

4 ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgement, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy. (Dan 3:31, 29, 30, 43, 42)

A reading from the book of Amos (6:1, 4-7) The almighty Lord says this, "Woe to those who are at ease in Zion, and to those who feel secure on the mountain of Samaria. Woe to those who lie upon beds of ivory, and stretch themselves upon their couches, and eat lambs from the flock, and calves from the midst of the stall; who sing idle songs to the sound of the harp, and like David invent for themselves instruments of music; who drink wine in bowls, and anoint themselves with the finest oils, but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph! Therefore they shall now be the first of those to go into exile, and the revelry of those who stretch themselves shall pass away." **This is the Word of the Lord.**

Responsorial Psalm: Praise the Lord, my soul!

It is the Lord who keeps faith for ever, who is just to those who are oppressed. It is he who gives bread to the hungry, the Lord, who sets prisoners free. **R/**

It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind, who raises up those who are bowed down. It is the Lord who loves the just, the Lord, who protects the stranger. **R/**

He upholds the widow and the orphan but thwarts the path of the wicked. The Lord will reign for ever, Zion's God, from age to age. **R/**

A reading from the First Letter of St Paul to Timothy (6:11-16)

As for you, man of God, shun all this; aim at righteousness, godliness, faith, love, steadfastness, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life to which you were called when you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. In the presence of God who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you to keep the commandment unstained and free from reproach until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ; and this will be made manifest at the proper time by the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no man has ever seen or can see. To him be honour and eternal dominion. Amen. **This is the Word of the Lord.**

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord; he who follows me will have the light of life. **Alleluia!**

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St Luke(16:19-31) Jesus said to the Pharisees, "There was a rich man, who was clothed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, full of sores, who desired to be fed with what fell from the rich man's table; moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. The poor man died and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried; and in Hades, being in torment, he lifted up his eyes, and saw Abraham far off and Lazarus in his bosom. And he called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy upon me, and send Lazarus to dip the end of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in anguish in this flame.' But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that you in your lifetime received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in anguish. And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been fixed, in order that those who would pass from here to you may not be able, and none may cross from there to us.' And he said, 'Then I beg you, father, to send him to my father's house, for I have five brothers, so that he may warn them, lest they also come into this place of torment.' But Abraham said, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' He said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced if someone should rise from the dead.'"

The Gospel of the Lord.

Communion Antiphon: Remember your word to your servant, O Lord, by which you have given me hope. This is my comfort when I am brought low. (Ps118:49-50).

Entrance: CHRIST BE OUR LIGHT

Longing for light, we wait in darkness. Longing for truth, we turn to you. Make us your own, your holy people,

Refrain
Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gathered today.

Longing for food, many are hungry. Longing for water, many still thirst. Make us your bread, broken for others, shared until all are fed. **(Ref)**



Offertory: BLESSED BE OUR GOD

Take this bread, gift and work of human hands, Take this wine from this branch of your vine. Take our lives as an offering to you, God of mercy, singing "Blessed be our God!"

BOOK LAUNCH: DEAR MOTHER, DEAR FATHER: LETTERS HOME FROM JOHN CORCORAN WALLIS 1927-1949
Wednesday 2 October, 6pm for 6.30pm start
Yarra Theological Union Study Centre, 99 Albion Street, Box Hill (enter from Bedford Street)



Communion: BLEST ARE THEY

Blest are they, the poor in spirit, theirs is the kingdom of God. Blest are they, full of sorrow, they shall be consoled. **Rejoice and be glad! Blessed are you, Holy are you! Rejoice and be glad! Yours is the kingdom of God!**

Blest are they, the lowly ones, they shall inherit the earth. Blest are they who hunger and thirst, they shall have their fill. **(Ref)**

Blest are they who show mercy, mercy shall be theirs. Blest are they, the pure of heart, They shall see God! **(Ref)**

Blest are they who seek peace; they are the children of God. Blest are they who suffer in faith, the glory of God is theirs. **(Ref)**

Blest are you who suffer hate, all because of me. Rejoice and be glad, yours is the kingdom; shine for all to see. **(Ref)**



Final: TELL OUT, MY SOUL, THE GREATNESS OF THE LORD

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord! Unnumbered blessings give my spirit voice; tender to me the promise of his word; in God my Savior shall my heart rejoice

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his Name! Make known his might, the deeds his arm has done; his mercy sure, from age to age to same; his holy name-the Lord, the Mighty One

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his might! Powers and dominions lay their glory by Proud hearts and stubborn wills are put to flight, the hungry fed, the humble lifted high.

Tell out, my soul, the glories of his word! Firm is his promise, and his mercy sure. Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord to children's children and for evermore!



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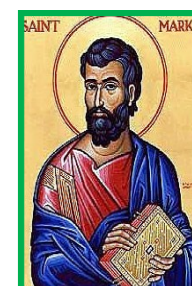
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We acknowledge the Wurundjeri people, the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which we stand. We pay our respects to them for their care of the land. May we walk gently on this land.

GRACE AND JUSTIFICATION

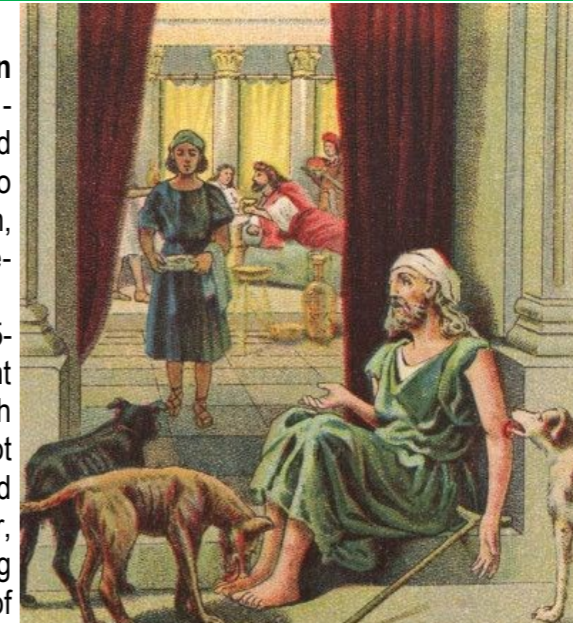
425. What is the relationship between grace and human freedom? (2001-2002) Grace precedes, prepares and elicits our free response. It responds to the deep yearnings of human freedom, calls for its cooperation and leads freedom toward its perfection.

426. What is merit? (2006-2010;2025-2026) In general merit refers to the right to recompense for a good deed. With regard to God, we of ourselves are not able to merit anything, having received everything freely from him. However, God gives us the possibility of acquiring merit through union with the love of Christ, who is the source of our merits

before God. The merits for good works, therefore must be attributed in the first place to the grace of God and then to the free will of man.

427. What are the goods that we can merit? (2010-2011;2027) Moved by the Holy Spirit, we can merit for ourselves and for others the graces needed for our sanctification and for the attainment of eternal life. Even temporal goods, suitable for us, can be merited in accordance with the plan of God. No one, however, can merit the *initial grace* which is at the origin of conversion and justification.

428. Are all called to Christian holiness? (2012-2016;2028-2029) All the faithful are called to Christian holiness. This is the fullness of Christian life and the perfection of charity and it is brought about by intimate union with Christ and, in him, with the most Holy Trinity. The path to holiness for a Christian goes by way of the cross and will come to its fulfilment in the final resurrection of the just, in which God will be all in all.



.GRAZIA E GIUSTIFICAZIONE

425. Qual è il rapporto tra la grazia e la libertà dell'uomo? (2001-2002) La grazia previene, prepara e suscita la libera risposta dell'uomo. Essa risponde alle profonde aspirazioni della libertà umana, la invita a cooperare e la conduce alla sua perfezione

426. Che cos'è il merito? (2006-2010;2025-2026) Il merito è ciò che dà diritto alla ricompensa per un'azione buona. Nei confronti di Dio, l'uomo, di per sé, non può meritare nulla, avendo tutto da lui gratuitamente ricevuto. Tuttavia, Dio gli dona la possibilità di acquistare meriti per

l'unione alla carità di Cristo, sorgente dei nostri meriti davanti a Dio. I meriti delle opere buone devono perciò essere attribuiti anzitutto alla grazia di Dio e poi alla libera volontà dell'uomo,

427. Quali beni possiamo meritare? (2010-2011;2027) Sotto la mozione dello Spirito Santo possiamo meritare, per noi stessi e per gli altri, le grazie utili per santificarci e per giungere alla vita eterna, come pure i beni temporali a noi convenienti secondo il disegno di Dio. Nessuno può meritare la *grazia prima*, quella che sta all'origine della conversione e della giustificazione.

428. Siamo tutti chiamati alla santità cristiana? (2012-2016;2028-2029) Tutti i fedeli sono chiamati alla santità cristiana. Essa è pienezza della vita cristiana e perfezione della carità, e si attua nell'unione intima con Cristo, e, in lui, con la Santissima Trinità. Il cammino di santificazione del cristiano, dopo essere passato attraverso la Croce, avrà il suo compimento nella Risurrezione finale dei giusti, nella quale Dio sarà tutto in tutte le cose.

FEAST IN HONOUR TO SAN LORENZO RUIZ DE MANILA

TODAY Sunday 29th September here in St. Brigid's Church, commencing at 12.30pm the Filipino Community will come together to celebrate the FEAST OF ST. LORENZO RUIZ with Procession and Holy Mass. Everyone invited to join in the celebrations.








OGGI Domenica 29 settembre nella nostra chiesa di Santa Brigida con inizio alle 12.30pm la Comunità Filipina si riunisce per celebrare la FESTA DI SAN LORENZO RUIZ con Processione e Santa Messa. Tutti invitati ad unirsi alle celebrazioni.



The Missionaries of St. Charles Borromeo - Scalabrinians www.Scalabrini.org Ministering to the Parish and Migrants in St. Brigid since 1959

Our Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

2 Liturgical Calendar and activities

Day of the Week	Liturgical Celebration	Intention St. Mark	Intention St. Brigid	Parish Activity
SATURDAY/ SABATO 28th September 2019 26th Sunday In Ordinary Time Year "C" VIGIL	<i>'Father Abraham, have mercy upon me'.</i>	7.00pm Intentions Magaly MENTADO de GAGLIOTTA Petra ECHEZURIA Flora MENTADO	6.00pm Novena and Mass in honour to San Lorenzo Ruiz 	Baptism Celebration for: Mathias VELEZ DIAZ Congratulations! 
SUNDAY/DOMENICA 29th September 2019 26th Sunday In Ordinary Time Year "C"	<i>"Padre Abramo, abbi pietà di me".</i> 	8.30am Pasquale VILLANI St. Brigid's 3.00pm Baptism Celebration for: Mia SANGALLI Congratulations!	9.45am Pro - Popolo 11.00am Antonio e Rocchina TOCE Def. Memb. Fam. LAURIA Domenico BELLISSIMO 4.00pm Brazilian Comm. Prayers Adoration and Holy Mass	12.30pm Celebrations in Honour to San Lorenzo Ruiz. A warm welcome to the Filipino Community and all devotees. 
Monday/Lunedì 30th September 2019 St. Jerome, priest, doctor Zech 8: 1-8; Lk 9:46-50	Responsorial Psalm <i>The Lord will build up Zion again, and appear in all his glory</i>	8.00am St. Jerome Peter SHERMAN (Special Intentions)	9.15am St. Jerome Carmelo CALANDRA 	7.30pm Baptism Preparation for parents and god-parents in church.
Tuesday/ Martedì 1st October 2019 St. Thérèse of the Child of Jesus, virgin Zech 8:20-23; Lk 9:51-56	Responsorial Psalm <i>God is with us.</i>	8.00am St. Thérèse of the Child of Jesus Andrew & Vida (Healing & Special Intentions)	9.15am St. Thérèse of the Child of Jesus 7.00pm Memorial Mass Vittorio D'ALIFE (1st ann).	
Wednesday/Mercoledì 2nd October 2019 The Holy Guardian Angels (Ex 23:20-23); Mt 18:1-5,10	Responsorial Psalm <i>He has put his angels in charge of you to guard you in all your ways</i>	8.00am The Holy Guardian Angels Lawrence & Paul (Healing & Special Intentions)	9.15am St. John Paul II Carmelina CAFARELLA 7.00pm Mass in honour to O.L.P.H (Filipino Chaplaincy) Church	
Thursday/Giovedì 3rd October 2019 Neh 8:1-12; Lk 10:1-12	Responsorial Psalm <i>The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.</i>	8.00am Holy Souls	9.15am	
Friday/Venerdì 4th October 2019 St. Francis of Assisi Baruch 4: 5-12, 27-29; Lk 10:13-16	Responsorial Psalm <i>For the Glory of your name, O Lord, deliver us.</i>	8.00am St. Francis of Assisi Holy Souls	9.15am St. Francis of Assisi 7.30pm 1st Friday Spanish Mass	

CATHOLIC MISSION - OCTOBER: Pope Francis' Extraordinary Month of Mission.
Tuesday, 1 October 2019 A time to Reflect: Mary MacKillop Heritage Centre 362 Albert Street, E. Melbourne 10am -3pm Spirituality Day \$10 www.trybooking.com/BECUT
Saturday, 5 October 2019 A Time for Nourishment: SVD Annual Mission Day 3pm Mission Day Seminar Principal Speaker: Theresa D'Orsa, - 6pm Mission Day Mass - St. Paschal's chapel, 98 Albion Rd. Box Hill - 7pm Multi-Cultural Meal followed by Multi-cultural performances with the Divine word Missionaries at Dorish Maru College.

Parish Community	Parish Office	Comunidad Pastoral De Habla Hispana	Comunidade Pastoral De Expressão Portuguesa	Filipino Pastoral Community
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3 Parish News... Notizie di casa nostra...

Liturgy of the Word 5th & 6th October 2019	6.00pm Vigil St. Brigid	8.30am St. Mark	9.45am St. Brigid	11.00am St. Brigid	Offertory Procession	Church Cleaning
I Reading	M. de Souza	G. Piantella	Choir Member	L. Colosimo	B. Rigoni / M. Villani	Lolita Ferrero
Responsorial Psalm	M. de Souza	G. Piantella	Choir Member	M. Lauria	C. Penitito / R. Omenihu	
II Reading	M. de Souza	G. Piantella	Choir Member	N. Cavallin	P. La Marca / T. Bozzetto	

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
Will take place on Sunday 10th November 2019 during the 9.45am Mass. Preparation classes run by the Missionaries of Charity. If interested, please contact the parish office on 94896777 or Sr.Jovier 94151011

CALL OF GUADALUPE Theatre
Presents Concert **Celebrate LIFE** Friday October 11th 7.30pm - 10.30pm
Performing Arts Centre, Mahoneys Road, Forest Hill,
COG Theatre Musical Acts
Georga Byrne Fr. David Lemewu
Tickets \$10 - \$30
Early bird tickets only \$12 end 1st October or first 100 seats. VIP-select best seats asap.
For further information https://www.trybooking.com/BEVLD or cogtheatre@gmail.com or www.callofguadalupe.com

MARCH FOR BABIES
Victoria's Annual March for the Babies assembles in the treasury Gadens Cnr. Spring Street and Wellington Parade 1.00pm Saturday October 12 The March concludes with speeches in front of Parliament House commemorating the 1000,000 Australian lives a year lost through abortion in our country.

OCTOBER MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

Free Wills Seminar As life changes, has your Will been updated to keep pace with your new circumstances? Malcolm Campbell, Principal of Nicholas O'Donohue (expert in Estate Law) will provide clear and real life examples. Date: Tuesday 15 Oct. Location: St Vincent's Hospital, Michael Chamberlain Theatre, Building E, Aikenhead Wing Time: 12.00 - 1.30 pm Bookings are essential please contact events@svhm.org.au or phone 9231 3363. www.stvfoundation.org.au/willseminar

MAGNIFICAT A Serenade to Our Blessed Virgin Mary. Featuring: Filipino Chaplaincy Choir of Melbourne and EXXEMOS Choir Saturday 12 October 7.00pm Theatre - St. Monica's College, 400 Dalton Rd. Epping. Saturday 26 October, 7.00pm St. Peter's Chanel Parish Hall, 848 Ballarat Rd. Deer Park. Admission: \$20 Proceeds are for the various charitable projects of the Filipino Chaplaincy

GENAZZANO FCJ COLLEGE
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A Catholic Day and Boarding School
All Girls Prep - 12; Co-educational ELC
OPEN MORNING Wednesday 23 October

ST PETER CLAVER'S MISSION FAIR
The Missionary Sisters of St. Peter Claver will hold their Annual Mission Fair on Saturday 12 October 9.00am - 3.00pm at 154 Cotham Road, Kew. This year the proceeds will be forwarded to Sister Veneranda Myuku of the Franciscan Sisters of Charity, working at the IKOMBO EPILEPTIC CENTRE for the poor in the Mahenge Diocese of Tanzania. Enquiries Phone 9817 3715. Please come along and enjoy the fair.

LISTEN TO WHAT THE SPIRIT IS SAYING The Plenary Council invites people to continue to participate in the journey towards the Council sessions in 2020 and 2021. The 'Listening and Discernment' phase recently opened and a guide has been developed to encourage groups to take part in communal discernment on the National Themes for Discernment. www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au
Final report for the Plenary Council on Phase 1: Listening and Dialogue can be read on screen or downloaded via plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/resources/reports/.

St. Brigid & St. Mark Collections
1st Collection \$655 - 00
2nd Collection \$360 - 00
Envelopes \$123 - 00

Entrata: NOI CANTEREMO GLORIA
Noi canteremo gloria a Te, Padre che dai la vita, Dio d'immensa carità, Trinità infinita.
Tutto il creato vive in Te, segno della tua gloria; tutta la storia ti darà onore e vittoria.
La tua Parola venne a noi, annuncio del tuo dono la tua Promessa porterà salvezza e perdono.
Vieni, Signore, in mezzo ai tuoi, vieni nella tua casa: dona la pace e l'unità, raduna la tua Chiesa.

Offertorio: UNA SPIGA DORATA
Una spiga dorata dal sol Ed un grappol che coglie il vignaiol Si trasforma ora in pane e vino d'amor E nel Corpo e nel Sangue del Signor.
Comunione formiamo insiem, Seminati nel campo come gran, un molino che macina le gioie e i dolor, Dio ci fa eucaristia nell'amor.
Come grano che forma il pan, Come note tessute nel cantar, Come gocce raccolte tra le sponde del mar. I cristiani un solo corpo formeran.
E ci nutriamo del Corpo tuo, Signor, E beviamo il Tuo sangue, Salvatore. Tu trasformaci in una cosa sola, Amor, In un corpo sol con te che sei Signor.

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 sgorgherà.
Il Signore è la mia vita, il Signore è la mia gioia.
Se la strada si fa oscura Spero in lui: mi 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: È L'ORA CHE PIA
È l'ora che pia la squilla fedel. Le note c'invia dell'Ave del ciel.
Ave, ave, ave, Maria! Ave, ave, ave, Maria!
Nel piano di Dio l'eletta sei tu, Che porti nel mondo il Figlio Gesù. **Rit.**
A te, Immacolata, la lode, l'amor: Tu doni alla Chiesa il suo Salvatore. **Rit.**
Di tutti i malati solleva il dolor, consola chi soffre nel corpo e nel cuor. **Rit.**
Proteggi il cammino di un popol fedel, Ottieni ai tuoi figli di giungere al ciel. **Rit.**