

St Peter Julian Eymard Catholic Church Mooroolbark Parish

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We are a Welcoming Eucharistic and Spirit Filled Parish Community.

Parish Priest Fr. Joseph Xin Lu

Parish Secretary Mrs. Adriana De Leo

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Pastoral Associate Gerard Wheeler

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Parish Office

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Parish Hall - contact Parish Office

SPJE Parish School

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School Principal – Mrs. Maria Bast
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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 - Tuesday - Friday: 9.15 am

Rosary prayed on Wednesday and Thursday after 9.15am Mass

Saturday: No morning Mass
Saturday: 6.00p.m. (vigil)
Sunday: 9.00a.m.
Sunday: 11.00a.m.
Reconciliation: Saturday 5.15 p.m.
or by arrangement with Priest.
Sacraments (Baptism, Weddings)
Ring Parish Office 9723 4275

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If assistance is required, please contact 1800 305 330, Mon – Fri 10 am -3 pm

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8th July 2018 - Issue No: 23

Reflection

I have a friend called Ian Howie-Willis who is an historian and author and also a lay preacher at his Uniting Church in Canberra. In our correspondence he always includes a prayer or thought related to my MND. This is from a sermon he gave recently.

"Lord Jesus, you never pretended to your disciples that following you would be easy. You warned them that in following you they must take up their crosses daily, experiencing the difficulties that a life lived with you and for you will bring. Help us to bear our burden joyfully, knowing that our reward will be to enjoy a new and more fulfilling life with you. Help us, too, to live our Christian lives more effectively, helping others so that through our love of serving you they, too, will experience your love and seek to follow you themselves. Amen."

Michael Sellar



Weekday Mass Times

No Weekday Mass from 4th June to 12th July

PARISH CALENDAR

JULY

7/8th July 14th Sunday in Ordinary

Time

Fr Brendan Connell

RCIA Mass of Thanksgiving -

9am

3rd July Ladies Lunch - Crave

Restaurant Croydon - 12 noon

11th SVDP Training Church Foyer

10am - 4pm

12th July Thur. Mass at 9.15am

14/15th July 15th Sunday in Ord. Time

Baptisms - 9am & 11am

17th July School resumes

19th July PPC Meeting 7.30pm (Parish

House)

21/22nd23rd July **16th Sunday in Ord Time**Pre Confirmation Evening 7pm

Church - Speaker Paul Spence

24th Greeting & Welcome - 7.30pm

Venue TBC

28/29th July 17th Sunday in Ord Time

ROSTERS

Counters

9th July Bob & Wies Dight (swap)
16th July Jan Phippard & Eileen Goltz

Flowers

14th July Routley Family (Baptisms)

21st July Philomena Turner

Cleaners

9th July Graeme Vear & Gerard Wright

16th July Jessica & Gloria Romero, Catherine Tai

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

Ministers of Eucharist Coordinators for July

6.00 pm Pat Harman & Philomena Turner

9.00 am Tim Newcomb 11.00am Vivien Margaletic

Readers and Commentators - 14/15th July

6.00 pm Jessica Romero & George Nantes
9.00 am Volunteer Required & Karen Broughton
11.00 am Elizabeth Acabado & Margaret Corker

Readings for Next Week - 14/15 July

Amos 7:12-15; Eph 1:3-14; Mk 6:7-13

Prayers for the Sick

We pray for parishioners and friends who are ill, especially

Linda Young, Lynette Currucan, Frank Covino, Dorothy Smith, Helen Allen, Brian Alan, Patrick Daly, Maureen Keane, Peter Margerison, Helen Reading, Marisa Fantin.

☆ Remembrance Diary **☆**

We remember those who have died, especially **Anne Di Nardo and all those whose anniversaries**occur about this time:

7/7 to 13/7

Kathleen O'Connell, Luigi Slaviero, Eril Prendergast,
Josephine O'Hara, Fillippo Giuffrida, Margaret
Kirley, Andy Brown, Nancy Findlay, Robert Stewart,
John Dollery, Phillip D'Orival, Walter Hardacre, Fr
Joseph Cairns, Maria Incoronata Del Guidice, Robert
Delzpoppo, Glenda Chavez, Drago Safar, Francis
O'Leary, Kevin Trappel, Victor Lyons, Louis
Matthews, Joan Mary Cameron, Gerda Bakker,
Michelle Bleumink, Judy Shaw, Clare Joiner,
Veronica Gorman, Hugh Boyd, Sarah Scanlon.

MARY MACKILLOP FOUNDATION FUNDRAISING DINNER

Friday 31 August, 7pm Mount St Joseph Girls' College, 133 Maidstone Street, Altona West

The Mary MacKillop Foundation is a national not-for-profit organisation that provides community grants to organisations supporting vulnerable people in Australia; thus continuing the work begun by Saint Mary MacKillop. As well as inviting you to the dinner, always a fun-filled and joyous occasion, the Foundation is also seeking contributors to the night, in the form of provision of items for the major and silent auctions and raffles. All funds raised on the night go directly to supporting people in need.

Cost: \$40, including a three-course meal. BYO drinks. Tickets and bookings: MMHC on 9926 9300

RSVP: Friday 24 August

Our Church is the family of God and it looks at families as the domestic Church to be modelled after the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. (Bishop William Crean)



VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED

If you can spare a morning or an afternoon or a whole day vou will be made most welcome. Training is provided. If interested, please phone

Terri on 8199 4213

Archdiocese of Melbourne Media and Communications



50 years in Mooroolbark Vibrancy, Diversity and Unity

Mooroolbark's St Peter Julian Eymard Parish Celebrated 50 Years. Please view link below for video and photos

https://melbournecatholic.org.au/News/50-years-inmooroolbark-vibrancy-diversity-and-unity

"REMINDER" **LADIES 50th ANNIVERSARY LUNCHEON**

7th August 2018 At Yering Meadows Golf Club Final day for ticket sales is Monday 16th July

Enquiries Contact: Philomena Turner 0417 208 077 or 9727 1448.

CHURCH NOTICE BOARD

Please see church noticeboard for notices, flyers, school news, etc.



Have you Changed? **Phone Number Email Address Residential Address Mail Address**

Please notify the Parish Office on 9723 4275 or email mooroolbark@cam.org.au

NEW ARCHBISHOP— DIOCESE OF MELBOURNE

Following the resignation of Archbishop Hart Melbourne will welcome a new Archbishop from 1st August, 2018. Our Archbishop elect is Peter Andrew Comensoli.

A Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated to farewell Archbishop Hart on Saturday, 21st July, 2018 at 11am in St. Patrick's Cathedral with refreshments to follow in Central Hall, Brunswick Street, Fitzroy.

The Mass of Reception will take place in St. Patrick's Cathedral on Wednesday, 1st August, 2018 at 7pm. Afterwards hospitality will be extended to all in Central Hall, Brunswick Street, Fitzroy.

We welcome Archbishop Peter Comensoli and wish him God's blessings in his new role.

THANKSGIVING ENVELOPES

Parishioners who donate via weekly envelopes will find your new envelopes, including your annual statement, in the foyer of the Church.

The new envelopes commence as from 15th July..

For those who donate quarterly/half yearly, your envelopes will be available in a few weeks.

Parishioners who donate via credit card/ direct debit and who wish to receive a statement, please contact the Parish Office on 9723 4275.

FRIDAY MORNING CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

Friday mornings, 10.30am

St Joseph's Church, 30 Fitzgerald Street, South Yarra The Parish of South Yarra welcomes everyone to join the Christian meditation group, meeting each Friday morning following the 10am Mass at Saint Joseph's. The group gathers at the parish library after the meditation for a cuppa. **Details:** Parish office on 9826 9677 or secretary@parishofsouthyarra.org.au



Living the Gospel, Learning Together, Creating our Future

St. Richard's School is a welcoming community that places the students at the centre of all that we do. We aim to build a partnership between staff, families and community members to further develop student learning and wellbeing.

We strive to develop a sense of self in relationship with God and others to ensure school is a positive and safe experience. The promotion of wellbeing is strongly linked to student academic outcomes.

Please consider St. Richard's school when choosing a primary school for your child.

Brochures are available in the foyer.

MELBOURNE CATHOLIC MAGAZINE JULY 2018 ISSUE

July Edition of Melbourne Catholic is now available.

Interesting reading on:-

- Sleepless in Seaford
- Mission to Myanmar
- Sea changes
- My priestly pilgrimage Fr.Gerard Dowling
 \$2 per copy.

Greeting and Welcome Group

Did you know that we have an active Greeting and Welcome group that visit parishioners to simply say "Hello"? We visit in pairs, usually spending about an hour or two a month visiting parishioners that are listed on our Parish database.

Last year we visited 347 households. Since this program commenced around 1600 households have been visited. We have approximately 2600 households on our Parish Database.

In the past two months we have visited 27 households. If you would like to join our active and welcoming team please contact Jane on 0416 279 811.

July 8, 2018 - 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"As the Lord spoke to me, the spirit entered me and set me on my feet, and I heard the one who was speaking say to me, 'Son of man, I am sending you...'" EZEKIEL 2:2-3

God asks each of us to do some special work for Him. He gives us the resources we need to do His work. However, do we listen to God when He calls? Do we get up on our feet and use our talent to do the work He asks of us? Remember, God doesn't call the equipped, he equips the called.

2018 ANNIVERSARY MASS

Sunday 29 July, 11am, St Patrick's Cathedral, 1 Cathedral Place, East Melbourne

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60th-70th wedding anniversary this year? The Life, Marriage and Family Office invites you and your families to join us at the 2018 annual Anniversary Mass. All couples registering will receive a commemorative pack and certificate.

Register by Friday 13 July on 9287 5587 or lmf@cam.org.au or www.cam.org.au/lifemarriagefamily

CATHOLIC DEVELOPMENT FUND

At a time where people are disillusioned more than ever with banks, the CDF Community Fund offers a prudent alternative to support key development projects that benefit the broader Catholic community. At the same time they can also earn an attractive rate of interest on their investment.

Father James "Jim" Wall established the Melbourne Funds movement over 60 years ago, originally for the purpose of raising capital to build schools during the post war population boom. The CDF now loans money to a wide range of Catholic organisations.

The CDF Community Fund has now been established in response to new Government regulations which have imposed restrictions on the operation of accounts for customers, including mandatory disclosure requirements. Across Australia a number of CDFs have joined together in a new partnership.

Brochures explaining more are available in the foyer of the Church.

Website: www.cdfcommunityfund.org.au

Enquiries or questions: 1800 134 135 or enquiries@cdfcf.org.au