

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 Exodus 34:4-6, 8-9

With the two tablets of stone in his hands, Moses went up the mountain of Sinai in the early morning as the Lord had commanded him. And the Lord descended in the form of a cloud, and Moses stood with him there. He called on the name of the Lord. The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, 'Lord, Lord, a God of tenderness and compassion, slow to anger, rich in kindness and faithfulness.' And Moses bowed down to the ground at once and worshipped. 'If I have indeed won your favour, Lord,' he said 'let my Lord come with us, I beg. True, they are a headstrong people, but forgive us our faults and our sins, and adopt us as your heritage.'

The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm:

Response: Glory and praise forever!

You are blest, Lord God of our fathers. To you glory and praise for evermore. Blest your glorious name. To you glory and praise for evermore. You are blest in the temple of your glory. **R./**

To you glory and praise for evermore. You are blest on the throne of your kingdom. To you glory and praise for evermore. You are blest who gaze into the depths. **R./**

To you glory and praise for evermore. You are blest in the firmament of heaven. To you glory and praise for evermore. **R./**

A reading from the Corinthians 13:11-13

Brothers, we wish you happiness; try to grow perfect; help one another. Be united; live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with the holy kiss. All the saints send you greetings. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **The Word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come. **Alleluia!**

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John 3:16-18

Jesus said to Nicodemus: 'God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not be lost but may have eternal life. For God sent his Son into the world not to condemn the world, but so that through him the world might be saved. No one who believes in him will be condemned; but whoever refuses to believe is condemned already, because he has refused to believe in the name of God's only Son.' **The Gospel of the Lord.**

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

Entrance:

**HOLY GOD WE PRAISE
THY NAME**

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Holy God, we praise Thy Name;
Lord of all, we bow before Thee!
All on earth Thy scepter claim,
All in Heaven above adore Thee;
Infinite Thy vast domain,
Everlasting is Thy reign.

Hark! the loud celestial hymn
angel choirs above are raising,
cherubim and seraphim,
in unceasing chorus praising;
fill the heavens
with sweet accord:
Holy, holy, holy, Lord.

Holy Father, Holy Son,
Holy Spirit, Three we name thee;
while in essence only One,
undivided God we claim thee;
and adoring bend the knee,
while we own the mystery.



Offertory:

ALL THAT WE HAVE

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Refrain:

**All that we have
and all that we offer
Comes from a heart
both frightened and free.
Take what we bring now
and give what we need,
All done in his name.**

Some would rely on their power,
Others put trust in their gold.
Some have only their Saviour,
Whose faithfulness
never grows old.

Sometimes the road
may be lonesome,
Often we may lose our way;
Take courage
and always remember
Love isn't just for a day

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Communion:

THESE ALONE ARE ENOUGH

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Take my heart, O Lord,
take my hopes and dreams.
Take my mind with all its plans
and schemes.
Give me nothing more
than your love and grace.
These alone, O God, are enough for me.

Take my thoughts, O Lord,
and my memory.
Take my tears, my joys, my liberty.
Give me nothing more
than your love and grace.
These alone, O God, are enough for me.

I surrender Lord, all I have and hold.
I return to you your gifts untold.
Give me nothing more
than your love and grace.
These alone, O God, are enough for me.

When the darkness falls
on my final days,
take the very breath
that sang your praise.
Give me nothing more
than your love and grace.
These alone, O God, are enough for me.



Final

EVERYDAY GOD

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

In our dreaming,
Everyday God,
In our daring, O Jesus,
In our searching, O Spirit,
In our sharing,
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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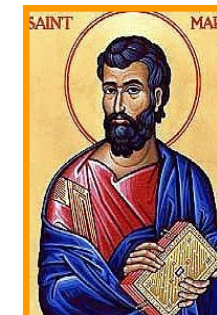
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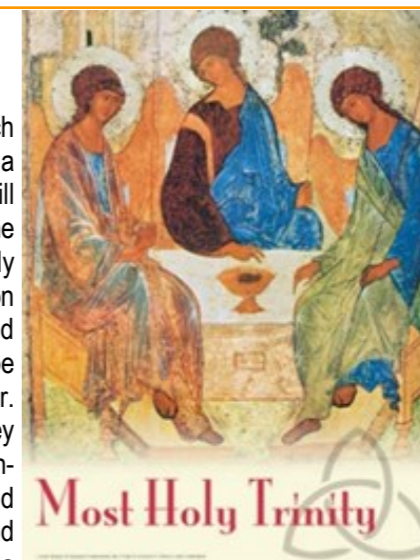
*We acknowledge the Wurundjeri people, the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which we stand.
We pay our respects to them for their care of the land. May we walk gently on this land.*

Reflection: : TRINITY SUNDAY

The Essence of the Most Holy Trinity

Of all the great feasts we celebrate within the Church throughout the year, today's Solemnity presents us with a Mystery that is so deep and transcendent that our eternity will be spent in perpetual contemplation. The Trinity, the life of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, will never get old, never be fully understood, and will be the cause of our everlasting adoration and joy... The Father, Son and Holy Spirit are Persons. And as Persons, they want to be known. And they want to be known primarily through a life of deep and intimate prayer. Praying to One Person, of course, is praying to all, since they are One God. But we are, nonetheless, called to a relationship of love with the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. And though our feeble minds may not be able to fully comprehend the essence of God, He will draw us deeper and deeper into a knowledge of Him if we let Him. Prayer often begins by saying prayers, by meditating upon Scripture, and by listening. But true prayer is something much deeper. True prayer is contemplative prayer that ultimately leads to divine union. Only God can initiate this form of prayer in our lives, and only God, through this deep form of prayer, can communicate Himself to us as He is. Some of the greatest mystics of our Church, such as Saint John of the Cross and Saint Teresa of Ávila, explain in their mystical theology that the deepest knowledge of God does not come through concepts or images. In fact, if we wish to obtain a knowledge of God in His essence, we must allow Him to purge every concept of Who He is so that the pure light of His essence can be poured forth upon our minds. This knowledge, they say, is beyond knowing "about" God. It's the beginning of a knowledge "of" God. Reflect, today, upon the Most Holy Trinity. As you do, say a prayer to God asking for a deeper and more intimate knowledge of Him. Ask Him to communicate to you His divine love and to open your mind and heart to a deeper understanding of Who He is. Try to humble yourself before the great Mystery of the inner life of God. Humility before the Mystery of God means that we know how little we know about Him and how little we know of Him. But that humble truth will help you move closer to the deeper relationship of love to which you are called.

*Excerpts from John Paul Thomas, Catholic Daily Reflections,
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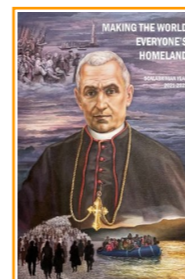
SANTISSIMA TRINITA'

Spesso ci si immagina un "Dio" lontano, astratto, ridotto quasi a un sistema di idee contorte o semplicissime, ma inesplicabili. Soprattutto quando ci si accosta alla dottrina della Trinità, si ha l'impressione di essere di fronte a una sciarada beffarda. E invece, l'essere concretissimo di Dio è comunione che liberamente si effonde. Anzi, ci chiama a varcare la soglia della sua vita intima e beatificante. Non riusciamo a capire perché Dio si sia interessato di noi: più di quanto, forse, noi ci interessiamo a noi stessi.

Proprio mentre eravamo peccatori, il Padre ha mandato il suo Figlio per offrirci la vita nuova nello Spirito. Liberamente. Per amore. "Dio ha tanto amato il mondo da dare il suo Figlio unigenito". Cristo non si impone. Non costringe ad accettarlo. Si consegna alla nostra decisione. È questa la vertigine della vita umana. Possiamo passare accanto al Signore Gesù che muore e risorge, senza degnarlo di uno sguardo nemmeno distratto. E, tuttavia, non possiamo fare in modo che egli non esista come il Dio fatto uomo che perdona e salva. "Chi non crede è già stato condannato". Allora Cristo si rivela come colui che ha suscitato in noi tutte le attese più radicali. E colma a dismisura queste attese. È la redenzione. È la grazia. È lo Spirito che abita in noi e ci conforma al Signore Gesù. La vita nuova, che ci viene donata, apparirà in tutta la sua gloria oltre il tempo. Inizia qui, ed è la "vita eterna".

<https://www.lachiesa.it> 01/06/23

Prayer to Saint John Baptist Scalabrini



*O Saint John Baptist Scalabrini, missionary of the Word of God, minister of the Eucharist and of the Church, man of charity and communion, most loving son of Mary, apostle of the catechism, and father to the migrants. We rely on your intercession to receive God's blessings on ourselves and our beloved ones, on those who face migration and on all humankind. May the Holy Trinity, through your intercession, grant us the grace ... (pause for your intention) that we entrust to your fatherly love. Amen. **Saint John Baptist Scalabrini. Pray for us!***

The Parish Community of St Brigid's and St Mark's is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children, young people, and vulnerable adults. Safeguarding is **EVERYBODY'S** responsibility. To gain a deeper understanding of defining, responding, and reporting abuse please contact: **Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne (CAM) Professional Standards Units T:9926 5621 E:psu@cam.org.au W:melbournecatholic.org/safeguarding**



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| Day of the Week | Liturgical Celebration | Intention St. Mark | Intention St. Brigid | Parish Activity |
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| SATURDAY/SABATO 3rd June 2023 Year 'A' THE MOST HOLY TRINITY Vigil Mass | "God so loved the world that he gave his only Son". | | 6.00pm 7.00pm Spanish Mass | Baptism Celebrations: Giuseppe KOURTESIS Congratulations!  |
| SUNDAY/DOMENIC 4th June 2023 Year 'A' THE MOST HOLY TRINITY  | "Dio ha tanto amato il mondo da dare il Figlio, unigenito". | 8.30am 10.00am Portuguese Mass | 9.45am 11:00am Ida PANTALEO † |  |
| Monday / Lunedì 5th June 2023 Year 'A' Tobit 1:3, 2:1-8 Mk 12:1-12: St. Boniface, bishop, martyr | Responsorial Psalm Happy are those who fear the Lord. | | 9.15 am St Boniface |  |
| Tuesday / Martedì 6th June 2023 Year "A" Tobit 2:9-14 Mk 12:13-17 | Responsorial Psalm The hearts of the just are secure, trusting in the Lord. | | 9.15am | |
| Wednesday / Mercoledì 7th June 2023 Year "A" Tobit 3:1-11, 16-17 Mk 12:18-27: | Responsorial Psalm To you, O Lord, I lift my soul. |  | 9.15am 10:45 am Rosary 11.00am Funeral Mass for Delfina CIOCCIO 7.30pm Mass & Novena in honour to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Filipino Chaplaincy) | Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Delfina CIOCCIO May she rest in peace.  |
| Thursday / Giovedì 8th June 2023 Year 'A' Tobit 6:10-11; 7:1, 9-14; 8:4-9 Mk 12:28-34: | Responsorial Psalm Happy are those who fear the Lord. | | 9.15am | |
| Friday / Venerdì 9th June 2023 Year 'A' Tobit 11:5-17 Mk 12:35-37 | Responsorial Psalm Praise the Lord, my soul! | | 9.15am 11:00 am Funeral Mass for Giuseppe GIAMPIETRO | Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Giuseppe GIAMPIETRO May he rest in peace.  |

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| Liturgy of the Word 10th/11th June 2023 | 6.00pm Vigil St. Brigid | 8.30am St. Mark | 9.45am St. Brigid | 11.00am St. Brigid |
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| I Reading & Resp. Psalm | M. De Souza | G. Piantella | J. Santos | G. Catena/T. Toscano |
| II Reading | M. De Souza | G. Piantella | G. Barrett | P. La Marca |
| Prayers of the Faithful | M. De Souza | G. Piantella | 1st Holy Communicants | N. Oro |

FESTA DELLA REPUBBLICA

Oggi Domenica 4 giugno

 I Padri Scalabriniani, uniti alla comunità di Santa Brigida danno un caloroso benvenuto a questa Santa Messa celebrata da Padre Vito Pegolo,cs Cappellano della Comunità Italiana, al Console Generale d'Italia, Hanna Pappalardo, a Ubaldo Agliano', Presidente del Co.Mi.Tes, ai rappresentanti di Associazioni, Clubs e Gruppi e a tutta la comunità Italiana in ricorrenza del 77° anniversario della fondazione della Repubblica Italiana.

Un grazie di cuore a Abbey Funerals/Tobin Brothers per i libretti della Santa Messa.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

WINTER APPEAL 4/5 & 11/12 June
This year the appeal will take place over two weekends 10th/11th & 17th/18th June.

Envelopes will be available in church.
"Help end the pain of poverty"

La Società San Vincenzo de Paoli
"WINTER APPEAL"

Quest'anno l'Appello si terrà per due Weekends 10/11 e 17/18 Giugno.
La Società fa appello alla vostra generosità.
Le buste saranno ottenibili in Chiesa.

FEAST OF ST. JOHN BAPTIST SCALABRINI

Sunday 25th June, 2023

With Only ONE INTERCULTURAL COMBINED MASS AT 10.30am

(Please note!! There will be **NO** 8.30am mass at St. Mark's and **NO** 9.45am mass at St. Brigid's) Members of different Communities, you are invited to come dressed in your traditional costume. After Mass there will be lunch in the parish hall.

Elderly parishioners of St. Mark's, if you require a lift to St. Brigid's please let Fr. Frank know.

CONFIRMATIONS

Confirmations this year will take place in our parish on Sunday 10th July with a combined Mass at 10.30am.

INNER HEALING THROUGH MEDITATION ON JESUS June 30—July 2, 2023

(Prayer & Meditation through gentle postures and breathing in the Holy Spirit, heals body, mind and soul.) Retreat begins with dinner at 6pm on Friday 30th June and concludes at 4.00pm on Sunday 2nd July Guided by Fr.Gilbert Carlo SVD-
Contact: Janssen Spirituality Centre, 22 Woodvale Road, Boronia, Vic. 3155
RSVP Tel: 03 9762 6625 or
Email:gilbercarlo@gmail.com
Cost: \$210 (live-in) or \$150 (live-out)

Moving with the times - Online

Giving: If anyone wishes to make a donation online to the parish this is the link to St. Brigid's Parish North Fitzroy or you can scan the bar code and it will take you straight to the link.
<https://melbournecdfpay.org.au/details/?id=622453>

**HOLY HOUR OF DIVINE**

MERCY Everyone is welcome to **HOLY HOUR OF DIVINE MERCY EVERY** 2nd, 3rd & 4th Friday at 6.30pm in St Brigid's Church North Fitzroy.

PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH

APPEAL HIS WEEKEND This week Catholic Mission will offer the opportunity to be part of a life-changing program. **The Maria Auxiliadora Clinic is a vital project for the Salesian Sisters and the Church in Veniale.** Since its establishment, the clinic has provided life-saving treatment for families in need. **Please give generously today to help continue this life-giving program by using the appeal envelope, Your gif twill also help many other similar Church-run mission programs around the world.**

St. Brigid & St. Mark Collections

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| 1 Collection | \$950 - 00 |
| 2 Collection | \$500 - 00 |
| Envelopes | \$101 - 00 |

Ingresso: 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. **R.:**

Noi crediamo solo in Te, così unisci noi, sparsi nel mondo, in un Corpo che sia solo per te. **Rit.**
Noi speriamo solo in Te, Gesù Cristo, Salvatore. **R.:**
Infinita carità, Santo Spirito d'amore, luce, pace e verità, regna sempre nel mio cuore. **R.:**

Offertorio: TI RINGRAZIO, O MIO SIGNORE

Ti ringrazio, o mio Signore, per le cose che sono nel mondo, per la vita che tu mi hai donato, per l'amore che tu nutri per me.

Alleluia, O mio Signore!
Alleluia, O Dio del Cielo!
Alleluia, O mio Signore!
Alleluia, O Dio del Ciel!

Come il pane che abbiamo spezzato Era sparso in grano sui colli, così unisci noi, sparsi nel mondo, in un Corpo che sia solo per te. **Rit.**
Quell'amore che unisce te al Padre Sia la forza che unisce i fratelli ed il mondo conosca la pace: la tua gioia regni sempre tra noi. **Rit.**

Comunione: AVE MARIA

Fine: **DELL'AURORA TU SORGI PIÙ BELLA**

Dell'aurora Tu sorgi più bella, coi tuoi raggi, a far lieta la terra, e fra gli astri che il cielo rinserra non vi è stella più bella di Te.

Bella Tu sei qual sole Bianca più della luna, e le stelle le più belle non son belle al par di Te. (X 2)

Gli occhi tuoi son più belli del mare La tua fronte ha il colore del giglio, Le tue gote, bacciate dal Figlio, son due rose, e le labbra son fior. **R.**
T'incoronano dodici stelle. Al tuo piè piegano l'ali del vento Della luna s'incurva l'argento

Fine: MIRA IL TUO POPOLO

Mira il tuo popolo, o bella Signora, che pien di giubilo oggi t'onora. Anchio 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;

