

The Tidings

14TH AUGUST 2022



Celebrating 50 years as a parish 1972-2022

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The Parish Office is not open Weekends or Public Holidays

**PARISH OF MELTON
SERVING THE AREAS OF:**

Melton, Melton West, Aintree, Boonie Brook,
Harkness, Grangefields, Kurunjang, Plumpton,
Rockbank, & Toolern Vale

MASS TIMES

**St Catherine of Siena Church
108 Bulmans Road, Melton West**

Wednesday 9.30am

Saturday 6pm | Sunday 9am, 11am & 5pm

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:

Please contact the Parish Office.

St Dominic's Church

Church Street, Melton

Thursday & Friday - 9.15am



ANNIVERSARIES:

13th – 19th August 2022

John Henry , Robinson

Maree Baldacchino,

Reginald Burnaby, Karmen

Buttigieg, Felicidad Ferre,

Jo Sinnema, Emanuel

Calleja, John Bowen, Violet

Cassar, Carmen Camilleri,

Myanok Deng, Mel Dudley,

Patrick O'Leary, Tom

Coburn, James Hazewinkel,

John Hogan, Barbara

Slimmon, Bernie Milburn,

Laurence Grech, Gianta

Sultana, Danilla Sessarego,

Lorraine Wong, Lorenza

Galea, Peter Paul Borg,

Christopher Ryan Lane, Ivy

Silva, Paul D'Souza, Jose G

Ty, Kevin Nihill, Georgette

Bazerghi, Hilda Callanan,

Lafaele Matul, Mary Ann

Zammit, Zaren Aquinalla,

Christine Curtain, James

Dempsey, James Simpson,

Helen Van Orsouw, Luisa F

Romea, Lois McPhee,

Joseph Gerada.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Margaret Richards

INTRODUCTION

THE FIGHT AGAINST SIN. Some of the first converts to Christianity were shocked to find that their lives as Christians still contained many difficulties. In some cases, becoming a Christian added to their troubles as they met opposition from non-Christian family members. We too face difficulties of one kind or another. Participating in the Eucharist does not eliminate our problems but gives us the strength and courage we need not to give up in the face of them

This weekend
we celebrate
the Silver
Anniversary
of
Wendy-Ann
& John Netto.



13 AUGUST 2022 - 6PM MASS



CatholicCare Appeal

THIS WEEKEND WE ARE CONDUCTING AN APPEAL FOR CATHOLICCARE. CATHOLICCARE SUPPORTS PEOPLE AT EVERY STAGE OF LIFE, TO BUILD STRONG, POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS AND REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL. THE VITAL SERVICES THIS ORGANISATION PROVIDES NOT ONLY STRENGTHENS FAMILIES BUT ENTIRE COMMUNITIES. ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE FOYER. WE ASK THAT YOU GIVE GENEROUSLY TO THIS APPEAL.

The Parish of Melton is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults



First Aid & Defibrillator is located in the Lay-Sacristy.

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

Mass for the Feast of the Assumption will be held on Monday 15 August 2022 at 7.00PM at St Catherine of Siena Church, Melton West.

PIETY STALL

We have restocked the piety stall with some new and existing items. For those that were interested in purchasing the brown scapular or the guardian angel prayer cards, these have been restocked. We also have stocked a few versions of the miraculous medal. We have the regular oxide version in two sizes and now have a couple of jewellery style medals that come in sterling silver. Please remember to take sometime to look at our selection of items and keep us in mind when looking for gifts for your loved ones.

FRIDAY MORNING MASS - 19 AUGUST

Please note that Mass on Friday 19 August will be held in the Parish Hall at St Dominic's. We look forward to seeing you there.

AUGUST BAPTISM INFORMATION NIGHT

Our next Baptism Information Night is on Wednesday 17 August at St Catherine of Siena Church. Please remember to book your baptism before attending.

TREES FOR SALE

The Parish has been gifted a number of trees. We are looking to sell these trees in line with the wishes of the donator. Trees are \$15 each (The Recommended Retail Price are \$30-\$45) These trees are available for purchase from the Parish office during office hours. Trees include lemon trees, olive trees and some ornamental trees. If you are interested please give us a call or visit us during the week!

HOUSE BLESSINGS WITH DEACON CHRIS

Deacon Chris is available for House Blessings on Saturday afternoon. To book a blessing please call the Parish Office during office hours.

PRAYER FOR ALL THOSE PEOPLE THAT ARE LONELY.

DEAR LORD,
GRANT LOVE AND PEACE TOWARDS THOSE WHO WALK THROUGH
LIFE ALONE. GIVE THEM YOUR PRESENCE AND GUIDE THEM
THROUGHOUT EVERYTHING.
AMEN

JANAYAH - 2022 CONFIRMATION CANDIDATE - ST LUKE'S SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

August Intentions

Pope Francis' monthly intention

We pray for small and medium sized businesses; in the midst of economic and social crisis, may they find ways to continue operating, and serving their communities. Amen.

Immaculate Heart of Mary.

O heart most pure of the Blessed Virgin Mary, obtain for me from Jesus a pure and humble heart. Sweet heart of Mary, be my salvation.
Amen.



STEWARDSHIP: FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2022

Weekly Pledged:
\$7,057.37

Weekly Amount Given:
\$5,472.69

We acknowledge that Catholic Parishes in the Archdiocese of Melbourne are situated on the lands of the five language groups that make up the Kulin Nations, who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge their continued deep spiritual connection and relationship to Country. We pay respects to their Elders past, present & future.

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