

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH  
YEAR A - 30th December 2007

**THEME: Matthew 2:13-15,19-23**

Joseph is told to take the child Jesus and His mother, Mary, and flee to Egypt.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Happy are those who fear the Lord and walk in His ways.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the peace of Christ rule in  
your hearts, and the fullness of  
His message live within you.

Alleluia!

**FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK**

Tuesday 1st January- Mary, Mother of God (Solemnity).  
Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am.

**NEW YEAR'S EVE**

Monday 31st December 2007- 11:00pm - midnight **Holy Hour** with  
Benediction finishing midnight. Refreshments in church foyer.

**PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**

Grant spiritual comfort and healing to the sick, especially.

May Smith, Kristi Cassandra, Kathy Hendry, Clive Hanson, Cameron Thompson, Betty Hunter, Allanah Barnes, Anthony Gilchrist, Rosel Free, Joe Mullavey, Luke Heffernan, Reece Valta, Sharon Witteveen, Yela Jankovic, Karl Grlica, Alvin Horn, Fr John Fitzwalter, Kevin Dore, Kate Cox, Patricia Hamill, Maureen Pidutti, Joan Dore, Zoltan Tar, Catherine Mead, Marjorie Stott, Helen Saffrey, Charles Francis, Will Carland, Maureen Fields, Patricia Barber, Patsy Hanley, Ian Walters, Des O'Meara, John Williams, Gregory Cummins, Ben Harper, Joseph Doran, Nicholas Hetherington, Bess Harris, Sandra Varrasso, Effie Ray, Brenden Aldridge, Patricia Bourke, Bob Woods, Marie Cook, Luke Westaway, Bishop Brennan, Lloyd Bell-Chambers and Len Egan.

Grant eternal life to:

Annette Power, Leon Hyland, Joyce Livsey, Helen Moss, Vaughan Hilton, Michael Williams, Benjamin Wittevee and all our dear ones deceased.

### Anniversaries:

Ellen M Keane, Marja Kolek, Rose Livsey, Bill Livsey, Maria Szulezyk, Rosa & George Grlica, Stana Grlica, Cecilia Grlica, Samuel Skaric and all those whose anniversaries occur now.

### And Also:

Peter Blattman, Bert Scammell, Phillip, Anne-Maree, Frank & Mary Percy, Neville, Inez & Stephanie Fields, Bill Boote, Alf Elias, Vera & Bill Ritchie, Michael Hume, Judy O'Shannessy, Eila, Patrick & Noel Cain, Deceased Members of the

Cain & Tredrea Families, Ted & Lorna Day, Anne Aquilina, Deceased Members of the Norman & Day Families, Tim Robb, Deceased Members of the Robb and O'Donnell Families, Harry Livsey, Mary, Bill & Ken Kotthoff, Francis Rodrigues, Pauline Rodrigues, Edgar Rodrigues, Leonard Rodrigues, Bernard Rodrigues, John Penhevio, Brian Esler, Kirt Esler, Brian Tutt and all our dear ones deceased.

LORD HEAR US

### **BAPTISMS**

Last weekend we welcomed into God's Church the following newly baptised:

JESSIE LAPPIN CLIFTON NEWTON

### **FOR YOUR DIARY**

#### **ON LEAVE**

Fr Fulton will commence his leave on Christmas Day and will return Friday 11th January 2008. Fr Leaver will be assisting Fr Lee at the weekend Masses.

#### **PALMS**

Palms Australia is interested in meeting Teachers, Doctors, Nurses and other professional, technical and trades people willing to share their skills for 1-3 years in Asia, Africa or the Pacific. Persons interested in departing in 2008 or 2009 should register their interest now, either online at [www.palms.org.au](http://www.palms.org.au) or by calling (02) 9518 9551.

#### **ST VINCENT de PAUL**

Vacancies exist at Charles O'Neill/Marillac Units, Corner Hovell & Macauley Streets for persons on age/invalid or disability pensions. Minimal rent. Contact St Vincent de Paul Regional Council on (02) 6025 8363.

#### **COUNTERS**

Laurie Jacobs, John Muldoon, Ron Ahern

**TEA/COFFEE Roster – 9.00am & 10.30 am**

Barbara & RosRodrigues, Carmel & Bob Garratt

**SANCTUARY & FLOWERS**

(1<sup>st</sup> – 15 January 2008)

Marie Carroll, L Flynn, Y Toohey, C Wilson