

St Peter Julian Eymard Catholic Church Mooroolbark Parish

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We are a Welcoming Eucharistic and Spirit Filled Parish Community.

SPJE PARISH IS A CHILD SAFE ENVIRONMENT

We acknowledge the Wurundjeri People, the traditional custodians of this land

Parish Priest Fr. Joseph Xin Lu

Parish Secretary Mrs. Adriana De Leo **Parish Assistant** Mr. Brian Twining

Parish Office

234 Hull Road (PO Box 2) Mooroolbark 3138 **Telephone: 9723 4275**

Parish Mobile: 0493 071 811 - For emergency and church registrations

http://pol.org.au/mooroolbark/Home.aspx Email: mooroolbark@cam.org.au

Parish Hall - Contact Parish Office

SPJE Parish School

Reay Road, Mooroolbark 3138
Telephone 9725 0595 Fax 9723 9255
School Principal – Mr. Greg Thomas
http://www.spjemooroolbark.catholic.edu.au

SPJE - Outside School Hours Care Telephone: 8215 9206

St. Richard's Parish School 672 Mt. Dandenong Rd.Kilsyth, 3137 Telephone 9728 4378 Fax 9728 6272 School Principal - Mr. Marcus Gill http://www.srkilsyth.catholic.edu.au

Normal Mass Times at SPJE

Weekday Masses
Tues & Thurs: 9.30 am
Saturday: No morning Mass
Saturday: 6.00 pm (Vigil)
Sunday: 9.00 am
Sunday: 11.00 am

Reconciliation: Satuday 5.15 pm or by arrangement with Priest. Sacraments (Baptism, Weddings) Ring Parish Office 9723 4275

Parish QR Code



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 13th February 2022 Issue No. 3

Mark 1:40-45 Jesus cures a person with leprosy, who reports his cure to everyone.

Today's Gospel invites us to think about the choices we make as individuals and as a family. Jesus was faced with a choice in today's Gospel. By choosing to heal the man with leprosy, Jesus showed God's compassion for the sick and the outcast. The man knew that Jesus had a choice and that Jesus could reject his request. He may have expected that Jesus would not help him. The social taboos regarding leprosy certainly gave him little on which to base his hope. In the person of the man with leprosy, we see an image of all those in need. The sick and the outcast of our world are watching us, to see if we as Christians will choose to extend ourselves to others in need of healing and compassion.

In choosing to heal the man with leprosy, Jesus chose to show God's compassion and mercy. All our choices reflect our faith, and others are watching.



Marcus Gill - Principal St. Richard's

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PARISH CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

12/13th 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Special Collection

Chaplaincy Appeal - all masses

Baptism - 9am Mass

19/20th 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun. Baptism - 9am & 11am

26/27th 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun 27th Baptism - 9am & 11am

Private Baptism - 2.30pm

MARCH

2nd ASH WEDNESDAY

Beginning of Lent, Day of Fast

9.15am Mass - SPJE School 10.30am Mass - St Richards School

5/6th FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Baptism - 9am

12/13th SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

10th Thur FDT Meeting - 10am

17th Thur St Patricks Day

19/20th THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

19th Sat St Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed

Virgin Mary

ROSTERS

Counters - Month of February 2022

Joan & Maurie Prendergast

Flowers for 18th February

Routley family

Church Cleaners Month of February

Francis Braganza & Laurel Simpson

(Please collect church key from parish office Monday - Friday, 9am - 4pm)

Readers and Commentators - 19/20th February

6.00 pm Craig Hume & Mitchell Mazarella 9.00 am Lisa Read & Tim Newcomb

11.00am Auna Wernert & Volunteer required

Musicians - 18/19th February

6.00 pm Shelly & Co 9.00 am No Music 11.00am ZOMI Group

Weekday Mass Times

Weekday Mass Tuesday's - 9.30 am

Readings for Next Week - 20th February

1 Sam 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 102:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13: 1 Cor 15:45-49: Lk 6:27-38

Prayers for the Sick

We pray for parishioners and friends who are ill;

James Devlin, James Brien,

Eleanor Thompson, Patricia Fenton,

Patricia Koblar, Sue Hoogenboom, Brenda

Corrigan, Vic Garcia.

† Remembrance Diary **†**

We remember those who have died, and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

12/2 to 18/2

Fernando Del Vecchio, Noreen Studd, John Willcocks, Margarita Dunnington, Josephine Makin, Don Raffaello Rossi Family, Jim Fitzgerald, Theresa Whitelaw, Michael Murphy, Elena Casotti, Maria Margaletic, Stephen Nowicki, Bruce Barlow-Barker, Isobel Giuffrida, Ivy Crellin, Joe Ekanayake, Kathleen Collins, Patricia Nugent, Jim McKenna, Valentine O'Donnell.

BAPTISM

We welcome to our Parish through Baptism.

Grace Vella

As they receive the Holy Spirit through the Sacrament celebrated this weekend, may their faith guide them throughout their life.



Chaplaincy Appeal 2022

This weekend is the Chaplaincy Appeal.

Donations from our parish community will help the Chaplaincy programs to support the most vulnerable people in our community.

Your support and generosity will ensure that Catholic Chaplains can continue to be the messengers of God's mercy, love and compassion. Parishioners are encouraged to offer prayers and financial support to help provide continued spiritual and emotional comfort to individuals and families in Victoria facing loneliness, illness, pain, grief and death.

You can donate using the envelopes available or online at **www.catholiccarevic.org.au** or call (03) 9287 5513.

Envelopes available in the church pews

Parish Child Safeguarding Team

If you have any child safety concerns please contact the following team members

Brian Twining

brian.twining@cam.org.au

Meg Wright

mwright@spjemoroolbark.catholic.edu.au

Michael Mc Lindon

mclinoffice@gmail.com

Or request a call back on the Parish Office phone 9723 4275



POSITIONS VACANT - Archdiocese of Melbourne

Applications are invited from suitably qualified and experienced people for the positions of:

- Parish Secretary, St Brendan's & Holy Rosary Parishes, Flemington
- Sacramental Coordinator, St Dominic's East Camberwell Parish
- Pastoral Youth Worker, Parish of St Macartan's, Mornington
- Continuous Improvement Specialist Client Services Group, CDF
- Office Coordinator, Catholic Social Services Victoria (0.8 FTE)
- Communications Administration Support Officer, East Melbourne
- Executive Officer, Victorian Council of Churches, Melbourne
- Sacramental Coordinator, St Dominic's East Camberwell Parish
- Parish Secretary, St Luke's Parish, Lalor
- Parish Secretary, St Gregory the Great Catholic Parish of Doncaster
- Lead Singer Family Choir, St Joseph's Parish, Chelsea

Further details of the above positions can be found on the Archdiocese website at: https://melbournecatholic.org/job-vacancies

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

If assistance is required, please contact

1800 305 330 Mon – Fri 10am - 3pm



PARISH UPDATES

To see all current mass times and updates on attendance rules in place, please take the time to look at the Parish website.

Simply type into google SPJE Parish then click onto website, scroll down the page and you will see the current advice.



