

The Tidings

18-25TH SEPTEMBER



Celebrating 50 years as a parish 1972-2022

PARISH OF MELTON SERVING THE AREAS OF:

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

PARISH PRIEST: Fr. Michael Moody

DEACON—Rev Chris Creo

PARISH OFFICE — 10 Unitt St Melton
(if using Google Maps—20-22 Unitt St, Melton)

OFFICE HOURS — Tuesday - Friday 9am-3pm

PARISH SECRETARY: Margaret Cassar

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SAFEGUARDING CO-ORDINATOR: Liz Coustley

Safeguarding Co-ordinator Phone— 0490 885 515

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The Parish Office is not open Weekends or Public Holidays

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—No Mass on Public Holidays.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday following 9.15am Mass.
Concludes at 10.30am

Includes rosary and prayers for our Parish.

ANNIVERSARIES:

17th – 30th September

Umberto Asciak, Leslie

Bockman, Leo Tarleton, Edith

Carag, Jennifer

Simbulan, Antonia Cutajar,

George Cassar, Bill Rayner,

Rexle Nathaniel Obtinalla,

Freda Ferraro, Peter Raschilla,

Glen Rushbury, George

Mercieca, Fred Bailey, Peter

Cabrerros, Norman Wight,

Ursula Milligan, Jessie Ball,

Christopher Burge, Joe Cutajar,

Terrano Rael, Sam Micallef,

Maria Borg, Ann Hevey,

Benjamin Smith, Laurie Birtles,

Macaria Cueno, Carmen

Portelli, Maria Spiteri, Aureen

Patterson, Janet Edmonston,

Rose Mifsud, Olimpia Rosina

Tulipano, Fred Gant, Kevin

Gant, Antonia Zingale, Rita

Dalli, Sam Clia, Sr Leena

Mascarenhas, Emanuel

Caruana, Sr. Paschal Murphy,

Les Scott, Evan Hoare, Rose

McGuinness, Dan Lane, Kath

McGuane, Carmen

Camilleri, Victoria Ballerina,

Geraldine Kelman, Elisa

DoVidio, Christian

Galea, Marianna Diliberto,

Donald Sutterland, Leocadia

Abrenica, Leslie Butler, R. S

Irving, Rose Sarmiento, Ann

Mc Keown, Chris Said,

Margaret Peters, Emanuel

Calleja, Peter Calleja, Toni

Calleja, Patricia Dean, Dulce

Corazon Caanca, Gerry

Gomez, Krystyna Drozd,

Anthony Gatt.

WRAP US IN LIGHT

Jesus, show us the way.
Show us how to live our life by clothing us in
your radiance and wrapping us in your light.

Invite us into your heart to live a deeper way
of being that leads us to becoming your hands
and feet in the world.

Help us to reach out with forgiveness,
encouragement and hope. Living as your
delegate in this world.

Help us to rise above the chaos of the world
and become beacons of light in the darkest
recesses. Awaken us as we step closer to you.

Help us to lift up our heads and start anew as
you bear our weight on your shoulders. Show
us a tenderness and love that melts the
hardness we have cultivated in a time gone by.

Let us hear you and be you in the space we
occupy in this world.

AMEN

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PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE

Please note the Parish Office will be closed from Tuesday 20 September and reopen on Tuesday 27 September at 9.00am. We thank you for your understanding. Due to the office closure, this issue of The Tidings is a double issue.

NO MASS THURSDAY 22ND & FRIDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER.

There will be no Masses on Thursday 22nd September and Friday 23rd due to the public holidays.

NEW CENSUS CARD AVAILABLE—PLEASE TAKE SOME TIME TO COMPLETE

The Parish is in the process of updating our database to get a more up-to-date snapshot of our Parish. As such, we are asking that in the coming couple of weeks that you complete a card and place it in the white box which is located on the Sanctuary of the Church. This will allow us to update any changes to contact details and add any new parishioners that have joined our community. We thank you for assistance in this task.

NEW LITURGY ROSTER

The new liturgy roster will be out shortly. For those that receive this via email—keep an eye on your inbox!

Children's liturgy sheets

Children's Liturgy Sheets are available from the foyer of the Church.

Encourage your little ones to take one & have a go!

REMEMBER!

BYO Pencils or take a sheet home for some family fun!

25 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Year C		SATURDAY 17/9/22 & SUNDAY 18/9/22		
MINISTERS OF:	6 PM	9 AM	11 AM	5 PM
Welcome	Bill McGuinness	Josephine Xuereb	Liza Fernandez	Frank Unferdorben
The Word	Trish McKenzie	Lawrence Camenzuli	Janet Estrada	Michael Higgins
Responder	Daniel Walters	Anne Stokie	Liz Coustley	Josephine Krajina
Presentation of Gifts	Tetchie Hadfield	Josephine Xuereb	Janet Estrada	Brian Dean
Holy Communion	Tania Walters	Vickie Cassar	Bruna Tomassi	Josephine Krajina
PowerPoint Operator	Dalene Jenkins	Sanyata Creo	Laila Marinjira	Dunia McPhee
Gift Shop	HELP NEEDED	Maureen Mohr	Lea Jacuta	Josephine Krajina
Counters	Leslie Gordon, Elaine Neely, John Woof			

26 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Year C		SATURDAY 24/9/22 & SUNDAY 25/9/22		
MINISTERS OF:	6 PM	9 AM	11 AM	5 PM
Welcome	HELP NEEDED	Maureen Mohr	Lea Jacuta	Dunia McPhee
The Word	Tania Walters	Sanghaya Creo	Cira Cleary	Josephine Krajina
Responder	Trish McKenzie	Vickie Cassar	Stephen Fernandes	Frank Unferdorben
Presentation of Gifts	Leny Obtinalla	Karl Metha	Lea Jacuta	Dunia McPhee
Holy Communion	Bill McGuinness	Theo Franken	Bruna Tomassi	Ismael Sosa-Sanchez
PowerPoint Operator	Robert Obtinalla	Sanyata Creo	Theo Balebanga	Daniella Ahmet
Gift Shop	Veronica Milburn	Josephine Xuereb	Blandina Lim-Clewer	Frank Unferdorben
Counters	Karl Metha, Anne Stokie, Maureen Mohr			

STEWARDSHIP: FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 2022
 Weekly Pledged: \$6,767.95
 Weekly Amount Given: \$6,054.35

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.

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.

KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS
MELTON BRANCH

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Saturday 1st October
7.30am - 9.00am
St Dominic's Parish Hall
No need to book.
All enquiries call 0425 744 767

GUEST SPEAKER
WILLIAM LUCAS
REFLECTIONS: My experience
of teaching in China.



PRIME TIMERS

Prime Timers will be holding a Memorial Mass for deceased members with Fr. Martin at St. Ambrose Church, 18 Templeton St Woodend on Wednesday 28th September at 11.30 am. Followed by lunch at the Victoria Hotel.
Enquiries Ineke 0400120401 or ineke49@yahoo.com.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER PARISH-BASED WEEKEND



If you are spending time together, but feel the distance between you... this is an opportunity to spend a weekend improving your communication.

The best gift you can give your children is a strong marriage

22-23 OCTOBER 2022

Where - St John Bosco Niddrie. Parish Hall

Time - *Saturday* Early morning start until after dinner.

Sunday: Early start until afternoon tea. *Sunday Mass included.*

Meals provided - Saturday lunch and dinner, Sunday lunch.

Cost- \$100 application fee and donation opportunity.

Child Care - Not available.

APPLICATION FORM ON OUR WEBSITE - WWME.ORG.AU

Please book as early as possible to help us in our preparations.

MORE INFORMATION? CONTACT MERCY AND JAMES 0409 183 676.

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JOSEPH'S CORNER

All money raised goes to Joseph's Corner, non-profit organisation which provides free counselling and support services for families and friends of those living with alcohol or drug addiction.


TRIVIA NIGHT

TICKETS
\$15

**SATURDAY
8 OCTOBER**

**7PM START - ST AUGUSTINE'S HALL
61 SOMERVILLE ROAD, YARRAVILLE**

BOOKINGS:

 **9315 2680 OR 0409 901 899**
contact@josephscorner.org.au

**SILENT AUCTION, RAFFLE AND OTHER FUN
GAMES WILL BE HELD ON THE NIGHT.
CASH AND CREDIT CARD ACCEPTED.**