



St Francis of Assisi Parish

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PARISH BULLETIN EASTER SUNDAY 4TH APRIL 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. Wednesday 7:30 pm - Our Lady of Perpetual Help
RECONCILIATION	Wednesday evening after Mass and Novena Saturday 9:45 am
ADORATION	Saturday 9:45 am – 10:30 am concluding with Benediction

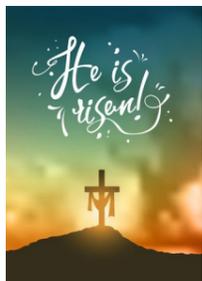
VIGIL MASS:	1st Friday of the month 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm	Next Mass:	9th April
FILIPINO MASS:	2nd Sunday of the month at 12 noon.	Next Mass:	11th April
MALTESE MASS:	3rd Saturday of the month at 4 pm. Confession 3:30. Rosary 3:40.	Next Mass:	17th April
ST ANTHONY'S PRAYER GROUP MASS:	1st, 2nd & 3rd Tuesdays of the month at 7 pm.	Next Mass:	6th April
INDONESIAN FAMILY GROUP MASS:	3rd Saturday of the month at 7 pm.	Next Mass:	17th April
MASS WITH HEALING PRAYERS:	2nd Sat of the month 6:30 pm. Rosary, Mass, Adoration.	Next Mass:	10th April
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 7:30 pm in the chapel. (9th April - Easter Blessings)		
PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP:	Contact Alfons and Helen Glatzel - 9404 2050.		
DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:	Every Friday at 3:00 pm in the chapel.		
LIFE TEEN:	Contact Carmel - millpark.youthministry@cam.org.au for further details.		
JESUS YOUTH PRAYER GROUP:	Every Thursday at 7 pm in the Chapel. Contact Lovely - 0411 208 706.		

On Friday 26 March, the Mass of Installation was held for Fr George Feliciouz as Parish Priest of Mansfield Catholic Parish. Friday's celebrations were particularly significant, as Fr Feliciouz is now one of more than 90 priests to share in the life of one of Melbourne's oldest parishes. Archbishop Peter A Comensoli was the main celebrant of Friday's Mass, who along with Fr Feliciouz, was joined by Fr Joe Caddy, Vicar General for the Archdiocese, Fr Patrick Bradford, Fr Anthony Girolami, Fr Brian Glasheen, Fr Daryl Monticello, Fr Vinh Nguyen, Fr Joe O'Shea, Fr Joel Peart, Fr Anil Mascarenhas and Fr Terrence Kennedy, who is a former student of the St Mary's Catholic Primary School.



MASS BOOKINGS - All bookings will commence Tuesday at 10:00am for the week ahead. Phone bookings for the entire week will only be taken on Tuesdays from 10 am to 4 pm on 9407 6701. If your call goes to voicemail, please remember to leave your name and number and we will get back to you. Bookings are required for all liturgical ceremonies in the Church.

TryBooking online bookings can be made by 5:00pm the previous day throughout the week, if seats are available. Please arrive 15 to 20 minutes prior to Mass to enable list checking requirements to occur without difficulty. Please be aware that entry is not permitted once Mass begins. We thank you for your understanding.



PLEASE PRAY FOR

RECENTLY DECEASED: Dick Sullivan, Steven Newnham.
DEATH ANNIVERSARIES: Mila Rivera.
THOSE WHO ARE ILL: David Wallace, Sharon Barber, Herve Incoul, Vicki Heath, Rosy See, Domenic Schiavone.

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

Dear Parishioners,

Happy Easter! The Lord is risen and we are able to celebrate this feast of feasts. The mother of all feasts in fact. Over the last twelve months at times it felt like we were an underground church in so far as we were not able to celebrate Mass and the Sacraments in the way we have been freely able for all our lives. But we have survived, showing great resilience, perseverance and faith in the Lord who journeys with us along the way. While we may well find ourselves 'locked down' again in the future let us spring back to life with the fervour of the Lord who rose to new life that showed he has conquered all things - even death itself.

I would like to thank all who have persevered and supported the life of our parish which has given great heart and encouragement to all. May the Risen Christ reward you for your efforts.

On behalf of the parish team I extend to all of you and your families the joy and peace the Risen Lord brings to us all.

Yours in the Risen Christ,
Fr. Anthony Girolami

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH
 290 Childs Rd, Mill Park

11th APRIL 2021

DIVINE MERCY Sunday

MAIN CELEBRANT: FR JOSE MATHEW

1:00 PM EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
 CONFESSIONS
 HOLY ROSARY
 DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET
 BENEDICTION

3:00 PM HOLY MASS
 BLESSING OF THE DIVINE MERCY IMAGE
 BLESSING OF RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

Divine Mercy Novena

THE 9 DAY NOVENA OF CHAPLETS TO THE DIVINE MERCY WILL COMMENCE AFTER SOLEMN LITURGY ON GOOD FRIDAY AND CONTINUES THROUGH TO HOLY SATURDAY

PROJECT COMPASSION BE MORE

Caritas Australia would like to THANK YOU for supporting Project Compassion 2021.

IF YOU STILL HAVE YOUR PROJECT COMPASSION BOX OR SET OF ENVELOPES AT HOME, PLEASE BRING THEM BACK NEXT WEEK.

Or visit www.caritas.org.au to make your donation online.

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Catechist Classes 2021

Catechist classes will begin on Tuesday 27th April at 4:15pm - 5:00pm. Enrolments are now open. An enrolment form and payment form are available on our website (under application forms tab) or from the parish office (Tuesdays or Fridays). These forms can be emailed back to us. Alternatively, we will have an enrolment day on Tuesday 20th April in the Church from 4pm - 5pm if you prefer to enrol face to-face. This year, classes will run during terms two and three, every Tuesday from 4:15-5:00pm.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact May Park at mpark@sfmillpark.catholic.edu.au

YOU ARE INVITED TO ALPHA!

The next Alpha Course will run in Term 2, starting 15th April.

Explore questions of life and faith and make new friendships at Alpha! Alpha is an exciting refresher Course in the Christian faith. The Alpha Course in 2021 will start on Thursday, 15th April, 7:00 pm - 9:30 pm. Alpha runs for ten Thursdays. Enquiries: 9407 6700

There will be a short Alpha presentation shown at all Masses this weekend. Pick up a flyer after Mass.

RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults has recommenced each Thursday at 7:30 pm in the Community Room. If you know of anyone interested in the Catholic faith please invite them along. It is not too late to join.

For further details please contact Fr Anthony.

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI SCHOOL ENROLMENT FOR 2022 PREPS

Enrolments for 2022 are now being taken. Enrolment packs can be collected from the School Office or downloaded from the school website www.sfmillpark.catholic.edu.au

Open Day: Saturday 1 May 9.00 am - 11:30 am

School Tours: Tours are conducted every Tuesday at 9:30 am throughout terms 1 & 2 - bookings essential.

Applications close May 21st 2021. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the School on 9407 3100 or email the Principal, Mr Mark Basile at principal@sfmillpark.catholic.edu.au

