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WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

SATURDAY 6.00PM.

SUNDAY 8.00AM AND 11.00AM

Our Vision

We are a Catholic Community who profess, celebrate and witness that Jesus lives, and to whom the Father sends His Spirit. We express that belief by living out and spreading the message of the Gospel.

2nd and 3rd of June 2018

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ - Year B

Melbournaires Harmony Chorus

Proudly presents Showcase Concert 2018

Featuring "The Melbournaires" – Victoria's Premiere Barbershop Chorus, male quartets, mixed quartets, ensembles and a number of variety acts providing an afternoon of a capella singing and entertainment.

When: Sunday 24th of June 2018 at 2.30pm

Where: at Ss Peter and Paul's Church Hall, 23 Leeds Street, Doncaster East ,

Tickets: only \$15.00 – Children and Students are free

Free Refreshments will be provided.

Call Andrew on 0418 603 673 for tickets sales or for more information

LAUNCH OF THE PLENARY COUNCIL 2020 – 2021

Plenary Council 2020 – Listen to what the Spirit is saying. Pope Francis has approved the Australian Bishops' decision to hold a Plenary Council in Australia in 2020 and 2021. It is a significant moment for the Church in Australia to make decisions about the future.

To prepare the agenda for the Plenary Council, all of God's people are invited to reflect on the question: **"What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?"**

Find out more about the Plenary Council 2020 at the new website, now online:
www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org

Parish AGM

Our Parish AGM will be taking place on the **24th of June** . Could all parish committees and groups please aim to get your annual report in on last years activities and any future plans to Liza by Thursday the **7th of June** at the latest in order for the annual report to be compiled. The reports need to go out on the 9th and 10th of June. Any reports not received by this date will not be able to be inserted in the annual report.

Please note there will be no 8am or 11am mass on the 24th of June. There will be a combined mass at 10.00am.

Parish Feast Day

On Sunday the 1st of July we celebrate our Parish Feast day, our Family Groups will be holding their Annual Family Group Mass at 11am. This will be followed by a Celebratory lunch in our Parish Hall. **Please bring a plate to share.** There will also be performances and entertainment for the children . Bring the family for a day of fun. You are all invited to attend.

Italian Speaking Volunteers required

By Co.As It – a government funded organisation to assist elderly people on a social level. If you would like more information please have a look at the flyer in the narthex or call Tania on 0430 556 283

Help Required

Are you young, fit, and willing to inspect our Church roof, safely and securely, say once a quarter or timing to be agreed? This would benefit the Parish by keeping maintenance costs down and help ensure we are dry inside. Any volunteers - sharing would be practical if more than one. Please call Harry on 0421 770 498.

Music Ministry needs you.

If you can hold a tune or play an instrument, please consider sharing your talent with our community by joining the Music Ministry. We need more choir members especially for our 6.00pm Mass. Sign up sheets are in the Narthex.

Drop In Centre

Handmade items for sale on Sunday the 17th of June after each mass. Our ladies have been busy and we have several children's knotted items for sale. Baby's tops, beanie's, knee rugs, children's jumpers, at reasonable prices. We are asking for your support, whilst we often give away many of our made goods to various organizations, sometimes we need support ourselves.

The monies we received from the sale of these items will go towards buying more wool, so the Drop in can continue to support others in need. This parish has always supported us and we hope you will again.

On the 15th of July we will celebrate with mass at 11.00am our 40 years in existence. Followed by finger food lunch, in the Drop in Centre room. All are welcome. We especially invite anyone who has been part of the 40 years, all the wonderful drivers, members and family's to come along. Look at our Photo album. God down memory lane, remember faces long forgotten or lost contact with. You will be surprised as to how much goes on, on a Monday!!!

The center opens every Monday from 11am to 2.30pm during school term time. All are welcome.

For more information please do not hesitate to contact Pauline on 9848 6735 or Bernadette on 9842 3561

Monthly Ladies Lunch

A Ladies' monthly luncheon club is being formed in the parish.

The first luncheon will take place on 13th June next but thereafter will take place on the first Wednesday of the month. Various venues will be visited throughout the year where seniors meals are available. Our first outing will be to the Manhattan Hotel in Ringwood to a smorgasbord buffet @ \$17.00 for seniors. Car pooling available. Please contact Liza on 9842 1480 if you are interested as booking is essential.

Workshops for readers

The Office of Evangelisation will be holding 1 workshop to be being held at the Cardinal Knox Centre on the 26th of July. If you are interested in attending, please let Liza in the Parish office know by Monday the 23rd of July for the Readers Workshop. We encourage all new ministers and Readers to attend this course and of course the cost will be borne by the Parish. **The Reader of God's Word**

Thursday 26 July, 7pm - 9pm (light refreshments from 6.30pm)
These formation opportunities are ideal for existing and/or new ministers, exploring the theological underpinnings and best practice of delivery for each ministry.

Knights of the Southern Cross

Once again the Knights of the Southern Cross will be offering 2 \$500 bursaries to a needy grade 6 student in each of our Parish Schools. Students will again be selected by the parish priest together with the school principals. Raffle tickets will be sold after all masses at Sspp on the 15/16th of June. Cost is \$2.00 per ticket. Please support this if you can. Winners will be advertised in both parish Newsletters and on the Peoples Choice Credit union website after the 14th of October 2018.

Stewardship Giving for the Month of May

Stewardship

Envelopes and Loose Money : \$7633.85

Credit Cards: \$ 540.00

Direct Credit: \$ 560.00

Total: \$8733.90

Presbytery

Envelopes and Loose Money: \$4215.75

Credit Cards: \$ 0.00

Direct Credit: \$ 60.00

Total: \$4275.75

THANK YOU to everyone who supports Ss Peter and Paul's financially. Please let us know if there are any changes to your Credit Card details.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje

Fr Jerald would like to invite you for a 14 day pilgrimage to Poland, Austria, Croatia & Medjugorje that departs on 2nd Sep 2018. This pilgrimage features Warsaw, Krakow, Vienna, Zagreb & Medjugorje for an all-inclusive cost of \$5490. Book before 30 April with an initial deposit of \$500 to get an early-bird discount price of \$ 4990. This fare includes Return airfare + Transfers in AC Coaches + Stay in 4 Star Hotels + All Breakfasts & Dinners. For enquiries & bookings contact parish office on 9842 1480

Parish Groups

<p>VISITATION GROUP The next Visitation Group meeting is scheduled for Friday, 1st June at 10.15am in the Parish Centre. New members are always welcome.</p>	<p>ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY The next meeting will be on Tuesday 5th June at 9.30am. New members always welcome.</p>
<p>SUPPORT GROUP- for widows, widowers and separated The next Yarra Deanery Parish Support Group Gathering will take place in the Narthex of our Church at 7.30pm on Tuesday 5th June 2018. For enquiries, please contact Peter - 0413 015 061 or 9840 6248 or padess53@gmail.com</p>	<p>MEN'S COFFEE CLUB Men of the parish who are shift workers or have retired, on holidays or simply have time on their hands, are invited to meet for a Men's Coffee Club Gathering. camaraderie! Meetings are held every Tuesday at 11.00am in the Drop In Centre. Tel: Kevin on 9848 7858.</p>
<p>1 in a 100 Appeal The next collection is due on Sunday the 27th May for the Sisters of Our Lady of Sion Jerusalem and the Palestinians.</p>	<p>DROP-IN CENTRE Open every Monday morning from 11.00am - 2.30pm except during school holidays.</p>
<p>KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS Meet every second Tuesday of the month in the Drop in Centre from 7.30 - 9.30pm. New members always welcome.</p>	<p>PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS Monday and Thursday: 9.00-5.00pm Tuesday and Wednesday: 9.00-3.00pm Friday: 9.00-4.00pm</p>
<p>Ladies Afternoon Tea: Every 3rd Wednesday of the Month at the Drop In Centre at 2.00pm Call Bernadette for more information on 0414 879 270</p>	<p>Ladies Monthly Luncheon Ladies Monthly luncheon will be held on the first Wednesday of the month at various venues. Please contact the parish office for details.</p>

SUPPORTING MINISTRIES

Parish Priest: Fr Jerald Mariadas
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Chairman of Parish Pastoral Council:
 David Ng: lipmian_ng@hotmail.com

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Principal: Anita Kelliher

Pastoral Worker:

Cheryl Tay: Cheryl.tay@cam.org.au

Rosary: Monday to Saturday after
 Mass/Communion Service

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Fridays after morning Mass until 10.30am

Reconciliation: Saturdays 9.30am and 5.30pm
 and any weekday after Mass

Baptisms: On 2nd and 3rd Sundays of
 every month at 12.30pm by appointment

Weddings: By appointment

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

The next Divine Mercy Devotion will be held in
 our Church on Friday 1st June from 7.30-8.30pm.
 There will be Exposition, Divine Mercy Chaplet
 and Reconciliation.

**9th and 10th of June –
 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Genesis 3:9-15 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 Mark 3:20-35		Projector Operators
6.00pm Readers Commentator	Paul O’Hanlon Joan Eastdown	Nick Soo
8.00am Readers Commentator	Frank Smit Wendy Davis	Julie Sykes
11.00am Reader Commentator	Rose Paynting Angela Gunanayagam	Julika Gunangyagam
Altar Servers	6.00pm 8.00am 11.00am	Maja and Chantelle Volunteers Please Gabriel and Joreen
Money Counters	Group 6: Greg Sleeth, William Lee	Norma and Kevin Smith

Our Prayers are asked for those **who died recently:** and for those whose **anniversaries** occur at this time: Michael McCarthy, Chrysostom Maruthanayagam, Giovanna Cicero, Anne Quahe, Caroline Munro, Stephen Gill, Florito Rosaria, Charlene Wilson, Venturina Di Donato, Estelle Chapman, Fr Paddy Fitzpatrick, Gaetano D’Abaco, Raymond Thomas Sarahan, Katheleen Carter, Rebecca Lawloe,, Joseph Manders, Francesca Russo, Margaret Rindfleisch, Irene Mary Zeman **For those who are sick:** Madeline Gilmore, Dan McMahon, Ava Pelikan, Teresita Leung, June Webster, Ann Tobin, Joel Pemberton, Angela Selva, Anthoula Miras, Danny Zanon, Margaret Jansen, Teresa Talia, Gaetano and Inez Paolini, Mong Kee Lim, Cyril Taya, Mary Ritus, Lois Norton Old, Caroline Tang, Salaka Hewamaduma, Priyanthi Perera, Josh Davis, Maree Spinks, Joyce Foo and Peter Wilkinson Eunice Brennan, Pauline Smit.



**MASS TIMES for partner Parishes of
 Our Lady of The Pines, Donvale
 & Ss Peter & Paul, East Doncaster**

NB. "CS" indicates Communion Service only

	OLOP	SSPP
Monday	-	9am CS
Tuesday	-	9am Mass St Boniface
Wednesday	9.00am Mass- Rosary after morning mass	9am CS
Thursday	9.00am CS	9.00 Mass
Friday	9.00 Mass The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	9am CS The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Saturday	6pm VIGIL (on the first Saturday of the Month only)	9am Mass- The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary 6.00pm Vigil
SUNDAY	9:30am	8am, 11am

Children’s Liturgy Mass

Our next Children’s liturgy mass will be held on the
 17th June, 16th July, 19th August and 16th Sept.