

St Joseph's Catholic Church Oatley

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Schedule of Masses		Baptisms	By appointment (usually Sunday, 11am)
Saturday	5 pm (Vigil for Sunday)	Confessions	Saturday 4:00-4:45 pm
Sunday	8 am, 10 am	Exposition	Thursday, 9am to 11:45am (with benediction at 11:30am)
Monday	8 am (Rosary 7:45)		
Tuesday	8 am (Rosary 7:45)		
Wednesday	8am (Rosary 7.45)		
Thursday	7.30pm see below		
Friday	10am & 3 pm see below		
Saturday	7pm Vigil		

9th April 2017, Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

Masses and Prayers: Patrick Halvey (ann.2/4), Imelda Ryan (ann.9/4), Catherine Mullaly (ann. 16/4), May Hargreaves (ann. 8/4), Dorothy Samuelson (ann. 1/4), Mary Liptak (ann. 5/4), deceased members of CWL, and those who are sick, including, Lucy McCallum, Terri & Chris Sarno, Marcella Hill, Carole Tesoriero and Patricia Dolan. Pray for Danielle & Martin and all couples. Also for Kathy & Gary Shipton and also for Shirley Clare.

Holy Week and Easter Services at St. Joseph's Oatley:

Holy Thursday:	(Chrism Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral 10.30am: all welcome) 7.30pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper with the <i>Mandatum</i> and procession to the Altar of Repose – Adoration until 10.00pm.
Good Friday:	10am Stations of the Cross (followed by confessions) 3pm Solemn Commemoration of the Lord's Passion (followed by confessions)
Holy Saturday:	7pm Easter Vigil (until approximately 8.30pm)
Easter Sunday:	8am Easter Mass 10am Easter Mass
Easter Monday:	9am Mass only.

Project Compassion: Like many of her neighbours in her coastal village in the Philippines, Aloma feared for her family's safety as extreme weather battered their home and environment. But her participation in the Caritas supported integrated Community Development Program has offered her a leading role in helping her vulnerable community prepare for extreme weather events and work together to protect their environment. **Please**

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On Sunday 9th April after 8 am and 10 am Mass, please join Fr Paul and the Parish Community in the Marian Hall for a cup of Tea/Coffee and **HOT CROSS BUNS!**

Please see the roster, and if anyone can fill the TBA'S, contact the office 95801864.

Rosters for Easter

	Acolytes and Ministers	Lectors	Altar Servers	Mass Wardens
Holy Thursday 13 April 7.30pm	Danny Clark Vince Cordi John Romanous	TBA	Emma Martha	
Good Friday 14 April Stations of the Cross Lords Passion 3pm	Phillip Merrick Sam Attard	TBA	George & Marita B Luke & Rory G	TBA Holy Places Collection
Sat 15 Easter Vigil 7pm	Phillip Merrick Sam Attard Glenn McLachlan	Andrew Clark TBA TBA TBA	Ross & Audrey G	Rafe Kowron
Easter Sun 16 Apr 8am	Tom Ryan	Jamie Dimeo	Mitchell L Matthew V	Seb Arena
Easter Sun 16 April 10am	Joe Shakkal	Jade Serban	Paris S Bridie M	George Batthika
Money Counters Sun 11/4	Anna Merrick Sandy Cox Maria Pak			
Children's Liturgy		Rosary Leader	Altar Society	
Sun 9 April	School holidays	Lewis DeGabriele	Wendy Grimes	
Sun 16 April	School holidays	Brian Rayment	Margaret Rayment Kath Richardson	