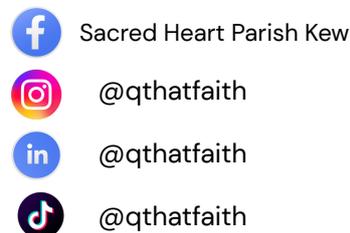


Sacred Heart Catholic Parish, Kew

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Mass Times

Weekdays

9:15am Tues – Sat

Weekend

6:00pm Saturday Vigil

9:30am Sunday

Confessions

Saturday 9:00am & 9:45am
& 5:45pm

Sunday 9:15am

Eucharistic Adoration

Saturdays 9:45am

Baptisms

Last Sunday of the month.

Other Sacraments

Please contact parish office
or visit parish website

1st Collection:

To maintain parish house &
support Fr Michael Kong
BSB: 083 347
Account #: 663 832 561

2nd Collection:

For the running of and upkeep
of the Church
BSB: 083 347
Account #: 682 606 383



Make an online donation

Please Remember in Prayer

Unwell: James May, Stephanie Purra,
Michael Tymms, Albert Leung,
Elizabeth Rossiter, Sam Siragusa and
Rosa Cimino

Recently Deceased: Bertha Effendi

Anniversaries: The Repose of All The
Faithful Departed

Mass Intentions: If you would like to
offer Mass for anyone, please let us
know in advance.

Upcoming Feasts & Solemnities:

3rd (Wed) St Francis Xavier

Announcements

Volunteers Needed

We are looking for volunteers to assist with
our various parish group, especially for our
Alter Servers.

Please contact the parish office if you are
interested in assisting us.

Please note that all volunteers are required
to get a Working With Children Check
(unless under 18 years of age) and must
have received their First Communion in
order to participate. Thanks for your
understanding.

To Fr John and the St Anne's Community

The special collection we held last time in gratitude for Fr John and the
St Anne's community amounted to \$1,000. Once again, we sincerely thank you
for your generosity. Along with a small gift, we will convey our appreciation to
Fr John. Thank you very much.

Community Kew Carols

When: Friday, 5 December at 7:30pm

Where: Sacred Heart Church Kew

We are excited to announce that our church will be the venue for the annual
Kew Community Carols this week on Friday 5 December at 7.30pm. The
organising committee have been working hard to make sure this is a great
family event and also showcases our beautiful church and parish.

They need your help! Volunteers to be ushers, sausage sizzle assistants, set
up and clean up are needed. If you can contribute, please let our parish
office know during this week so we can support this community event.

We will also be collecting shopping vouchers for the Boroondara Outreach
Program who support families in the Kew area in need of support this
Christmas. If you can spare any funds, please also feel free to bring along a
supermarket or Kmart voucher on the night. Even \$10 or \$20 will make a
significant difference. Thanks for your support and please come along this
week. All are welcome! Santa and a children's entertainer will be there, a
sausage sizzle and carol singing will set you up for the festive season ahead!

For the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, the
contributions amounted to \$3,344.65 while
our weekly running costs amount to \$4,500.
Please help us to move towards reaching that
target so that we can maintain this beautiful
church and keep our parish up and running.

Weekly Expenditure	\$4,500.00
Offertory Collection	\$3,344.65
Difference	-\$1,155.35

First Reading

Isaiah 2: 1-5

The vision of Isaiah son of Amoz, concerning Judah and Jerusalem. In the days to come the mountain of the Temple of the Lord shall tower above the mountains and be lifted higher than the hills. All the nations will stream to it, peoples without number will come to it; and they will say: 'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the Temple of the God of Jacob that he may teach us his ways so that we may walk in his paths; since the Law will go out from Zion, and the oracle of the Lord from Jerusalem.' He will wield authority over the nations and adjudicate between many peoples; these will hammer their swords into ploughshares, their spears into sickles. Nation will not lift sword against nation, there will be no more training for war O House of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 121: 1-2, 4-5

R. Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

I rejoiced when I heard them say: 'Let us go to God's house.' And now our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem.

R.

It is there that the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord. For Israel's law it is, there to praise the Lord's name. There were set the thrones of judgement of the house of David. **R.**

For the peace of Jerusalem pray: 'Peace be to your homes! May peace reign in your walls, in your palaces, peace!' **R.**

For love of my brethren and friends I say: 'Peace upon you!' For love of the house of the Lord I will ask for your good. **R.**

Second Reading

Romans 13: 11-14

You know 'the time' has come: you must wake up now: our salvation is even nearer than it was when we were converted. The night is almost over, it will be daylight soon - let us give up all the things we prefer to do under cover of the dark; let us arm ourselves and appear in the light. Let us live decently as people do in the daytime: no drunken orgies, no promiscuity or licentiousness, and no wrangling or jealousy. Let your armour be the Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospel Acclamation

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

Gospel

Matthew 24: 37-44

Jesus said to his disciples: 'As it was in Noah's day, so will it be when the Son of Man comes. For in those days before the Flood people were eating, drinking, taking wives, taking husbands, right up to the day Noah went into the ark, and they suspected nothing till the Flood came and swept all away. It will be like this when the Son of Man comes. Then of two men in the fields one is taken, one left; of two women at the millstone grinding, one is taken, one left.

'So stay awake, because you do not know the day when your master is coming. You may be quite sure of this that if the householder had known at what time of the night the burglar would come, he would have stayed awake and would not have allowed anyone to break through the wall of his house. Therefore, you too must stand ready because the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.'

Sacred Heart Parish Prayer

Lord, may we the parishioners of Sacred Heart strive to be people of the Gospel and prayer.
Imprint in our hearts a deep desire for your Word and a love of the Eucharist.
Motivate us to be an engaging, welcoming, and supportive community.
Help us to be a people of compassion and justice for all.