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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

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

2 February 2025

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

RECENTLY DECEASED: Sr Beatriz Santos MSC from Cabrini Hospital (d'ced 21/1/2025)

ANNIVERSARIES: Carmel Brady, Fr Peter Hansen, Jack (John Patrick) McGuiness, Sr Pauline Pfiel RSJ, John (Iwa) Stereff, Eunice Tindley

Please join us for **MORNING TEA** after our 10 am Mass today.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY will be provided at our 10 am Mass next Sunday, 9th February. If you know any primary school children, please invite them to join us for this Mass next Sunday.

If you could help with Children's Liturgy, please contact Rita Zambruno on Rita.zambruno@hotmail.com or Mark Cooray on mark.cooray@gmail.com.

NEW AUXILIARY BISHOPS OF MELBOURNE: At St Patrick's Cathedral yesterday (1 February 2025), Bishop Thinh



Nguyen (left) and Bishop Rene Ramirez RCJ (right) were ordained as new Auxiliary Bishops of Melbourne.

Bishop Thinh Nguyen was born in Saigon in Vietnam in 1973. Ordained to the priesthood in St Patrick's on 16th September 2006, he has served in the parishes of Deer Park, Fitzroy and Bennettswood. Since 2022, he has been the Co-ordinator of Clergy, Life and Ministry in the Archdiocese.

Bishop Rene Ramirez RCJ was born in Gapan, Nueva Ecija in the Philippines in 1969. He joined the Rogationists of the Heart of Jesus, and was ordained a priest in May 1985. From 2015 to 2023, he was the

Parish Priest of Holy Family Parish, leading the Catholic communities of West Footscray, Maidstone and Braybrook. In 2024, he moved to the Diocese of Sandhurst, where he served in the parishes of Shepparton South, Nagambie and Rushworth.

At their Episcopal Ordination on Saturday, St Patrick's Cathedral was filled to overflowing. Large numbers from Melbourne's Vietnamese and Filipino Catholic communities attended. Archbishop Peter A. Comensoli presided, joined by Australia's new cardinal, His Eminence Mykola Cardinal Bychok; the Apostolic Nuncio to Australia, His Excellency Archbishop Charles Balvo; and archbishops and bishops from Australia and the Philippines. The liturgy was enriched by the Vietnamese Holy Martyrs Combined Choir, the Filipino Chaplaincy Singers of Melbourne, and the St Patrick's Cathedral Choir. Two booklets from the ceremony are on the table in the narthex.

WEEKDAY MASSES this week are at 9:15 am on Monday 3rd February, Wednesday 5th February, and Friday 7th February.