

# Sts. Peter and Paul's Parish South Melbourne

Entrusted to the Pastoral care of the Capuchin Friars Minor

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## First Reconciliation 2018 – Tuesday 20th March, 7pm Galilee Students Only

Please fill in all details. Please attach copy of Baptism certificate.

Family Name	
Child's Christian Names (in full)	
Preferred Name (if different to first name) _	
Address	
Telephone Number	Mobile
Email	
Date of BirthD	ate of Baptism
Place of Baptism	
SchoolC	Grade/Year Level 2017
Parent/s (or Guardian/s) Names (please prin	Please circle
	mother/father/guardian
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We are committed to providing our family's support and to participating in the preparation for the reception of the Sacrament.

Signature

(Parent)

(Child)

#### Please return Form on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> February at the Parents Information Session at 6pm in the hall at Galilee.

There is a fee of \$40 per child to cover costs. Please pay at the Parents Information Session....we <u>do not have</u> Credit Card facilities.

## Sacramental Program 2018 Ss Peter and Paul, South Melbourne

Reconciliation	
Parent and Child Faith Night and Information Session	6pm Thursday 15 February Galilee Hall, Bank Street South Melbourne
Sunday 18 February   Sunday 25 February   Sunday 4 March   Reflection Day @ Galilee School – Bank Street, South Melbourne – 16 <sup>th</sup> March   Sunday 18 March	Sunday 18 February
	Sunday 25 February
	Sunday 4 March
	Reflection Day @ Galilee School – Bank Street, South Melbourne – Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> March
	Sunday 18 March
Sacrament ofTuesday 20thReconciliationMarch 2018	7.oopm Ss Peter and Paul, South Melbourne

### **Please note**

Our parish offers a preparation program for children celebrating the Sacraments of Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation.

This program involves activities at home using a booklet that will need to completed weekly. Students will be prepared for the Sacrament at school during Religious Education lessons.

Children and at least one parent need to attend the Faith Night and Parent Information Session on Thursday, 15 February 2018, at 6pm so that your family about the process of preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

A parent or older relative needs to accompany your child at four Sunday morning masses. Ideally, the whole family would accompany your child at mass. After mass you will need to attend a small reception with other families who are also preparing to receive the Sacrament for the first time.

So, parents (or older relatives) need to be able to commit to each of the masses listed above.

Please note the date above for the actual celebration of the Sacrament. This celebration also involves the whole family.

A reflection day will be offered this year as part of the Sacramental Preparation Program.

The reflection day is developed to compliment the Sacramental program that we provide and allow all the children to get to know each other. The Sacramental Reflection day will take place at Galilee Regional Catholic Primary School (Bank Street, South Melbourne), and all children within both parishes preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation are invited.

We will begin the day by attending the Parish Mass at St Peter and Paul's. We will work through several activities that will allow the children to dialogue with others and enhance their understanding of Reconciliation.

The activities will be run by teachers from Galilee. Activities will include creating a prayer cloth, participating in a reflection on the Forgiving Father and A New Beginning. - What happens next?, revisiting the Four Step process of Reconciliation.