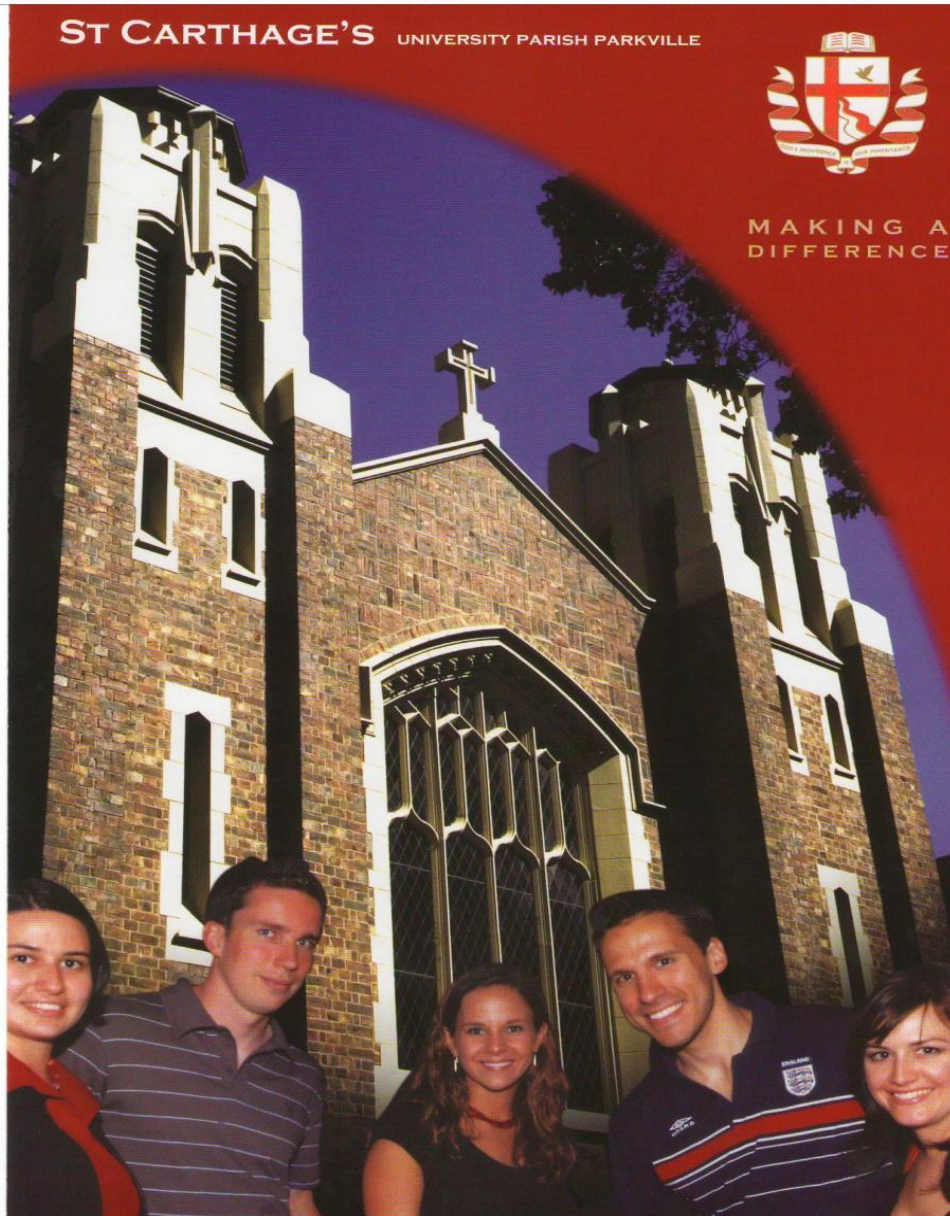




MASS TIMES
Saturday, Vigil Mass 6:00 pm
Sunday, Family Mass 10:00 am
Student's Mass 5:00 pm
12th March 2017

ST CARTHAGE'S NEWSLETTER



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Music at St Carthage's



This Sunday Evening 12th March:

* An ensemble from The Australian Chamber Choir will sing at the 5pm Student Mass directed by Douglas Lawrence.



- ✚ **The singers:** Elizabeth Lieschke, Ailsa Webb, Elizabeth Anderson, Brent Annable, Mitchell Relf, Lucas Wilson - Richter
- ✚ **Prelude:** Lord, keep us by your goodness. Johann Sebastian Bach
- ✚ **Introit:** Lead me, Lord - Samuel Sebastian Wesley
- ✚ **The mass setting:** Missa Christi Aeterna Munera - Gio.B.P. da Palestrina
- ✚ **Responsorial:** Psalm 23 to a chant by Thomas Attwood Walmisley
- ✚ **Communion motets:**
 - 1. Rejoice in the Lord always - John Redford
 - 2. I will not leave you comfortless - William Byrd
- ✚ **Final:** Down to the river to pray - Traditional arranged by Philip Lawson



Next Saturday Evening 18th March:

* Patrick Lawrence will play our heritage pipe organ at the 6pm Vigil Mass.



On Sunday Evening 19th March:

* Vaughen McAlley will play flute at the 5pm Student Mass.
Keyboard accompaniment.



On Sunday Evening 26th March:

* The Geminiani String Quartet will play at the 5pm Student Mass.



Parish Steering Group - 22 Feb meeting



- ❖ 2016 reviewed – very positively. Our priorities continue to be first, progressive relief of Michael's various duties by rostering and wider engagement (liturgies, reading, speaking, support) and second, regular communication within the parish community (using more emails etc).
- ❖ Efforts to gather email addresses will be renewed.
- ❖ Soliciting for readers, communions, and speakers is to be renewed; rosters will be published weekly, as is normally done elsewhere.
- ❖ The Parish house is being used by groups, and all are welcome (by arrangement) to do so, given the usual courtesies and respect.
- ❖ Mass numbers and receipts have held up well over the holidays.
- ❖ Volunteer coordinators are now managing most Masses, flowers, music, visiting artists, sacramental program.
- ❖ The lay speaker program after communion will continue and speakers are sought.
- ❖ A parish social dinner is planned for Sat 22 March at Treacey House, Parkville. Please keep the date free.
- ❖ Deliberating how to make post-Mass coffee gatherings easier and attractive to more.
- ❖ Members Susan Frykberg and Mary O'Driscoll are moving out of Parkville and have resigned. We thank them for their great work on this group.
- ❖ Simon and Jeanne Hood will run another parish Trivia night next October. Great!
- ❖ Please notify your email address or interest in any of the above matters to mark@ergonomics.com.au.

Project Compassion Lent 2017

The ancient tradition of Lent is that as we enter into a spirit of renewal before Easter, we are mindful of those people in poverty and distress. Part of our renewal is to give generously to those in need. Project Compassion Boxes and Packs are available in the porch of the Church.



Easter weekend Masses 15th April 2017 EASTER SUNDAY

Pope Francis said that "every person ought to have the awareness that purchasing is always a moral - and not simply an economic - act."



What slavery-free Easter eggs will you enjoy this Easter weekend?

Big supermarkets will be ordering their 2018 Easter chocolate products soon, so keep the issue going in your community.

And today, only eat chocolate featuring one of these symbols and tell people why. Happy Easter

<https://acrath.org.au/slaveryfree-easter> for information and resources



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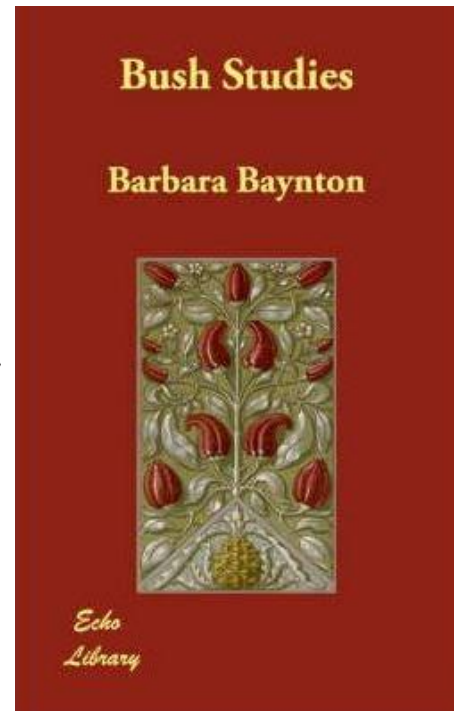
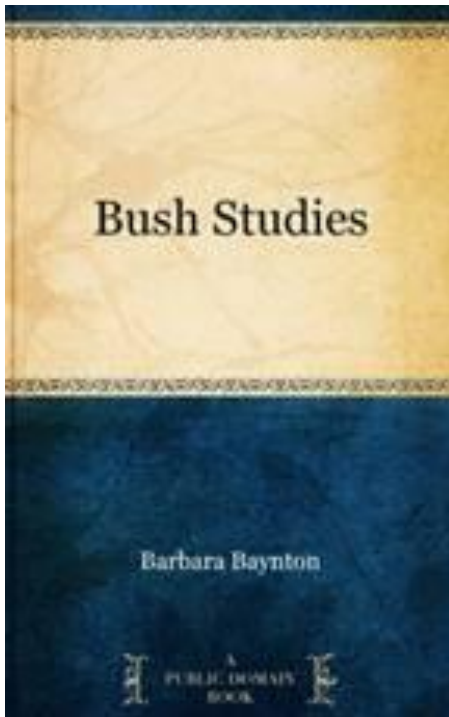


St Carthage's Women's Morning Reading Group

Next meeting is Tuesday 21st March at 10:00am

Book: Bush Studies

Author: Barbara Baynton



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New Readers Welcome!



Theatre Night

14th November 2017 6:30pm

Malthouse Theatre Southbank

The Testament of Mary – Colm Toibin

Pamela Robe as Mary

Conversation with Pamela Robe to follow the performance

“This Mary is unrecognizable from the meek, obedient woman of scripture, painting and sculpture, she is angry, sharp witted and dares to speak a dangerous truth.

Mary invites the audience to join in her defiance, to examine how myths are made and to question who has the power to tell them”

\$49 per ticket

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GLOBAL VOLUNTEER NOTICE

Sending people can be more important than sending money

Communities in Asia, the Pacific and Africa are looking to provide mentoring opportunities for local personnel and improve processes and procedures for organizations vital to reducing poverty. To ensure sustainable development they prefer those willing to come for two years, but accept that some are only available for 12 months. If you are an experienced professional, business or trades person, in any area, but especially education, please consider volunteering with Palms Australia.

Information Session:

Saturday March 25, 10.30 am to noon

Ross House (247 Flinders Lane)



RSVP joey@palms.org.au or call 0431 995 058

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Spirituality in the Pub

Packed Pumphouse for the opening night in the 2017 series.

Associate Professor Campbell Paul on “Gender Issues Explained”

