

4 ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice. (Ps 47:10-11)

A reading from the Book of Zechariah (9:9-10)
 Thus says the Lord: "Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Lo, your king comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he, humble and riding on an ass, on a colt the foal of an ass. I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim and the war horse from Jerusalem; and the battle bow shall be cut off, and he shall command peace to the nations; his dominion shall be from sea to sea, and from the river to the ends of the earth. **This is the Word of the Lord.**

Responsorial Psalm:
Response: I will bless your name for ever, O God my King.
 I will give you glory, O God my King. I will bless your name for ever. I will bless you day after day and praise your name for ever. **R./**

The Lord is kind and full of com-*passion*, slow to anger, abounding in love. How good is the Lord to all, compassionate to all his creatures. **R./**
 All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord, and your friends shall repeat their blessing. They shall speak of the glory of your reign and declare your might, O God. **R./**
 The Lord is faithful in all his words and loving in all his deed. The Lord supports all who fall and raises all who are bowed down. **R./**

A reading from the Letter of St Paul to the Romans (8:9,11-13)
 You are not in the flesh, you are in the Spirit, if the Spirit of God really dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also through his Spirit who dwells in you.
 So then, brethren, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh – for if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body you will live.
This is the Word of the Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia! I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that you have revealed these things to children. **Alleluia!** (Mt 11:25)

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St Matthew (11:25-30)
 Jesus declared, "I thank thee, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that thou has hidden these things from the wise and understanding and revealed them to babes; yea, Father, for such was thy gracious will. All things have been delivered to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal Him. Come to me, all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."
Gospel of the Lord.

Entrance:
GOD WE PRAISE YOU
 God, we praise You!
 God, we bless You!
 God, we name
 You sovereign Lord!
 Mighty King
 whom angels worship,
 Father, by Your
 church adored:
 All creation
 shows Your glory,
 Heav'n and earth draw
 near Your throne,
 Singing "Holy, holy, holy,
 Lord of hosts,
 and God alone!"
 True apostles,
 faithful prophets,
 Saints who set
 their world ablaze,
 Martyrs, once unknown,
 unheeded,
 Join one growing
 song of praise,
 while Your church
 on earth confesses
 One majestic Trinity:
 Father, Son,
 and Holy Spirit,
 God, our hope eternally.

Offertory:
WE ARE AN OFFERING
 We lift our voices
 we lift our hands
 We lift our lives up to You
 We are an offering
 Lord use our voices
 Lord use our hands
 Lord use our lives
 They are Yours
 We are an offering
CHORUS
All that we have
All the we are
All that we hope to be
We give to You
We give to You
 We lift our voices
 We lift our hands
 We lift our lives up to You
 We are an offering,
 we are an offering.



Communion: COME TO JESUS
 Weak and wounded sinner
 Lost and left to die
 O, raise your head, for love is passing by
 Come to Jesus, Come to Jesus
 Come to Jesus and live!
 Now your burden's lifted
 And carried far away
 And precious blood
 has washed away the stain, so Sing to Jesus,
 Sing to Jesus Sing to Jesus and live!
 And like a newborn baby
 Don't be afraid to crawl
 And remember when you walk
 Sometimes we fall...so Fall on Jesus,
 Fall on Jesus, Fall on Jesus and live!
 Sometimes the way is lonely
 And steep and filled with pain
 So if your sky is dark and pours like rain, then
 Cry to Jesus, Cry to Jesus, Cry to Jesus and live!
 O, when the love spills over
 And music fills the night
 And when you can't contain
 your joy inside, then Dance for Jesus
 Dance for Jesus, Dance for Jesus and live!
 And with your final heartbeat
 Kiss the world goodbye
 Then go in peace, and laugh on Glory's side, and
 Fly to Jesus, Fly to Jesus, Fly to Jesus and live!



Final:
GIVE THANKS
 Give thanks
 with a grateful heart
 Give thanks to the Holy One
 Give thanks because He's
 given Jesus Christ, His Son
 Give thanks
 with a grateful heart
 Give thanks to the Holy One
 Give thanks because He's
 given Jesus Christ, His Son
 And now let the weak say,
 "I am strong"
 Let the poor say,
 "I am rich
 Because of what the Lord
 has done for us"
 And now let the weak say,
 "I am strong"
 Let the poor say,
 "I am rich
 Because of what the Lord
 has done for us"
 Give thanks (give thanks)



Communion Antiphon: Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed is the man who seeks refuge in him. (Ps 33:9)



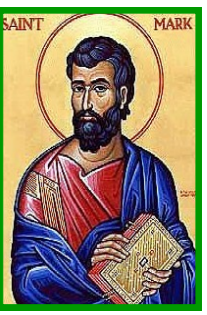
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We acknowledge the Wurundjeri people, the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which we stand. We pay our respects to them for their care of the land. May we walk gently on this land.

"Come to me, all you who labour and are burdened, and I will give you rest": This invitation from Jesus is indeed always relevant and encouraging. All of us have difficult times when life becomes a bit dark and we feel tired and burdened. Sometimes we feel we are not coping with the demands of this secularized world and simply give up. We may find some rest for our bodies but not for our souls. Jesus understands our feelings and offers himself as our strength and travelling companion. The symbol of the yoke is indeed very helpful to understand this invitation from Jesus to find in Him our rest. The yoke is put on the necks of two cattle so that together they can pull the plough as one. It always takes a pair to work a yoke. If we accept the invitation from Jesus, He becomes our yoke-mate. The yoke, in fact, belongs to him and he only invites us to team up with him. The yoke of Christ is not just a yoke from Christ but also a yoke with him. To take the yoke of Christ is to associate and identify ourselves with him: our destiny with his destiny, our vision with his vision and our mission with his mission. It is to know that we are not pulling the yoke alone and by our power but together with Christ and by the strength that comes from him. It is to know that Jesus is not just a teacher who gives us homework but also a friend who helps us do it. Of course, in order to accept his invitation we need the gift of humility because it is to the humble that the Lords reveals Himself better as we are told in today's Gospel reading. Humility will bring us to Jesus: the way, the truth and the life. Humility is the good soil in our souls that produces good and abundant fruit. Humility is the door to real love bringing is to trust in the Father as the children do without prejudices, selfishness and hidden agendas. Humility is the source of true joy given by the Spirit of God within us. We should never forget that we are yoked with Christ. To this end, it helps to start each day with a prayer like this: "Lord, help me to remember that there is no problem I am going to face today that you and I together cannot handle." This is how the yoke becomes easy and the burden light.



"Venite a me, voi tutti, che siete affaticati e oppressi, e io vi ristorerò": Ci giunge sempre propizio quest'invito del Signore, particolarmente quando la stanchezza e i disagi fanno parte dell'esperienza umana. Questo invito diventa speranza quando ci confrontiamo con nostril limiti e fragilità. Il Signore sa bene del peso del nostro giogo, egli stesso se ne è fatto carico. Vuole perciò liberarci di quel peso che ci opprimerebbe fino ad ucciderci se restasse sulle nostre spalle. Non ci risulta particolarmente difficile trovare un qualche refrigerio al nostro corpo, è arduo però trovare il vero conforto per l'anima quando è oppressa dal male e appesantito dalle avversità. Per questo il Signore ancora una volta ci chiama a se e ci sollecita ad un incontro personale con lui. Ci instilla per questo pensieri di umiltà e di mitezza, le virtù che egli ha praticato in modo sublime e che a noi consentirebbe di affidarci fiduciosamente a lui. Ed ecco la preghiera di Gesù per noi: «Ti benedico, o Padre, Signore del cielo e della terra, perché hai tenuto nascoste queste cose ai sapienti e agli intelligenti e le hai rivelate ai piccoli». Siamo noi i "piccoli" quando con semplicità di cuore e con sincera umiltà, riconoscendo i nostri limiti, la nostra fragilità, ci affidiamo al Signore nella preghiera assidua e costante, per attingere da lui la forza che non abbiamo. La rivelazione si apre alla nostra migliore comprensione proprio quando facciamo esperienza della bontà di Dio, trovando in lui il vero e completo ristoro. Così il giogo, pesante sulle nostre fragili spalle diventa dolce e il carico delle nostre miserie leggero. La via per il nostro ristoro spirituale si chiama Gesù e lo troviamo nei sacramenti. Oggi il Signore ci chiede: "venite a me" con umiltà che è la terra fertile dell'anima, senza la quale nulla può in essa germogliare, fiorire, né arrivare alla maturità. Infatti, l'umiltà conduce alla verità. L'umiltà spoglia l'anima dalla superbia, dai preconcetti, dai pregiudizi; la predispone ad accogliere senza reticenze la Parola di Dio. L'umiltà conduce all'amore del Padre come il bambino che, senza l'ombra di un dubbio, si getta tra le braccia del padre. L'umiltà conduce alla gioia. È la gioia dello Spirito di Dio dentro di noi che ci dà la vera vita.



CATHOLIC MISSION - PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH ANNUAL APPEAL will take place in our parish this weekend.
 There are special envelopes available for your donation. Thank you.
L'APPELLO ANNUALE PER LA DIFUSIONE DELLA FEDE si terrà nella nostra parrocchia questo weekend.
 Ci sono buste in chiesa per la vostra donazione. Grazie.



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2 Liturgical Calendar and activities

Day of the Week	Liturgical Celebration	Intention St. Mark	Intention St. Brigid	Parish Activity
SATURDAY/SABATO 5th July 2014 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year "A" (Vigil)	<i>"Come to me, all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest".</i>		6.00pm Antonio BUTERA 7.00pm Spanish Mass	Baptism Celebrations for Matias David HERRERA Congratulations! 
SUNDAY/DOMENICA 6th July 2014 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year "A"	<i>"Venite a me, voi tutti, che siete stanchi e oppressi, e io vi darò ristoro"</i>	8.30am Rocco D'ALESSANDRI	9.45am Cristoforo FIORE Giuseppina CALANDRA 11.00am Fifina FRANCAZIO (m.3/7) Antonio BUTERA Elda DALLA ZUANNA Giovanni VIGLIAROLO	Baptism Celebrations for Emily DURINCK Congratulations! 
Monday / Lunedì 7th July 2014 Hosea 2: 16-18, 21-22; Mt 9: 18-26	<i>Responsorial Psalm The Lord is kind and merciful.</i>	8.00am	9.15am	
Tuesday / Martedì 8th July 2014 Hosea 8: 4-7, 11-13; Mt 9:32-38	<i>Responsorial Psalm. The house of Israel trusts in the Lord.</i>	8.00am	9.15am	
Wednesday / Mercoledì 9th July 2014 Hosea 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Mt 10: 1-7	<i>Responsorial Psalm. Splenda su noi, Signore, la luce del tuo volto. Seek always the face of the Lord.</i>	8.00am	9.15am 7.00pm Baptism & Mass Filipino Community	Dopo la S. Messa delle 9.15am segue il Gruppo di Preghiera Carismatico
Thursday/ Giovedì 10th July 2014 Hosea 11: 1-4, 8-9; Mt 10:7-15	<i>Responsorial Psalm Let us see your face, Lord, and we shall be saved.</i>	8.00am	9.15am	
Friday/ Venerdì 11th July 2014 San Benedetto, abate St. Benedict, abbot Hosea 14:2-10; Mt 10: 16-23	<i>Responsorial Psalm Beato chi cammina nelle vie del Signore. My mouth will declare your praise.</i>	8.00am In honour to St. Benedict	9.15am In onore di San Benedetto	

SOLEMNITY OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

Wednesday 16th July 2014 - 10.30am Mass Celebrant: Rev. Gerald O'Collins, SJ
Sunday 20th July, 2014 - 3.00pm Mass Celebrant: Rev. Elton Fernandes, SJ
 Enrolment in the Brown Scapular will take place after these Masses
 Carmelite Monastery, 94 Stevenson Street, Kew


Parish Community	Parish Office	Comunidad Pastoral De Habla Hispana	Comunidade Pastoral De Expressão Portuguesa	Filipino Pastoral Community
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Liturgy of the Word 12th & 13th July 2014	6.00pm Vigil St. Brigid	8.30am St. Mark	9.45am St. Brigid	11.00am St. Brigid	Offertory Procession	Special Ministers	Church Cleaning
I Reading	Volunteer	J. Perrett	Sisters of Charity	T. Toscano	B. Rigoni / M. Villani	T. Toscano	S. Colosimo
Responsorial Psalm	Volunteer	G. Piantella	Sisters of Charity	P. La Marca	Capodanno Family		
II Reading	Volunteer	A. De Santis	Sisters of Charity	A. Bernar	D. Polla / T. Bozzetto		

St. Vincent de Paul Society "WINTER APPEAL"
 A warm thank you to everyone who has donated food, clothing items and money towards this important appeal. *The are still envelopes if you wish to make a donation.*
Società San Vincenzo de Paoli "WINTER APPEAL"
 Grazie di cuore a tutti voi che avete generosamente offerto cibo, indumenti e soldi per questo importante appello. *Ci sono ancora buste per questo appello se volete donare.*

Annual Anniversary Mass Sunday 27 July, 11am
 Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60th-70th wedding anniversary this year? The Life, Marriage & Family Office invite you and your families to join us at the Annual Anniversary Mass. The Mass will be celebrated at St Patrick's Cathedral by Archbishop Denis Hart. Couples who register will receive commemorative certificates and packs.
 Registrations close Friday 11th July.
Where: St Patrick's Cathedral, 1 Cathedral Pl, East Melbourne VIC 3002
Regiter: www.cam.org.au/lifemarriagefamily
Contact: Life, Marriage & Family Office 9287 5579 or lmf@cam.org.au.

Book Launch: New Australian Editions by Archbishop Dr Lawrence Cross OAM and Colleagues. Monday 20 July, 12:30pm
 Join Apostolic Nuncio Archbishop Paul Gallagher and Professor Pauline Allen FAHA as they launch: Three books dedicated to the reconciliation of Orthodox and Catholic Christians. **Catholic Theological College, 278 Victoria Parade, East Melbourne**
RSVP: Wednesday 16 July
Contact: Jill Allen 9412 3304 or jill.allen@ctc.edu.au

ABORIGINALAND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDERS SUNDAY 6TH JULY 2014
Prayer - Holy Father, God of Love
Holy Father, God of Love, You are the Creator of this land and of all good things. Our hope is in you because you gave your son Jesus to reconcile the world to you. We pray for your strength and grace to forgive, accept and love one another, as you love us and forgive and accept us in the sacrifice of your son. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Grace and Silence: Silent Retreat Afternoon for Young Women - Saturday 19 July, 2pm - 6pm
 This retreat afternoon will give young women the opportunity to take time out to discern a vocation to marriage, single or consecrated life. **Cost:** \$20
Where: 85 Studley Park Rd, Kew
More info: www.schoenstatt.org.au
Contact: Sr M Julie 0408 738 334 or juliebrcar@gmail.com

CatholicCare - Run Melbourne Sunday 27 July 2014
 CatholicCare invites you to join us in walking/running to raise funds for Melbourne's newly arrived refugees.
Where: Federation Square, Melbourne
Register: www.ccam.org.au/AboutUs/Events/RunMelbourne2014.aspx
Contact: Angela 9926 5722 or fundraising@ccam.org.au

St. Brigid & St. Mark Collections
 1 Collection \$ 441 - 00
 2 Collection \$ 216 - 00
 Envelopes \$ 234 - 00

Canto D'ingresso:	Canto D'Offertorio	Canto di Comunione	Canto Finale
TI ESALTO DIO MIO RE <i>Ti esalto, Dio, mio re, Canterò in eterno a te: lo voglio lodarti, Signor, E benedirti. Alleluia!</i> Il Signore é degno d'ogni lode, Non si puo misurar la sua grandezza Ogni vivente proclama la sua gloria La sua opera é giustizia e verita. Il Signore é paziente e pietoso, Lento all'ira e ricco di grazia, Tenerezza ha per ogni creatura, Il Signore é buono verso tutti. Il Signore sostiene chi vacilla E rialza chiunque é caduto. Gli occhi di tutti ricercano il suo volto La sua mano provvede loro il cibo. Il Signore protegge chi lo teme, ma disperde i superbi di cuore. Egli ascolta il grido del suo servo; ogni lingua benedica il suo nome.	A TE SIGNOR LEVIAMO I CUORI <i>A te Signore leviamo i cuori A te Signor noi li doniam.</i> Quel pane bianco che t'offre la Chiesa e' frutto santo del nostro lavoro accettalo, Signore, e benedici. <i>A te Signore leviamo i cuori A te Signor noi li doniam.</i> Quel vino puro che t'offre la Chiesa forma la gioia dei nostri bei colli; accettalo, Signore, e benedici. <i>A te Signore leviamo i cuori A te Signor noi li doniam.</i> Gioie, dolori, fatiche e speranze nel sacro calice noi deponiamo: accettali, Signore, e benedici. <i>A te Signore leviamo i cuori A te Signor noi li doniam.</i>	SYMBOLUM Tu sei la mia vita, altro io no ho, tu sei la mia strada, la mia verita, Nella tua parola, io camminerò Finchè avrò respiro fino a quando tu vorrai Non avrò paura, sai, se tu sei con me. Io ti prego resta con me. Credo in te Signore, nato da Maria, Figlio eterno e santo, uomo come noi, Morto per amore vivo in mezzo a noi Una cosa sola, con il Padre e con i tuoi, Fino a quando, io lo so, tu ritornerai, Per aprirci il Regno di Dio. Tu sei la mia forza, altro io no ho. Tu sei la mi pace, la mia liberta. Niente nella vita ci separerà, So che la tua mano forte non mi lascerà So che da ogni male, Tu mi libererai E nel tuo perdono vivrò. Padre della vita, noi crediamo in te Figlio Salvatore noi speriamo in te Spirito d'amore, vieni in mezzo a noi Tu da mille strade ci raduni in unita E per mille strade, poi, dove tu vorrai, Noi saremo il seme di Dio.	NOME DOLCISSIMO Nome dolcissimo, nome d'amore, tu sei rifugio al peccatore. Frai cori angelici è l'armonia: Ave Maria, ave Maria! Nel fosco esilio, fulgida stella, sei nostra gioia, Vergine bella. Ascolta il grido dell'anima mia: Ave Maria, ave Maria. Saldo mi tieni sul buon sentiero; dei gaudi eterni al gran pensiero, Frai cori angelici è l'armonia: Ave Maria, ave Maria!