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Mass Times	<u>Holy Rosary</u>	<u>Carmel</u>
	Thursday & Friday: 9.00 am	Monday - Friday: 7.00 am
	Saturday: 6.00 pm	Saturday: 7.30 am
	Sunday: 8.00 am and 9.30 am	Sunday: 11.00 am

Reconciliation Saturday 10.00-10.30 am, & 5.00-5.30 pm (Holy Rosary)

Baptisms and Weddings by appointment

Parish Mission Statement

We, the faith community of Holy Rosary, Nedlands, commit ourselves to continuing to be a community that welcomes all, that they may find truth, compassion, peace and healing. We seek to build a place where all may find God's true presence in the sacraments and in each other. We seek to look beyond ourselves to the needs of our neighbour and the world.

21/22 Jan 2011

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr B

Jonah 3:1-5,10 The Ninevites renounced their evil ways.

Response to Psalm 24 *Teach me your ways, O Lord.*

1 Corinthians 7:29-31 The world as we know it is passing away.

Alleluia *The kingdom of God is near: believe the Good News.*

Mark 1:14-20 Repent, and believe the Good News.

Communion Verse: *Look toward the Lord and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed.*

Roster for next week-end (28/29 Jan)

	Acolytes:	Special Ministers:
6.00 pm Mass:	Robin Hill	Rosemary Hill & Betty Ryan
8.00 am Mass:	John Italiano	<u>Robyn Reed</u> & Gillian Italiano
9.30 am Mass:	David McKenna	Simon Ching & Margaret Collopy
11.00 am Mass:	Ian Ralph	Sue Aldous & Peg Heavey

Altar Society: Gemma O'Halloran

Feast days:

Tue. 24 Jan. ***St Francis de Sales (1567-1622)***

Wed. 25 Jan. ***The Conversion of St Paul***

Thu. 26 Jan. ***Australia Day***

Sat. 27 Jan. ***St Thomas Aquinas (1225-1274)***

** N. B. **NO** Mass at Holy Rosary **

** Thursday or Friday this week. **

Coming Events:

Working Bee: Fr Gregory has been spending some time recoating the church pews this year. We need some help now to complete the floor of the church. Can we have some volunteers for **Sunday 29 January after 9:30 Mass** to move pews, sand and varnish floor. We also need help to replace pews on **Saturday 04 February at 10am**. Others can come to help with other odd jobs in the parish.

Morning Tea and Church Cleaning Rosters: We need two people or one family to volunteer for each of these important ministries before the year gets underway; commitment is for once per month. Please spend some time in reflection to see if the Lord is calling you to participate in either of these ways. Enquiries Viv 93868202

A **Jesuit Induction program** is available to help people working in the province to become more familiar with how the Society of Jesus works, and how we can learn to work together more effectively. There is a Level 1 introduction available on **Wednesday 25** and

Friday 27 January at John XXIII College (9am-3:30pm each day). This as a good way of becoming more familiar with the Jesuit charism. The parish will pay any costs. Please inform Fr Jacobs this weekend if you are interested – limited places available.



**SUNDOWNER FOR
PRIEST’S FAREWELL AND WELCOME**

It’s time to celebrate and thank the Society of Jesus for the guidance, leadership and progress experienced over the last year in the Holy Rosary Parish as we **Farewell Fr. Gregory Jacobs SJ** and **Welcome Fr. Joseph Sobb SJ** into our Parish. Fr. Gregory Jacobs SJ will be leaving us on 13th Feb and Fr. Joseph Sobb SJ comes into our Parish on 9th Feb.

We will have a **Sundowner** of both farewell and welcome on **Friday 10th February 2012 from 6-8pm** in the **Parish Centre**. All welcome, including children.

For catering purposes fill in the spreadsheet at the back of the church for those who would be kind enough to bring food or drinks.

We plan to have finger food only, so please do not bring food that needs to be served on plates. We will have non-alcoholic fruit punch, so feel free to bring drinks to suit your tastes – wine, beer, spirits or soft drink. Cordial will be provided.

We will be giving a gift to Fr Greg, so if you would like to contribute please see Enid, Trudy or Viv or place in an envelope clearly marked “Fr Greg farewell gift” and put in the Sunday collection.



The **Holy Rosary Prayer Group** will have its first meeting of 2012 on **Monday, Feb. 6, 10-11am** at the Parish Centre, with morning tea to follow. Fr. Greg Jacobs will join us at the meeting. Please continue to write your petitions and thanksgiving on a piece of paper and place in the box at Our Lady's altar. Thanks for the privilege of praying with you! For more information, please contact Alma Kort (9386-3782).

Monday Morning Cuppa: A group of parishioners have been meeting at **Lo Zuccherò Café, 99a Warath Ave. Dalkeith** every Monday morning at 9am. We will continue to meet throughout the holiday period as this is an opportunity for those on holidays to meet fellow parishioners. All welcome.

Spirituality & The Sunday Gospels: How can we open to the power of God in our lives, our relationships, our families and our workplace? **Tuesday 24th Jan, 7-8pm** at St Benedict's School Hall, Alness St. Applecross. Everyone is welcome. Accredited for CEO Faith Formation. There will be a collection. Enq: 94871772 or www.normawoodcock.com

Pilgrimage to Ireland, England & Rome led by Archbishop Barry Hickey **June 8 – 28, 2012**, includes Eucharistic Congress in Dublin 10-17 June. For further information Brian Peachey 9446 3266 or brianpeachey@westnet.com.au

ANNUAL MASS AND REUNION – MARIST / NEW NORCIA
Wednesday 25 January 2012, commencing 4.30pm, Newman College - Empire Avenue, Churchlands, for Mass and reunion in the College grounds. BBQs available - BYO everything. (NB: An update on Marist Centenary Celebrations in 2013 will be presented.) For further information: Ambrose Depiazzi 0419912187 or Frank McCabe 9446 6435

Catholic Charismatic Renewal Retreat Feb 3-5 - SET FREE! Viv Watts attended this retreat last February and wholeheartedly recommends it to all, especially those who are currently troubled. Fr Elias is a gentle priest who powerfully proclaims Jesus' healing presence and teaches people through 'Christo-Therapy' to open themselves to the deep inner healing that Jesus wants us all to receive. The Shoalwater Bay setting is a piece of paradise that serves to confirm God's presence in all created things. Please see posters on noticeboard for details of this Weekend Retreat and separate Healing Day. Viv Watts (enq.0418921797).