



St Francis of Assisi Parish

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PARISH BULLETIN THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST 6TH JUNE 2021

PARISH PRIEST	Fr Anthony Girolami	ASSISTANT PRIEST	Fr Jose Mathew
PASTORAL ASSOCIATE	Sr Ignacia Coching - 9407 6720	YOUTH MINISTER	Carmel Walsh - 9407 6704
OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR	Bernice Quinn - 9407 6700	PARISH BOOKKEEPER	Paul - 9407 6722
SCHOOL PRINCIPAL	Mark Basile - 9407 3100		

WEEKEND MASS TIMES Saturday vigil: 5:00 pm; Sunday: 9:00 am, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm
WEEKDAY MASS TIMES Monday – Saturday 9:15 am.

RECONCILIATION Wednesday 7:30 pm - Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 Wednesday evening after Mass and Novena

ADORATION Saturday 9:45 am
 Saturday 9:45 am – 10:30 am concluding with Benediction

VIGIL MASS:	1st Friday of the month 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm	Next Mass: 2nd July
FILIPINO MASS:	2nd Sunday of the month at 12 noon.	Next Mass: 13th June
MALTESE MASS:	3rd Saturday of the month at 4 pm. Confession 3:30. Rosary 3:40.	Next Mass: 19th June
ST ANTHONY'S PRAYER GROUP MASS:	1st, 2nd & 3rd Tuesdays of the month at 7 pm.	Next Mass: 15th June
INDONESIAN FAMILY GROUP MASS:	3rd Saturday of the month at 7 pm.	Next Mass: 19th June
MASS WITH HEALING PRAYERS:	2nd Sat of the month 6:30 pm. Rosary, Mass, Adoration.	Next Mass: 12th June
NOVENA TO ST JOSEPH:	1st Wednesday of the month after 9:15 am Mass.	
ANNOINTING OF THE SICK:	2nd Wednesday of the month after 9:15 am Mass.	
NOVENA TO ST ANTHONY (MALAYALAM):	Every Tuesday at 7:00 pm.	
LEGION OF MARY:	Every Thursday at 10:15 am in the church fellowship area. Contact Jackie - 0422 443 324.	
WORD OF LIFE PRAYER GROUP:	Every Friday at 7:00 pm in the chapel. (June 11th - Scripture Mark 4 : 26-34)	
PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP:	Contact Alfons and Helen Glatzel - 9404 2050.	
DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:	Every Friday at 3:00 pm in the chapel and after Friday morning 9:15 am mass.	
LIFE TEEN:	Every Sunday during school terms after 5pm Mass. Contact Carmel - millpark.youthministry@cam.org.au for further details.	

DUE TO THE CURRENT LOCKDOWN THERE WILL BE NO MASSES THIS WEEKEND

The church and chapel are currently closed. We must await further advice as to whether government restrictions will allow Masses to go ahead next weekend, and under what conditions. Please check our website, www.cam.org.au/millpark for updates and Mass livestreams. Mass will be livestreamed on Sunday 6th June at 9 am and Wednesday 9th June at 8 am.

COVID-19 exposure sites

The Victorian Government has identified a number of local shopping centres/strips as areas of COVID risk and is asking anyone who has attended these locations in the past two weeks to monitor for symptoms and get tested immediately if any develop:

- Pacific Epping Shopping Centre
- Epping North Shopping Centre
- High Street, Epping
- Station Street, Lalor

In addition, if you have visited these locations during the specific exposure times and dates identified on the Victorian Government website, you will need to follow the instructions for Tier 1 and Tier 2 sites.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

RECENTLY DECEASED: Isaac George, Joy Varghese, Moses Thong.

THOSE WHO ARE ILL: David Wallace, Sharon Barber, Herve Incoul, Vicki Heath, Rosy See, Dominic Schiavello, Pria Jacob, Koshy Philip, Varghese Paul. .

The newsletter will be available each week in the Presbytery foyer and on our website www.cam.org.au/millpark

Dear Parishioners,

With our fourth lockdown continuing we find ourselves waiting patiently once again for this to end. Until then we are unable to have Mass and other prayer and devotional gatherings. We have been warned that when we are able to re-open there will be limits on those permitted to attend Mass. Consequently we will have to go back to booking in online and by phone. If we are permitted to have Mass next weekend we will start taking bookings from 10am the day after the announcement is made, online and on 9407 6701. Check our website for updates. Also you will still be required to check in by QR code as you enter. What the numbers will be and when we re-open are still to be determined. So we wait in hope.

Until we can get back to Mass, the 9:00 am Sunday Mass and Wednesday morning Mass will be streamed online. Please do what you can to keep in touch with others and put the word out about Mass streaming times.

Also the local council has passed on a list of places that are regarded as possible places of covid infection. If you have been to any of those places (listed on the opposite page) please get tested and follow the covid rules.

This weekend our grade three children were to make their first Holy Communion. However, they will have to wait until things improve. Please keep them in your prayers.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Anthony Girolami

PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS

Contributions can be dropped off between 9am and 5pm each day at the parish office.

SAVE THE DATE

The Women's Spirituality Evening will be held on Friday 6th August at 6 pm.

SAPIENTIA PROJECT WHAT IS IT?



Later this year our parish will participate in a new programme called the Sapientia Project.

The Sapientia team will lead our parish retreat on Saturday 21st August.

The theme will be 'Holy Year of St Joseph'. Stay tuned for more details.



Are you passionate about building up the Youth of our Catholic Church?

Would you like to take part in supporting a teenager's faith development?

We are calling on you to **SPONSOR A TEEN** for our annual Winter Retreat this June!

God created each of us intentionally, out of love, and for a purpose. Our hearts search for God and will not be content until united with Him. During this winter retreat, the youth will embark on the search for God together. It is easy to look to Google for answers, but only God reaches into our lives and gives us a personal response.

This year as we cannot fundraise with our regular sausage sizzles, we have started a "Go Fund Me". We are calling on you to sponsor a teen for \$50 or a donation of your choice. Please also leave a personal message which we will share with a teen (chosen at random). Perhaps let them know that you are praying for them, and offer any words of encouragement.

We thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your generosity and support of this Ministry. It is truly a joy to witness our teens develop and to take part in their faith journey. We are grateful that God has blessed us with this ministry, and we look forward to the continual growth of Life Teen, Mill Park. ~ God Bless

DONATE AND SPONSOR A TEEN NOW!

SCAN THE QR CODE TO DIRECT YOU TO THE "GO FUND ME" PAGE

WWW.GOFUND.ME/8ACE6592



SCAN ME



St Vincent de Paul Society
VICTORIA
good works

Our commitment in assisting people experiencing disadvantage is steadfast, and with your generosity and support, we can make a difference in people's lives. Please donate to St Vincent de Paul Society Winter Appeal.

Donations can be made at St Francis of Assisi Parish Church, Mill Park or online at our website at vinnies.org.au and enter 'Mill Park Conference' in the comments field or over the phone by calling 13 18 12 and please tell the operator 'Mill Park Conference'. Many thanks & Blessings for your continued support.