

St Cecilia's Catholic Church
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Sunday Masses:
Sun. 10 a.m.
Sun. 5:30 p.m.
Weekday Masses:
Mon. 9:15 a.m.
Wed. 9:15 a.m.
Fri. 9:15 a.m.
Confessions:
By arrangement

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

1 March 2026

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

RECENTLY DECEASED: Annie Guat Im CHIN

ANNIVERSARIES: Peter Sin Fook CHIN, Margaret Frances Cordell, Claire (Helene Claire) Fitzwilliam, Terry (Terrance Michael) Gray, Nancy Doreen Kersley, Andy Kurniawan, Betty Lorraine McNamara, Maureen (Mary Josephine) O'Sullivan, Hugh Robert Slattery, Amanda Wallace

SCHOOL AND PARISH WELCOME MASS AND FUNCTION: Our 10 am Mass today is a Welcome Mass which welcomes all our students back to our parish and school, and particularly welcomes new students and families. This Mass is hosted by our Year 5/6 students and the new children in Foundation. After the Mass, there will be games, activities and a BBQ in the school grounds. Please join us then.

MEMORIAL MASSES: Our 10 am Mass today is a Memorial Mass for Annie Guat Im CHIN. Annie is the mother of St Cecilia's parishioner Florence Koh. She passed away at the age of 97 on 10th February 2026. Also, our 9:15 am Mass this Monday 2nd March is a Memorial Mass for Peter Sin Fook CHIN. Peter is Florence's father. He passed away on 10th March 1978.

Our 5:30 pm Mass today is a Memorial Mass for Claire Fitzwilliam. Claire was a long-time, much-loved member of this parish. She passed away five years ago on 2nd March 2021.

PROJECT COMPASSION envelopes and boxes are available on a table in the narthex or foyer of our church. Fr Kevin encourages you to take some of the envelopes, which you can put on the collection basket any Sunday during Lent. If you want to take a box, a few of the boxes have been unfolded and made up. Most are in their unfolded form in a plastic container. If you take an unfolded box, you have the pleasure of unfolding it and putting it together yourself. It's easy!

'THE JOURNEY HOME' LENTEN PROGRAM: Some copies of this Lenten booklet are also available on the table in the narthex or foyer of our church. These booklets contain a short reflection for each day of Lent, with slightly longer reflections for each Sunday. These daily reflections are a great way of making Lent a more reflective and prayerful time. And they're free! If you've not already done so, please take your copy today.

LENTEN RETREAT AT ST DOMINIC'S: St Dominic's Parish invites everyone to a day-long Lenten Retreat on **Saturday, 14th March**. The retreat includes Mass, Spiritual Talks, Personal Reflections, Adoration and Confession. It commences with 9 am Mass, and concludes with Adoration, Confession and Benediction from 4 to 5 pm. It will be held at St Dominic's Parish, 816 Riversdale Road, Camberwell. The cost is \$20, which includes morning and afternoon tea and lunch. To register, go online to <https://www.trybooking.com/DJKDY>, or phone St Dominic's Parish on (03) 9912 6870, or email pastoral.associate@stdominics.org.au.

MARY MAGDALENE – THE MUSICAL is an uplifting Lenten production retelling the journey of Mary Magdalene through music and story. Presented by **COG Theatre Group** and directed by **Beth Mondragon Williams**, this moving work reflects on redemption, grace, and hope. It's on at the Renaissance Theatre in High Street in Kew at 7 pm on Friday 13th March and Saturday 14th March, and at 1 pm on Saturday 14th March and Sunday 15th March. Tickets can be purchased at [trybooking.com/DHZPD](https://www.trybooking.com/DHZPD).

WEEKDAY MASSES at St Cecilia's this week are at 9:15 am on Monday 2nd March, Wednesday 4th March, and Friday 6th March. Are you able to join us for a weekday Mass in Lent?