

# ST CHRISTOPHER'S PARISH

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Our Churches: St Christopher's Church

34 Roberts Road, Airport West

St Augustine's Church

100 Harrick Road, Keilor Park

Parish Priest: Fr Peter Hoang

Email: airportwest@cam.org.au

Parish Secretary: Emilia Balkan

(Tuesday – Friday)

**Primary Schools** 

St Christopher's Primary School

34 Roberts Road, Airport West

**Principal:** Adrian Glasby

**Phone:** 9338 3591

**St Augustine's Primary School** 

Augustine's Way, Keilor **Principal:** Catherine Steere

Phone: 9336 4294

May our children flourish

St Christopher's Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

## The Most Holy Trinity

(Year A)

3 / 4 June 2023

#### **WORSHIP TIMETABLE**

#### St Christopher's Church

#### **MONDAY**

Holy Rosary 9.00am

Communion Service 9.30am

Italian Charismatic Prayer Group (after Mass)

#### **TUESDAY**

Holy Rosary 9.00am

Mass 9.30am

Italian Rosary (after Mass)

#### WEDNESDAY

Holy Rosary 9.00am Mass 9.30am

#### **THURSDAY**

Holy Rosary 9.00am Mass 9.30am

#### **FRIDAY**

Holy Rosary 9.00am Mass 9.30am

#### **SATURDAY**

Mass 5.00pm

#### **SUNDAY**

Mass (Italian) 8.30am Mass (English) 10.30am

#### St Augustine's Church

**SUNDAY** 

Mass 9.00am

#### Baptisms (bookings only)

- Every second and fourth Saturday at 11.00am at St Christopher's Church
- Every second and fourth Sunday at St Christopher's Church
- Every third Sunday at St Augustine's Church
- Baptism Welcomes every first Sunday.

#### **Parish Sacramental Program**

For school aged children attending a non - catholic school. Please contact the Parish Office for further information.

Weddings (at least 6 months in advance)

Please contact parish office.

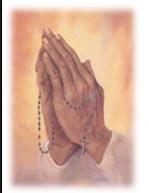
#### Reconciliations

Every Friday after 9.30am Mass.

#### Anointing of the sick

As requested.

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR:



### <u>Recently deceased:</u> Lilia Bunque Mungcal

Maria Vallicelli (in Italy)

All anniversaries that occur at this time, especially:

Maria Saidel

#### FIRST READING

Exodus 34:4-6,8-9

#### A reading from the book of Exodus.

With the two tablets of stone in his hands, Moses went up the mountain of Sinai in the early morning as the Lord had commanded him. And the Lord descended in the form of a cloud, and Moses stood with him there.

He called on the name of the Lord. The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, 'Lord, Lord, a God of tenderness and compassion, slow to anger, rich in kindness and faithfulness.' And Moses bowed down to the ground at once and worshipped. 'If I have indeed won your favour, Lord,' he said 'let my Lord come with us, I beg. True, they are a headstrong people, but forgive us our faults and our sins, and adopt us as your heritage.'

The word of the Lord.

#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

#### Response:

#### Glory and praise for ever!

You are blest, Lord God of our fathers. *R.*Blest your glorious holy name. *R.* 

You are blest in the temple of your glory. **R.** 

You are blest on the throne of your kingdom. R.

You are blest who gaze into the depths. R.

You are blest in the firmament of heaven. R.



#### SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

# A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians.

Brothers, we wish you happiness; try to grow perfect; help one another. Be united; live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you.

Greet one another with the holy kiss. All the saints send you greetings.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. *The word of the Lord.* 

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come. Alleluia!

#### **GOSPEL**

John 3:16-18

#### A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.



Jesus said to Nicodemus:

'God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son,

so that everyone who believes in him may not be lost

but may have eternal life.

For God sent his Son into the world

not to condemn the world,

but so that through him the world might be saved. No one who believes in him will be condemned; but whoever refuses to believe is condemned already,

because he has refused to believe in the name of God's only Son.'

The word of the Lord.



<u>Prayers of the</u> <u>Faithful Response:</u> Lord, hear our prayer!

# THE HOLY TRINITY



If we take a look at our self, each human is made up of a mind, a body, and a soul, and yet we are still only one person.

A fire has flames, heat, and light, but yet it is still just one fire.

When you hear a person's speech, you are hearing three things - his words, his thoughts, and his voice, yet it is still one speech.

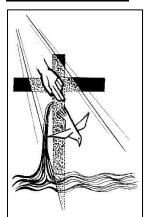
GOD - the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Three Persons, yet One God in Trinity. The Holy Trinity.



Lifted from http://www.catholicbible101.com/theholytrinity.htm

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#### **Exploring the Word**



We begin our Summer 'Ordinary Time' by celebrating a strange feast - not of a particular saint or event, but of the awesome paradoxes of our God, the Three-in-One, Father, Son and Spirit: so immeasurably distant, yet so amazingly close, so full of power and so full of love. It is love that is the key to the

mystery: the revelation of God, to Moses and in Jesus Christ, the Son of God, shows a perfect love - a perfect unity. In the beginning, in the story of Creation in Genesis, God made man and woman 'in the image and likeness of God', to live together as a community of love. So too, the Church is an image of this perfection of community which is Father, Son and Spirit. We, as many members of one Church, strive in our everyday lives to imitate God who is Three and One, perfect unity and perfect love.

#### Find Your Path at CTC Online Information Session

Catholic Theological College
Monday 19 June at 7.30pm (AEST)
Register via our website:
ctc.edu.au/information-session
For more information contact:
Dr Christopher Knauf









#### **Inner Healing through Meditation on Jesus**

June 30 – July 2, 2023

(Prayer & Meditation through gentle postures and breathing in the Holy Spirit, heals body, mind and soul.)

Gospel of John 17:11; "Holy Father, protect them by the power of your name, the name you gave me..." Retreat begins with dinner at 6pm on Friday 30th of June, and concludes at 4.00pm on Sunday 2nd of July.

Cost:

\$210 (live-in) \$150 (live-out)

Guided by Fr. Gilbert Carlo SVD

Contact: Janssen Spirituality Centre, 22 Woodvale

Road, Boronia, Victoria 3155 RSVP Tel: 03 9762 6625 or Email: gilbertcarlo@gmail.com

# Catholic Mission seeks a Diocesan Parish Appeals Coordinator. This could be you!

- Part-time 3 days per week, fixed term (18 months) position based in Melbourne VIC.
- Work within community engagement in a creative and innovative role.
- Become a member of an experienced Diocesan team.
- Recruiting and supervising a team of Parish Ambassadors across Melbourne;
- In concert with the Parish Ambassadors, recruiting a team of speakers to promote Church appeals.
- Overseeing a formation Program to support a growing team of Parish Mission Ambassadors.

For further information, contact the Diocesan Director of Catholic Mission, Kevin Meese at Melbourne.director@catholicmission.org.au



This week Catholic Mission will offer the opportunity to be part of a life-changing program which aims to address gaps in medical care, and provide families with essential health care and knowledge, equipping them with the confidence to act and autonomy over their health and well-being.

The Maria Auxiliadora Clinic is a vital project for the Salesian Sisters and the Church in Venilale. Since its establishment, the clinic has provided life-saving treatment for families in need, like Petrolina's, whose daughter Vitoria was found to have tuberculosis. But, with an increase in the demand for treatment, the Sisters resources can only carry them so far.

Please give generously today to help continue this life-giving program by using the appeal envelope, going online at <u>catholicmission.org.au/timor</u>, or scanning the QR code. Your gift will also help many other similar Church-run mission programs around the world.

Please support these Australian owned businesses that support our Parish



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#### **BANK TRANSFERS**

We encourage all Parishioners to contribute Thanksgiving through bank transfers. If you choose this method please ensure that in the description you put your surname and envelope number. (eg: Smith 1234) St Christopher Parish account numbers are as follows:

#### **Church Account**

CDF Bank (NAB) BSB 083 347 Account 716 209 715

To pay our Parish operating costs; Pastoral Care and Sacraments; Maintenance

#### **Presbytery Account**

CDF Bank (NAB) BSB 083 347 Account 666 212 720

To support the Priest of our Parish; sick and retired Priests; Priests in needy Parishes; the **Archbishops** 

#### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

We welcome you to our Parish and ask that you make yourself known to us by completing this form and
leaving it in the collection basket or call at the Parish Office.

Full Name: _	Do you wish to receive Parish Thanksgivin	ηg		
	envelopes?			
Address:	Yes / No	)		
_	Would you like to contribute through direct	Would you like to contribute through direct		
	debit?			
	Yes / No	)		
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	Payment / Frequency Option ( <i>Please tick one</i> )			
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	2.		Quarterly	\$90.00		
	3.		Half Yearly	\$180.00		
	4.		Yearly	\$360.00		
	5.		other amount			

#### **PARISH FINANCES (weekending 28 May 2023)**

Thanksgiving: \$299.70 Presbytery: \$118.20

