

Greetings as we begin the new Liturgical Year of Mark's Gospel.

**INVITATION
VOLUNTEERS' HIGH TEA**

**VENTNOR
NEXT SATURDAY DECEMBER 3RD
2.00 - 5.00PM**

This will be one opportunity to also begin our farewells to
Fr Tony Bolt after 3 and a half years
and Fr Joshua after nearly three years.

Come and have a cuppa or a glass
and enjoy the conversation in our newly refurbished Ventnor...

Lets celebrate the year and our efforts to build our community of faith and keep
the flame of faith alive in our hearts....
Peter Hearn MSC

INVITATION

For those who have lost a relative or friend through death during the year, or at any time
in the past.

Bereavement Gathering

Tuesday 29 November

10.30am

or

7.30pm at Ventnor

Who may like to come?

The gathering is really open to anyone at all – but especially to those who have experienced loss through death over the past 12 months and who may like to come into an environment of prayer and companionship (non-intrusive) and to come to the Heart of Jesus with our grief and seek there the comfort He offers to those who grieve.

So, if this appeals to you or someone you know, you may like to accompany them and be a support for them.
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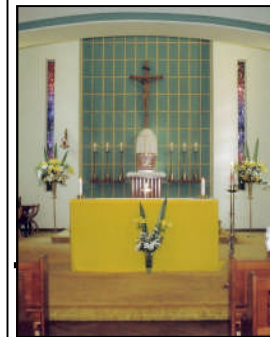
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**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT - YEAR B
27TH NOVEMBER, 2011.**

First Reading: Isaiah 63: 16-17; 64: 1.3-8

Second Reading: Corinthians 1:3-9

Gospel: Mark 123: 33-37

Entrance Antiphon: To you, my God, I lift my soul, I trust in you; let me never come to shame. Do not let my enemies laugh at me. No one who waits for you is ever put to shame.

Responsorial Psalm: Lord, make us turn to you, let us see your face and we shall be saved.

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

Communion Antiphon: The Lord will shower his gifts and our land will yield its fruit.

MASS TIMES:

OLSH - Sat: 12noon, Vigil 6pm.

**Sun : 8am, 10am, 12noon, 6pm, & Last
Call Eucharist 10.30pm**

Week days

**Mon-Sat 12noon, Tues & Wed 6.30am,
Thurs & Fri 5.40pm.**

Reconciliation: Sat 11am—12 noon & 5—6pm

Anointing Mass: 2nd Friday at 12noon

**Marian Novena & Rosary: following 6pm Vigil
Mass.**

ST. MARGARET MARY'S:

Saturday Vigil - 5.30pm. Sunday 9.30am

**Weekdays - Tues, Wed, Fri, 8.15am
Thurs (School Term) 9.05am**

Reconciliation: Sat. 5.15- 5.25pm.

Baptisms: 1:30pm on 2nd, 3rd & 4th Sundays.

Preparation required—contact Parish Office.

POWH Chapel - Mass 3pm - 1st & 3rd & 5th

Shrine website: www.sacredheart.org.au/nationalshrineolsh

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the Catholic Chaplain on duty.**

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for young adults group.

Into your loving care, Lord,
we commend:

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Tom O'Sullivan, Beatrice Marshall, Gloria Burdon.



ANNIVERSARIES & INTENTIONS:

Patricia Golsich, Mary Guilfoyle, Legion of Mary
Worldwide, Nell Sneddon, MSC Benefactors.

Christopher Edward Marskell, Len Jarman (Birthday
Remembrance)

We welcome into our Catholic family:

Cooper Eals, Benjamin Reiter,
Caitlin White, Ruby Hopkin.



EMHC who are not on email. If you would like to
participate in the Christmas Masses (6pm, 8pm,
Christmas Eve, Midnight, 8am, 10am, 12noon,
please ring Maureen by Friday December, 2. The
next roster will go from January 1 until March 25. If
you are unavailable during any of this time, please
ring also by December, 2nd.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Please fill in and hand to
a Priest at Mass.

NAME

Email

ADDRESS:
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PHONE NO.

Date Submitted:

Knitting Group (knitting squares to make
rugs for charity) at Ventnor the 2nd and
4th Monday of the month at 10am. All
welcome. If you CANT knit but can SEW
YOU WOULD BE MOST WELCOME.
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HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER GROUP meets every
Thursday at 7.30PM in the Parish Centre.
**Invitation to celebrate "End of the Year
2011" with HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER
GROUP.**

Come and join us in praise, worship and
thanksgiving for the Almighty God's
unconditional love, peace and for all His
blessings, HE showers upon each one of us.

Venue: Pre-school Platinium [Parish Center]

Time: 7:00 to 9:30PM

Date: Thursday, 01 December 2011

Programme: Praise and Worship, Mass, and
Reflection. Supper will be provided.

Holy Spirit Prayer Group will resume in the
beginning of February 2012

For further information, please email [holy-
spirit.ols@shredheart.org.au](mailto:holy-spirit.ols@shredheart.org.au)

**CHOIR PRACTICES: for
Christmas Midnight Mass have
begun-every Monday evening at
7.30pm. We need especially bassos
and tenors... Watch the Bulletin
for news about the Childrens'
Vigil practices which will be a
combination of OLSH schools and
Family Mass groups. They will
begin in December.**

**LUNCH CHRISTMAS DAY FOR
ANYONE EATING ALONE** to be held at
Ventnor. If you would like to attend,
you can book in, by ringing the Presbytery on
9399 6775 .

Coming Up:

- 1 Dec Thurs: PPC Dinner
Meeting at 7pm.
- 3 Dec Sat: Volunteers Xmas
Party Ventnor 2-5pm
- 7 Dec Wed. 9.30-10.30 Govt.
Schools Xmas Liturgy.
- 8 Dec Thurs. SMM School
Thanks Mass.
- 10/11 Sat Sun Masses ST. V de
P Xmas Appeal.
- 13 Dec Tues: 2nd Rite Rec.
10.30am
- 14th Dec Wed: 2nd Rite Rec at
7.30pm.
- 14th Dec Wed: 9.30am OLSH
Graduation Yr. 6. Mass.

The New Order of the Mass book on sale this
weekend for \$2.50 .

MSC LAY ASSOCIATES: Meeting Sunday 4th
December at 2.30pm. at Ventnor Mass followed
by party. Please bring something to share.
Interested visitors welcome.

VENTNOR: you can see for yourselves
the beautiful back verandah which will
be painted during the week. Thanks to
the Friends of Ventnor who have raised
nearly \$18,000 towards this upgrade.
Peter Hearn MSC

OLSH CHRISTMAS FETE OUTSIDE THE
CHURCH THIS SUNDAY AFTER ALL
MASSES. (27TH NOVEMBER.) LOTS OF
STALLS AND PLENTY TO CHOOSE FROM.

PIETY STALL:

FR. MAC'S PUDDINGS, \$15
COLUMBAN CALENDARS \$7
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CARDS
\$6 PER PACKET.



**ADVENT BLUE BOOK ON SALE
NOW FOR ONLY \$5.00.** Available at
the back of the Church or at the
Presbytery.

It contains a variety of thoughts about the
Advent and Christmas season and takes
short scripture passages and asks us to
reflect on these. A very enjoyable way to
pray during this beautiful Advent
Season..

**New reader roster available in the
Sacristy.**

**PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF
DATE:**

**OLSH/SMM-VOLUNTEERS
AFTERNOON TEA: SATURDAY 3RD
DECEMBER 2.00-5.00PM AT VENT-
NOR. PLEASE KEEP THIS DATE
FREE .**

**Thanks to the teachers and
catechists for the First
Reconciliation Liturgy during the
week. All went very smoothly with a
lovely atmosphere. Peter Hearn, msc.**