC CHURCH + ROSEBUD



MASS TIMES
Wednesday 9:30am
Friday 9:30am
Saturday 9:30am
Sunday 9am, 5pm

HOLY HOUR
Thurs 5.00pm - 6.00pm

CONFESSION
30 minutes before
each Mass



MASS TIMES
Tuesday 9:30am
Thursday 9:30am
Sat Vigil 6:00pm
Sunday 11:00am

CONFESSION
30 minutes before
each Mass

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

CATHOLIC CHURCH + DROMANA

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ROSEBUD AND DROMANA

PRAYER INTENTIONS

We pray for those who are sick especially: Trevor Ives, Maria Hanmer, Gordon Ives, Katie Elson, Lorraine Backway, Marguerite Brennan, Sabina Benassi, Shirley Gardiner, Ron Keating, Harry Sullivan, Hamish Gubbins, Colleen Cooper, Miah Debernardi, Jean Robertson, Mick Millman, Raelene Watt,, Jenny Brewer, Vilma Canavan and all those who need our prayers. May they receive the Lord's comfort and strength. We pray for those who died recently, and for whose anniversary occurs about this time, especially Pedro Plazo, and for all who have died. May they rest in peace.

FEAST DAYS

Tues: St Francis Xavier
Wed St John Damascene
Fri: St Nicholas
Sat: St Ambrose

PHONES OFF

Please turn phones onto silent or off, and maintain prayerful quiet in the Church.

COLLECTIONS

1st Collection/ Presbytery Supports our Parish Priest and the priests of the Archdiocese.
2nd Collection/ Church Supports our respective Parishes.
Direct Transfers to Church Church Account details for direct transfer/deposit:

Rosebud
Our Lady of Fatima Parish
BSB 083 347
ACC: 641579470

Dromana
OLPH Church Account
BSB: 083 347
ACC: 650781814

WEEKDAY ROSARY

Join in praying the rosary half an hour before each weekday Mass.

PIETY STALL

Available now from the Piety Stall:
2025 Columban Calendars -\$12 each
Laminated Miracle Prayer—\$1 each
Divine Mercy blank cards with envelope—\$2 each

Dear Parishioners of Our Lady of Fatima, Rosebud, and Our Lady of Perpetual Help,
Greetings in Christ!

I am delighted to share with you that I will be arriving at the presbytery on December 2, 2024, to begin my ministry among you. It is with great joy that I look forward to joining your vibrant faith communities and embarking on this pastoral journey together.

I am also pleased to inform you that **Most Rev. Antony J. Ireland, Auxiliary Bishop of the Southern Region, will join us for the 11:00 AM Mass at Dromana on Sunday, December 8, 2024.** During this celebration, Bishop Tony will officially install me as your Parish Administrator and witness my Oath of Fidelity.

This is a significant milestone in my priestly ministry, and I warmly invite all of you to be part of this special occasion.

I am deeply grateful to Rev. Fr. John Paul Mount, your previous parish priest, for his dedicated service to our parishes. Together, we will strive to build on the strong foundation he has left, honouring the legacy of those who have served before us while seeking new opportunities for spiritual growth and renewal.

I am filled with excitement and hope as I prepare to serve and journey with you in faith. Let us work together to continue God's mission in our community, embracing the many blessings and challenges that lie ahead. May God bless you abundantly, and I look forward to meeting you all soon!

Yours in Christ,
Rev. Jacob Peter Alvares, SAC
Parish Administrator
Our Lady of Fatima
Our Lady of Perpetual Help

**PLEASE NOTE:

HOLY HOUR WILL NOT TAKE PLACE THIS WEEK**

PARISH MORNING TEA: 1st December 10am .(after 9.00am Mass today) The last morning tea of the year has a Christmas theme! All welcome and bring a plate to share.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA LADIES GROUP will meet for lunch at the Rosebud RSL on **Wed 4th December at 12.30pm**. Please feel welcome to join us for the last gathering of the year

REGULAR EVENTS AT OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP DROMANA. ALL WELCOME

- Novena Prayer of Our Lady of Perpetual Help every Thursday following 9.30am Mass.
- Choir Practice: Every Thursday at 3.45pm. New singers welcome.
- Divine Mercy Prayer Group: Every Friday at 2pm, followed up with a cuppa & chat!
- Monthly Morning Tea . Enjoy a chat and socialise over a cuppa with your fellow parishioners in

the parish hall second Sunday of each month after 11.00am Mass.

- Monthly Prayer Group: 1st Monday of the month @ 10.00am Church. .
- St Vincent de Paul: 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month @ 4pm in the Parish Hall. Meetings.

All Welcome. Any enquires please contact the office.

DROMANA PARISH PRAYER

Father, pour out your Spirit upon the people of this Parish so that, inspired by your Word, nourished at your table and graced by your empowering love, our lives may be devoted to the service of our brothers and sisters and the building of your Kingdom. May our Parish Community truly be, for this place and time, the Body of Christ your Son, through whom we make this prayer. AMEN.