

The Tidings

10TH APRIL 2022



Celebrating 50 years as a parish 1972-2022

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PARISH OFFICE — 10 Unitt St Melton

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

Office Hours — Tuesday - Friday 9am-3pm

POSTAL ADDRESS — PO BOX 96, Melton, 3337

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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

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

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:

Please contact the Parish Office.

St Dominic's Church

Church Street, Melton

Wednesday - 9.30am (school holidays only)

**Thursday & Friday -
9.15am**



ANNIVERSARIES:

9th – 15th April 2022

Josephine Remedios,

Maurice Johnson,

Joseph Armeni,

Maurice Winter, Marie

Jongebloed, Brian

Stokie, Brito Molha,

John Mac

Donald, Mary Bezzina,

Carmen Testa, James

O'Meara, Salvatore

Cassar, Helen Walsh,

Carmel Gatt, Lily

Jenkins, Lawrence

Mercieca, Vittorio

Armocida, Jenny Foley,

Jean Coburn, Canuto J

Quiballo, Giuseppe

Tiberio, Sylvia Vella,

Mario Gonzales, John

McDonald, Liza Mallia.

INTRODUCTION—

THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS. We see ourselves in the crowds who cried 'Hosanna to the Son of David' one day and 'Crucify him' a few days later. Like Peter and the other disciples we can be fickle followers of Jesus. We should not, however, imitate Judas and despair at our infidelity. Rather, we should look to Jesus who allowed his blood to be poured out for many 'for the forgiveness of sins.' Let us praise him with grateful hearts.

Jesus takes upon himself the evil, the filth, the sin of the world, including the sin of all of us, and he cleanses it; he cleanses it with his blood, with the mercy and the love of God. Let us look around; how many wounds are inflicted upon humanity by evil? Wars, violence, economic conflicts that hit the weakest, greed for money that you can't take with you and have to leave behind.

Pope Francis

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.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY—MELTON CONFERENCE MEETING

The Melton Conference of the St Vincent de Paul Society will be meeting on 13 April 2022 at 7.00pm in the Parish Meeting Room (Corner Smith & Unitt Streets, Melton). Those interested in joining are more than welcome.

LITURGY ROSTER FOR APRIL, MAY & JUNE NOW AVAILABLE

Volunteers on the Liturgy Roster should have received the new roster by email during the week. The roster is also on the pin board in the gathering area of St Catherine of Siena church and is also available on the parish website. If you did not receive your copy please contact Liz Coustley 0490 885 515 or email cso.melton@gmail.com

PRIMETIMERS NEXT OUTING

Our next outing will be for lunch at the Melton Valley Golf Club, 2/30 Melton Valley Drive, Melton. Tuesday 26th April, for 12 o'clock. Seniors lunch available for \$18.00. RSVP by Friday 24th for catering and staffing purposes. Enquiries contact Ineke 0400120401 or ineke49@yahoo.com.

PROJECT COMPASSION BOXES

Please return your Project Compassion Boxes from next week. A box will be placed in the Reconciliation Room for those that have participated in this year's Caritas Project Compassion Campaign. We thank you for your generosity!

WEDNESDAY MORNING MASS AT ST DOMINIC'S - 13TH & 20TH APRIL
 Please note that 9.30am Wednesday morning Mass will be held at St Dominic's Church during the School Holidays. All welcome!



PALM SUNDAY	SATURDAY 9/4/22 & SUNDAY 10/4/22			
	6 PM	9 AM	11 AM	5 PM
Welcomer	Bill McGuiness	Karl Metha	Liz Coustley	Frank Unferdorben
Lector	Tania Walters	Vickie Cassar	Stephen Fernandes	Josephine Krajina
Responder	Daniel Walters	Theo Franken	Cira Cleary	Michael Higgins
Presentation of Gifts	Leny Obtinalla	Josephine Xuereb	Liz Coustley	Dunia McPhee
Eucharist Ministers	Dalene Jenkins	Maureen Mohr	Bruna Tomassi	Ismael Sosa-Sanchez
Powerpoint Operator	Robert Obtinalla	Sanyata Creo	Theo Balebanga	HELP NEEDED
Gift Shop	Margaret Richards	Anne Stokie	Lea Jacuta	Josephine Krajina
Counters	Leslie Gordon, Elaine Neely, John Woof			

STEWARDSHIP: FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2022
Weekly Pledged: \$7,052.09
Weekly Amount Given: \$6,108.10

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PREP 2023 ENROLMENT



Open Night

St Dominic's Primary School
Wednesday 27 April 2022
from 7.00pm

COLLECT
YOUR
ENROLMENT
PACK

Join us !!

📍 St Dominic's Primary School
🌐 Church Street, Melton
✉ office@sdmelton.catholic.edu.au



APPLICATIONS
AVAILABLE -
TERM 2

St Catherine of Siena Primary School

INFORMATION NIGHT PREP 2023

4 MAY 2022 AT 7PM

School Tours - Thursday 5 May 2022

YEAR 7 2024 ENROLMENTS



*Valuing God,
Nurturing the Individual,
Excelling in Education*

Catholic Regional College, Melton is a Year 7-12 co-educational secondary school. It provides education for students from the Parishes of Bacchus Marsh, Melton & Melton South.

At Catholic Regional College Melton, we nurture the faith development of our students, focus on their individual needs and strive to develop their academic potential.

**Applications for Year 7 2024 at our
Melton West and Cobblebank campuses
are now open.**

Applications are due by Friday 19 August 2022.

COLLEGE TOURS WILL BE HELD ON:

Wednesday 23 March 12pm

Tuesday 3 May 2pm

Wednesday 25 May 9am

Wednesday 1 June 12pm

Tuesday 19 July 2pm

Wednesday 10 August 9am

You can register for a tour of the College on our website
www.crcmelton.com.au/join-us/college-tours

109-141 Bulmans Road, Melton West
Ph: 03 8099 6000

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Easter Timetable 2022

PALM SUNDAY

Saturday 9th April & Sunday 10th April 2022

Blessing of the Palms during Mass

HOLY THURSDAY

Thursday 14th April 2022

Mass of the Lord's Supper – 7.30pm

Adoration – 8.30 pm – 10.00pm

GOOD FRIDAY

Friday 15th April 2022

Stations of the Cross (English) – 10.30am

Followed by Individual Reconciliation

Celebration of the Lord's Passion – 3.00pm

HOLY SATURDAY

Saturday 16th April 2022

Blessing of the Easter Food – 10.30am

Followed by Individual Reconciliation

Please Note – NO EVENING MASS

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday 17th April 2022

Easter Mass (Vigil) – 6.00am

Easter Mass – 9.00am, 11.00am & 5.00pm

INDIVIDUAL RECONCILIATION

Friday 15th April (Good Friday) – 11.30am – 12.00pm

Saturday 16th April (Holy Saturday) – 11.00am – 12.00pm

