

St Peter Julian Eymard Catholic Church Mooroolbark Parish

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We are a Welcoming Eucharistic and Spirit Filled Parish Community.

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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

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 5th August 2018 - Issue No: 27

REFLECTION HAPPY FEAST DAY 2ND AUGUST

Prayer of Saint Peter Julian Eymard



Saint Peter Julian, who listened with such loving response to the voice of Jesus, help us also to listen and hear Him as He calls us to serve Him each in our own vocation.

Lord Jesus Christ, through Your grace St. Peter Julian understood the Eucharist to be Your Gift of Self to the world. May our prayers lead us to an ardent love of the Eucharist so that, like St. Peter Julian, we may shine in the world with the Radiance of Your Presence, a radiance that will silently say:

> Jesus is there – let us go to Him!

St. Peter Julian, Apostle of the Eucharist, pray for us.

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Weekday Mass Times

Tuesday to Friday Mass at 9.15 am

PARISH CALENDAR

AUGUST

4/5th Aug 18th Sunday in Ord Time

6pm Mass—Supper after Mass

Baptisms—11am

Ladies 50th Lunch—12.30pm 7th Aug Tue 9th Thur

Local Ministers Meeting—P.

House

11/12th 19th Sunday in Ord Time

Catholic Care Appeal—Special 11/12th

Collection

15th Aug Wed Feast of the Assumption—

10.30am Mass at St Richards

School - All Welcome

17th Aug Deanery Priest Meeting/Lunch

P. House

20th Sunday in Ord Time 18/19th Aug

Private Baptism—11am 18th Aug Sat

6pm—Prep & Junior Level

Mass & Baptisms

11am—Prep & Junior Level

22nd Aug No 9.15am Mass - Clergy

Conference

ROSTERS

Counters 6th Aug

Bob & Wies Dight

13th Aug Paul & Marianne Redfern, Norm

Willingham

Flowers

11th Aug Cora Tungol Bernadette Bates 18th Aug

Cleaners

Fr Joseph & Francis Braganza 6th Aug Anna & Kevin Dwyer, Margaret Kim 13th Aug

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

Ministers of Eucharist Coordinators for August

6.00 pm Volunteer Required

9.00 am Pam Delahunt 11.00am Mike McCann

Readers and Commentators - 11/12th August

Denis Horan & Gloria Romero 6.00 pm

9.00 am Muzeena D'Almeida & Rosey Cullinan 11.00 am Elizabeth Acabado & Margaret Corker

Readings for Next Week - 11/12 Aug

1 Kg 19:4-8; Eph 4:30—5:2; Jn 6:41-51

Prayers for the Sick

We pray for parishioners and friends who are ill, especially

Jim Corrigan, Claire Lindsey (daughter to Jim & Brenda Corrigan) Gertrude Lowe, Elizabeth Elliott, Linda Young, Lynette Currucan, Frank Covino, Dorothy Smith, Brian Alan, Patrick Daly, Peter Margerison, Helen Reading, Marisa Fantin, Paul Brinschwitz

Remembrance Diary 中

We remember those who have died, especially Perlita Naval (Elizabeth Acabado's Mother) and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time: 4/8 to 10/8

Jack Newcombe, Bill Bonuda, Vita Anastasi, Charlie Scerri, Michael Beary, John Collins, Teresa McCluskey, Gerda Driessen, John 'Jack' O'Brien, Keith Gray, Ida Britton, Ronald Martini, John Commane, James Walsh, Elinor Barnes, Anito Montego, Rudiger Lutterberg, Sr. Madeleine Ryan O.S.U., Marinus Leusenkamp, Justin Edward, Bob Anguey, Felix Goodwin, Margaret Lane, Renee De Jong.



SPECIAL COLLECTION Last weekend

'How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger who announces peace, who brings good news...' - Isiah 52:7

Thank you to the many who donated generously to this appeal.

Amount raised: \$933.20

'Freecall: 1800 257 296 catholicmission.org.au/Myanmar

JULIAN'S JOURNAL

The last edition of Julian's Journal is now available in the church foyer.

We wish to thank Ann O'Connor and all previous editors for all their hard work over the years.

A big thank you to all the contributors over the years. They have contributed to many hours of happy reading.

August 5, 18 - 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

""Each day the people are to go out and gather their daily portion; thus will I test them, to see whether they follow my instructions or not." EXODUS 16:4

When the Israelites gathered more than their daily portion of manna, the surplus became wormy and rotten. In the same way today, self-reliance, pride and ego leads to hoarding and excessive surplus of goods and money. Living a stewardship lifestyle helps us discern our "wants" from our "needs". Living a generous lifestyle reminds us that God will provide all that we need and that we have plenty to share.

Father Joseph, Bernadette Brown and Adriana attended a special Installation Mass at the Cathedral, on Wednesday, 1st August, for Archbishop Peter Comensoli



Videos and photos from the Mass can be found on the Melbourne Catholic website here: https://melbournecatholic.org.au/









PLENARY COUNCIL 2020 LISTEN TO WHAT THE SPIRIT IS SAYING

Pope Francis has approved the Australian Bishops' decision to hold a Plenary council in Australia in 2020 and 2021. It is a significant moment for the Church in Australia to make decisions about the future.

To prepare the agenda for the Plenary Council, all of God's people are invited to reflect on the question "What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?"

Find out more about the Plenary Council 2020 at the new website, now online: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

BAPTISM

We welcome the following children to our Parish through Baptism :

Tully & Evy Lewin

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



THANKSGIVING ENVELOPES The remaining envelopes can be collected From Fr. Joseph or the Parish Office.

Louise Brier
Helen McGeoch
M & K. Nevins
Marlene Cooke
E & H. Wilkinson

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-in-mooroolbark-vibrancy-diversity-and-unity

Dear Parish.

We are proud to announce that we have launched our social media pages! CatholicCare now has Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn so that we can connect with you and share recent news, stories and events. Head over and check us out! Last month we had a busy time with three major events. We held a refugee family day out at Werribee Zoo with families from our Refugee Dads and Kids program, where they got to spend fun quality time together; we participated in Run Melbourne to help support our Refugee Settlement Program; and we celebrated CatholicCare Day. our annual staff conference, with a range of keynote speakers, activities and entertainment at the NAB Village in Docklands (visit our Facebook page to see more!).

This month our Sunday Appeal will go live throughout the Archdiocese of Melbourne and the Diocese of Sale, so keep an eye out for us in your local Catholic Church.

Thank you for your continued support of CatholicCare - we look forward to connecting with you online!

The CatholicCare team

THE JOURNEY CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM – AIRS 12 August 2018

Just a reminder, that all Journey Catholic Radio information is always a week in advance

This week on The Journey, we have invited the Diocese of Maitland-Newcastle to share with us their reflection from the Gospel of John. Trish McCarthy joins us in her Milk &Honey segment and reminds us that Life is Fragile, and Bruce Downes, The Catholic Guy talks to us about Trusting is a Better Life. Christian Music is an integral part of our show and together with our God Spots, this is the Journey Catholic Radio, where faith, hope, love and life come together. Go to www._jcr.org.au or www.itunes.jcr.org.au where you can listen anytime and subscribe to weekly shows by email.

NEW PARISH WEBSITE

The parish is moving to a new website hosted by the archdiocese.

This service is free for parishes on POL (Parish Online) The new website is available now, but is not finished - only newsletters are currently posted.

The office hopes to have it completed by the end of July. To access the website please use the following link: http://www.pol.org.au/mooroolbark/



The old website will close some time after the end of July.

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

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Can you spare an hour each week to visit a newly arrived refugee or migrant to help them learn English? There are isolated people across Melbourne who need your help to settle into their new communities in Australia. Melbourne Adult Migrant English Program (AMEP) is currently seeking volunteers. Tutors work one-on-one with students, or in small groups if you'd prefer to work as a team. Free training and support is provided and will commence in August.

Details: www.melbourneamep.com.au/volunteer/

Contact: 9269 1514 or

amepvts@melbournepolytechnic.com.au

Mount Lilydale Mercy College musical for 2018 "Back to the 80's"

Attending this event is a wonderful way for the families of the St Peter Julian Eymard and St Richard's Parishes to experience life at the college first hand.

The musical will transport you back to a time of acid wash jeans, Rubik's cubes, and fluoro leg warmers. With nearly 200 students, teachers and parents involved in the production, this show is set to be an extravaganza of colour, fun and, of course, many of your favourite '80s tunes.

Tickets are now on sale for three performances.

Date: Thursday 2, Friday 3 and Saturday 4 August at 7.30pm

Venue: Centennial Hall, MLMC

BOOKINGS: https://www.trybooking.com/WLHU