

TO ALL OUR PARISIONERS OF
ST THOMAS MORE HADFIELD

Our Church is now closed, and we are not able to celebrate the Sunday or Weekday Masses or hold any liturgies or gatherings in our Church.

We may be away from our Church, from our fellow parishioners, from our extended family and friends, but we are still able to pray and stay close to God and to them in personal and family prayer.

Until we are able to be gathered again together as a community for Liturgy, a great way each day may be to:

Read our Bible – especially the Gospel of John

Pray using our **Prayer Books**

Pray a Rosary each day

Pray the Angelus at noon and evening

Join in Spiritual Communion with a Mass on line

MASS & PRAYER ONLINE OPTIONS:

- <https://melbourne.org.au/Mass>
- **Among several other possibilities and one of these is from Bishop Robert Barron –** *“Friends, in an effort to continue the practice of our faith in these trying times, when parishes have closed due to restrictions around the coronavirus, we invite you to join us online for daily Mass from my chapel”.*
You can find all the videos at: <https://wordonfire.org/daily-mass>
- **Mass live stream at St Patrick’s Cathedral** celebrated weekdays at 1pm. Visit www.youtube.com/archmelb
- Sundays at 6.00am on Channel 10 (Mass for you at Home) sponsored by Catholic Mission.
- Mass celebrated by Fr Kevin Dillon is available on the radio on Sundays at 7.00am on 89.9FM

- **IPHONE APP's**
Download for daily prayers and daily Mass Readings and Reflections
 - **Universalis – Catholic Calendar**
 - **Magnificat** (either UK/Ireland or USA versions)

- **FACEBOOK** online reflections, see:
 - **Fr Rob Galea & FRG Ministry** (English)
 - **Trinita' dei Monti** – Mass in Rome (Italian)
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- **Visit aleteia.org** which is a an online Catholic news and information website, giving daily update from the Vatican, prayer suggestions and catholic reading

We pray to Jesus, and unite in prayer with all who are facing difficulties during this unparalleled time in the new millennia. Let us not panic, nor be anxious, nor think only of ourselves. This is a time to be sensible, practical, prayerful and to share Christ's peace with those who are struggling to feel calm and safe. May our care and kindness to our neighbours grow more.