

Halston Street Parish

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Home Blessings

In advance of the Novena of Grace (beginning on the 4th of March), we are happy to offer a home blessings to anyone in the Parish who would like it. All you need to do is email your details to halstonst@gmail.com or give your details into the sacristy. We are hoping to have the blessings on Tuesday 18th, Thursday 20th, Tuesday 25th and Thursday 27th of February.

World Day of the Sick – 11th of February 2020



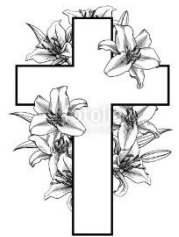
To mark the World Day of the Sick we will have anointing of the sick at the **10am Mass on Tuesday 11th of February**. This is also the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. All are welcome to attend. We will pray for all the sick of the parish at this Mass.

Congratulations...

We extend our warmest congratulations to the confirmation classes from George's Hill and St Paul's, North Brunswick Street who celebrated their **Ceremony of Light** last Wednesday. Thank you to their parents / guardians, teachers, principals and to the pupils themselves. A huge thank you to the choir from George's Hill for the beautiful music.

Our Deepest Sympathy

We wish to express our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Tim O'Leary late of Constitution Hill whose funeral took place from the Church on Saturday 8th of February. May his soul rest in peace. Amen



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Novena of Grace 4th – 12th of March 2020

The **Novena of Grace** in honour of St Francis Xavier takes place in the parish from the **4th to the 12th of March**. The Novena Mass is at 7.30pm except for Saturday 7th and Sunday the 8th when Masses are at the usual weekend times.

The theme of this year's novena is **'The grace to love one another as Jesus loves us'**. We are delighted that one of the nights will be led by the Brazilian Catholic Community and another by the Romanian-Greek Catholic Community. The final three nights will be led by Capuchin Friar, Fr. Mike Burgess OFM Cap.

Mike is a hospital chaplain and spent many years as a missionary in New Zealand. He is a very experienced and gifted preacher and is sure to help us connect deeply with this year's theme.

*We
Need
Your
Help!*

Let us know if you can help in the parish in any way.

You have the talents and we have the opportunities!

Contact Fr Martin or Fr Patrick for more details.

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