



# The Word WEEKLY BULLETIN



Parishes of Holy Spirit, St Anne & St Gerard.

**The Most Holy Trinity, 11-12 June 2022**

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*Holy Spirit Parish*  
*Celebrating 50 years of Faith, Family & Friendship*

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Readings, Prayers of Intercession and a Gospel reflection are included in the word, which is available from the parish web site:  
[www.holyspiritparish.org.au/The-Word-Newsletter](http://www.holyspiritparish.org.au/The-Word-Newsletter)

Recorded Masses available at: [www.holyspiritparish.org.au/Online-Resources](http://www.holyspiritparish.org.au/Online-Resources)

Important information, Spirit Extra, the Spirit Magazine and other Parish matters are available on the website:  
[www.holyspiritparish.org.au](http://www.holyspiritparish.org.au)

**PLEASE NOTE NEW PHONE DETAILS FOR THE PARISH OFFICE: 70369395** [Email: ringwoodnorth@cam.org.au](mailto:ringwoodnorth@cam.org.au)

Please contact us via the new phone number or email if you have any enquiries.

**IN THE PEACE OF CHRIST—RECENTLY DECEASED:** Jeff Schobben (Funeral Wednesday 15th June, 11 am, Holy Spirit Church), Gerald O'Keefe (Helen Konynenburg's brother)

**ANNIVERSARIES OF DEATH:** John, Anny Buntsma, Pat Mafrici, Patrick McLynskey, Peter Riley, Connie Ellis, Jessie Brown, Coral Deerey, Claude Jansz, Timothy Thomson, Wally Bunce and John de Vos

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING SICK:** Ben Lobo, Angela Damora, Warren Darbyshire, Stella & family, Pauline Curlis, Sean Hill, Valerie Mason, Dominique, Paul Sanderson, Adrian Ness, Dennis Price, John Hogan, Eve Foreman, Neville Benedict, Michael Brown

**Readings this week:** Proverbs 8.22-31; Romans 5.1-5; John 16.12-15

The Word, Spirit Magazine and "Spirit Extra" are available online at [www.holyspiritparish.org.au](http://www.holyspiritparish.org.au)

## Holy Spirit Parish Vision

At Holy Spirit Parish, we are an inviting community inspired by the Holy Spirit; welcoming everyone to worship, grow, belong and serve together as Disciples of Christ.



Holy Spirit is a child safe parish. At Holy Spirit we hold the care, safety and well being of children and young people as a central and fundamental responsibility of our parish.

The Word: Please note in order to get the Parish email distributed each week, submissions for the word need to be received by 2pm Thursday. Thank you, Jenny.

### EVENTS THIS COMING WEEK—13th-19th June 2022

MONDAY	QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
TUESDAY	9.15-10 am Meditation, Holy Spirit Chapel 8.00 pm Charismatic Prayer Group, Holy Spirit Chapel
WEDNESDAY	9.15 am Mass with Year 1/2 children, Holy Spirit CHURCH 7.00 pm Rosary via Zoom 7:30 pm Finance meeting, Mary Bresnan Room
THURSDAY	7.30 pm Choir, Holy Spirit Chapel
FRIDAY	9:15 am Mass followed by Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet, Holy Spirit Chapel
SATURDAY	6.00 pm Vigil Mass, Holy Spirit Church
SUNDAY	FEAST OF THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST 9.00 am Mass, Holy Spirit Church 5.00 pm Mass, Holy Spirit <u>CHAPEL</u> 4.00-5.00 pm High Spirits, Mary Bresnan Room FIRST EUCHARIST COMMITMENT—ALL MASSES

### HOLY SPIRIT ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND 18th-19th June 2022

Web: [www.cam.org.au/ringwoodnorth/Parish-Groups/Parish-Rosters](http://www.cam.org.au/ringwoodnorth/Parish-Groups/Parish-Rosters)

#### Mass Coordinators:

6.00 pm: Jacek Holewa                      9.00 am: Bill Lanigan                      5.00 pm: Volunteer

#### Lectors:

6.00 pm: Bernadette Hally                      9.00 am: Jay de Graff                      5.00 pm: Volunteer

#### Welcomers:

6.00 pm: Marita North-Coombes                      9.00 am: Don Schroder and Tina Toomey

#### Tea and Coffee:

9.00 am: Bill and Trish Lanigan

### **Holy Spirit Web Site - [www.holyspiritparish.org.au](http://www.holyspiritparish.org.au):**

Stay in touch with our parish website.

- "News, Events": ref menu
- "How we stay connected", online resources such as Masses, Prayers, Newsletters, Next Zoom: ref home page



#### **HOLY SPIRIT PARISH ZOOM ROSARY**

Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm

**Meeting ID: 631 950 8706 Passcode: 2p7ssZ**

Hosted by Ambrose & Philomena Cornelio

Prayer requests may be emailed to Ambrose: [acornelio@connecteast.com.au](mailto:acornelio@connecteast.com.au) for inclusion weekly.

Collection Notice For information on the Parish's policies regarding information collection and privacy please refer to:  
[www.holyspiritparish.org.au/Collection-Notice](http://www.holyspiritparish.org.au/Collection-Notice)

Jozef (Jeff) Schobben passed away on Sunday at Greenvew Aged Care surrounded by his children. Friends and family of Jeff are invited to attend his funeral service at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 120 Oban Road, North Ringwood on Wednesday 15 June 2022 at 11:00am.

### **THANK YOU**

Following the recent death of our son Chris we would like to record our sincere thanks to the congregation for their many prayers & words of support over a long time. They were greatly appreciated & will not be easily forgotten.  
Jan & John Woolley

As restrictions continue to ease, we are happy to advise that the chapel will be open for private prayer during office hours. Parishioners are also welcome to drop in for a cuppa & chat after morning Masses on Wednesday & Fridays.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE - Wednesday Morning Masses:** There has been a change to the school class masses. The Wednesday masses on 15<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> June will be with Year 1/2 children in the CHURCH. We do apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused. Thank you for your understanding.

**Parish Database Update** Please remember to advise the parish staff of any changes to phone and email details so we can update our database via email to Ringwoodnorth@cam.org.au or phone 7036 9395 Thank you.

**Charismatic Prayer Group** Tuesdays @ 8pm in the Holy Spirit Chapel for prayer, praise and worship and fellowship. If interested, contact Jacek on 0490 884 914 or Ann on 0437 127 326.

**Tuesday Meditation** Tuesdays @ 9:15am in the Holy Spirit Chapel. Please contact Len on 0401 519 727 if you have queries.

### **CENTERING PRAYER MEDITATION**

Held fortnightly on a Thursday night at 5.45 pm in the Holy Spirit Chapel for 30 minutes. Please contact Kathy on 0425 852 208 for any further information. All are welcome for a very relaxing, peaceful and short meditation.

### **LADIES COFFEE MORNING**

If you are looking for some company and a friendly chat please join us Ladies of the Holy Spirit Community for a coffee morning in the Parish House on the last Friday of each month. Beginning on the 24<sup>th</sup> June 2022. We look forward to seeing you.

If you are wanting more information please contact Maureen Taffe on 0422508637 or email:- [maurentaffe@hotmail.com](mailto:maurentaffe@hotmail.com)

### **MEN'S COFFEE MORNING**

If you are in the mood for a friendly chat and good company please feel free to join us every second Thursday for coffee in the Parish house at 10am. It is always fun and all are welcome. Next meeting will be on the 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2022

For more information please feel free to email:- [terrytaffe1951@gmail.com](mailto:terrytaffe1951@gmail.com) or message mobile 0418679760



Among the many events taking place in the life of the Church is the Synod on Synodality, a global and collective discernment on how the Church can become more "synodal" in character around three themes: Communion, Participation and Mission. As part of the local archdiocesan initiative, Catholics in Melbourne were invited to make submissions for consideration, an opportunity to express thoughts, ideas, and even discontents, about the current trajectory of the Church.

After the closing date, these submissions were collated and examined by a working group made up of three lay persons, a priest and an auxiliary bishop. The task of this working group was to identify prominent themes and synthesise the ideas into a report that could be handed to the Australian Catholic Bishops' Conference, before being handed to Rome.

This report has now been published for general viewing. To access the report, please use this link:

<https://melbournecatholic.org/uploads/media/2022/Synod-Report-Synthesis-2022-Catholic-Archdiocese-of-Melbourne.pdf>

You are invited to join the Australian Catholic Migrant and Refugee Office and the Office for Justice, Ecology and Peace for an online prayer service on World Refugee Day. Registration to attend the prayer service which will be broadcast live at 6 pm AEST on 20 June is now open. The two Offices have also combined to produce resources to encourage the celebration of Refugee Week 19-25 June.



The theme for Refugee Week 2022 is healing. As the Refugee Council of Australia reminds us, "healing can occur through storytelling, through community and also through realisation of our intrinsic interconnectedness as individuals". The online prayer service will engage these elements by gathering the Catholic community, telling stories through the medium of video, and praying together as sisters and brothers in Christ. The service will be recorded, and the video made available for further use.

Register for the online prayer service here <https://bit.ly/RefugeeWeek2022Prayers>

Applications are invited from suitably qualified and experienced people for the positions of:

#### **Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne**

- **Property Administrator, Property & Infrastructure – 12 Month Parental Leave Contract, East Melbourne/Flexible working arrangements available**
- **Digital Designer, Formation office, East Melbourne/Flexible Working arrangements available**
- **Full Stack Developer, Formation Office, East Melbourne/Flexible Working arrangements available**

#### **Parish Positions**

- **Parish Administrative Coordinator, St Kevin's Parish, Hampton Park**
- **Parish Secretary, St Mark's Catholic Parish, Fawkner**
- **Bookkeeper, St Peter Apostle Mission Parish, Hoppers Crossing**
- **Clerical Officer, Holy Trinity Parish, Bentleigh East**

Further details of the above positions can be found on the Archdiocese website at:

<https://melbournecatholic.org/job-vacancies>

#### **Reflection.**

When we come to worship, we usually make the sign of the cross. The words with the holy action 'In the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, ' remind us that there are three persons in God. The feast of the Holy Trinity is a celebration of the mystery of God as a family of love. This reminds us of a simple truth which we often forget, God's plan is that we share in his life of glory. By our baptism we are raised to a level at which we become sharers in the family life of God. We are born of God the Father, God the Son becomes our brother, and the love of God is poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit. This revelation of his inner life of three persons, in which we have a share, is one of God's greatest gifts to us and it is the model towards which all of us should aim and strive.

Everyday is a day to love so we should strive to make the Holy Trinity a more practical part of our lives. Love is the binding force, so when we love we share in that community of love which is the living God. It calls on us to respond to the love of God, poured into our hearts by Christ and the Holy Spirit, and invites us to look forward to the day when we shall share in the glory of God, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

- Fr. Arsenio.





#### Volunteer Preferences for Days/Shifts in our **Reduced 2022 Program**

It is with very heavy hearts that, at this stage, we will NOT be able to offer our program 7 nights a week due to a shortage of volunteers - especially for Overnight shifts.

However the good news is we are aiming to provide 4 CONSECUTIVE nights a week of Winter Shelter in 2022 - Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Looking at volunteer preferences we feel confident we have covered Fridays and Saturdays e.g. Registered volunteers whose preference was ONLY Fridays at Holy Spirit or Saturdays at North Ringwood Uniting - will make up the core of the Friday and Saturday teams (but they will still need to complete the form <https://forms.gle/3YtaDF2VXENe5osY9>).

Using the data we already have from our Registered volunteers, we believe we can cover Thursdays at Croydon Hills Baptist Church and Sundays at Urban Life.

Next step is, we need ALL volunteers to

complete this form <https://forms.gle/3YtaDF2VXENe5osY9> so we can update your preferences in line with the nights we are offering

Overnight shifts are always the most difficult to cover so if you could assist in that area that would be very much appreciated.

Make sure you have registered online [wintershelter.org.au/volunteer](http://wintershelter.org.au/volunteer)

With this updated information we may even find we can offer a 5th night!!

Gitta and Beth

Maroondah Winter Shelter co-ordinators

Cooking for Winter Shelter

Hi everyone, Ellen Holmes here !

#### Calling all cooks!

I am a parishioner of St Anne's and St Gerards and I am co-ordinating home cooked meals for the Friday evening meal at Holy Spirit. Please stay tuned for the Take them a meal apps coming out next week. We are hoping to receive a lot of support from all the wonderful cooks in our parish and school community for this wonderful program that cares for those in our community that are less fortunate, lacking even a roof over their heads. With 12 guests and up to 6-8 helpers a week we will be looking for a soup, 3 main meals, a vegetable dish or salad and 3 desserts of course to feed people each week.

**On the Journey this week.** Fr Mark De Battista's Gospel reflection on the Trinity, the mystery that is meant to inform us and help us live out our life of faith. Today's feast is a family celebration where we're invited to enter into the family of the Holy Trinity, Father, Son and Spirit. Mother Hilda uses Shakespeare to explain God's different view of justice. Fr Anthony Crook asks how did our spirituality change and grow through COVID? Plus, Trish McCarthy, and Fr Dave Callaghan, and more great music! Visit [www.jcr.org.au](http://www.jcr.org.au) or [www.itunes.jcr.org.au](http://www.itunes.jcr.org.au) where you can listen anytime



**Catholic Theological College**  
Online Open Day Information Session  
**Tuesday 21 June at 7pm (AEST)**

Register via our website: [ctc.edu.au/open-days](http://ctc.edu.au/open-days)  
For more information contact: [jenny.delahunt@ctc.edu.au](mailto:jenny.delahunt@ctc.edu.au)

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION:**

*Heavenly Father. We bring our prayers to you, confident in the knowledge that your Spirit dwells in our hearts and unites us in the love of your Son our Lord Jesus Christ who reigns with you and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever.*

We pray for our priests and bishops; that through their lives and ministry your people might reflect more and more the mystery of the Trinity, the communion of love, in which we are all created. Lord hear us.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

For nations and communities; that peoples divided by war and violence may find a path to live in peace and unity. Lord hear us.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

For our Holy Spirit community; that we may see God as a God of love who is always near us and inspiring us to love one another. Lord hear us.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

For the lonely and isolated; that they may find hope by believing in the God of Jesus Christ and be welcomed into loving communities where they will be treated with respect and dignity.

Lord hear us.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

Father of the living, bring those who have died to share your glory. With your Son and the Holy Spirit may they reign eternally with you in heaven. We pray for those who have died recently Jeff Schobben and Gerald O'Keefe; and for those whose anniversaries of death occur at this time: John, Anny Buntsma, Pat Mafrici, Patrick McLynskey, Peter Riley, Conie Ellis, Jessie Brown, Coral Deerey, Claude Jansz, Timothy Thomson, Wally Bunce and John de Vos.

May they rest in the loving arms and peace of Christ. Lord hear us.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

## **SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

**My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there, and unite myself wholly to You.**

**Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.**

**St. Alphonsus Liguori**



## **The Most Holy Trinity Sunday**

*"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth..." John 16:13*

It has been said that the best gift we can give someone is to teach them how to pray. If you don't talk and more importantly, listen, to God every day, how else will you know what He is calling you to do? Just as you talk to family and friends every day, get in the habit of talking with God every day. Develop a daily prayer routine. Keep your prayers simple and sincere. This is best done in silence, when you can hear His response.



## FIRST READING

## Proverbs 8.22-31

*Before the beginning of the earth, wisdom had already been brought forth.*

A reading from the book of Proverbs.

Thus says the wisdom of God:

22 “The Lord created me at the beginning of his work,  
the first of his acts of long ago.

23 Ages ago I was set up,  
at the first, before the beginning of the earth.

24 When there were no depths I was brought forth,  
when there were no springs abounding with water.

25 “Before the mountains had been shaped,  
before the hills, I was brought forth—

26 when he had not yet made earth and fields,  
or the world’s first bits of soil.

27 “When he established the heavens, I was there,  
when he drew a circle on the face of the deep,

28 when he made firm the skies above,  
when he established the fountains of the deep,

29 when he assigned to the sea its limit,  
so that the waters might not transgress his command,  
when he marked out the foundations of the earth,

30 then I was beside him, like a master worker;  
and I was daily his delight,

rejoicing before him always,

31 rejoicing in his inhabited world  
and delighting in the human race.”

The word of the Lord.

*A period of silence is observed after the reading.*

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

## Psalm 8.3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (R.1)

**R.** O Lord, our God,  
how wonderful your name in all the earth!

3 When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
the moon and the stars that you have established;

4 what are human beings that you are mindful of them,  
mortals that you care for them? **R.**

5 Yet you have made them a little lower than God,  
and crowned them with glory and honour.

6 You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;  
you have put all things under their feet. **R.**

7 All sheep and oxen,  
and also the beasts of the field,

8 the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea,  
whatever passes along the paths of the seas. **R.**

## SECOND READING

**Romans 5.1-5**

*God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Spirit.*

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans.

1 Since we are justified by faith,  
we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,  
2 through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand;  
and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God.  
3 And not only that,  
but we also boast in our sufferings,  
knowing that suffering produces endurance,  
4 and endurance produces character,  
and character produces hope,  
5 and hope does not disappoint us,  
because God's love has been poured into our hearts  
through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

The word of the Lord.

*A period of silence is observed after the reading.*

## GOSPEL ACCLAMAT I O N

**Alleluia, Alleluia**

**Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit:  
to God who is, who was, and who is to come.**

**Alleluia**

## GOSPEL

**John 16.12-15**

*All that the Father has is mine, and the Spirit will take what is mine  
and declare it to you.*

A reading from the holy gospel according to John.

Jesus said to his disciples:

12 "I still have many things to say to you,  
but you cannot bear them now.  
13 When the Spirit of truth comes,  
he will guide you into all the truth;  
for he will not speak on his own,  
but will speak whatever he hears,  
and he will declare to you the things that are to come.  
14 He will glorify me,  
because he will take what is mine and declare it to you.  
15 All that the Father has is mine.  
For this reason I said  
that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

The gospel of the Lord.