

# ST THOMAS MORE'S PARISH

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## Have you thought?

In writing my reflection this week I came across Greg Sunter's commentary on the Gospel.

This part of his commentary that I am sharing with you really made me think, I hope that we can all take a moment to reflect on what is draining us in our lives. Take some time to bring it to Jesus in prayer and I hope that your faith will also make you feel whole again.

God bless ~Jacinta

## Readings

Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

It was the devil's envy that brought death into the world.

2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

Your Abundance should supply their want.

Mark 5:21-43

Young Girl, I say to you, Arise!

In the gospel story, the woman suffers a serious physical complaint – an unending flow of blood – that must have left her physically, emotionally and spiritually exhausted. For many of us there is some aspect of our lives that has an almost equally draining effect as the physical complaint of the woman. In effect, some aspect of our lives may be haemorrhaging – a constant outflow of energy and emotion that prevents us from being all that we might be. It may be an unhealthy relationship; an addiction; a lack of confidence; a grudge; a lack of emotional control.



## Please remember in your Prayers...

**Those who are ill:** Bernadette Martyka, Judith Keleher, Marc Slevin, Wendy Edwards, Andrew McGregor, Nancy Daly, Jim Dickenson, Deb Handley, Damian Wyvill, Kylie Lane, Nev Sarquis, Greg Twidale, Glenna Kasmer, Janice Lockhart, Thomas Lawton, Terry Tyers, Christine Prescott & her son Donncha Boles, Wini Collins, Pauline Anderson, Joan Leonard, Sister Dorothy Bayliss RSC, Bill Phillips, Peter Erbacher and Betty Saal, Fr Hal and Fr Nandana

**Recently deceased:** Maria Krulik, Lesley Mullen, Mitchell Leadbeater, Rae Blinco

**Anniversaries:** Edgar Joseph Perry



**SVDP- Winter shelter** - 22 July and 19 August Contact Brendan Doherty at [bedoherty14@gmail.com](mailto:bedoherty14@gmail.com)

### Celebration for Fr Hal's retirement!

After 5pm Mass on the 13th July. St Patrick's will farewell Fr Hal with a morning tea on Sunday, 14th July after the 9am Mass.



Last Monday we held the first of our Winter Shelter nights in the STM Church. We had 10 guests (9 male and 1 female) who were all very well taken care of and grateful for the experience they had. The St Thomas More's community really came together and provided a wonderful evening. It really shows what a vibrant and caring community we have. Thank you to all those people who helped, whether it was sharing a meal, participating in companionship, set up, pack down, staying the night, or praying for us. Your contributions were invaluable and truly appreciated. Our next Winter Shelter is on 22 July.



**HOST FAMILIES NEEDED 24TH JULY - 3RD AUGUST.** Families are asked to provide all meals, transport to and from school and a friendly home for their student. All family members over the age of 18 require a blue card. Students are between 15-17 years old. There is 24/7 Japanese/English support. Host families receive \$750.

Contact: [jane.greenhalgh@twb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:jane.greenhalgh@twb.catholic.edu.au) for more information and for application forms and blue card forms.

<b>Sunday 30</b> [STM - St Thomas More's] [SPC - St Patrick's]	<b>8.30am STM</b> 7am, 9am, 5.30pm SPC	
<b>Monday 1</b> St Junipero Serra	<b>9:00am Mass STM</b>	Rosary in Chapel before Mass 11am - Lesley Mullen, Funeral
<b>Tuesday 2</b>	<b>5.30pm Mass STM</b> 9am Mass SPC	9am Adult Faith - Presbytery meeting room
<b>Wednesday 3</b> St Thomas, Apostle	7am Mass SPC	10am Open Door - Presbytery meeting room
<b>Thursday 4</b> Bl. Pier Giorgio Frassati	7am Mass SPC	
<b>Friday 5</b> St Anthony Zaccaria St Elizabeth Portugal	<b>9.30am Mass STM</b> 7am Mass SPC	Rosary in Chapel before Mass
<b>Saturday 6</b> St Maria Goretti	<b>5pm Mass STM</b> 7am, 6pm Mass SPC	No Hospitality after Mass this weekend. It will be next weekend for Fr Hal
<b>Sunday 7</b>	<b>8.30am Mass STM</b> 7am, 9am, 5.30pm.	

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WEEK 1 ROSTER	Saturday	Sunday
<b>MASS CO-ORDINATORS</b>	A. Emery	T & T Sullivan
<b>welcomers</b>	B. O'Keefe, A & E Boulus	M Dodd
<b>Organist/Singer</b>	D. Phillips, D Turner	M Keating, S Holcombe
<b>Readers</b>	A Emery, A. Grimshaw	G Hutchinson, S Wilson, J Foley, D Gardiner
<b>Communion Ministers</b>	B. O'Keefe, A & K Boulus	W Dingle, T Carter
<b>Money counters</b>	R & N Mauch, D & A Gatfield	

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