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ST KEVIN'S PARISH

VISION STATEMENT

St Kevin's Catholic Parish is a Catholic community called by God and trusting in Jesus. We aspire to care for and connect with the wide world and to be hospitable and generous so that all may live life to the full.

The Nativity of St John the Baptist 23rd/24th June, 2018 St Charles Borromeo's Junior School Mass

Entrance Antiphon

A man was sent from God, whose name was John. He came to testify to the light, to prepare a people fit for the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm

I praise you for I am wonderfully made.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
You, child, will be called the prophet
of the Most High;
you will go before the Lord to
prepare his ways.

Alleluia!

Response to Prayers of the Faithful

Lord, hear our prayer.

Communion Antiphon

Through the tender mercy of our God, the Dawn from on high will visit us.



A Big Warm Welcome to all Years 1 & 2 students and families from St Charles Borromeo's school. We are celebrating their special Mass on Saturday evening at 5.30pm.

A Big Warm Welcome to Fr Noel Brady who will be celebrating our 8.30am and 10.00am Masses on Sunday morning.

"Greatest crisis faced by Catholic Church" only means greatest opportunity.

Have you given yourself a chance to think about what you want our Catholic Church to look like in say 2025?

Does it matter if we survive?

Soon (I hope!) we shall offer you a chance to have your say.

In the meantime, please think, pray, discuss. It is 112 years since our Melbourne Catholics have had his opportunity.

Check the website for further details (ie ours or that of the Plenary Council).

A Big Warm "Welcome Aboard" to

Margaret Cunningham who has joined our Ministry of the Eucharist Team. And a big Thank You to all our existing Ministers for all their continued service to our aged/sick community.

SPIRITUAL LIFE OF THE PARISH

Adoration -

7.15-8.15pm on Wednesday evenings

Masses this week -

Saturday: 5.30pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 8.30am & 10.00am

9.00am at Holy Cross Monastery

Tuesday: 9.15am in the ChapelThursday: 11.00am @ WillowbraeFriday: 9.15am in the Chapel

Christian Meditation –

Wednesdays @ 9.30am in the Parish Chapel

Reconciliation – First Saturday of the month @ 10.00am (or by appointment) **Visitation** - For communion at home, visiting, transportation or meals, please contact the parish house on 9850 5983.

SUPPORTING MINISTRIES Baptisms:

Last weekend of the month - *Presentations and Welcome. Baptism Meeting* on the third Wednesday of every month.

First Sundays of the month -

Sacrament of Baptism

Weddings:

By appointment only

Funerals:

For bereavement support, please contact the Parish House on 9850 5983

Parish Tennis Club:

Social and Competition.
Please ring Paul 9846 2083
www.stkevinstctemplestowe.org.au

TGI'S Templestowe Parish's Parish's

Thank you to all who attended and assisted at our latest popular TGI Event last Saturday night - "Mission Impossible". Everyone who attended thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

The extreme success of these events has prompted us to consider starting a new group – TGI Teens. Are you or do you know of students in Years 9-12 who may be interested in helping us to get this group started? We would be looking for ideas and suggestions as to activities and events that works for this age group.

Interested? Please speak with our Pastoral Worker, Rebecca Sandwell.

LAST WEEK'S GIVING

Envelopes \$ 810.00Direct Debit/Credit Card \$ 1,040.00Total \$ 1,850.00 (1)
Priests' Living Costs \$ 790.00

Number of Envelopes 39

(1) Weekly Pledged amount \$3,020.65

PLANNED GIVING: For envelopes, please contact the office.

SOCIAL JUSTICE SECOND COLLECTION FOR JUNE

This month is St Vincent de Paul Appeal Month at St Kevin's. As well as second collections throughout June, the main Appeal will be held on the weekend of 7-8th July.

This year we will be providing funds for the Margaret Oats
Collingwood Soup Van to provide
Conference type assistance to
those with extra needs among
those we serve on the Soup Van.
This is necessary because there is
no Conference operating in
Collingwood.

We will again provide funds to St Clement's Conference who generously respond to calls for assistance from within St Kevin's Parish.

To mark the Appeal we will be providing soup and rolls after the 5.30pm Mass on Saturday, 7th July.

LITURGY ROSTER

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - 30th June/1st July, 2018

1st Reading: Wis 1: 13-15; 2: 23-24 2nd Reading: 2 Cor 8: 7, 9, 13-15 Gospel: Mark 5: 21-43

Time	Commentator	Lector	Communion	Welcomers
5.30pm	D'Costa Family	D'Costa Family	Ann Maguire Bredenia Raquel Fiona Watson	
8.30am	Mike Westbrook	Kirsten Collins	Betty Natoli Mary Waddick Peter Waddick	
9.00am	Helen Norman	Pat Bond	Christine Flannery Dianne Flannery Margaret Mangan	
10.00am	Carmel Purdey	Liz O'Connell	Betty Natoli Lyn Robinson Tony Robinson	

We pray for Better Health: Massino Cappadona, Carly Coulter, Pat Dyson, Vittorio Virgona, Maria Amato, Natalie Salvo, Jadwiga Krolikowski, Crofton Uniacke, John Turner, Tony Di Blasio and Pina Campana.

Anniversaries: John Dickenson, Kevin Cheng Shou Kong and Monique Daisy Cheng Recently Deceased:

St Kevin's Family Groups Celebrating 25 Years of Parish Family Groups

St Kevin's Parish Family Groups began 25 years ago.

Membership of a Family Group is open to all: young or old, widowed or single, married or separated.

In June, the Larsen Group are having afternoon tea at Carlucci's, the O'Brien Group ladies are going to the movies, while the men have lunch, the Mangan Group are going to a play at the Doncaster Playhouse, the Hardinge Group are having a Thai dinner.

If you would like to join a group, contact Cathy Hardinge on 9842 9040.



THE PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP MOVEMENT

Ooooh winter! Time to snuggle in by the fire and read a good book! Have you checked out our parish library lately?

Come One Come All!

On **Sunday 12th August,** we shall celebrate a special 10.00am Mass at St Kevin's to acknowledge this wonderful event, followed by a BBQ (supplied by groups, BYO drinks).

All past, present and future members are very *WELCOME!*

Please help us to spread the word.
RSVP for catering purposes to Cathy
Hardinge on 9842 9040 (or leave message
on the answering machine). Thank you all.

Thursday 28th June – 6.45 to 9.00pm Unity in Diversity Dinner – One Earth, One people, Many Faiths

Hosted by St Kevin's Parish and organised by Manningham Interfaith Network and St Kevin's Social Justice Group. Details on flyer on noticeboards.

Please RSVP on clipboards provided.

For information on our Parish Schools please contact:

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principal@sktemplestowelr.catholic.edu.au Web: www.sktemplestowelr.catholic.edu.au Principal: Ms Frances Matisi

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Principal: Mr Greg Thomas



A GRANDSTAND FOR THE ENVIRONMENT INC In cooperation with St Kevin's Parish Church **Lower Templestowe**

Presents

Our Earth & Beyond.....

Come along and join in the conversation on how climate change affects our world and what we can do about it. Also explore the mystery of the universe beyond our planet.

In an afternoon of story-telling, poetry and inspiring images

Facilitated by conversation leaders Trevor Parton and Christina Rowntree

Date: Sunday 22nd July 2018 Time: 2.00pm - 4.30pm Where: St Kevin's Church **Gathering Space**

GOLD COIN DONATION APPRECIATED

Please book by July 18th: Ph.96468464 or gailpritchard@westnet.com.au

Inspirational Quotes From Christian Meditation Network

Meditation is not an escape or a dream. In meditation Jesus promises to be with us. We trust in Jesus who is like our rock: nothing can disturb us. The love of Jesus is with us every moment of our lives, even in our mistakes. By being silent, we learn this. It is not enough to think about silence: we find deep silence by saying our mantra.

In meditation we are renewed, 're-baptised' in the power of the Spirit.

In that presence we are slowly healed.

In that presence we find courage to live our lives.



Because of Her, We can! National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday 1 July 2018

Celebrating Mothers, Sisters, Aunties, **Grandmothers & Daughters -**Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday

"Because of Her, We can!" – a great theme for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday on June 30th/July 1st. The Australian community celebrates and acknowledges our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders. You are welcome to join us in the celebration at one of our parish Masses: Saturday June 30th at 5.30pm, Sunday July 1st at 8.30am & 10.00am Please bring along a small photo of your mother to display in the celebration. All welcome!



Roster Update The new roster for Eucharistic

Ministers; Lectors; Commentators and Prayer Preparation has now been completed and distributed. Thank you for giving so generously of your time to support and enhance our weekend celebrations. Don't forget to keep your roster handy and diarise