

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: See, I have God for my help. The Lord sustains my soul. I will sacrifice to you with willing heart, and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good. (Ps 53:6,8)

A reading from the Book of Genesis (18:1-10) The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the door of his tent in the heat of the day. He lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, three men stood in front of him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent door to meet them, and bowed himself to the earth, and said, "My lord, if I have found favour in your sight, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree, while I fetch a morsel of bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on – since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, "Make ready quickly three measures of fine meal, knead it, and make cakes." And Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds, and milk, and the calf which he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate. They said to him, "Where is Sarah your wife?" And he said, "She is in the tent." The Lord said, "I will surely return to you in the spring, and Sarah your wife shall have a son." **This is the Word of the Lord.**

Responsorial Psalm:

Response: Lord, who shall be admitted to your tent?

Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain? He who walks without fault; he who acts with justice and speaks the truth from his heart; he who does not slander with his tongue. **R/**

He who does no wrong to his brother, who casts no slur on his neighbour, who holds the godless in disdain, but honours those who fear the Lord. **R/**

Who takes no interest on a loan and accepts no bribe against the innocent. Such a man will stand firm for ever. **R/**

A reading from the Letter of St Paul to the Colossian (1:24-28) I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I complete what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the Church, of which I became a minister according to the divine office which was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now made manifest to his saints. To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. Him we proclaim, warning every man and teaching every man in all wisdom, that we may present every man mature in Christ. **This is the Word of the Lord.**

Alleluia, alleluia! Speak, Lord, your servant hears; you have the words of eternal life. **Alleluia!** (1 sam 3:9; Jn 6:68)

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St Luke (10:38-42)

Jesus entered a village, and a woman named Martha received him into her house. And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. But Martha was distracted with much serving; and she went to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things; one thing is needful. Mary has chosen the good portion, which shall not be taken away from her."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Communion Antiphon: The Lord, the gracious, the merciful, has made a memorial of his wonders; he gives food to those who fear him. (Ps 110:4-5)

**Entrance
Gather us in**



Here in this place new light is streaming,
Now is the darkness vanished away,
See in this space our fears and our dreamings
Brought here to You in the light of this day.

Gather us in the lost and forsaken,
Gather us in the blind and the lame;
Call to us now and we shall awaken,
We shall arise at the sound of our name.

We are the young our lives are a mystery,
we are the old who yearn for your face.
We have been sung throughout all of history,
Called to be light to the whole human race.

Gather us in the rich and the haughty
Gather us in the proud and the strong,
Give us a heart so meek and so lowly,
Give us the courage to enter the song.

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**Offertory Bread for the World
Bread for the world:
a world of hunger.**

**Wine for all peoples:
people who thirst.
May we who eat
be bread for others.
May we who drink
pour out our love**



Lord Jesus Christ,
you are the bread of life,
broken to reach
and heal the wounds
of human pain.
Where we divide your people,
you are waiting there
on bended knee
to wash our feet
with endless care.



Lord Jesus Christ,
you are the wine of peace,
poured into hearts once broken
and where dryness sleeps.
Where we are tired and weary,
you are waiting there
to be the way which beckons us
Beyond despair.

**Communion
Where your treasure is**



**Where your treasure is,
there your heart shall be.
All that you possess
will never set you free.
Seek the things that last;
come and learn from me.
Where your treasure is,
your heart shall be.**

What do you gain from all your worry,
What you should eat or what to wear?
There is no peace in stress or hurry
Do you not know that you are held
within God's care?

Look at the ravens high above you!
They do not work their whole life through-
And yet God feeds them
and protects them.

So how much more will God
protect and care for you!

Behold the lilies in their splendor
In grace and beauty are they dressed
And yet so soon their bloom is faded
So how much more will those who look to
God be blessed?

**Final
Servant Song**



Will you let me be
your servant
Let me be as
Christ to you
Pray that I might
have the grace
To let you be
my servant too

We are pilgrims
on the journey
We are brothers
on the road
We are here
to help each other
Walk the mile
and bear the load

I will hold the
Christ light for you
In the night time
of your fear
I will hold my hand
out to you
Speak the peace
you long to hear.



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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.*

Hospitality: a celebration of unity"

In earlier societies, hospitality was sacred. For the Jewish people, hospitality took on an aspect of religious gratitude, a faith-reading of Abraham guest among the Canaanites, the experience of slavery in Egypt, pilgrims in the desert, living in the Promised Land "offered" them by God. To be a "pilgrim" and a "guest" is to speak of a way of living in humility, gratitude, and stressing the importance of welcoming even the stranger. This is what we read in today's first reading and in the gospel. In other words, in society there are bonds of recognition, unity, respect and mutual support where there is hospitality, because, if not, social and even family relations will become "frozen". Unfortunately, in the increasing growth of urban living, we experience an increasing privatization of social and individual life, including family life. Anonymity and private are the daily experi-



ence even though crushed in the urban crowd. This way of living is a cause of solitude, oppression, alienation and anguish for many. What then must be the Christian attitude? We need to be conscious of keeping the dialogue open by promoting ways to overcome isolation and an education toward meeting, dialogue and openness to welcome. The Second Vatican Council reminds us that: "It is imperative, today, that we become attentive 'neighbour' to everyone and that we serve with clear action anyone near us, a neglected elderly person, a foreign worker despised, or a migrant or refugee or a starving person... recalling the words of Jesus: 'When you did this to the least one of these, you did it to me'" (GS 27). Several times in the gospel Jesus becomes guest in the house of even public sinners as well in the house of friends like Martha and Mary and the disciples going to Emmaus. If he is warmly and generously welcomed his gracious response will bring about a transformation which will bring joy and a reason to celebrate. Today also Jesus becomes our guest in the Eucharist. Let us welcome him as Martha and Mary did and he will renew our heart with his presence and his words.

L'ospitalità: celebrazione di unità

In tutte le civiltà antiche l'ospitalità è sacra. Per gli Ebrei l'ospitalità acquista un aspetto di riconoscenza religiosa, una lettura di fede in ricordo di Abramo ospite tra i Cananei, gli Ebrei in Egitto, pellegrini nel deserto, abitanti poi in Palestina come terra a loro "donata" da Dio. Essere "pellegrino" e essere "ospitato" sono un binomio che parla di umiltà, riconoscenza e l'importanza dell'accoglienza anche dello straniero. Questo è quanto leggiamo nella prima lettura di oggi e nel Vangelo. In altre parole, nella società esistono legami di riconoscimento, di unità, di rispetto, di sostegno rispettoso reciproco se esiste l'ospitalità, pena la conseguenza di "gelare" ogni rapporto sociale e anche familiare. Purtroppo, nel crescente sviluppo di un vivere urbano assittiamo ad una crescente privatizzazione della vita individuale, familiare e sociale. Anonimato e private diventano l'esperienza giornaliera pur

urtandoci nelle folle della città. Questo modo di vivere provocano negli individui solitudine, oppressione, alienazione e angoscia. Quale allora dev'essere il comportamento del Cristiano? Occorre prendere coscienza dell'importanza di tenere aperto il dialogo promuovendo il superamento dell'isolamento e una educazione all'incontro, al colloquio, alla accoglienza. In particolare il Concilio Vaticano II ricorda che "oggi urge l'obbligo che diventiamo generosamente prossimi di ogni uomo e rendiamo servizio coi fatti a colui che ci passa accanto, vecchio da tutti abbandonato, o lavoratore straniero ingiustamente disprezzato, o emigrante o rifugiato o affamato...rievocando la voce del Signore: "Quanto avete fatto a uno di questi minimi miei fratelli, l'avete fatto a me" (GS 27). Varie volte nel vangelo Gesù appare come ospite nella casa anche di pubblicani e peccatori, nonché di amici come Marta e Maria e con i discepoli di Emmaus. Se accolto premurosamente e con disinteresse, la sua azione di grazia porta una trasformazione che dà gioia e motivo di celebrazione. Oggi ancora Gesù si fa nostro ospite nella celebrazione eucaristica. Accogliamo come Marta e Maria ed egli ci rinnoverà il cuore con la sua presenza e le sue parole.





WORLD YOUTH DAY— KRAKOW 2016

The first group of Victorian pilgrims departs this Monday July 18, travelling through Italy and Poland in the footsteps of St John Paul II before joining Pope Francis and millions of pilgrims in Krakow. Other Victorian pilgrims will be journeying through Greece on the trail of St Paul, or participating in the Days in the Diocese where they will be welcomed by families in the diocese of Przemysl. **We wish all pilgrims a safe trip and an unforgettable and rewarding spiritual experience in Krakow. Our thoughts and prayers go with them.**



The Missionaries of St. Charles Borromeo - Scalabrinians www.Scalabrini.org
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Liturgical Calendar and activities

Day of the Week	Liturgical Celebration	Intention St. Mark	Intention St. Brigid	Parish Activity
SATURDAY/SABATO 16th July 2016 (Vigil) 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year "C"	"Mary has chosen the good portion, which shall not be taken away from her."	Ogni Sabato 10.30am S.Messa per gli anziani al Rathdowne Place 497 Rathdowne Street Carlton. Tutti Benvenuti!	6.00pm Pasquale GIAQUINTA 7.00pm Spanish Mass	Baptism Celebration for: Harry ROWAN Congratulations! 
SUNDAY/DOMENICA 17th July 2016 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year "C"	"Maria ha scelto la parte migliore, che non le sarà tolta".	8.30am PRO-POPULO	9.45am Pasquale GIAQUINTA 11.00am In Onore della Madonna Del Carmelo Antonio BUTERA Antonio TALARICO Adelia e Amalia TACCONELLI	Baptism Celebration for: James Christopher QI & William LEON COTE Congratulations! 2.30pm Peace Mass for Colombia
Monday 18th July 2016 Micah 6:1-4, 6-8; Mt 12: 38-42	Responsorial Psalm To the upright I will show the saving power of God.	8.00am Julie FAY Special Intentions	9.15am Pasquale GIAQUINTA	
Tuesday 19th July 2016 Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Mt 12: 46-50	Responsorial Psalm Lord, show us your mercy and love.	8.00am	9.15am Pasquale GIAQUINTA	
Wednesday 20th July 2016 Jer 1:1, 4-10; Mt 13:1-9	Responsorial Psalm A te mi affido, Signore: sei tu il mio sostegno. I will sing of your salvation.	8.00am	9.15am Pasquale GIAQUINTA 7.30pm Santo Rosario per Alberto DI FAZIO 	Dopo la S. Messa segue il Gruppo di Preghiera Carismatico nel Welcome In. 7.30pm Mass to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Convent Chapel (Filipino Comm.)
Thursday 21st July 2016 Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Mt 13:10-17	Responsorial Psalm You are the source of life, O Lord.	8.00am	9.15am Pasquale GIAQUINTA 10.30am S. Messa funebre per Alberto DI FAZIO 	Le nostre sincere condoglianze alla famiglia di Alberto DI FAZIO. Il Signore dia a lui il riposo eterno e pace e conforto ai suoi cari.
Friday 22nd July 2016 St. Mary Magdalene Song 3: 1-4 or Cor 5:14-17; Jn 20:1-2,11-18	Responsorial Psalm My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord, my God.	8.00am In honour to St. Mary Magdalen	9.15am Pasquale GIAQUINTA	

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SIX30 HOLY HOUR: FOR VOCATIONS
Thursday 4 August, 6.30–7.30pm Sacred Heart Church, Rathdowne Street, corner Pelham Street, Carlton
National Vocations Awareness Week is the first week of August. To celebrate this week in the Jubilee Year of Mercy, the Vocations Office invites you to Six30 Youth Holy Hour on Thursday 4 August at Sacred Heart Church, Carlton. You are most welcome to join us in praying for vocations and to give thanks for the gift of consecrated life to the Church.

Parish Community	Parish Office	Comunidad Pastoral De Habla Hispana	Comunidade Pastoral De Expressão Portuguesa	Filipino Pastoral Community
Parish Priest: Fr. Savino Bernardi, CS	Monday to Friday 9.30am - 4.30pm	Tel: (03) 9482-5362 Fax: (03) 9489-9926	Chaplain P. Luciano Toldo, CS	Chaplain Mons. Joselito Asis
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Parish News... Notizie di casa nostra...

Liturgy of the Word 23rd & 24th July 2016	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	G. Piantella	Lucy Butera	E. Mascia	N. Ieraci / G. Moretti	T. Toscano	D. Lauria
Responsorial Psalm	Volunteer	G. Piantella	A. Smyth	M. Lauria	C. Penitito / R. Omenihu		
II Reading	Volunteer	G. Piantella	Lina Butera	L. Colosimo	Mazzitelli Family		

CATHOLIC MISSION PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH 2016 CHURCH APPEAL There are still envelopes available for your donation. Total to date \$200. Thank you.
L'APPELLO ANNUALE PER LA DIFUSIONE DELLA FEDE Ci sono ancora buste per la vostra donazione. Totale raccolto \$200. Grazie.

ACU SHORT COURSE ON 'INTER-FAITH PERSPECTIVES ON MERCY'
3, 10, 17 and 24 August, 6–8pm
Christ Lecture Theatre, Australian Catholic University (ACU), 115 Victoria Parade, Fitzroy
Cost: \$80 for those requiring a certificate of attendance. \$40 for attendance only. Alternative methods of payment are available.
Registration: <http://www.acu.edu.au/theology/shortcourses> Click on the 'Melbourne' page. Registration is essential by 1 August.
Details: shortcourses.ftp@acu.edu.au

MEN'S WEEKEND When was the last time you felt really alive?
20-21 August 2016 St. Fidelis Parish Hall 49 Clarendon St, Coburg
For more information, contact: Roger O'Halloran 0490 335 487 rogeroha@gmail.com or Tony De Fazio 0490 447 422 defazioman@gmail.com

FEAST IN HONOUR TO THE SAVIOUR OF THE WORLD
Organized by the Spanish Speaking Chaplaincy
Saturday 6th August - St. Brigid's Church
2.30pm Procession with the Statue followed by Holy Mass celebrated by Bishop Hermenegildo Torres.
4.30pm Folk Festival in the Parish Hall. All welcome.
FESTA IN ONORE DEL SALVATORE DEL MONDO Organizzata dalla Cappellania di lingua Spagnola
Sabato 6 agosto nella chiesa di S. Brigida
2.30pm Processione con la Statua seguita dalla Santa Messa celebrata dal Vescovo Hermenegildo Torres.
4.30 pm Festival Folcloristico nella sala parrocchiale. Tutti benvenuti.


AN EVENING WITH MASSIMO FAGGIOLI
Thursday 21 July, 7.30pm St Carthage's Church, 123 Royal Pd, Parkville
Professor Massimo Faggioli is regarded as one of the most significant commentators on the Catholic Church in the post-Vatican II era. His books have received significant acclaim: *Vatican II: The battle for meaning* (2012), *Sorting out Catholicism: A brief history of the new ecclesial movements* (2014), *A council for the global Church: Receiving Vatican II in history* (2015). For his Melbourne appearance, Professor Faggioli will talk on the theme 'The Catholic Church and Francis in the international situation today'. All welcome. Cost: \$20

2016 WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS
Sunday 31 July, 11am St Patrick's Cathedral, Cathedral Place, E. Melbourne.
Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60th to 70th wedding anniversary this year? The Life Marriage and Family Office invite you and your family to join us for the annual Anniversary Mass. The Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Denis Hart.

TEAM CATHOLIC CARE RUN FOR REFUGEES - Sunday 24 July, Federation Square, Melbourne
Dust off your running shoes—it's time to join Team CatholicCare in our Run for Refugees at the annual Run Melbourne event. Team CatholicCare is fundraising for its refugee and settlement programs. Together, we can welcome refugees and help them with the social and life skills they need to settle safely. Our target is to recruit 100 'Team CatholicCare' members and raise \$20,000. All it would take is 100 team members raising just \$200 each, but the sky is the limit. The first 50 people to join Team CatholicCare and fundraise will receive a free Team CatholicCare t-shirt. Plus, CCI Personal Insurance will donate \$40 for every person who registers with Team CatholicCare.
Details: www.ccam.org.au/events or fundraising@ccam.org.au

St. Brigid & St. Mark Collections

1 Collection	\$ 565 - 00
2 Collection	\$ 360 - 00
Envelopes	\$248 - 00

Entrata COME IL CERVO ALL'ACQUA VA
Come il cervo all'acqua va, noi così da Te veniam.
Grande sete abbiamo di Te, Dio fonte dell'amor.
Camminiamo verso Te fra gioiosi cantici, noi veniamo al tuo altar per amarti, o Signor.

Chi mi vede piangere, chiede: "Dov'è Dio?" Il Signore è fra di noi, nel clamor di gioia. Ma ormai non piangerò, il Signor Salvatore e se io soffrirò penserò a Te, Signor.
Gloria a Dio Padre, gloria al Figlio Redentor, gloria allo Spirito, che ci unisce nell'amor.
Vien, Signore, vien fra noi, Amen, alleluia!
Vien, Signore, vien fra noi, Amen, alleluia.

Offertorio
A TE SIGNOR LEVIAMO I CUORI
A te Signore leviamo i cuori
A te Signor noi li doniam.
Quel pane bianco che t'offre la Chiesa e' frutto santo del nostro lavoro accettalo, Signore, e benedici.
A te Signore leviamo i cuori
A te Signor noi li doniam.
Quel vino puro che t'offre la Chiesa forma la gioia dei nostri bei colli; accettalo, Signore, e benedici. **Rit.**
Gioie dolori, fatiche e speranze nel sacro calice noi deponiamo accettali, Signore, e benedici. **Rit**

Comunione QUANTA SETE NEL MIO CUORE
Quanta sete nel mio cuore: solo in Dio si spegnerà. Quanta attesa di salvezza: solo in Dio si sazierà. L'acqua viva che egli dà Sempre fresca sgorgnerà.
Il Signore è la mia vita, il Signore è la mia gioia.
Se la strada si fa oscura Spero in lui: mui guiderà. Se l'angoscia mi tormenta, spero in lui: mi salverà. Non si scorda mai di me, presto a me riapparirà. **Rit.**
Nel mattino io ti invoco: tu, mio Dio, risponderai. Nella sera rendo grazie: tu, mio Dio, ascolterai. Al tuo monte salirò E vicino ti vedrò **Rit.**

Fine 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!**
