

# MANSFIELD PARISH

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> October 2021

30<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B



The Mansfield Catholic Parish is committed to the safety of children and vulnerable adults

**PARISH PRIEST:** Fr George Feliciouz

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**Office Hours:** Wednesday & Friday 9am – 3.30pm. Rather than visit, we would prefer that you call or email Nance.

**OFFICE MANAGER:** Nance Rutley

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➤ **ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** (Used only when there is no Entrance Hymn)

Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice; turn to the Lord and his strength; constantly seek his face.

➤ **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

**R. The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.**

When the Lord delivered Zion from bondage, it seemed like a dream. Then was our mouth filled with laughter, on our lips there were songs.

The heathens themselves said: "What marvels the Lord worked for them!" What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed, we were glad.

Deliver us, O Lord, from our bondage as streams in dry land. Those who are sowing in tears will sing when they reap.

They go out, they go out, full of tears, carrying seed for the sowing: they come back, they come back, full of song, carrying their sheaves.

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➤ **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

*Alleluia, alleluia! Our saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death, and brought us life through his gospel. Alleluia!*

➤ **THE MYSTERY OF FAITH:**

***When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.***

➤ **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** (Used only when there is no Communion Hymn)

We will ring out our joy at your saving help and exult in the name of our God.

**Anniversary Prayers:** Eric & Joyce Cardwell, Cyril Wilson

**Prayers for those who are sick:**

Amy, George D'Arcy, Amy Duckworth, Logan, Alma O'Brien, Enzo Robinson, Patricia Lawson, Bernie Carroll, David Arbuthnot, Margaret Ramma, Tom and Bernard Read

To book St Mary's Hall please call Greg Hogarth on ☎0408 618 135

St Vincent de Paul (St Mary's Hall) Tuesday & Friday 1pm – 3pm ☎5775 3156

President: Zaldah Kirley on ☎0427 500 260

## PARISH PRAYER

Heavenly Father,

We the people of Mansfield Parish entrust you with our prayers, our needs and our hopes.

We thank you for giving us your Son as our Saviour, our life and our inspiration.

Help us to work as one in the Spirit building up the Body of Christ and bringing peace through forgiveness to the world.

May our patrons: St Francis Xavier, St John the Apostle, St Patrick, St Joseph, St John and Mary Help of Christians, pray for us and guide us in the ways of Jesus. **AMEN.**

### EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS – 20 persons (max)

**26<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> October**

Tuesday 9am Rosary 9.30am Mass

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First Fridays 9am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

### MASSES NEXT SUNDAY 30<sup>th</sup>/31<sup>st</sup> October

**Saturday 6pm** Mansfield

**Sunday 8.30 & 9.15am** Mansfield

**11am** Tolmie

1st & 3rd Sunday 6.00 pm Bonnie Doon

2nd & 4th Sunday 11.00 am Jamieson

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month 11.00 am Tolmie

You will need to book for weekend Masses at Trybooking – Mansfield Catholic Parish (20 people per Mass)

### ROSTERS for 30<sup>th</sup>/31<sup>st</sup> October

**Counters:** Nance & John Rutley

**Church Cleaning:** 25/10 – 6/11 Mike O'Halloran

**Maintenance:**

25/10 - 6/11 Shane O'Brien Front of Church

25/10 - 6/11 Mick Kelleher Back of Church &

back of Father George's residence

### SACRAMENTS IN THE MANSFIELD PARISH

#### BAPTISMS

Please call the Parish Office on 5775 2005

#### MARRIAGES

Please contact the Parish Office on 5775 2005

**PLEASE NOTE:** 3 months' notice is required before a wedding.

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 9.45am & 5.30pm

Confirmation – 5<sup>th</sup> November at 6pm

First Eucharist – 21<sup>st</sup> November at 9am

For further information, please contact the Parish Office.

## The XVI Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops For a synodal Church: **communion, participation, and mission**

Last Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2021, Archbishop Comensoli launched and invited you as faithful of Melbourne into the synodal journey for the universal Church that was commenced with the official opening of the XVI Ordinary General Synod of Bishops on 10 October at Rome. It is now our opportunity to begin engagement in this important two-year convocation that seeks to hear and consider how we are walking together as a synodal Church in our announcing of the Gospel. To do this, the Church is seeking to draw in the participation of the greatest number of people in order to listen deeply and attentively to the living voice of the entire People of God. The purpose of this first phase is consultation at our local level, how we can capture the richness and wealth of our experiences of lived synodality across our Church here in Melbourne. Please take some time to read more in preparation:

<https://www.synod.va/en.html>

(Excerpts from 17 October 2021 Archbishop Comensoli *To all the faithful of the Archdiocese of Melbourne.*)

✠Fr George

## NEWS AROUND OUR PARISH

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov: Mass at the cemetery 5.30pm.

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> Nov: Confirmation at 6pm

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> Nov: First Eucharist at 9am

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> Dec: Parish picnic and Christmas celebration at Mirimbah. 12 noon Mass followed by picnic lunch.

### PUTTING PEWS OUT FOR CONFIRMATION:

If you are free at 3pm on 5<sup>th</sup> November could you please come to the Church to help move the pews outside in time for confirmation at 6pm.

**STALL IN THE HALL:** There will be a monthly stall selling jams, cakes etc in the hall from 7<sup>th</sup> November. Tea and coffee will also be available.

**HIGH COUNTRY POETS BOOK** of local writers is now on sale. All proceeds to Mansfield Secondary College Welfare Fund. Copies are \$20 each and available at the Mansfield Shoe Shop or by contacting Val Kirley on 0400 654 596. This book would make an ideal Christmas present.

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