

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** O sing a new song to the Lord, for he has worked wonders, in the sight of the nations he has shown his deliverance, alleluia (Ps 98:1-2).

**A reading from the Acts of the Apostles (9:26-31)** When Saul had come to Jerusalem he attempted to join the disciples; and they were all afraid of him, for they did not believe that he was a disciple. But Barnabas took him, and brought him to the apostles, and declared to them how on the road he had seen the Lord, who spoke to him, and how at Damascus he had preached boldly in the name of Jesus. So he went in and out among them at Jerusalem, preaching boldly in the name of the Lord. And he spoke and disputed against the Hellenists; but they were seeking to kill him. And when the brethren knew it, they brought him down to Caesarea, and sent him off to Tarsus. So the Church throughout all Judea and Galilee and Samaria had peace and was built up; and walking in the fear of the Lord and in the comfort of the Holy Spirit it was multiplied.

*This is the Word of the Lord.*

#### Responsorial Psalm:

#### Response You, Lord, are my praise in the great assembly.

My vows I will pay before those who fear him. The poor shall eat and shall have their fill. They shall praise the Lord, those who seek him. May their hearts live for ever and ever. **R/**

All the earth shall remember and return to the Lord, all families of the nations worship before him. They shall worship him, all the mighty of the earth; before him shall bow all who go down to the dust. **R/**

And my soul shall live for him, my children serve him. They shall tell of the Lord to generations yet to come, declare his faithfulness to peoples yet unborn: "These things the Lord has done". **R/**

**A reading from the First Letter of St John (3:18-24)** Little children, let us not love in word or speech but in deed and in truth. By this we shall know that we are of the truth, and reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us, for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have confidence before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him. And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who keep his commandments abide in him, and he in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit which he has given us. *This is the Word of the Lord.*

**Alleluia, alleluia!** Make your home in me, as I make mine in you. Whoever remains in me bears fruit in plenty. **Alleluia!** (Jn 15:4-5).

**A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St John (15:1-8)** Jesus said to his disciples, "I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine dresser. Every branch of mine that bears no fruit, he takes away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes that it may bear more fruit. You are already made clean by the word which I have spoken to you. Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. If a man does not abide in me, he is cast forth as a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire and burned. If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you will, and it shall be done for you. By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit, and so prove to be my disciples."

*The Gospel of the Lord.*

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** I am the vine and you are the branches, says the Lord. Whoever remains in me, and I in him, bears fruits in plenty, Alleluia (Jn 15:5).

#### 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!"

Jesus Christ, the king of glory,  
Everlasting Son of God,  
Humble was your virgin mother  
Hard the lonely path You trod:  
By Your cross is sin defeated,  
Hell confronted face to face,  
Heaven opened to believers,  
Sinners justified by grace.



#### Offertory

#### Gift of Finest wheat

*Chorus:*

**You satisfy  
the hungry heart  
with gift of finest wheat,  
come give to us  
O saving Lord,  
the bread of life to eat.**

With joyful lips  
we sing to You,  
Our praise and gratitude,  
that You should count us  
worthy Lord,  
to share this heavenly  
food.

Is not the cup  
we bless and share,  
the blood of Christ  
outpoured?  
Do not one cup,  
one loaf declare  
Our oneness in the Lord?



#### Communion

#### Something Beautiful (Missionaries of Charity)

Come with me into a world of poverty  
Into a land where men are dying endlessly  
Into a world of inhumanity  
Can't you see they're starving where's your charity  
They laugh and cry they're people  
just like you and me  
They need help and not just sympathy

*Chorus:*

**Show each one  
something beautiful for God above  
Something beautiful to show your love  
Something beautiful for God above  
Something beautiful to show your love**

A day goes by the night is long for everyone  
A child is crying perhaps he'll live to see the sun  
And yet he knows the morning may not come  
Throughout the world our brothers live in poverty  
They're everywhere if only we have eyes to see  
So look around and find your sanity

Show to men the love that He has shown to you  
and feed His lambs as He has fed each one of you  
He loves them as much as He loves you.



#### Final:

#### Everyday God

Earth's creator,  
Everyday God  
Loving Maker, O Jesus,  
You who shaped us, O Spirit,  
Recreate us, Come, be with us

In your presence,  
Everyday God  
We are gathered, O Jesus,  
You have called us, O Spirit,  
To restore us, Come, be with us

Life of all lives, Everyday God  
Love of all loves, O Jesus,  
Hope of all hopes, O Spirit,  
Light of all lights,  
Come, be with us.

Alleluia, Everyday God,  
Now and always, O Jesus,  
Alleluia, O Spirit,  
Through all ages,  
Come, be with us.



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**HOLY SPIRIT PILGRIMAGE** to Holy Land and Holy Places in Italy (3<sup>rd</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2018) plus Optional Extension to Egypt & Jordan (20<sup>th</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2018); or Only Holy Places in Italy (3<sup>rd</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2018); or Only Holy Land (12<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2018). Spiritual Directors: Fr Emmanuel-tv and Fr Jude CSSP. For more info/itinerary, Contact: [fremmanueltv@hotmail.com](mailto:fremmanueltv@hotmail.com), 0417999553, (08)93413131; (08)93413079, or [jude.agorchukwu@cam.org.au](mailto:jude.agorchukwu@cam.org.au); 0400759391, (03) 97899672



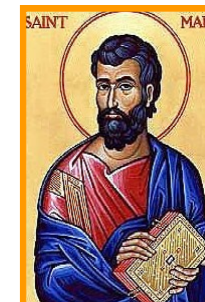
# Weekly Parish Newsletter

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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.*

**5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER. The Church is one, holy, catholic, and apostolic.**

(45) *Serialised presentation of the "Compendium of the Catechism".*

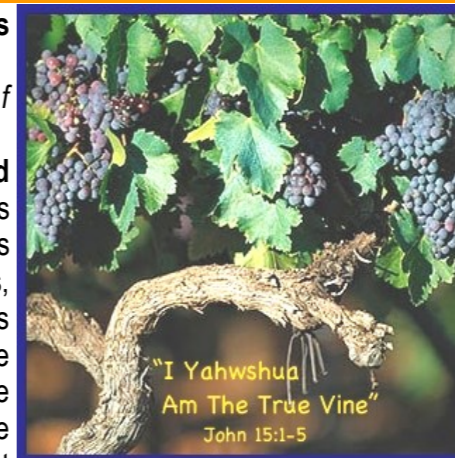
**166. Why is the Church called "Catholic"?** (830-831;868) The Church is catholic, that is *universal*, insofar as Christ is present in her: "Where there is Christ Jesus, there is the Catholic Church" (Saint Ignatius of Antioch). The Church proclaims the fullness and the totality of the faith; she bears and administers the fullness of the means of salvation; she is sent out by Christ on a mission to the whole of the human race.

**167. Is the particular Church catholic?** (832-835) Every *particular* Church (that is, a *diocese* or *eparchy*) is catholic. It is formed by a community of Christians who are in communion of faith and of the sacraments both with their Bishop, who is ordained in apostolic succession, and with the Church of Rome which "presides in charity" (Saint Ignatius of Antioch).

**168. Who belongs to the Catholic Church?** (836-838) All human beings in various ways belong to or are ordered to the Catholic unity of the people of God. Fully incorporated into the Catholic Church are those who, possessing the Spirit of Christ, are joined to the Church by the bonds of the profession of faith, the sacraments, ecclesiastical government and communion. The baptized who do not enjoy full Catholic unity are in a certain, although imperfect, communion with the Catholic Church.

**169. What is the relationship of the Catholic Church with the Jewish people?** (839-840) The Catholic Church recognizes a particular link with the Jewish people in the fact that God chose them before all others to receive his Word. To the Jewish people belong "the sonship, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, the promises, and the patriarchs; and of their race, according to the flesh, is the Christ" (Romans 9:4, 5). The Jewish faith, unlike other non-Christian religions, is already a response to the revelation of God in the Old Covenant.

**170. What is the bond that exists between the Catholic Church and non-Christian religions?** (841-845) There is a bond between all peoples which comes especially from the common origin and end of the entire human race. The Catholic Church recognizes that whatever is good or true in other religions comes from God and is a reflection of his truth. As such it can prepare for the acceptance of the Gospel and act as a stimulus toward the unity of humanity in the Church of Christ.



**QUINTA DOMENICA DI PASQUA. La Chiesa è una, santa, cattolica e apostolica**  
*Dal Compendio del Catechismo (45)*

**166. Perché la Chiesa è detta cattolica?** (830-831;868) La Chiesa è *cattolica*, cioè *universale*, in quanto in essa è presente Cristo: «Là dove è Cristo Gesù, ivi è la Chiesa cattolica» (sant'Ignazio di Antiochia). Essa annunzia la totalità e l'integrità della fede; porta e amministra la pienezza dei mezzi di salvezza; è inviata in missione a tutti i popoli in ogni tempo e a qualsiasi cultura appartengano.

**167. È cattolica la Chiesa particolare?** (832-835) È cattolica ogni Chiesa *particolare* (cioè la *diocesi* e *l'eparchia*), formata dalla comunità dei cristiani che sono in comunione nella fede e nei sacramenti, con il loro Vescovo ordinato nella successione apostolica, e con la Chiesa di Roma, che «presiede nella carità» (sant'Ignazio di Antiochia).

**168. Chi appartiene alla Chiesa cattolica?** (836-838) Tutti gli uomini in vario modo appartengono o sono ordinati alla cattolica unità del popolo di Dio. È pienamente incorporato alla Chiesa cattolica chi, avendo lo Spirito di Cristo, è unito ad essa dai vincoli della professione di fede, dei sacramenti, del governo ecclesiastico e della comunione. I battezzati, che non realizzano pienamente tale cattolica unità, sono in una certa comunione, sebbene imperfetta, con la Chiesa Cattolica.

**169. Qual è il rapporto della Chiesa cattolica con il popolo ebraico?** (839-840) La Chiesa cattolica riconosce il proprio rapporto con il popolo ebraico nel fatto che Dio scelse questo popolo, primo fra tutti, ad accogliere la sua Parola. È al popolo ebraico che appartengono «l'adozione a figli, la gloria, le alleanze, la legislazione, il culto, le promesse, i patriarchi; da esso proviene Cristo secondo la carne» (Rm 9,4.5). A differenza delle altre religioni non cristiane, la fede ebraica è già risposta alla Rivelazione di Dio nell'Antica Alleanza.

**170. Che legame c'è tra la Chiesa cattolica e le religioni non cristiane?** (841-845) C'è un legame, dato anzitutto dall'origine e dal fine comuni di tutto il genere umano. La Chiesa cattolica riconosce che quanto di buono e di vero si trova nelle altre religioni viene da Dio, è raggio della sua verità, può preparare all'accoglienza del Vangelo e spingere verso l'unità dell'umanità nella Chiesa di Cristo.



The Missionaries of St. Charles Borromeo - Scalabrinians [www.Scalabrini.org](http://www.Scalabrini.org)  
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*Our Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.*

Day of the Week	Liturgical Celebration	Intention St. Mark	Intention St. Brigid	Parish Activity
<b>SATURDAY</b> of the Fourth week of Easter <b>SABATO</b> della Quarta Settimana di Pasqua 28 <sup>th</sup> April 2018 Year "B"	"I am the true vine, and my Father is the vine dresser".		6.00pm PRO-POPULO 7.00pm Spanish Mass	<b>Baptism Celebration for: Blake Ivy HIPOLITO Congratulations!</b> 
<b>5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER</b> <b>QUINTA DOMENICA DI PASQUA</b> 29 <sup>th</sup> April 2018 Year "B"	"Io sono la vite vera e il Padre mio è l'agricoltore".	8.30am Maria APOLLONI FABRIS Pasquale VILLANI	9.45am 11.00am Angelo LA MARCA Domenica e Domenico BELLISSIMO	<b>Baptism Celebration for: Sienna TRAN Eleni MANGOS Congratulations!</b> 
Monday/Lunedí 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2018 Of the 5 <sup>th</sup> week of Easter Acts 14:5-18; Jn 14:21-26	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b> Not to us, O Lord, but to your name give the glory.	8.00am	9.15am Carmelo FIORE	<b>Baptism Preparation 7.30pm in the church. Parents &amp; Godparents invited to attend.</b>
Tuesday/ Martedì 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2018 Of the 5 <sup>th</sup> week of Easter Acts 14: 19 -28; Jn 14:27-31	<b>Responsorial Psalm.</b> Your friends tell the glory of your friendship, Lord.	8.00am	9.15am	
Wednesday/Mercoledì 2 <sup>nd</sup> May 2018 Sant'Atanasio, vescovo e dottore St. Athanasius, bishop, doctor Acts 15:1-6 Jn 15:1-8	<b>Responsorial Psalm.</b> La tua legge, o Dio, è nel mio cuore.  Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.	8.00am <b>Festa di Sant'Atanasio</b> 	9.15am <b>Festa di Sant'Atanasio</b> Gaetano e Carmelina CAFARELLA 7.30pm Mass & Novena in Honour to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Filipino Chaplaincy)	
Thursday/Giovedì 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2018 Sts Philip and James, apostles 1 Cor 15: 1-8; Jn 14:6-14	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b> Their message goes out through all the earth.	8.00am <b>Feast day Sts Philip and James</b>	9.15am <b>Feast day Sts Philip and James</b>	
Friday/ Venerdì 4 <sup>th</sup> May 2018 Of the 5 <sup>th</sup> week of Easter Acts 15:22-31; Jn 15:12-17	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b> I will praise you among the nations, O Lord.	8.00am	9.15am	

**Southern Stars Social Club** Over 28's Party Night for Single Catholics in 28 to 60 age group. Saturday 19th May 2018, 8.00pm at Benedict House, St. Benedict's Parish 301 Warrigal Rd Burwood (Melw. 61H6) Cost \$13 incl. lucky door prizes and supper. Enq: Peter 9885 2167

**OPEN DAY: MARY MACKILLOP CENTRE** Saturday 5 May, 10am-4pm 362 Albert Street, East Melbourne The Mary MacKillop Museum tells the inspiring story of Australia's St Mary of the Cross MacKillop. On Open Day at the Heritage Centre, there'll be a guided Mary MacKillop Walking Tour at 11am, morning or afternoon tea available between 11am and 3pm, and an all-day opportunity to pray in Mary's chapel, tour the museum, and visit the Mary MacKillop gift shop. Everyone welcome. Details: 9926 9300 [admin.mmhc@sosj.org.au](mailto:admin.mmhc@sosj.org.au)

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Liturgy of the Word 5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2018	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	L. Murphy	A. Smyth	T. Toscano	B. Rigoni / M. Villani		Lolita Ferrero
Responsorial Psalm	Volunteer	L. Murphy	Choir Member	P. La Marca	C. Penitito / R. Omenihu		
II Reading	Volunteer	R. Simoncini	Choir Member	T. Toscano	D. Polla / T.Bozzeto		

**HOUSE BLESSING** Anyone wishing to have their house blessed by Fr. Savino during this time of Easter, please fill out the form available from the table.  
**BENEDIZIONE DELLE CASE** Coloro che desiderano la benedizione della casa durante questo tempo di Pasqua, per favore riempite il modulo che trovate sul tavolo, e Padre Savino sarà molto lieto di venire.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND**  
Invest in your most precious asset.....  
**Your Marriage!**  
Forget life's tensions and interruptions and rekindle the closeness, intimacy, love and romance that brought you together. Recharge your relationship batteries and explore the precious nature of your marriage, allowing you both to share your feelings, hopes and dreams with each other in ways that normal, daily living tends to inhibit.  
There is no group sharing. Couples and a priest present the weekend. It is based around Catholic values but couples of all faiths are welcome.

2018 Melbourne weekend dates : 1-3 June, 17-19 August, and 9-11 November 2018  
Starts 7pm on Friday. Ends 5pm Sunday.  
Accommodation and all meals provided.  
Information/Bookings: PH: Andre and Maria 0411 225 992  
Email: [vicbookings@wwme.org.au](mailto:vicbookings@wwme.org.au) Website: [www.wwme.org.au](http://www.wwme.org.au)

### CELEBRAZIONI IN ONORE DI SAN PELLEGRINO



Patrono degli ammalati per il cancro. **Domenica 13 Maggio** nella nostra chiesa di S. Brigida. Inizio alle 2.30pm con il S. ROSARIO, segue la S.MESSA e BENEDIZIONE con l'olio per gli ammalati. Tutti benvenuti.

The Servite Friars invite you to celebrate the feast of **ST. PEREGRINE** Patron of Cancer Sufferers. **Sunday 13th May 2018**, here in St. Brigid's Church commencing at 2.30pm SERVITE ROSARY, HOLY MASS and ANOINTING OF THE SICK. Blessing and Veneration of the Relic of St. Peregrine. All welcome.

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

**MAY - MONTH OF MARY:**  
We are all invited 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.



### Canto di 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.**

### Canto Finale MIRA IL TUO POPOLO

Mira il tuo popolo, o bella Signora, che pien di giubilo oggi t'onora. Anch'io festevole corro ai tuoi pie'.  
**O Santa Vergine, prega per me; O Santa Vergine, prega per me.**  
Il pietosissimo tuo dolce cuore Porta e rifugio del peccatore. Tesori e grazie racchiude in sé.  
**O Santa Vergine, prega per me; O Santa Vergine, prega per me.**  
In questa misera valle infelice, tutti t'invocano: Soccorritrice. Questo bel titolo conviene a te.  
**O Santa Vergine, prega per me; O Santa Vergine, prega per me.**

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