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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.*

29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> of September 2018

26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year B

### Gospel

The golden jubilee of the Second Vatican Council's Constitution on the Church may be behind us, but the full realization of its vision still lies ahead. One of the document's affirmations dovetails with today's word of God: "it is not only through the sacraments and the ministries of the Church that the Holy Spirit sanctifies and leads the people of God and enriches it with virtues but allotting these gifts to everyone according as he wills. "He distributes special graces among the faithful of every rank... These gifts... are to be received with thanksgiving and consolation ..." Moses and Jesus both rejoice in the gifts of the Spirit given to others. They are thankful for them, not threatened by them. We are reminded today that the spirit roams free, beyond the boundaries that human beings or institutions set up. Let us give thanks for the spirit filled men and women of our time, both in the church and in other lively movements, and pray again, "Lords, send us your spirit and renew the face of the earth".

### Help Help Help

The Drop In Centre group desperately needs more drivers for Mondays during school term. Pick up starts at 10.30am and 2.15pm. This will take about half an hour out of your day. Please ring Teresa on 9852 4522 or Madge on 9848 5124 if you can help. Any help would be greatly appreciated by the ladies.

### Join us to pray the Rosary for the intentions of our parish community

In the month of October, we invite parishioners to come together every Sunday at 10.30am to pray the rosary for the intentions of our parish community. We will begin on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October, praying for the intentions of families and the rekindling of trust and faith in our church. There is a box in the Narthex for parishioners who wish to offer their intentions to our Lady. Let us together seek our Lady's protection and intercession.

### Faiths Bus Tour

Come to ask questions and learn about Items, Arts, Symbols and more as we enjoy this great bus ride with the company of our diverse community.

Manningham Inter Faith Network are conducting a faith Bus Tour. The date is Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup> at 12.30pm leaving from the Manningham Civic Office. Returns 4.30pm. The 3 faith centers to be visited this time will be Buddhist, Muslim and Coptic Christian. Food gifts and show bags provided. All free as usual. Please contact Pauline Smit on 0425 718 937 for more information.

Bookings required on 0425 718 937 or through me by return email if you wish.

## **Ladies Lunch – 5<sup>th</sup> September**

Ten ladies gathered to enjoy a pleasant lunch at the Mitcham Hotel. New friendships are being formed with enjoyable conversation and laughter. Everyone is welcome to attend all these functions.

Listed below are the Luncheon gatherings till the end of the year-

### **Wednesday the 3<sup>rd</sup> of October**

The Red Kitchen Restaurant at Shop 1A, 934 Doncaster Road, Doncaster Eat. This restaurant is part of the Beau Monde International complex and is a brunch and lunch venue which closes at 2.30pm, so I have made a reservation for 12.30pm. Copy menus is available in the Parish Office for those who would like to have a look.

### **Wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> of November.**

Box Hill RSL Nelson Road Box Hill. At long last we have managed to get a booking in this venue. There was only an 11.30am or 1.30pm booking so I opted for the 1.30pm booking.

### **Tuesday the 18<sup>th</sup> of December**

Lower Plenty Hotel, 4 Main Road, Lower Plenty.

This is a morning melodies morning with Damian Mullen performing Elvis Forever. The \$15.00 charge covers morning tea and lunch. Doors open at 9.30, morning tea at 10.30am and show starts at 10.45 then followed by lunch.

Please note the change of dates for the November and December functions. This was to obtain bookings. Earliest booking is imperative most particularly for the Box Hill RSL and Morning Melodies luncheons as there are limited vacancies. Please contact Muriel O'Gorman on 9840 7484 for further information and bookings.

Muriel O'Gorman

## **WORLD ROSARY DAY**

**Sunday 7 October**

Countries around the world are joining to hold Rosary Rallies across the world to celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Together we are calling upon God, through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of the Rosary. The World Rosary will start with a '54-day Novena' on 15 August (Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary) until the feast of the Holy Rosary on the 7 October. Each nation has been asked to pray for its own intentions on the day. The Australian intentions for the world rosary will be family, rekindling of faith and continued Godly protection.

World Rosary Day is supported, endorsed and encouraged by Archbishop Comensoli.

This worldwide event will truly be a powerful experience.

Details: Call Jane from OzRosary 0476 535 595 or <http://holyleagueofnations.com>

Register:

<https://ozrosary.wixsite.com/ozrosary53/contact-us-and-participate>

### **Living Icons,**

#### **Mothers, Fathers and the Gospel of the Family**

New video and print resources highlighting the role of both a mother and a father in family life have been produced by the Life, Marriage and Family Office. Print copies of the booklet are available in the Narthex this weekend. The accompanying videos can be viewed online at: [www.cam.org.au/lifemarriagefamily](http://www.cam.org.au/lifemarriagefamily).

Parishioners are encouraged to watch and share these free resources with anyone you think will find them helpful.

### **Palms Australia**

Are you a mechanic with a mission? All skills needed! Could you make a wheel difference mentoring local mechanics in Myanmar?

Contact Christine on 02 9560 5333.

For more mission opportunities, visit

[palms.org.au/volunteer](http://palms.org.au/volunteer) Can't commit just yet?

Check out [palms.org.au/encounters](http://palms.org.au/encounters)

**MENTAL HEALTH WEEK 2018**

Friday 12 October, 5pm

St Pius X Church,  
419 Waterdale Road,  
Heidelberg

You are invited to join the friends and supporters of Catholic Social Services Victoria and the community of St Pius X Parish, West Heidelberg to celebrate Mass acknowledging Mental Health Week. This is a prayerful opportunity to stand with the suffering Christ in our families and wider communities and to support our brothers and sisters living with mental health issues. The Mass will be followed by refreshments.  
**Enquiries:** 9457 5794

**SPARKS OF BEAUTY: LITERATURE**

Tuesday 30 October, 6.30–8.30pm

State Library of Victoria, 328 Swanston  
Street, Melbourne

The Archbishop's Office for Evangelisation invites you to our final in the Sparks of Beauty series for 2018. Join us for a conversation with best-selling Australian author Michael McGirr on 'The stories that make us'.

Registrations: 9926 5761 or  
evangelisation@cam.org.au

**IGNATION MINISTRY IN THE 21ST CENTURY: A PRESENTATION FOR THOSE MINISTERING TO YOUNG ADULTS**

Friday 26 October, 9.30am–3.30pm

Campion Centre of Ignatian Spirituality, 99  
Studley Park Road, Kew

This workshop will explore how to develop and promote spiritual activities for young adults including those unconnected to a church or faith tradition.

**Cost:** \$80 (includes morning tea and lunch)**Bookings:** 9854 8110,[secretary@campion.asn.au](mailto:secretary@campion.asn.au) or**IS GOD DEAD IN THE WEST?**

Tuesday 9 October, 6pm for 6.30pm start

Cathedral Room, Cardinal Knox Centre,  
383 Albert Street, East Melbourne

Please join Greg Sheridan for a discussion, hosted by ACU's PM Glynn Institute, of his new book *God is good for you*, with Virginia Bourke.

**RSVP:** [pmg@acu.edu.au](mailto:pmg@acu.edu.au) or (02) 9739 2184**Parish Groups****VISITATION GROUP**

The next Visitation Group meeting is scheduled for Friday 5th October at 10.15am in the Parish Centre. New members are always welcome.

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 2nd October at 9.30am. New members always welcome.

**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 2nd October 2018. For enquiries, please contact Peter - 0413 015 061 or 9840 6248 or [padess53@gmail.com](mailto:padess53@gmail.com)

**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.

**1 in a 100 Appeal**

The next collection is due on Sunday the 30th Sept for the Sisters of Our Lady of Sion Jerusalem and the Palestinians.

**DROP-IN CENTRE**

Open every Monday morning from 11.00am - 2.30pm **except during school holidays.**

**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.

**PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS**

Monday and Thursday: 9.00-5.00pm  
Tuesday and Wednesday: 9.00-3.00pm  
Friday: 9.00-4.00pm

**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

**Ladies Monthly Luncheon**

Ladies Monthly luncheon will be held on the first Wednesday of the month. Please contact Muriel O'Gorman on 9840 7484 for more details or to book.

**SUPPORTING MINISTRIES**

**Parish Priest:** Fr Jerald Mariadas  
 Email : [gerald.mariadas@cam.org.au](mailto:gerald.mariadas@cam.org.au)  
**Chairman of Parish Pastoral Council:**  
 David Ng: [lipmian\\_ng@hotmail.com](mailto:lipmian_ng@hotmail.com)  
**Parish Primary School:** 16 Beverley Street  
 Doncaster East 3109  
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 Principal: Anita Kelliher

**Pastoral Worker:**  
 Cheryl Tay: [Cheryl.tay@cam.org.au](mailto: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 or  
 by appointment.

**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 5<sup>th</sup> October from 7.30-8.30pm.  
 There will be Exposition, Divine Mercy Chaplet and  
 Reconciliation.

**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	-	9.00am CS St Theresa of the Child Jesus
Tuesday	-	9am Mass The Holy Guardian Angels
Wednesday	9.00am Mass Rosary after morning mass	9.00 CS
Thursday	9.00am CS	9.00 Mass St Francis of Assisi
Friday	9.00 Mass	9.00 am CS
Saturday	6pm VIGIL (on the first Saturday of the Month only)	9am Mass- 6.00pm Vigil
SUNDAY	9:30am	8am, 11am

**Children's Liturgy Mass**

Our next Children's liturgy mass will be held on  
 the 21<sup>st</sup> Oct, 18<sup>th</sup> Nov and 16<sup>th</sup> Dec

*Our Prayers* are asked for those **who died recently:**  
**especially** and for those whose  
**anniversaries** occur at this time:



Chan Tai Kong, Tang Hon Yue, Charlie Azzopardi,  
 Barbara Clements, Kevin O'Donoghue, Jack  
 Blackburn, Liberto Sanctuccion, Frank O'Connor,  
 Verna Murphy, Alisa Helliard, Elsa Hellion, Fred Klein-  
 Breteler and Sam Russo **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, Mary Ritus, Lois  
 Norton Old, Caroline Tang, Salaka Hewamaduma,  
 Priyanthi Perera, Josh Davis, Maree Spinks, Joyce  
 Foo and Peter Wilkinson, Pamela Bruce, Joy Oxley,  
 Anthony Calcagno Leslie Chen Imogen Giffening  
 and Chin Lan Chan.

**6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> of October 2018 -  
 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Genesis 2:18-24 Hebrews 2:9-11 Mark 10:2-16		<b>Projector Operators</b>
<b>6.00pm Readers Commentator</b>	Marie de Kretzer Josie Lim	Nick Soo
<b>8.00am Readers Commentator</b>	Paul O'Connor Diane Neubecker	Frank Smit
<b>11.00am Readers Commentator</b>	Suzanne Marshall Carmel Nigro	James Tine
<b>Altar Servers</b>	6.00pm 8.00am 11.00am	Gabriel and Xavier Volunteers Please Amelia and Dominic
<b>Money Counters</b>	<b>Group 5:</b> Cheryl and John Manders	Jim Seymour James Ting
	<b>Communion Minister Roster</b>	
<b>6.00pm</b> Judith Clark, Lorraine Lednar, Lucia Dorissa,	<b>8.00am</b> Michael Liddy Marie Simpson Sheryl Kamath	<b>11.00am</b> Verna Carter, Carmel Nigro, Frank Burke, Nicole Morabito, Suzanne Marshall