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The Epiphany of the Lord – Year C 4/5 January 2025

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Arise, Jerusalem, and look to the East and see your children gathered from the rising to the setting of the sun.

FIRST READING: Isiah 60:1-6

The glory of the Lord shines upon you.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 71:1-2, 7-8, 10-13 Lord, every nation on earth will adore you.

SECOND READING: Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6

The revelation means that pagans now share the same inheritance, that they are parts of the same body.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, Alleluia! We have seen his star in the East; and have come to adore the Lord. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Matthew 2:1-12

We have come from the East to worship the king.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The brightness of God illuminated the holy city Jerusalem, and the nations will walk by its light.

Parish Prayer

Ever loving God, we the community of the Catholic Parish of Richmond, praise you and dedicate our lives to you. Through the example of St Monica, St Gregory, and St John of God we aspire to be people of faith and prayer, who extend peace, hope and light to the wider community.

When we listen to your Word, let it nourish us, giving us strength and perseverance in our daily lives. May the Holy Spirit enkindle in us a spirit of compassion and hospitality and a profound respect for each other.

Help us to care for the sick, the elderly and those in need. Bless our young people that they may be inspired to know, love and serve You. May we strive to grow in holiness and dedicate our lives to Your service.

We make this prayer through the intercession of our Mother Mary and Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Come Join the Celebrations at the St Paul's Feast .. Saturday, 18 January 2025 at 5.30pm at St Monica's, Richmond ..

Feast Mass

Saturday 18 January St Monica's, Richmond at 5.30pm followed by procession

Other Details

Lady Queen of Peace Band, BBQ, Food, Drinks, Rides & Chocolate Wheel



Volunteers are needed on the day. Please contact Vicki 0410 545 783 if you can assist. Thank you.

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NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER 11/12 January 2025

The Baptism of the Lord Year C



Minister at the Altar

6.00pm - A. Vincent

7.30am - R. Ujmiak

9.30am - D. Murphy

5.30pm - P. Delahay T. Ross

Readers

6.00pm - M. McMahon C. Hession 7.30am - T. Maguire A. Edwards 9.30am - E. Esposito K. Brough 5.30pm - J. Morley E. Teuma

Extraordinary Ministers at Holy Communion

6.00pm - P. Hession J. Chapman 7.30am - M. Fenech A. Burnett

9.30am - N. Esposito C. Sultana 5.30pm - S. Nash S. Higgins

Junior Ministers

6.00pm -

7.30am -

9.30am - C. Murphy M. Hoffman

5.30pm -

Data Projector

6.00pm - M. Breaden

7.30am - C. Thompson 9.30am - M. Saliba

5.30pm - M. Teuma

Children's Liturgy

9.30am -Cleaners

Counters

05 Jan - M. Ryan D. Bowles C. Chapman

12 Jan - N. Godsell L. Bowen M. McMahon

WEEKDAY ROSTER

Monday 6 January 2025

Reader - F. Crew

EMoHC - C. Nickle

Wednesday 8 January 2025

Reader - A. Aquilina EMoHC - M. McMahon

Friday 10 January 2025

Reader - D. Bowles

EMoHC - M. Ryan



Saturday 11 January 2025

Reader -

EMoHC -

Sunday 12 January 2025

Readers

8.00am - P. Hurst J. Wall A. Bwaia Minister at the Altar - F. Kelleher

Extraordinary Ministers at

Holy Communion

8.00am - P. Waterford

Data Projector - A. Drew

Altar Preparation -

Cleaners -

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Pope Francis @Pontifex 4 January:

Discernment is an art that can be learned and has its own rules. Let us ask the Holy Spirit to place on our path people who can accompany us on our journey toward God.