# The Tidings

24 JUNE 2018



# PARISH OF MELTON SERVING THE AREAS OF:

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

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PARISH SECRTARY: Margaret Cassar PARISH OFFICE — 10 Unitt St Melton Office Hours — Tuesday - Friday 9am-3pm

**CHILD SAFETY OFFICER:** Liz Coustley

The Parish Office is not open Weekends or **Public Holidays** 

### MASS TIMES

St Catherine of Siena Church 108 Bulmans Road. Melton West

Tuesday 7pm Wednesday 9.15am Saturday 6pm Sunday 9am, 11am & 5pm Rosary Sunday 8.40am Holy Hour Sunday 4pm-4.45pm

#### SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:

Saturday 5.30pm — 5.45pm Sunday 4.30pm — 4.45pm

St Dominic's Church Church Street. Melton

Thursday & Friday 9.15am Rosary after Mass on Thursday & Friday



RECENTLY DECEASED: Rev. Stanley Norman Hill

**ANNIVERSARIES:** 23rd June – 29th June Margaret Donovan, Edna Folkard, Tony Farrugia, Kenetth Browne, Cos Donovan, Joan Hester, Nancy Rowley, Jan Chojnowski, Ceferina Porcalla, Mary Kelly, Reg White, Jean Young, Kay Dempsey, Queenie Rayner, Grace Dodemaide, John Spiteri, Grazio Psaila, Raymond Mercieca, Walter Foster, Alexander Attard, Spiro Sultana, Jo Franken, Veronica Jones, Frank Krajina, Maximus Perera, Agnes Galea, Carmelo & Maria Camilleri, Gorga Frendo,

Salvina Pace.

# INTRODUCTION

'WHAT WILL THIS CHILD TURN OUT TO BE?' The people of the countryside were filled with awe at the remarkable events surrounding the birth of John to an elderly childless couple. His name is given not by his family but by God who has chosen him to prepare the way for the Saviour. We too are specially chosen by God. As our spirit continues to mature, what will we turn out to be?

# 13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: YEAR B

	6:00PM	9.00AM	11.00AM	5.00PM
Lector	Anna Santos	Susan Malinov	Cira Cleary	Josephine Krajina
Responder	HELP NEEDED	Susan Malinov	Jenny Brown	C Woodhouse
Eucharist	Robert Obtinalla	Graham Dempsey	Liza Fernandes	C Woodhouse
Ministers	Leny Obtinalla	Maureen Mohr	Bruna Tomassi	Mary Baulch
	Sally Grero	Vickie Cassar	Liz Coustley	
Gifts	Anna Santos	Lualua Petelo	Bruna Tomassi	Josephine Krajina
Gift Shop	V Milburn	J Puskadiza	L & B Clewer	HELP NEEDED
Welcoming	B & M Richards	G Dempsey	L Fernandes	HELP NEEDED
Counters	T & C Tully			
Rosary	If you would like to be on the Rosary roster please contact the Parish Office.			
Church	St Dominic's— Colleen Kay			



# Please respect this Sacred Place and ensure all mobiles and pagers are switched off and no eating or drinking in the church - thank you.



#### Baptism Information Night.

Wednesday 18th July 2018 at 7.30pm at St Catherine of Siena Church - Baptisms are held on Sunday of the 3rd, 4th & 5th weekend of MOST months. Prior enrolment and preparation is required

#### Adoration

Tuesday evenings after 7pm Mass till 8.30pm

# Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

Thursdays 9.30am –10.45am in St Dominic's Church. To pray for our families and our Parish.

Welcome to the Melton Parish Community. We appreciate and welcome you to our celebration of the Eucharist. If you are not registered as a member of our Parish Community, please fill in a Census Card from the foyer and put it into the collection basket.

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the lands and waters of Victoria, and pay respect to Elder's past and present.

> Be the first to get The Tidings (and in color!) Simply email to the Parish Office on melton@cam.org.au

STEWARDSHIP: FOR THE MONTH OF **APRIL 2018** Weekly Pledged: \$8,753.05 Weekly Amount Given: \$6,289.39 No of Givers: 852

# CARITAS AUSTRALIA THANK YOU FOR SUPPORING PROJECT **COMPASSION**

Caritas Australia would like to thank the parishioners of Melton for supporing Caritas Australia's Project Compassion Appeal. This year we raised \$2,879.00.

#### ST DOMINIC'S WORKING BEE

A working bee will be held on Monday 2 July 2018 at 10.30am at St Dominic's Church to clean vases, furniture, etc. Men and women welcome.

#### SR. MARIA JOY'S RELIGIOUS PROFESSION

Please join us in praying for Sr. Maria Joy of The Dominican Sisters of Saint Cecilia as she professes her final vows at the Cathedral of the Incarnation in Nashville, Tennessee.

#### IRISH AUSTRALIAN SUPPORT & RESOURCE BUREAU

The Irish Australian Support & Resource Bureau Inc. is a non-profit organisation whose aim is to provide confidential, caring support to all members of the Irish Community. Contact them on Tel—(03) 9482 3865 email—iasrb@iinet.net.au web—www.iasrb.org

#### CRC MELTON— ENROLMENTS FOR YEAR 7 2020 ARE NOW OPEN.

Applications for Catholic Regional College Melton, Year 7 2020 are now open and close on 3rd August 2018. Enrolment Application forms are available from the College office. College Tour dates can be found under 'Enrolments' on the College website - www.crcmelton.com.au.

\*\* Please be sure you make an appointment with Father Michael AFTER you have submitted your application with the college. \*\*

#### **VOLUNTEERS WANTED**

We are looking for Special Ministers for Sunday 11.00am Mass and a PowerPoint presentation operator during Sunday 5:00pm Mass and Welcomers for the 6.00pm mass (once a month) and 11:00am Mass (3 times a month). Training will be offered to anyone interested. A Working with Children Check and Police check will be required. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office.

#### PROTECTING CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE ADULTS IS EVERYONE'S BUSINESS

Liz Coustley, our Parish's Child Safety Officer, will attend all Parish Masses next weekend, June 30 & July 1. Liz will be available after each Mass to answer any queries or concerns and/or take a copy of your Working With Children Check card and/or Police Check letter, if you have been unable to drop a copy off at the Parish Office.

# WORKING WITH CHILDREN

Many thanks to the parish volunteers who have ensured that their Working With Children Check card is on file at the parish office. We are still waiting for some volunteers to drop in a copy of their card to the parish office. If you haven't applied for a card yet, you are urged to do so as soon as possible -

www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au If you no longer volunteer in the parish in any of the ministries, please leave a message at the parish office or ring Liz Coustley 0490 885 515 if you have any questions or concerns.

#### NATIONAL POLICE CHECKS

Volunteers who are counters, transport other parishioners and those who do home visits require a police check. Volunteers who have not put in an application to the parish office are urged to do so as soon as possible. A copy of the process to follow is available on the table in the gathering area of the church. If you are no longer part of these ministries, please leave a message at the parish office or ring Liz Coustley 0490 885 515 if you have any questions or concerns.