



# ST THOMAS MORE PARISH, HADFIELD

69 North Street, Hadfield 3046

*St Thomas More Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.*

*Our Child Safe Standards policies and information can be viewed on our website*



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## MASS TIMES

Mon: Church closed  
Tues: 9.00am Mass  
Wed: Communion Service  
Thur: 9.00am Mass  
Fri: Communion Service  
Sat: 5.00pm Mass  
Sun: 9.00am Mass

**You do not need to book for Mass but you must register on arrival**

## SACRAMENTS

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4.30pm-4.50pm

### BAPTISM

2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month at 10am  
For bookings contact Claudia on 0414 308 019

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

As requested

### WEDDING

Contact Parish Office at least six months in advance.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**SICK:** Pamela di Giorgio, Carl & Michael Ceddia, Goretty Soares, Iris Dixon, Margaret de Bono, Pat John, Alex Baglin, Tony Rowlands

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Judith Stephenson

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Alex McMahan, Mary McMahan, Bernadette Walker, Coralie Stringer

**Saturday 5pm:** Georgina Agius (1 month), Romeo Carinci (11 yrs), Umberto Carinci, Alfred Sacco

**Sunday 9am:** Maria & Frank Pisano

## PETERS PENCE COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

This weekend we join with others across the world in taking up a third collection for the charitable works and structures of mercy identified by Pope Francis. The funds, which are sent to the Vatican, are then distributed across the world to support victims of war, oppression and disasters.

**Please give generously in the allocated baskets provided. Thank you.**

## HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS FOR JULY

### Social Friendship...

We pray that, in social, economic and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship.



# 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B –27 June 2021

## FIRST READING

*A reading from the book of Wisdom*

1:13-15:2:23-24

Death was not God's doing, he takes no pleasure in the extinction of the living. To be - for this he created all; the world's created things have health in them, in them no fatal poison can be found, and Hades holds no power on earth; for virtue is undying. Yet God did make man imperishable, he made him in the image of his own nature; it was the devil's envy that brought death into the world, as those who are his partners will discover.

*The word of the Lord.*

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

**R:** *I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.*

I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me  
and have not let my enemies rejoice over me.

O Lord, you have raised my soul from the dead,  
restored me to life from those who sink into the grave. **R.**

Sing psalms to the Lord, you who love him,  
give thanks to his holy name.

His anger lasts but a moment: his favour through life.

At night there are tears, but joy comes with dawn. **R.**

The Lord listened and had pity.

The Lord came to my help.

For me you have changed my mourning into dancing,

O Lord my God, I will thank you for ever. **R.**

## SECOND READING

*A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 8:7.9.13-15*

You always have the most of everything - of faith, of eloquence, of understanding, of keenness for any cause, and the biggest share of our affection - so we expect you to put the most into this work of mercy too. Remember how generous the Lord Jesus was: he was rich, but he became poor for your sake, to make you rich out of his poverty. This does not mean that to give relief to others you ought to make things difficult for yourselves: it is a question of balancing what happens to be your surplus now against their present need, and one day they may have something to spare that will supply your own need. That is how we strike a balance: as

scripture says: The man who gathered much had none too much, the man who gathered little did not go short.

*The word of the Lord.*

## **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

*Alleluia, alleluia!*

Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death  
and brought us life through his gospel.

*Alleluia!*

## **GOSPEL**

*A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark*

5:21-43

When Jesus had crossed in the boat to the other side, a large crowd gathered round him and he stayed by the lakeside. Then one of the synagogue officials came up, Jairus by name, and seeing him, fell at his feet and pleaded with him earnestly, saying, ‘My little daughter is sick. Do come and lay your hands on her to make her better and save her life.’ Jesus went with him and a large crowd followed him; they were pressing all round him.

Some people arrived from the house of the synagogue official to say, ‘Your daughter is dead: why put the Master to any further trouble?’ But Jesus had overheard this remark of theirs and he said to the official, ‘Do not be afraid; only have faith.’ And he allowed no one to go with him except Peter and James and John the brother of James. So they came to the official’s house and Jesus noticed all the commotion, with people weeping and wailing unrestrainedly. He went in and said to them, ‘Why all this commotion and crying? The child is not dead, but asleep.’ But they laughed at him. So he turned them all out and, taking with him the child’s father and mother and his own companions, he went into the place where the child lay. And taking the child by the hand he said to her, ‘Talitha, kum!’ which means, ‘little girl, I tell you to get up.’ The little girl got up at once and began to walk about, for she was twelve years old. At this they were overcome with astonishment, and he ordered them strictly not to let anyone know about it, and told them to give her something to eat.

*The Gospel of the Lord.*

Today’s readings speak of the gift of life,  
both physical and spiritual,  
that God has given us.

They urge and challenge us to be grateful for  
our health in body and soul and to use God’s gifts  
of life and health responsibly.



**PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THESE IMPORTANT NOTICES**

**OUR CHURCH IS NOW OPEN for WEEKDAY and WEEKEND MASSES**

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**Tuesday & Thursday: 9.00am**

**COMMUNION SERVICES RESUME** this week on **Wednesdays and Fridays at 9.00am**

**WEEKEND MASSES**

**Saturday: 5.00 pm**

**Sunday: 9.00 am**

Please note **EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION** will resume in **spring time....we will keep you updated.**

There is **NO NEED TO BOOK** for Mass but **YOU MUST REGISTER ON ARRIVAL** by scanning the QR Code or manually signing in if you do not have a smart phone. **Masks MUST be worn indoors.** All the other relevant safety precautions will remain in place. Thank you everyone for your understanding and support.



**SCHOOL CHILDREN on TERM 2 BREAK from Mon 28 June and return back to school on Mon 12 July**

**End of Term Prayer....**

*We thank you Lord for this term of learning and friendships. Be with us as we spend our time with family and friends. Keep us safe in our activities; give us good rest and good fun and bring us back refreshed and ready for a new term. Amen*



**THANKSGIVING ENVELOPES ...**New set of envelopes for 2021-2022 is **now available for pick up in the side foyer.**

Envelopes commence next weekend 3 & 4 July.

Please discard any OLD envelopes after this week.

**THE POWER TO CHANGE A LIFE IS IN YOUR HANDS.**

DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT.  
Please donate to the Vinnies Winter Appeal.



**ST VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL**

**This year's Winter Appeal is specifically aimed at alleviating homelessness. So we are seeking your most generous donations for this cause.**

There are envelopes on seats around the church: Please take one and return your donation as soon as possible. If you require a receipt, please indicate by providing your details. We thank you in anticipation of your generous support.

*We have received a very large donation of blankets and clothes through the Mini-Vinnies at St Thomas More Primary School. We thank the students, staff and parents for their very general support.*