



The Word WEEKLY BULLETIN



Parishes of Holy Spirit, St Anne & St Gerard.

Most Holy Trinity, 3-4 June 2023

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Masses:

Tuesdays

9am St Gerard's Warrandyte

Sundays

10:30am—1st Sunday of the month @ St Anne's, every other Sunday at St Gerard's.

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL—St. Anne's

Michael Edmonds—9876 1533

IN THE PEACE OF CHRIST—RECENTLY DECEASED: Anne Burns (Nola Ryan's sister)

ANNIVERSARIES OF DEATH: Malachy Keyland, Tom Mifsud, David Stewart, Antonio Dioguardi, Valerie Versteegen, Graeme Eve, Jeff Schobben, Marian Hawthorne, Michael Hellar, Lesley Callaghan and Margaret Azzopardi

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING SICK: Angela Damora, Warren Darbyshire, Stella & family, Sean Hill, Valerie Mason, Adrian Ness, Carol Vallance, Chris Neate, Edna Danelutti, Tyler, Helen, Justine, Dan Higgins, Christian Heskett, Will Laussen, Darren Brock, Kerry McIntyre, Lyn Read, Judy Kennedy

Readings this week: Exodus 34:4-6,8-9; Cor 13:11-13; John 3:16-18

The Word, Spirit Magazine and "Spirit Extra" are available online at 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.

EVENTS THIS COMING WEEK—5th-11th June 2023

MONDAY	7.00 pm St Vincent de Paul Meeting, Mary Bresnan Room
TUESDAY	9.15-10.00 am Meditation, Holy Spirit Chapel 8.00 pm Charismatic Prayer Group, Holy Spirit Chapel
WEDNESDAY	9.15 am Year 1/2 Class Mass, Holy Spirit Church 6.00 pm Rosary via Zoom 7.30 pm Parish Pastoral Council Meeting, Mary Bresnan Room
THURSDAY	7:30 pm Choir, Holy Spirit Chapel
FRIDAY	9.15 am Mass, Holy Spirit Chapel
SATURDAY	6.00 pm Mass, Holy Spirit Church
SUNDAY	FEAST OF THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST 9.00 am Mass, Holy Spirit Church 4.00-5.00 pm High Spirits, Mary Bresnan Room 5.00 pm Mass, Holy Spirit Chapel ST VINCENT DE PAUL \$2.00 COLLECTION WEEKEND

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND 10th-11th June 2023

Mass Coordinators:

6.00 pm: Dominic North-Coombes **9.00 am:** Don Schroder **5.00 pm:** Volunteer

Lectors:

6.00 pm: Maureen Chamberlin **9.00 am:** Maryann Street **5.00 pm:** Volunteer

Welcomers

6.00 pm: Volunteer **9.00 am:** Tina Toomey

Tea and Coffee: 9.00 am: Bill and Trish Lanigan

Holy Spirit Web Site - 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

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.



HOLY SPIRIT PARISH ZOOM ROSARY

Wednesday evenings at 6:00pm—Meeting ID: 631 950 8706 Passcode: 2p7ssZ

Hosted by Ambrose & Philomena Cornelio

Prayer requests may be emailed to Ambrose: acornelio@connecteast.com.au for inclusion weekly.

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 (not during School holidays). Please contact Len on 0401 519 727 if you have queries.

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

On the Journey this week: Fr Daniel McCaughan on ways to contemplate the mystery of the Trinity. Mother Hilda tells how to invite God into your darkness. Plus, Fr Tony Percy explains the reasons behind the Calvary Hospital Canberra petition, and Pete Gilmore on St Augustine's comment that "God loves each of us, as if there are only one of us," and more great music! Visit www.jcr.org.au or www.itunes.jcr.org.au where you can listen anytime

Trinity Sunday

The early Christians struggled to understand the belief that God is both one and three. Many great councils of the Church were held to clarify what this meant and to find the language with which to describe the trinitarian relationship between Father, Son and Spirit.

It was not until the Council of Constantinople in ad 381 that the doctrine of the Trinity was defined. Many of the prayers of the Church express our belief in a triune God (three persons in one). One of the greatest and most simple of these prayers is the sign of the cross, in which we dedicate ourselves 'in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit'.

St Augustine described the Trinity in terms of the Lover, the Beloved and the Love that exists between them.

“God –
the glorious Transcendent;
the powerful, illuminating and transforming Holy Spirit;
the divine knowing and intelligent
Wisdom of the Creator and Logos,
each revelation being the fullness of God”

St Irenaeus, 125-202



Holy Spirit Ladies Morning Tea

Our June function will be a game of "BINGO" hosted by Judy Barber & Helen Konynenburg, and going by last years bingo morning I'm sure you will have a fun morning with lots of laughs.

This will be held in the Parish House on Friday 30th June at 10am. All ladies and friends from Holy Spirit Community are welcome to come along and enjoy a cuppa and chat.

St Vinnies Winter Collection.

Next weekend there will be a leaving collection for St Vincent de Paul. As we are now in the winter months, requests for assistance are ever increasing.

Please come along with some cash in your wallet to donate! You can also donate via the Donation Line: 9895 5959 and email: donations@svdp-vic.org.au



FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI

To celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi (11th June) and the 100th year of Corpus Christi College, the Seminary **will be celebrating a special Mass on Sunday 11 June at 3pm** at the **Seminary Church of the Sacred Heart, Corner of Rathdowne and Pelham Streets, Carlton. This will be followed by a Eucharistic Procession and Benediction**

The Mass and procession is open to your parishioners and anyone who wishes to come.

WEDNESDAY MORNING MASS

Please note, on Wednesday 7th June 9:15am Mass will be celebrated in the Church with the children from level 1 / 2. All parishioners are most welcome to attend.



BIGGEST MORNING TEA

It was such an enjoyable morning at our Biggest Morning Tea with Parish and school community coming together raising \$1,623.00 for lifesaving cancer research and prevention.

A big thankyou goes out to Sharon Wolff who supported the Parish Ladies through the school community. It was lovely meeting, chatting and having a cuppa with the mums and some little ones as well.

Many thanks for all your donations, they were greatly appreciated.



This week Catholic Mission will offer the opportunity to be part of a life-changing program which aims to address gaps in medical care, and provide families with essential health care and knowledge, equipping them with the confidence to act and autonomy over their health and well-being.

The Maria Auxiliadora Clinic is a vital project for the Salesian Sisters and the Church in Venilale. Since its establishment, the clinic has provided life-saving treatment for families in need, like Petrolina's, whose daughter Vitoria was found to have tuberculosis. But, with an increase in the demand for treatment, the Sisters resources can only carry them so far.

Please give generously today to help continue this life-giving program by using the appeal envelope, going online at catholicmission.org.au/timor, or scanning the QR code. Your gift will also help many other similar Church-run mission programs around the world.

Inner Healing through "Meditation on Jesus" through Breathing in the Spirit and gentle prayerful postures with relaxation methods, From June 30 – July 2, 2023 Guided by Fr. Gilbert.

Contact: Janssen Spirituality Centre, 22 Woodvale Road, Boronia, Victoria 3155.

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

Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne

Safeguarding Officer

Parish Positions

Parish Secretary – St Dominic's Parish, Melton

Parish Secretary - Holy Eucharist, St Mary's & St Joseph's Parish, Malvern

Other Positions

Facilities and Operations Director – Newman College

Kitchen Hand - Corpus Christi College

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

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

Safeguarding Training

A HUGE thank you to everyone who participated in the workshop on Wednesday evening. Brech was most impressed with your engagement and response to the workshop. For those who were unable to attend, we hope to conduct another session later in the year. Alternatively, you can use this link:

<https://melbournecatholic.org/safeguarding/safeguarding-training-and-upcoming-events/safeguarding-training-modules/>

And complete the training online.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION:

Celebrant:

As God's people, we pray for the needs of our Church and our world. We pray that our eyes are opened to understanding the unjust structures that lead to inequality, poverty and conflict. We pray for the courage to act as agents of change and the will to support the work of the Church in providing for those in need, particularly in Timor-Leste. May we become people with our "Hearts on fire, feet on the move".

Reader:

For lay and religious missionaries, that they will walk alongside, listening to and respecting the needs of those whose lives are affected by poverty and injustice. Lord hear us.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer

For all newly arrived refugees and people still seeking asylum, that they will find safety, kindness and welcome among our Church communities.

Lord hear us.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer

For the Church in Timor-Leste, that its life-giving work in programs such as those of the health clinic, continue to support the Timorese people and their needs.

Lord hear us.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer

For those who are affected by the coronavirus pandemic and other communicable diseases still prevalent in many parts of the world, that they find relief, recovery, peace and God's blessings.

Lord hear us.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer

For Pope Francis, on this his 10 year anniversary, that he remains healthy and able to continue leading the world towards mercy, tenderness and healing.

Lord hear us.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer.

We pray for those who have died recently Anne Burns, and for those whose anniversaries of death occur about this time: Malachy Keyland, Tom Mifsud, David Stewart, Antonio Dioguardi, Valerie Versteegen, Graeme Eve, Jeff Schobben, Marian Hawthorne, Michael Hellar, Lesley Callaghan and Margaret Azzopardi.

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

Lord hear us.

ALL: Lord hear our prayer.

Celebrant:

God of all people, fill our hearts with your Holy Spirit that we will act justly to rid our world of all that

REFLECTION: Most Holy Trinity

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son..." JOHN 3:16

Is your love conditional? Is there a price others have to pay to receive your love and forgiveness? Are you generous with your time, skills, money and possessions? If you give someone something, do you expect something in return? Do you give your time freely or do you "fit it in" when it's convenient for you? God desires a personal relationship with us so much that He gave us His Son, unconditionally! Pray for a grateful and generous heart.

FIRST READING

Exodus 34.4b-6, 8-9

The Lord, a God merciful and gracious

A reading from the book of Exodus.

4 Moses rose early in the morning and went up on Mount Sinai,
as the Lord had commanded him,
and took in his hand the two tablets of stone.

5 The Lord descended in the cloud and stood with him there,
and proclaimed the name, "The Lord."

6 The Lord passed before Moses, and proclaimed,
"The Lord, the Lord,
a God merciful and gracious,
slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness."

8 And Moses quickly bowed his head toward the earth, and worshipped.

9 He said, "If now I have found favour in your sight, O Lord,
I pray, let the Lord go with us.
Although this is a stiff-necked people,
pardon our iniquity and our sin,
and take us for your inheritance."

The word of the Lord.

A period of silence is observed after the reading.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Daniel 3.52, 53, 54, 55, 56 (R.52)

R. Glory and praise for ever!

52 Blessed are you, O Lord, God of our ancestors
and blessed is your glorious and holy name. **R.**

53 Blessed are you in the temple of your holy glory,
and to be extolled and highly glorified forever. **R.**

54 Blessed are you on the throne of your kingdom,
and to be extolled and highly exalted forever. **R.**

55 Blessed are you who look into the depths
from your throne on the cherubim. **R.**

56 Blessed are you in the firmament of heaven,
to be sung and glorified forever. **R.**

SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 13.11-13

*The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.*

A reading from the second letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

11 Brothers and sisters,
put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another,
live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.

12 Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

13 The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

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 3.16-18

God sent his Son in order that the world might be saved through him.

A reading from the holy gospel according to John.

Jesus said to Nicodemus:

16 “God so loved the world that he gave his only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him may not perish
but may have eternal life.

17 “Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world,
but in order that the world might be saved through him.

18 Those who believe in him are not condemned;
but those who do not believe are condemned already,
because they have not believed
in the name of the only Son of God.”

The gospel of the Lord.