

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: Blessed be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love.**

**A reading from the the book of Proverbs (8:22-31)**

The Wisdom of God cries aloud, the Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of old. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth; before he had made the earth with its fields, or the first of the dust of the world. When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep, when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master workman; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the sons of men.

***This is the Word of the Lord.***

**Responsorial Psalm:**

**Response:** How great is your name, O Lord our God, through all the earth!

When I see the heavens, the work of your hands, the moon and the stars which you arranged, what is man that you should keep him in mind, mortal man that you care for him? **R./**

Yet you have made him little less than a god; with glory and honour you crowned him, gave him power over the works of your hand, put all things under his feet. **R./**

All of them, sheep and cattle, yes, even the savage beasts, birds of the air, and fish that make their way through the waters. **R./**

**A reading from the Letter of St Paul to the Romans (5:1-5)** Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in our hope of sharing the glory of God. More than that, we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us. ***This is the Word of the Lord.***

**Alleluia, alleluia!** Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, the God who is, and who was, and who is to come. **Alleluia!** (Apoc 1:8)

**A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St John (16:12-15)**

Jesus said to his disciples: "I have yet many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

***The Gospel of the Lord.***

**Communion Antiphon: Since you are children of God, God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father. (Gal 4:6)**

**ENTRANCE:**

**Praise God from whom All Blessings Flow**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below  
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Gost.

From all that dwell below the skies,  
Let the Creator's praise arise;  
Let the Redeemer's name be sung  
Through ev'ry land by ev'ry one

Eternal are Thy mercies Lord;  
And truth eternal is Thy Word;  
Thy praise shall sound  
from shore to shore  
Till suns shall rise  
and set no more.



**OFFERTORY:**

**Lord accept the gifts we offer**

Lord accept the gifts we offer at this Eucharistic feast,  
Bread and wine to be transformed through the action of thy priest,  
Take us too Lord and transform us,  
may thy grace in us increase.

May our souls be pure and spotless,  
as the host of wheat so fine,  
May all stain of sin be crushed out  
like the grape that forms the wine,  
As we too become partakers  
in this sacrifice divine

Take our gifts Almighty Father,  
living God eternal true,  
Which we give  
through Christ our Saviour  
pleading here for us anew  
Grant salvation to us present  
and our faith and love renew.



**COMMUNION:**

**Spirit Song**

O let the Son of God enfold you  
With His Spirit and His love  
Let Him fill your heart  
And satisfy your soul  
Oh let Him have the things  
that hold you  
And His Spirit like a dove  
Will descend upon your life  
And make you whole

**Refrain:**

**Jesus Oh Jesus  
Come and fill Your lambs  
(Repeat)**

Oh let us sing this song  
with gladness  
As our hearts are filled with joy  
Lift your hands in sweet surrender  
To His name  
Oh give Him all your tears  
and sadness  
Give Him all your years of pain  
And you'll enter into life  
In Jesus name **(ref)**



**FINAL:**

**Father I Thank You**

Father I thank You  
For all that You've done  
You gave Your Son  
freely for me  
And I praise You for calling me  
Drawing me near  
Out of blindness  
You caused me to see

Spirit of life

You are God's holy fire  
You've kindled my heart  
with Your blaze  
And I know You're refining me  
Changing my life  
And by faith You're revealing  
Your ways

Jesus I need You  
As Lord of my life  
I give all I have unto You  
Lord I want to come  
Under Your heavenly hand  
And to praise You  
in all that I do.



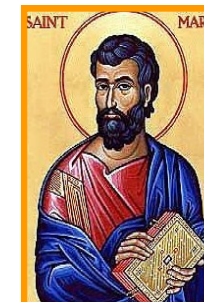
# Weekly Parish Newsletter

## Bollettino Parrocchiale Settimanale

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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.*

### A Circle of Love

Today we celebrate the mystery of the Holy Trinity – three divine persons in one God. Together with the mystery of the Incarnation, the Trinity represents a major tenet of the Christian faith. In the first reading the Book of Proverbs offers images of God the Creator. St. Paul to the Romans (2<sup>nd</sup> reading) presents God the Father as source and goal of life; Jesus the Son of God who in his humanity redeemed our wounded human life; the Holy Spirit who comes from the Father and the Son to affirm and continue in us this new life. The Gospel reveals the inner circle of commu-



nity of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit now taking us into its dynamic divine life. This is the fundamental mystery of our faith from which all others derive. The Church has professed this since its beginning on Pentecost day. St. Paul uses it as a special greeting to the community of believers: "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you". (2 Cor. 13: 13) We have all come to accept the mystery of the Holy Trinity even though we will never be able to comprehend it fully. The doctrine of the Holy Trinity is valuable because it proclaims bravely and vigorously that there are mighty and wondrous things happening in us, it reawakens in us a sense of wonder and awe, and energizes us to affirm the excitement of human life and love: our life is not limited to the drudgery of every day situations, but is a mystery in constant fulfillment in time and then in eternity through the love of God. By his will and power, our life is in God and thus we enter in the circle of love that is the eternal life of the Trinity. Rather than a cold and fossilized-in-time affirmation of faith, in our affirmation of faith in the Trinity we enter into the surge of life that by the force of God's love expands from Him to us and to all living beings. Caught in this circle of love then we understand the commandment of Jesus: Love one another as I loved you. Or again: "As the Father loves me so I love you: remain in my love". This is something we should think about whenever we make the sign of the cross.

### Un circolo di amore

Oggi celebriamo il mistero della Ss. Trinità – tre persone divine ma un unico Dio. Con il mistero dell'Incarnazione, la Trinità rappresenta una delle più importanti verità della nostra fede. La prima lettura dal libro dei Proverbi offre diverse immagini di Dio creatore. Nella seconda lettura S. Paolo, scrivendo ai Romani, parla di Dio come colui che adempie la speranza della nostra vita; di Cristo che ci ha fatto il dono della grazia di essere accolti da Dio; dello Spirito Santo che riversa su di noi l'amore divino. Il Vangelo rivela la vita intima di Dio come comunità trinitaria che ora si è rivelata a noi con un

dinamismo che ci attrae dentro questo circolo di vita trinitaria. Questo è il mistero fondamentale della nostra fede dal quale deriva ogni suo altro aspetto e verità. L'affermazione di Dio Uno e Trino appare fin dal giorno della Pentecoste. S. Paolo afferma questo mistero nel saluto che dá alle comunità cristiane: "La grazia del Signore nostro Gesù Cristo, l'amore del Padre e la comunione dello Spirito Santo sia con tutti voi" (2Cor. 13:13) In fede accettiamo la rivelazione di questo mistero anche se non potremo mai comprenderlo a fondo. La verità della Ss. Trinità è di grande importanza perché proclama con forza che la presenza di Dio nella nostra vita è dinamica, riaccende stupore e meraviglia nel nostro animo e dona energia e vigore al desiderio di vivere nell'amore: la nostra vita non si appesantisce nelle ansietà e incertezze di ogni giorno, ma continuamente si rinnova nel tempo e nell'eternità nell'amore di Dio. Per la volontà e potere di Dio la nostra vita vive in Dio e così entriamo nel circolo dell' amore eterno della Trinità. Anche la nostra fede non rimane fossilizzata nel tempo o solo un atto di fede che non trasforma, ma ci fa entrare nella forza rinnovatrice di Dio e che da Lui si espande su di noi e sul mondo intero. Presi in questo turbine di amore allora comprendiamo il comandamento di Gesù: "Amatevi gli uni gli altri come io vi ho amati". E ancora: "Come il Padre ha amato me così io ho amato voi: rimanete nel mio amore". Su questo noi dobbiamo riflettere ogni volta che facciamo il segno della croce.

**CHAPLAINCY SUNDAY 2016 APPEAL** Was held last weekend, if you have taken an envelope home, please return it as soon as possible. Thank you for your kind donation.

**JOHN PAUL II DINNER DANCE** JP2 musical is coming to Melbourne in sept 20, To help us raise funds for this production, you are invited to a fabulous **Dinner Dance** on 4 June at Saint-Scholastica's, Bennettswood – great food and music, 3 course meal, along with – of course – great company. Bring your friends. Make up a table. [www.trybooking.com/KPKO](http://www.trybooking.com/KPKO) We are also wanting more volunteers and we offer **3 free acting and singing classes every Saturday** email us for more details [cogtheatre@gmail.com](mailto:cogtheatre@gmail.com). 0413398528



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Day of the Week	Liturgical Celebration	Intention St. Mark	Intention St. Brigid	Parish Activity
<b>SATURDAY/SABATO</b> 21st May 2016 Year "C" (Vigil) <b>TRINITY SUNDAY</b>	<i>"I have yet many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now".</i>	Ogni Sabato 10.30am S.Messa per gli anziani al Rathdowne Place 497 Rathdowne St. Carlton. Tutti Benvenuti!	<b>2.00pm Musical Tribute to Our Lady</b>  <b>6.00pm PRO-POPULO</b>  <b>7.00pm Spanish Mass</b>	<b>Baptism Celebration for: Karla Maria AGUILAR Congratulations!</b> 
<b>SUNDAY/DOMENICA</b> 22nd May 2016 Year "C" <b>TRINITY SUNDAY</b> SS.TRINITÁ 	<i>"Molte cose ho ancora da dirvi, ma per il momento non siete capaci di portarne il peso".</i>	8.30am In honour to St. Rita	9.45am In honour to the Holy Trinity  11.00am Antonio PETRUCCI (10th annv) Rosa e Michele LAVECCHIA Maria RUSCIANO Luigi RITUCCI Gianna BOFFA	
Monday 23rd May 2016 1 Pet 1:3-9; Mk 10:17-29	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i> <i>The Lord will remember his covenant for ever.</i>	8.00am	9.15am  <b>10.30am Funeral Mass for Lucia COCO</b>	<i>Le nostre sentite condoglianze alla famiglia di Lucia Coco. Il Signore dia a lei il riposo eterno, e pace e conforto ai suoi cari.</i> 
Tuesday 24th May 2016 Our Lady, Help of Christians Gen 3:9-15,20; Eph 3:14-19; Lk 8:19-21	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i> <i>Lord, do not deal with as our sins deserve, nor punish us for our faults.</i>	8.00am In honour to Our Lady, Help of Christians.	9.15am In honour to Our Lady, Help of Christians.	
Wednesday 25th May 2016 Mercoledì 25 Maggio 2016 1 Pet 1:18-25; Mk 10:32-45	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i> <i>Lode a te, Signore; tu sei la nostra pace. Praise the Lord, Jerusalem.</i>	8.00am	9.15am <b>Dopo la S. Messa delle 9.15am segue il Gruppo di Preghiera Carismatico.</b>	
Thursday 26th May 2016 St. Philip Neri, priest 1 Pet 2:2-5, 9-12; Mk 20:46-52	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i> <i>Come with joy into the presence of the Lord.</i>	8.00am In honour to St. Philip Neri	9.15am In honour to St. Philip Neri Carmela FIORE	
Friday 27th May 2016 1 Pet 4:7-13; Mk 11:11-26	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i> <i>The Lord comes to judge the earth.</i>	8.00am	9.15am	

**NEXT BAPTISM PREPARATION**

For parents wishing to have their child baptised at St. Brigid's is on next Monday 30th May at 7.30pm in 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
Assistant Parish Priest & Migrant Chaplain to the Italian Community: Fr. Vito Pegolo, CS Tel: 0419 736 890	Parish Secretary Giovanna Bellissimo  Tel: (03) 9489-6777 Fax: (03) 9489-9926	Chaplains P. Luciano Toldo, CS Mob: 0411 206 858  P. Pawel Pakula, CSsR Mob: 0411 580760	Fax: (03) 9489-9926 Mob: 0410 001 462	Tel: (03) 9482-5349 Fax: (03) 9489-9926 Mob: 0404 261 228

Liturgy of the Word 28th & 29th May 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	E. Elkins	M. Lauria	A. Marchesan/ M./Del Raso	T. Toscano	D. Lauria
Responsorial Psalm	Volunteer	G. Piantella	S. Atherton	L. Colosimo	N. Omenihu/J. Smith		
II Reading	Volunteer	G. Piantella	C. Penitito	E. Mascia	D. Polla / T. Bozzetto		

**VENERAZIONE DELLE RELIQUIE DI SAN PADRE PIO**

I padri Cappuccini del Santuario di S. Padre Pio di Pietrelcina ci hanno informato che stanno portando importanti reliquie di Padre Pio in Australia per la venerazione dei molti suoi devoti. I Padri concelebreranno nella nostra Chiesa, Domenica 29 Maggio, durante la S. Messa delle 11.00am. Dopo la S. Messa i sacerdoti benediranno il popolo con le sacre reliquie e, se possibile, i devoti potranno venerare le reliquie anche individualmente.

**VENERATION OF ST. PADRE PIO'S RELICS**

The Capuchin Fathers from the Shrine of St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina are bringing important relics to Australia for veneration of the many devotees. They will concelebrate here during the 11.00am Italian Mass on Sunday 29th May. After Mass there will be benediction with the sacred relics for all and, time permitting individual veneration.

**St. Brigid & St. Mark Collections**

1 Collection	\$ 725 - 00
2 Collection	\$ 470 - 00
Envelopes	\$ 189 - 00

**PLEASE NOTE!**

**CONFIRMATIONS Sunday 12th June** the will be only ONE combined mass at 10.30am. Main celebrant: Bishop Terence Curtin.

**CRESIME Domenica 12 Giugno** ci sarà soltanto un UNICA messa alle 10.30am. Celebrante principale: Vescovo Terence Curtin.

**FESTA DELLA REPUBBLICA**

Domenica prossima 29 Maggio la comunità italo-australiana festeggia il 70mo anniversario della fondazione della Repubblica Italiana. **Santa Messa alle 9.30am nella Cattedrale di San Patrizio. Celebranti: Mons. Franco Cavarra e P. Vito Pegolo,cs.**

Dopo la S. Messa i festeggiamenti continuano presso Fogorlan Furlan Club. Tutti benvenuti.

**CELEBRAZIONI IN ONORE DELLA MADONNA DELLE GRAZIE A SANTA BRIGIDA**

**Sabato prossimo 28 Maggio alle ore 4.15pm. Santa Messa in onore della Madonna Delle Grazie. Celebrante: P. Savino Bernardi. Eseguirà i canti il coro di Sant'Antonio. Tutti benvenuti.**



**MAY - MONTH OF MARY:** We are all invited and encouraged to pray the Holy Rosary in honour to our mother Mary before or after Mass, or in our own homes with members of our family.

**MAGGIO - MESE DI MARIA:** Siamo tutti invitati ed incoraggiati a recitare il S. Rosario in onore alla nostra Madre Celeste in chiesa prima o dopo la Santa Messa, oppure in casa insieme alla nostra famiglia.

**Triduum to Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini**

**Wednesday 1st June 7.30pm Mass (Filipino)**  
**Thursday 2nd June 7.30pm Mass (Italian)**  
**Friday 3rd June 7.30pm (Spanish)**

**Concluding Saturday 4th June with a concelebrated Mass at 10.30am**

After the multicultural Mass there will be a get together in the hall to share our friendship and some refreshments. All invited.

**MASS FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS**

**and their families. Sunday 5th June 2016, 11am St Patrick's Cathedral, 1 Cathedral Place, East Melbourne.** The Life, Marriage & Family Office warmly invite all expectant mothers and their families to the Mass for Expectant Mothers to be celebrated by Archbishop Denis Hart. Expectant mothers who register will receive a small token of recognition.

Registrations close Friday 27 May 2016  
Reg. [www.cam.org.au/lifemarriagefamily](http://www.cam.org.au/lifemarriagefamily)  
or [lmf@cam.org.au](mailto:lmf@cam.org.au) Details: 9287 5587

**Canto D'Ingresso**  
**LODATE DIO**

Lodate Dio,  
schiera beate del cielo,  
lodate Dio, genti di tutta la terra:  
cantate a lui, che l'universo creò  
somma sapienza e splendore.

Lodate Dio,  
Padre che dona ogni bene  
lodate Dio,  
ricco di grazia e perdono:  
cantate a lui,  
che tanto gli uomini amò  
da dare l'unico Figlio.

Lodate Dio, uno e trino Signore,  
lodate Dio,  
meta e premio dei buoni:  
cantate a lui,  
sorgente di ogni bontà,  
per tutti i secoli. Amen!

**Canto D'Offertorio****O SIGNORE, NOI T'OFFRIAMO**

O Signore, noi t'offriamo  
Tutti insieme questo pane;  
è il frutto della terra  
e dell'uomo che lavora.  
Benedetto sia tu, Signore;  
questo pane che mangiamo  
è un dono del tuo amore  
è un segno di bontà.

O Signore, noi t'offriamo  
Tutti insieme questo vino:  
è il frutto della vite  
e dell'uomo che lavora  
Benedetto sia tu, Signore;  
questo vino che beviamo  
è un dono del tuo amore  
è un segno di bontà.

**Canto di Comunione**  
**TE LODIAMO TRINITÁ**

Te lodiamo, Trinitá,  
nostro Dio, ti adoriamo;  
Padre dell'umanità,  
la tua gloria proclamiamo.  
**TE LODIAMO, TRINITÁ,**  
**PER L'IMMENZA TUA BONTÁ**  
Tutto il mondo annuncia Te:  
Tu lo hai fatto come un segno.  
Ogni uomo porta in sé  
il sigillo del tuo regno.

Noi crediamo solo in Te,  
nostro Padre e creatore;  
noi speriamo solo in Te,  
Gesù Cristo, Salvatore.

Infinita carità,  
Santo Spirito d'amore,  
luce, pace e verità,  
regna sempre mio cuore.

**Canto Finale**  
**SANTA MARIA DEL CAMMINO**

Mentre trascorre la vita,  
solo tu non sei mai  
Santa Maria del cammino,  
sempre sarò con te.

**Vieni o Madre in mezzo a noi**  
**Vieni Maria quaggiù**  
**cammineremo insieme a te**  
**verso la libertà.**

Quando qualcuno ti dice:  
"Nulla mai cambierà"  
lotta per un mondo nuovo,  
lotta per la verità. **Rit.**

Lungo la strada la gente,  
chiusa in se stessa va:  
offri per primo la mano  
a chi è vicino a te. **Rit.**

