

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** Blest 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 Book of Deuteronomy (4:32-34,39-40)**

Moses said to the people, "Ask now of the days that are past, which were before you, since the day that God created man upon the earth, and ask from one end of heaven to the other, whether such a great thing as this has ever happened or was ever heard of. Did any people ever hear the voice of a god speaking out of the midst of the fire, as you have heard, and still live? Or has any god ever attempted to go and take a nation for himself from the midst of another nation, by trials, by signs, by wonders, and by war, by a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, and by great terrors, according to all that the Lord your God did for you in Egypt before your eyes? "Know therefore this day, and lay it to your heart, that the Lord is God in heaven above and on the earth beneath; there is no other. Therefore you shall keep his statutes and his commandments which I command you this day, that it may go well with you, and with your children after you, and that you may prolong your days in the land which the Lord your God gives you for ever."

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

**Responsorial Psalm:**

**Response:** Happy the people the Lord has chosen as his own.

The word of the Lord is faithful and all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love. **R/**

By his word the heavens were made, by the breath of his mouth all the stars. He spoke; and it came to be. He commanded; it sprang into being. **R/**

The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine. **R/**

Our soul is waiting for the Lord. The Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you. **R/**

**A reading from the Letter of St Paul to the Romans(8:14-17)**

All who are led by the Spirit of God are the sons of God. For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the spirit of sonship. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is the Spirit himself bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him. ***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!** (Rev 1:8)

**A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St Matthew (28:16-20)**

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. And when they saw him they worshipped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age." ***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)



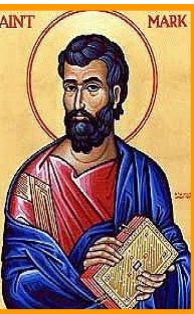
# Weekly Parish Newsletter

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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.*

## HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

(49) *Serialised presentation of the :Compendium of the Catechism".*

**44. What is the central mystery of Christian faith and life?** (232-237) The central mystery of Christian faith and life is the mystery of the Most Blessed Trinity. Christians are baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**45. Can the mystery of the Most Holy Trinity be known by the light of human reason alone?** (237) God has left some traces of his trinitarian being in creation and in the Old Testament but his inmost being as the Holy Trinity is a mystery which is inaccessible to reason alone or even to Israel's faith before the Incarnation of the Son of God and the sending of the Holy Spirit. This mystery was revealed by Jesus Christ and it is the source of all the other mysteries.

**48. How does the Church express her trinitarian faith?** (249-256; 266) The Church expresses her trinitarian faith by professing a belief in the oneness of God in whom there are three Persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The three divine Persons are only one God because each of them equally possesses the fullness of the one and indivisible divine nature. They are really distinct from each other by reason of the relations which place them in correspondence to each other.

**49. How do the three divine Persons work?** (257-260; 267) Inseparable in their one substance, the three divine Persons are also inseparable in their activity. The Trinity has one operation, sole and the same. In this one divine action, however, each Person is present according to the mode which is proper to him in the Trinity.

**7.00 PM.: 113<sup>th</sup> Death Anniversary Mass**

To commemorate Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini, Founder of the Scalabrinian Congregation in Service to Migrants and Refugees.

In 1887, JB. Scalabrini approach Pope Leo XIII with the draft of a Constitution and practical proposal to establish a Society of Priests for the assistance to migrants, specifically in America. The Holy Father approved of the project and on 28 November 1887, the first two priests, missionary for migrants, were accepted by Scalabrini. It is the Foundation day of the humble Congregation for migrants. On 12 July 1888, Blessed Scalabrini received the religious profession of 10 missionaries to whom he gave the crucifix and sent them to North and South America. He also encouraged St. Frances Xavier Cabrini to send his sisters to USA to assist the Italian migrants there. Later on, the Cabrini Sisters took another direction through hospital services. However, the need of sisters in mission for migrants, side by side with the priests, was necessary.

On 25 October 1895, the Scalabrinian Congregation of Sisters was found. To encouraged the work of his first missionaries and to establish a bond with the Bishops of the local church, Blessed Scalabrini visited the community in the United States (1901) and Brazil (1904). Besides the special attention to migrants, Blessed Scalabrini dedicated himself to works of charity with the poor in his diocese, the social justice issues for workers, the religious education for children and adults, the peaceful solution for the freedom of the Holy Father in the recently united Italy (the Vatican issue). He died on 1 June 1905.



The Missionaries of St. Charles Borromeo - Scalabrinians [www.Scalabrini.org](http://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.***



## DOMENICA DELLA SS. TRINITÀ

*Dal Compendio del Catechismo (49)*

**44. Qual è il mistero centrale della fede e della vita cristiana?** (232-237) Il mistero centrale della fede e della vita cristiana è il mistero della Santissima Trinità. I cristiani vengono battezzati nel nome del Padre e del Figlio e dello Spirito Santo.

**45. Il mistero della Santissima Trinità può essere conosciuto dalla sola ragione umana?** (237) Dio ha lasciato qualche traccia del suo Essere trinitario nella creazione e nell'Antico Testamento, ma l'intimità del suo Essere come Trinità Santa costituisce un mistero inaccessibile alla sola ragione umana, e anche alla fede d'Israele, prima dell'Incarnazione del Figlio di Dio e dell'invio dello Spirito Santo. Tale mistero è stato rivelato da Gesù Cristo, ed è la sorgente di tutti gli altri misteri.

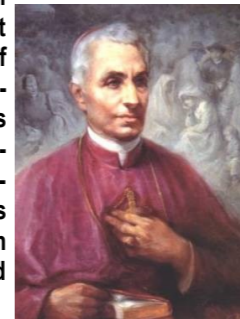
**48. Come la Chiesa esprime la sua fede trinitaria?** (249-256;266) La Chiesa esprime la sua fede trinitaria confessando un solo Dio in tre Persone: Padre e Figlio e Spirito Santo. Le tre Persone divine sono un solo Dio perché ciascuna di esse è identica alla pienezza dell'unica e indivisibile natura divina. Esse sono realmente distinte tra loro, per le relazioni che le mettono in riferimento le une alle altre: il Padre genera il Figlio, il Figlio è generato dal Padre, lo Spirito Santo procede dal Padre e dal Figlio.

**49. Come operano le tre Persone divine?** (257-260;267) Inseparabili nella loro unica sostanza, le Persone divine sono inseparabili anche nel loro operare: la Trinità ha una sola e medesima operazione. Ma, nell'unico agire divino, ogni Persona è presente secondo il modo che le è proprio nella Trinità.

**Venerdì 1 Giugno 2018 7.00 PM.: S. Messa nel 113 Aniversario**

Della morte del Beato Giovanni Battista Scalabrini Fondatore dei Missionari Scalabriniani a servizio dei Migranti e Rifugiati.

Nel 1887, Scalabrini presento' al Papa Leone XIII una bozza di Regolamento con suggerimenti pratici per iniziare una Società di Sacerdoti per l'assistenza dei migranti, particolarmente nell'America. Il Santo Padre approvo' questo progetto e il 28 Novembre 1887, I primi due sacerdoti, missionary per gli emigrati, furono accettati da Scalabrini. E' questo il giorno della Fondazione di questa umile Congregazione per i migranti. Il 12 Luglio 1888, il Beato Scalabrini ricevette la Professione Religiosa di 10 missionari ai quali consegnò il crocifisso e invio' al Nord e Sud America. Egli incoraggiò pure S. Francesca Saveria Cabrini a mandare le sue suore agli Stati Uniti per assistere gli Italiani. Più tardi le Suore di Cabrini preferirono dedicarsi al servizio ospedaliero. Tuttavia rimaneva il bisogno di Suore che lavorassero a fianco dei sacerdoti. Il 25 Ottobre 1895, inizia la Congregazione delle Suore Scalabriniane. A motivo di incoraggiare il lavoro dei suoi missionari e stabilire la collaborazione dei vescovi della chiesa locale il Beato Scalabrini intraprese un viaggio negli Stati Uniti (1901) e in Brasile (1904). Oltre all'attenzione ai migranti il Beato Scalabrini si dedicò nelle opere di carità verso i poveri, la difesa dei diritti dei lavoratori, l'educazione catechetica dei bambini e degli adulti, la soluzione pacifica per ottenere l'indipendenza del Papa dopo l'occupazione dello Stato Pontificio con l'unione dell'Italia (la questione Vaticana). Scalabrini morì il 1 Giugno del 1905.



## 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 Ghost.

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 now,  
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:

### O Gate of Heaven

O gate of heaven,  
O house of gold  
O Mary Mother of Jesus  
O Blessed Virgin  
whom prophets foretold  
O Mary Mother of Jesus

**Ref:**  
**Hail holy Mother**  
**who brought forth the king**  
**He rules all being forever**  
**O Alleluia Alleluia**  
**O Mary Mother of Jesus**

O seat of wisdom  
O cause of our joy  
O Mary Mother of Jesus  
O you the help  
whom all Christians employ  
O Mary Mother of Jesus.

## Ref.



Liturgical Calendar and activities				
Day of the Week	Liturgical Celebration	Intention St. Mark	Intention St. Brigid	Parish Activity
<b>SATURDAY/ SABATO</b> 26 <sup>th</sup> May 2018 Year “B” THE MOST HOLY TRINITY “Vigil/Vigilia”	<i>“And lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age”.</i>	<i>La comunità di Santa Brigida dá un caro benvenuto a tutti i devoti della Madonna Delle Grazie</i>	<b>4.00pm S. Messa</b> in onore della <b>Madonna Delle Grazie</b>  <b>6.00pm</b> Carmela FIORE Virginia & Mario PERTILE <b>7.00pm</b> Spanish Mass	<b>Wedding Celebration for:</b> <b>Janet CHAN &amp; Kelvin CHUND</b> <b>Congratulations!</b> 
<b>SUNDAY/DOMENICA</b> 27 <sup>th</sup> May 2018 Year “B” THE MOST HOLY TRINITY 	<i>“Ed ecco, io sono con voi tutti i giorni. Fino alla fine del mondo”.</i>	<b>8.30am</b> Pasquale VILLANI	<b>9.45am</b> PRO-POPULO <b>11.00am</b> Luigi RITUCCI Gianna BOFFA Ascenzina PETRUCCI Rosina LAVECCHIA (30 <sup>th</sup> Ann) Michele e Raffaele LAVECCHIA Maria e Giovanni RUSCIANO  <b>5.00pm</b> Brazilian Mass	<b>Baptism Celebration for:</b> <b>Logan Peter MELFI</b> <b>Congratulations!</b> 
<b>Monday/Lunedì</b> 28 <sup>th</sup> May 2018 1 Pet 1:3-9; Mk 10:17-27	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b> <i>The Lord will remember his covenant for ever.</i>	<b>8.00am</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>7.30pm Baptism Preparation</b> tonight in the Church. Parents & God-parents invited to attend.
<b>Tuesday/Martedì</b> 29 <sup>th</sup> May 2018 1 Pet 1:10-16; Mk 10:28-31	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b> <i>The Lord has made known his salvation.</i>	<b>8.00am</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	
<b>Wednesday/Mercoledì</b> 30 <sup>th</sup> May 2018 1 Pet 1:18-25; Mk 10: 32-45	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b> <i>Lode a te Signore, tu sei la nostra pace.</i>  <i>Praise the Lord Jerusalem.</i>	<b>8.00am</b> 	<b>9.15am</b> Carmelo FIORE <b>10.30am</b> Rosary <b>11.00am</b> Mass for the late <b>Amelia MARINUCCI</b> <b>7.30pm</b> Mass & Novena in Honour to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Filipino Chaplaincy)	<i>Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Amelia Marinucci. May the Lord of mercy grant her eternal rest and give peace and comfort to her loved ones.</i>
<b>Thursday/Giovedì</b> 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2018 The Visitation of the BVM Zeph3:14-18 or Rom 12:9-16; Lk 1:39-56	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b> <i>Among you is the great and Holy One of Israel.</i>	<b>8.00am</b> The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	<b>9.15am</b> The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
<b>Friday/Venerdì</b> 1st June 2018 St. Justin, martyr 1 Pet 4:7-13 Mk 11: 11 – 26	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b> <i>The Lord come to judge the earth.</i>	<b>8.00am</b> St. Justin's Feast Day 	<b>9.15am</b> St. Justin's Feast Day  <b>7.00pm</b> Mass in honour to Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini, followed by refreshments in the hall.	
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Liturgy of the Word 2nd & 3rd June 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	M.C. Sisters	Dr. Pierluigi Trombetta	N. Ieraci / G. Moretti		Lolita Ferrero
Responsorial Psalm	Volunteer	L. Murphy	M.C. Sisters	Cantato	Volunteer		
II Reading	Volunteer	R. Simoncini	M.C. Sisters	Maddalena Vespa	Ospiti - Repubblica		

## FESTA DELLA REPUBBLICA

In ricorrenza del 72° anniversario della fondazione della Repubblica Italiana, quest'anno i festeggiamenti religiosi e sociali si svolgeranno **Domenica prossima 3 Giugno presso la nostra parrocchia di Santa Brigida.** La Santa messa verrà celebrata alle **11.00am.** Celebrante principale: **Vescovo Terence Curtain.** Dopo la Santa Messa, seguiranno attività sociali e culturali nel cortile della chiesa e nella sala parrocchiale. Un sincero invito é rivolto a tutta la comunità a partecipare.

## St. Vincent de Paul Society WINTER APPEAL

**This year the appeal will take place the WEEKEND 16th & 17th June 2018**  
**Envelopes will be available in church.**  
**Please give people in need another choice!**

## La Società San Vincenzo de Paoli "WINTER APPEAL"

**Quest'anno l'Appello sarà tenuto il WEEKEND 16/17 giugno 2018**

La Società fa appello alla vostra generosità. Le buste saranno ottenibili in Chiesa.  
**Per favore, dai alle persone bisognose un'altra scelta!**

## St. Brigid & St. Mark Collections

1 Collection	\$825 - 00
2 Collection	\$420 - 00
Envelopes	\$199 - 00

**Would you like to participate in the Wurundjeri Walk & Welcome Dance celebration to promote the beginning of Reconciliation Week?** Then come and join the others

**THIS SUNDAY AT 12.30pm** at Ruckers Hill. Cnr. Bayview & High Sts, Northcote, traditionally this is reported to be the site of the last *Gayip* (special gathering) for the Wurundjeri people. **Ian Hunter**, Wurundjeri Elder, will welcome everyone and proceed walking through the back streets to Merri Creek (just below Rushall St. Station) at 1.30pm, where he will share the story of this place. The walk continues to St. Brigid's Hall where **Ian** will offer a Smoking Ceremony, the ritual leads into some welcome music and celebration dance to honour our past, present and future, ending at 4.00pm. This event is free. However **Moving Essence who is organizing this event**, will ask for a donation towards the Meeting Place, a bush school where young people learn about culture and teachings from Elders and positive role models.

**Chaplaincy Sunday Appeal** took place last weekend. There are still envelopes available if you wish to donate to this very important appeal for the purpose of supporting vital work done by our Catholic Chaplains in Public Hospitals, Mental Hospitals, Prisons, Youth Justice Facilities, Seafarers. *Heartfelt thanks to those who have already donated.*

**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.

## CATECHIST PROGRAM

Catechism classes for anyone who wishes to be confirmed this year, will commence Sunday 10th June straight after the 9.45am Mass in the Welcome In Room. Confirmations will be on Sunday 12th August at 10.30am. If there is anyone, or you know of someone who wishes to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please give his or her name to Fr. Savino as soon as possible.

**MASS FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS**  
**This Sunday 27 May, 11am St Patrick's Cathedral, 1 Cathedral Place, E. Melb.**  
Celebrated by Archbishop Denis Hart.

**DON BOSCO 2018 WINTER HOLIDAY CAMPS-52-62 Dromana Pd, Safety Beach**  
**Junior Camp: 9-13 years 2nd to 5th July**  
**Senior Camp: 13-16 years 9th to 12th July**  
**Book online: [www.donboscocamp.org.au](http://www.donboscocamp.org.au)**  
**Cost \$160. More info see flyer.**

## Canto D'Ingresso

### LODATE DIO

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

Lodate Dio,  
Padre che dona ogni bene  
Iodate 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,  
Iodate Dio,  
mèta e premio dei buoni:  
cantate a lui,  
sorgente di ogni bontà,  
per tutti i secoli. Amen!

## Canto D'Offertorio

### MISTERO DELLA CENA

Mistero della Cena è il Corpo di Gesù.  
Mistero della Croce è il Sangue di Gesù.  
È questo pane e vino è Cristo in mezzo ai suoi.  
Gesù risorto e vivo sarà sempre con noi.

Mistero della Chiesa è il Corpo di Gesù .  
Mistero della pace è il sangue di Gesù.  
Il pane che mangiamo fratelli ci farà.  
Intorno a questo altare l'amore crescerà .

## Canto di Comunione TE LODIAMO TRINITÀ

Te lodiamo, Trinità, nostro Dio, ti adoriamo;  
Padre dell'umanità, la tua gloria proclamiamo.  
**TE LODIAMO, TRINITÀ , PER L'IMMENZA TUA BONTÀ.**

Tutto il mondo annuncia Te:  
Tu lo hai fatto come un segno.  
Ogni uomo porta in sé il sigillo del tuo regno. *Rit.*

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

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

## Canto Finale

### SANTA MARIA DEL CAMMINO

Mentre trascorre la vita, solo tu non sei mai Santa Maria del cammino, sempre sarà 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.*