

# **ST JUDE'S PARISH, SCORESBY**

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**Member of Knox Deanery** 

# Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year A 2nd July 2023

### **Communion Services at 9.15am** Wednesday, 5 July, Thursday 6 July & Friday 7 July

Weekend Masses

Saturday 6pm, Sunday 8.30am & 10.30am Reconciliation by appointment (contact Fr Samuel at Parish Office)



# Reflection

Our size as human beings can be measured by the circles we draw to take other people in. The bigger the circle, the bigger the person. A strong person isn't afraid of people who are different. A wise person welcomes them. By shutting other people out we deny ourselves the riches of other people's experience. In the beginning God gave the earth its shape. He made it round. He included everybody. So should we.

> New Sunday & Holy Day Liturgies Flor McCarthy SDB

#### **OUR PARISH OFFICE**

Parish Priest: Rev Jerald Mariadas Assistant Priest: Rev Samuel Pearson samuel.pearson@cam.org.au

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#### SERVICES & CONTACTS

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#### PARISH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

<u>St Jude's Primary</u> Mr Tim McMullen 8761 9600 <u>Holy Trinity Primary</u> Mr Adrian Scutt 9801 8296 <u>St Mary's College for the Deaf</u> Ms Amanda Purcell 9800 2733 <u>Mater Christi College</u> Ms Maria Haggett 9754 6611 <u>St Joseph's College</u> Ms Cathy Livingston 9758 2000

St Jude's Parish community, is committed to the Victorian Child Safe Standards & acknowledge that child safeguarding is everyone's responsibility.

## First Reading: 2 Kgs 4:8-11 14-16

One day as Elisha was on his way to Shunem, a woman of rank who lived there pressed him to stay and eat there. After this he always broke his journey for a meal when he passed that way. She said to her husband, 'Look, I am sure the man who is constantly passing our way must be a holy man of God. Let us build him a small room on the roof, and put him a bed in it, and a table and chair and lamp; whenever he comes to us he can rest there.'

One day when he came, he retired to the upper room and lay down. 'What can be done for her?' he asked. Gehazi (his servant) answered, 'Well, she has no son and her husband is old.' Elisha said, 'Call her.' The servant called her and she stood at the door. 'This time next year,' Elisha said 'you will hold a son in your arms.'

### Second Reading: Rom 6:3-4 8-11

When we were baptised in Christ Jesus we were baptised in his death; in other words, when we were baptised we went into the tomb with him and joined him in death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the Father's glory, we too might live a new life.

But we believe that having died with Christ we shall return to life with him: Christ, as we know, having been raised from the dead will never die again. Death has no power over him any more. When he died, he died, once for all, to sin, so his life now is life with God; and in that way, you too must consider yourselves to be dead to sin but alive for God in Christ Jesus.

## Gospel Mt 10:37-42

Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: 'Anyone who prefers father or mother to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who prefers son or daughter to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who does not take his cross and follow in my footsteps is not worthy of me. Anyone who finds his life will lose it; anyone who loses his life for my sake will find it.

'Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me; and those who welcome me welcome the one who sent me.

'Anyone who welcomes a prophet because he is a prophet will have a prophet's reward; and anyone who welcomes a holy man because he is a holy man will have a holy man's reward.

'If anyone gives so much as a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is a disciple, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.'

### **Parish Mission Statement**

In a spirit of Pastoral Outreach of St Jude's Parish, we, the people of the parish, are called to **Serve the Lord with Joy''.** We respect diversity and welcome all who choose to belong to our community. By sharing our gifts and resources generously, we support and encourage all people who come our way. Let our voices be heard in a spirit of openness that fosters ongoing communication across our Parish.

## A Visit to the Blessed Sacrament 骨

"Let us lay down our pains, sorrows, and burdens before the Eucharistic Lord and He will speak to us words of consolation."

We usually are open from Tuesday-Friday, 9am-4pm



We welcome into our Parish Family through the Sacrament of Baptism: Shara Sivarajasingham

We ask for the peace and grace of Ete**r**nal Life for those whose memories are sacred to us at this time especially:

Harry Callander, Patrick Small, Fred Italiano, Catherine Casey, Margaret Bibby, Patrick Thorneycroft, Carl Aldons, Mark Lamvohee, Michelle Lothian, Elizabeth Rowbottom, Angela Joseph, Mary Azzopardi, Paul Grima.

## Serve the Lord with Joy



WINTER APPEAL 2023

### HELP END THE HOMELESSNESS CRISIS DEVASTATING OLDER WOMEN

Women over 55 are experiencing homelessness at alarming rates. We need your support again so we can provide shelter, food, clothing and long-term support to older women in crisis - our mothers, grandmothers and aunts - and help rebuild their lives.

Parishioners are encouraged to donate generously to help continue the Society's work of helping those most in need during winter by clicking the **SCORESBY CONFERENCE** link below:

https://my.fundraiseforvinniesvic.org.au/vinnies-winter-appeal-2023/scoresby-conference OR choosing the following options

Online: www.vinnies.org.au and specify SCORESBY in conference/comment field

#### SCAN THE QR CODE Below:

By Calling 13 18 12 and specify SCORESBY Conference.

A **Red Box** is also in the **Church Foyer** for parishioners to pick up an envelope.

As always please leave cash/your details at Parish Office or phone 03 9763 7302 if you require assistance and one of our Conference members will contact you at the earliest.

Thank you for your generosity and continuing the Good Works of the Society. Please assist the **SCORESBY** Conference to assist others in need.

### **Reader Roster** July—October 2023



Readers' Roster Sunday

The new Reader Roster has now been emailed if you

haven't received this you can collect a hard copy from the Sacristy. It would be appreciated if you have not received your copy of the Roster via email could you please record your details on the clipboard in the Church Foyer.

Thank you for your generous support of our parish.

Prayer Group is held on the first Friday of the month and we gather in the Reception Centre at 10am. All welcome.

Enquiries Filomena 9763 6047



Aid to the ACN AUSTRALIA

One of the major works of Aid to Church in Need the Church in Need is providing transport to priests, sisters and

are often at great distances and must go through difficult terrain. Can you help us supply transport visit www.aidtochurch.org/ transport or scan the QR code to make an offering and learn more.



Catholic Social Services Australia invite you to join them in a Webinar Series on the Indigenous Voice to Parliament: Moments for healing this country.

The series takes place on the 27 July online at 4pm-**5pm**. See flyers in Church Foyer registration essential via



# St Jude's Parish—Liturgy Roster

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First Reading Zec 9:9-10, Second Reading Rom 8:9 11-13 Gospel Mt 11:25-30

8 / 9 Julv Readers

Saturday 6pm Edwin Fasola Susan Lim

Sunday 8.30am Millicent Miranda Tony McCumstie

Mass Projector

Adina Atmadja

Catherine Money

Tino Vijendra

Sunday 10.30am

Sr Sialei Lagaaia

Linda Lampa



No Children's Liturgy during School Holidays

**Altar Society** Eve Buckeridge

**Church Cleaner** Filomena Uberti, Lucille Everetts

Thank you to all those who "Serve the Lord with Joy" by participating in these rosters.

Please view the COVID Safe Plan for St Jude's displayed on the entry doors of the church. or via the parish website pol.org.au./scoresby





catechists to reach the faithful, who

### Serve the Lord with Joy

### VINNIES CEO SLEEPOUT— TEAM SECON

On behalf of Vinnies and Team Secon, a **BIG** thank you to everyone that has donated to the CEO Sleepout 2023. The Australia wide total donation has come in at \$8.4 Million, with Victorians contributing \$1.2 Million of



that figure, with your generosity and support Team Secon has raised over \$87,000 to help Vinnies to provide food and shelter to the poor and underprivileged members of our Community this year.

Homelessness and poverty are becoming a real concern for a lot of everyday Australians, especially for women that are fleeing domestic violent situations. Whilst this situation is critical and needs Government intervention to resolve some of these issues, it is important that our needy members of our community are supported. Taking on this role is Vinnies, and by supporting Vinnies, you are supporting those that need it.

If you haven't donated and wish to, there is still time as the appeal finishes at the end of July..

https:// www.ceosleepout.org.au/ fundraisers/ seconfreightlogistics2023

Thank you for your generosity.



We are looking for parishioners or if you know of someone who may be interested who loves playing either the **piano** or the **drums** to come and join a friendly group of musicians to



play at our weekend masses. We are hoping to organise a roster to play on a monthly basis.



If you would like to share your gift of playing please contact **Xavier** 0448 766 705, phone the **Parish** Office on 9763 7302 or email Scoresby@cam.org.au

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### Social Gathering— 1st Saturday each month



Parishioners are invited to stay and

enjoy a social get together in the foyer following the Saturday evening Mass. Beer, wine, soft drink, tea & coffee will be provided. Please bring a small plate to share.

#### Our next gathering will be on: Saturday 1st July.

We look forward to another enjoyable St Jude's gathering.

### **Celebration of the Eucharist in Thanksgiving of Father Mark**

The *St Jude's Parish Leadership Team* warmly invite you to join us on:

**Sunday, 16 July** at **10.30am** to celebrate the Eucharist and in thanksgiving for the gift of the holy Priesthood that Fr Mark Reynolds willingly shared with the St Jude's Parish Community over the past 3 years.

The mass will be followed by a light lunch in the Parish Community Centre. This will provide us with an opportunity to show of heartfelt thanks to Fr Mark for his love and faithful servant leadership as well as continue our mission, that is, to become, "one body, one spirit in Christ."

For catering purposes, could you please indicate your attendance at this event, by completing the sign-up sheet located in the Church foyer after mass or contact the Parish Office.

If you are in a position to bring along a plate of food, could you please place it in the Parish Community Centre prior to mass. As an expression of gratitude to Fr Mark for the wonderful pastoral care he has provided us with, we would like to present him with a gift voucher that he can use to purchase a dining room table. If you would like to contribute to this gift, please do so by placing your donation in a sealed envelope in the box marked '**Donations for Fr Mark's Farewell Gift**" located in the **Church Foyer** following mass or by dropping it into the **Parish Office**.

We look forward to your presence at this event and to continuing to work alongside you to "Serve the Lord with Joy," and re-imagine and discern how we can build the Kingdom of God here in Scoresby.

St Jude 's Parish Leadership Team



