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Dear Parishioners at The Oaks and Camden

Sunday 7th January ~ Epiphany

In the Christian tradition, the Epiphany is a feast celebrating Christ's appearance to the Gentiles. Specifically, the Epiphany commemorates the three wise men's (or kings') visit to Jesus after his birth, as told in the Christian bible. These wise men from the East, were outside of the religious beliefs and traditions from the House of Israel but mysteriously brought gifts to adore the baby Jesus.

Little Prayer and Blessing:

May the Epiphany bring you the wisdom of the wise men, the holiness of the baby Jesus, and the light of God to lead your way.

Weekend Masses

Masses as usual this weekend on the 6th/7th January. However, Father Michael might be a few minutes late. He's the celebrant for a Nuptial Mass in the crypt at St Mary's Cathedral starting at 2:00 PM. Hoping to be leaving the cathedral by 3:30 PM for Mass at Oakdale at 5:00 PM. Might need to find a way of buying a coffee for replenishment.

On Saturday 13th, there will be a Holy Communion Service at Oakdale in place of the 5:00 PM Vigil Mass. Apologies for any inconvenience.

Parish News

Not too much happening during these early days of the new year. Many people having a much-needed break for a few weeks from the demands of hard and continuous work that is required across the year. Still important, however, to have a prayerful presence at Mass. Life giving!

Funerals in the Parish Church at Camden

Tuesday 9 January	Fabio Viola	11:30 AM
Wednesday 10 January	Yvonne Ellen Funnell	10:30 AM
Thursday 11 January	Angela Clare Giroto	10:30 AM

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Saturday/Sunday 6th/7th January ~ The Epiphany of the Lord

Saturday

		Celebrant	Musician/Vocalists
Camden	5:00 PM	Father Victor	Belinda & Sarah
Oakdale	5:00 PM	Father Michael	Jo

Sunday

The Oaks	9:00 AM	Father Michael	Nicole
Camden	8:00 AM	Father Victor	Steve
Camden	10:00 AM	Father Victor	Choir
Camden	5:00 PM	Father Michael	Jenny & Tasha

7 th Jan	Acolyte	Lector	Lector	Special Minister	Special Minister	PC
Sat 9.00am	John Roberts					
Sat Vigil 5.00pm	John Roberts	Kerry Todd	Chris Keun	Ray Cusack	Diane Kennaugh	Kerry
Oakdale Vigil 5pm	Chris Billett	Brian				
Sun 8.00am	John Charadia	Cheryl Carroll	Warren Johnson	Maryann Ace	Lisa McFadzean	Cheryl
The Oaks 9.00am		Warren Jones				
Sun 10.00am	Michael Toweel	Bradley McAllister	Leonie Gray	Michael Reardon	Peter Grizelj	Brad
Sun 5.00pm	John Marchand	Meaghan Marchand	Maria Kosiak	Dianne Garland	Jody Musso	Eugene

Sunday 14th January ~ 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Vigil ~ Saturday Evening 13th January

Camden	5:00 PM	Father Michael	Maria & Rachael
Oakdale	5:00 PM	Father Victor	Jo

Sunday

The Oaks	9:00 AM	Father Victor	Nicole
Camden	8:00 AM	Father Michael	Choir
Camden	10:00 AM	Father Michael	Eva & Darko
Camden	5:00 PM	Father Victor	Tony

For our Faithful Departed: Angela Giroto, Pietro Leto, Yvonne Funnell, Leslie Wilson, Fabio Viola, Marcia Apap, Giacomo Favot, Terrence Belleville, *who died recently.* Sammy Fenech, Alenka Zuvella, Marika Freeman, Wayne Stephenson Campbell, Rino & Assunta Zanatta, Pasquale Zanatta, Michele Furlanetto, Robert Sinclair, Laurence & Alex Rooney, Sam Fenech, Dorothy Dunn, Margaret Thurn, Thurn family, Sutton family, Dunn family, *whose anniversaries are remembered at this time.* Givanni Pittana, Rose Mari, Josephine Sciberras, Keith, Maureen Millar, Bruce Millar, Cath Bourke, George Apap, Apap family, Joyce family, Maria Irwin, Barry Myles, Mary and Nathan Giles, Therese Carroll, Louis & Victoria Gauci, *RIP.*

We Pray for those who are unwell: Myra Dozzi, Anne Lonsdale, Robyn Shearer, Betty Thomas, Marie Dunn, Wayne Fletcher, Betty Aquilina, Olivia Toole, Sue Johnson, Nancy Calarco, Norman Richardson, John and Iona Somoracz.

Kind Regards

Father Michael