

St Thomas More and Corpus Christi Parishes



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Office Hours: Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9.00am-1.00pm



*(Our Parishes are committed to the safety and wellbeing of all children and vulnerable adults.
 We respect and value their diverse cultures and unique identities.)*

PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest: Fr. Giang Tran
Secretary: Mrs. Stefanie Lidestri
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ST THOMAS MORE

69 North Street, Hadfield 3046

Tues & Thur: 9.00am (Mass)
Sat: 4.30pm (Mass)
Sun: 9.00am (Mass)
Reconciliation (Sat): 4.00pm-4.20pm

CORPUS CHRISTI

132 Melbourne Ave, Glenroy 3046

Wed & Fri: 9.00am (Mass)
Sat: 6.00pm (Mass)
Sun: 10.30am (Mass)
Reconciliation (Sat): 9.00am-9.20am

Baptism

For booking, please contact Claudia on 0414 308 019

Wedding

Contact Parish Office

MASS INTENTIONS

Sick: Goretty Soares, Maria De Lourdes Joaquim, Nelson Joaquim

Recent deaths: Ildio Barbosa, Angelina Verissimo

Anniversaries

4.30pm: Giuseppe Fedele, Joseph Camilleri

6.00pm: Ignazio & Ugo Calegari, Filomena Di Giacomo, Genaro & Nicola De Frangia, Rosanna Pataki, Bartolo Palmieri

9.00am: Vincenzia Scarpino, Pasquale Scarpino, Carmello Scarpino, Vincenzo Valentino, Roy Beauchamp, Jose Barbosa, Joaquim Quaresma, Domingas Noronha, Maria Simoes Lobo, Palmira Soares, Sebastiano Gargano

10.30am: Maria Nguyen, John Baptist Nguyen, Antonio Corvetti, Ilda, John & Armando Cachia

Please forward the names to the Parish Office by WEDNESDAY of each week.
The privacy legislation requires us to have written permission from an authorised family member before any sick person's name can be included in the Parish bulletin.

4th SUNDAY OF EASTER – 21st APRIL 2024

First Reading

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

4:8-12

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Peter said: ‘Rulers of the people, and elders! If you are questioning us today about an act of kindness to a cripple, and asking us how he was healed, then I am glad to tell you all, and would indeed be glad to tell the whole people of Israel, that it was by the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, the one you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by this name and by no other that this man is able to stand up perfectly healthy, here in your presence today. This is the stone rejected by you the builders, but which has proved to be the keystone. For of all the names in the world given to men, this is the only one by which we can be saved.’

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm

R: *The stone rejected by the builders has become the corner stone.*

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,
for his love has no end.

It is better to take refuge in the Lord
than to trust in men:

it is better to take refuge in the Lord
than to trust in princes. **R.**

I will thank you for you have given answer
and you are my saviour.

The stone which the builders rejected
has become the corner stone.

This is the work of the Lord, a marvel in our eyes. **R.**

Blessed in the name of the Lord is he who comes.

We bless you from the house of the Lord;

I will thank you for you have given answer
and you are my saviour.

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good;
for his love has no end. **R.**

SECOND READING

A reading from the first letter of St John.

3:1-2

Think of the love that the Father has lavished on us,
by letting us be called God's children;
and that is what we are.

Because the world refused to acknowledge him,
therefore it does not acknowledge us.

My dear people, we are already the children of God
but what we are to be in the future has not yet been revealed;
all we know is, that when it is revealed
we shall be like him
because we shall see him as he really is.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
I know my sheep, and mine know me.

Alleluia!

Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

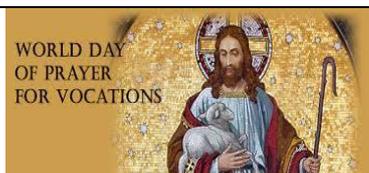
10:11-18

Jesus said: "I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep. The hired man, since he is not the shepherd and the sheep do not belong to him, abandons the sheep and runs away as soon as he sees a wolf coming, and then the wolf attacks and scatters the sheep; this is because he is only a hired man and has no concern for the sheep. I am the good shepherd; I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for my sheep. And there are other sheep I have that are not of this fold, and these I have to lead as well. They too will listen to my voice, and there will be only one flock and one shepherd. The Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me; I lay it down of my own free will, and as it is in my power to lay it down, so it is in my power to take it up again; and this is the command I have been given by my Father."

The Gospel of the Lord.

LITURGY ROSTER THIS WEEK

St Thomas More			Corpus Christi		
Time	Reader	Ministers	Time	Readers	Ministers
4.30pm	Viviana C	Frances A – Annette P	6.00pm	Min K – Marilyn M	Diane W – Dung N
9.00am	Paul S	Ralph & Claudia Z	10.30am	Oanh Le – Geeta S	Marise N – Hai N



On the Fourth Sunday of Easter, called *Good Shepherd Sunday*, we continue to reflect on the meaning of the Resurrection. This is also the *World Day of Prayer for Vocations*. Today, we celebrate the risen Lord as the Good Shepherd who lays down his life for his sheep. The priest in charge of a parish is called pastor because “pastor” means shepherd. As shepherd, he leads, feeds, nurtures, comforts, corrects, and protects Christ’s sheep, the people of the parish.

“Dear friends, on this day in particular, but also in the ordinary pastoral life of our communities, I ask the Church to continue to promote vocations. May she touch the hearts of the faithful and enable each of them to discover with gratitude God’s call in their lives, to find courage to say ‘yes’ to God.”

~Pope Francis, World Day of Prayer for Vocations 2024~

Thursday 25th of April – ANZAC DAY - Mass at 9.00am (STM)

God of love and liberty, we bring our thanks this day for the peace and security we enjoy, which was won for us through the courage and devotion of those who gave their lives in time of war. We pray that their labour and sacrifice may not be in vain, but that their spirit may live on in us and in generations to come. That the liberty, truth and justice which they sought to preserve may be seen and known in all the nations upon earth. This we pray in the name of the one who gave his life for the sake of the world, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



*They shall not grow old, as we that are left grow old.
Age shall not weary, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning, we shall remember them. Lest We Forget*

WELCOME BACK TO OUR SCHOOL FAMILIES – We hope you all had a lovely Easter break!! Parents please remember to **DRIVE SLOWLY** in the Church carpark when dropping off and picking up your children. Thank you 😊