



**St Peter Julian Eymard  
Catholic Church  
Mooroolbark Parish**

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

**Parish Office**  
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and church registrations**

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**Parish Hall - Contact Parish Office**

**SPJE Parish School**  
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**School Principal – Mr. Greg Thomas**  
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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: 9.30 am  
Saturday: No morning Mass  
**Saturday: 6.00 pm (Vigil)**  
**Sunday: 9.00 am**  
**Sunday: 11.00 am**

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

**Sixth Sunday of Easter**  
**22nd May 2022      Issue No. 17**

*John 14:23-29*

**Jesus promises his disciples that the Father will  
send the Advocate, the Holy Spirit.**

This portion of John's Gospel comes near the end  
of the first of four chapters that make up Jesus'  
long farewell discourse at the Last Supper.

These verses also contain a glimpse of some of the  
other themes of the farewell discourse: Jesus'  
relationship with the Father and the disciples'  
relationship to Jesus connect the disciples to the  
Father as well. Jesus promises to send an Advocate  
or intercessor who will remind the disciples of  
everything that Jesus taught them and bring them  
peace.

Jesus is preparing his disciples in advance for his  
absence so that they will continue to believe in him  
and not feel all alone after his return to the Father.

After the initial excitement of his Easter  
appearances, Jesus will remain with his followers  
in a very different way throughout the centuries.  
As our celebration of the Easter season is coming  
to an end, the liturgy reminds us that Jesus remains  
with us through the Holy Spirit, who teaches us  
everything we need to know, reminds us of all that  
Jesus taught, and brings us peace.

This weekend more of our Year 4 children in the Parish  
of Mooroolbark will receive the Sacrament of Eucharist  
for the first time. The students this weekend are from  
St. Richard's Catholic Primary School..

We welcome the following children to the table of the  
Lord for the first time.

*Noah Rolls, Melanie Frost, Espyn Ironmonger,  
Cooper Bourrillon, Lokoda Lakeland, Anabelle  
Baker, Lance Rey, Sarah Lobosco, Emma  
Lobosco, April Schulz, Brayden Lennox, and  
Alexis Pugh.*

May they go forth and live as disciples of Jesus with  
God's Blessings.

**Marcus Gill- Principal**

## PARISH CALENDAR

### MAY

#### 21/22nd May Sixth Sunday of Easter

2022 Federal Elections

~~FIRST EUCHARIST (St Rich) - 6pm~~

BAPTISMS - 9 am

FIRST EUCHARIST (St Rich) 11am

24th Tue Our Lady of Help & Christians

26th Thur Faith Development Meeting - 10am

#### 28/29th May THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

28th Sat Private Baptism - 4.30pm

FIRST EUCHARIST SPJE- 6pm

Baptism Welcome 9am & 11am

29th Sun FIRST EUCHARIST SPJE - 11am

#### 4/5th June PENTECOST SUNDAY

Propagation of the Faith Appeal

All Masses

4th Sat Private Baptism - 11am

FIRST EUCHARIST SPJE - 6pm

5th Sun FIRST EUCHARIST SPJE - 11am

Baptism Welcome - 9am

9th Thur Baptism Meeting Church - 7pm

Margaret Vallence & Lili Stride

#### 11/12th June THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Baptism - 9am & 11am

15th Wed Confirmation Family Night Church

7.30pm

## Weekday Mass Times

Tuesday 9.30am

### Readings for Next Week - 29th May

Acts 1:1-11; Ps 46:2-3, 6-9;

Eph 1:17-23; Lk 24:46-53

### Prayers for the Sick

We pray for parishioners and friends who are ill;

*James Devlin, James Brien,  
Eleanor Thompson, Patricia Fenton,  
Patricia Koblar, Brenda Corrigan,  
Vic Garcia, Pam Stephens,  
Hyacinth Pereira & Judith Fitzgerald .*

### ✝ Remembrance Diary ✝

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

21/5 to 27/5

Collin Hallam, Angelo Cincotta, Frank Anderson,  
Gwen Johnson, Maria Casotti, Giovina Cellante,  
Ernst Franz, Linda Young, Richard Quinless,  
Sarah & Frederick Boyd, Joseph Riley, Michael  
Carroll, Alan Boyd, Betty Trappel, Isabella Care,  
Lindsay Trappel, William Wrigglesworth, Chris  
Rinderhagen, Lawrence Devitt, Emma Duke, Ron  
Mutton, Angelo Cachia, Elizabeth McMahon, Ayla  
D'Cruz (baby) - first anniversary, Freda Sutton,  
Yvonne Devey, Peter Kerr, Albertina Anastasi,  
Lorna Kirby, Edward D'Silva.

## ROSTERS

### Counters - Month of May 2022

Paul & Marianne Redfern

### Flowers - Month of May 2022

Philomena Turner

### Church Cleaners - Month of May

Xavier & Muzeena D'Almeida

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

### Readers and Commentators - 29th May

6.00 pm Pat Harman & Iris Gale

9.00 am Lilijana Stride & Lisa Read

11.00am Charlotte Wightman & Volunteer req

### Musicians - 22nd May

6.00 pm T.B.A.

9.00 am T.B.A.

11.00am T.B.A.

## DONATIONS OF GLEN 20

The parish is running low on  
**Glen 20** to sanitize the church.

If you are able to donate a can,  
it would be much appreciated.

Please drop off to the parish  
office or at Mass.

**THANK YOU**



# Baptism

## BAPTISM

We welcome to our Parish through Baptism.

**Noah Sabalo & Amelia Bolzonello**

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



## FIRST EUCHARIST - Week. 2 St Richard's Children

We welcome the following children this weekend as they receive the sacrament of First Eucharist

**Sunday 22nd May:**

*Noah Rolls, Melanie Frost,  
Espyn Ironmonger, Cooper Bourrillon,  
Lokoda Lakeland, Anabelle Baker,  
Lance Rey, Sarah Lobosco, Emma Lobosco,  
April Schulz, Brayden Lennox, and Alexis Pugh.*

### Looking to be inspired in your faith?

Reconnect, Renew and Reimagine Catholic Community and Mission at the **Alive in the Spirit Online Experience** 26<sup>th</sup> – 28 May 2022 with one-month access. Inspiration and Formation for everyone engaged in the life of our Church. See keynote speakers, workshop information and register at [www.aliveinthefirstspirit.com.au](http://www.aliveinthefirstspirit.com.au)

**21/22nd May**

**This weekend we remember and pray for all those who have died during the pandemic.**

*“He will wipe away all tears from their eyes;*

*Death will be no more and sadness, crying and pain will be no more.”*



## HEART OF LIFE

**Taster Session', Tuesday 14 June 2022, 7.30pm-9pm (AEST), via Zoom.**

Are you called to be a spiritual director? A pastoral supervisor? A spiritual leader? Would you like to participate in spiritual formation that develops a compassionate, contemplative, listening heart? We invite you to join our Taster Session for a facilitated reflection and more information about Heart of Life's courses.

Led by the formation team at Heart of Life Centre for Spiritual & Pastoral Formation.

Bookings via [www.trybooking.com/BZAWV](http://www.trybooking.com/BZAWV), or email [secretary@heartoflife.melbourne](mailto:secretary@heartoflife.melbourne) for more details.

**Catholic Development Fund – East Melbourne**  
<https://melbournecatholic.org/job-vacancies>

**Executive Manager, Client Experience**

### Parish Positions

**Parish Secretary, St Mark's Catholic Parish, Fawkner**  
**Parish Secretary, St Luke's Parish, Lalor**  
**Parish Secretary, Preston East**  
**Parish Finance Officer, Nazareth Parish, Grovedale**  
**Parish Secretary, Our Lady of Mount Carmel & St Joseph's Parish, Middle Park & Port Melbourne**  
**Parish Secretary, Our Lady of the Nativity Parish, Essendon West**

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