

#### ST JUDE'S PARISH, SCORESBY

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**Member of Knox Deanery** 

### Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year A 23rd July 2023

## Weekday Masses & Communion Service at 9.15am

Mass Wednesday 26th July, Mass Thursday, 27th July & Communion Service Friday 28th July

#### Weekend Masses

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

Dear Parishioners,

It is with a joyful heart that I join the community of St Jude's & St Simon's as your Parish Priest on the 19th of July.

I am joining you after being Parish Priest for the communities of Our Lady of the Pines in Donvale and Ss Peter and Paul's in Doncaster East for 9 years. Prior to this I spent 19 months as assistant priest at St Macartans in Mornington and a year at St Patrick's Cathedral and St Augustine's.

If you would like to know more about me please go to <u>https://melbournecatholic.org/news/god-had-a-different-plan-fr-jerald</u>-mariadas which has a full write up about me from the vocations office as a vocations promoter.

I look forward to joining you, dear parishioners, to walking in faith with you as we journey together and as I get to know all of you over the coming years.

Please pray for me as I take up this new position as I will pray for you all.

Kind Regards, Jerald Mariadas



#### **OUR PARISH OFFICE**

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

Pastoral Care Coordinator: Sr Ljudmila Anzic 0410 949 056 judecarescoresby@gmail.com Parish Coordinator: Elisa Kelesidis Parish Bookkeeper: Ema Rivera Property Manager: Xavier David Child Safety Officer: Kim Baxter

Office Hours: Tuesday—Friday 9am to 4pm Telephone: 9763 7302 Email: scoresby@cam.org.au Website: pol.org.au/scoresby

#### SERVICES & CONTACTS

Community Centre Parish Office: 9763 7302 Fitness Class Pam Jess 9763 7302 Liturgy Group Leon Raj - liturgy.stjudes@gmail.com St. Vincent De Paul Helpline 1800 305 330 Parish Leadership Team 9763 7302 St Simon's & St Jude's Youth Group youthteam@stsimonsparish.com.au 0491 176 149

#### 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.

#### Serve the Lord with Joy

#### First Reading: Wis 12:13 16-19

There is no god, other than you, who cares for everything, to whom you might have to prove that you never judged unjustly. Your justice has its source in strength, your sovereignty over all makes you lenient to all. You show your strength when your sovereign power is questioned and you expose the insolence of those who know it; but, disposing of such strength, you are mild in judgement, you govern us with great lenience, for you have only to will, and your power is there. By acting thus you have taught a lesson to your people how the virtuous man must be kindly to his fellow men, and you have given your sons the good hope that after sin you will grant repentance.

#### Second Reading: Rom 8:26-27

The Spirit comes to help us in our weakness. For when we cannot choose words in order to pray properly, the Spirit himself expresses our plea in a way that could never be put into words, and God who knows everything in our hearts knows perfectly well what he means, and that the pleas of the saints expressed by the Spirit are according to the mind of God.

#### Gospel Mt 13:24-30

Jesus put a parable before the crowds, 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a man who sowed good seed in his field. While everybody was asleep his enemy came, sowed darnel all among the wheat, and made off. When the new wheat sprouted and ripened, the darnel appeared as well. The owner's servants went to him and said, "Sir, was it not good seed that you sowed in your field? If so, where does the darnel come from?" "Some enemy has done this" he answered. And the servants said, "Do you want us to go and weed it out?" But he said, "No, because when you weed out the darnel you might pull up the wheat with it. Let them both grow till the harvest; and at harvest time I shall say to the reapers: First collect the darnel and tie it in bundles to be burnt, then gather the wheat into my barn."

#### **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.

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"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 ask for the peace and grace of Eternal Life **Vincenzo Pastura** and for those whose memories are sacred to us at this time especially:

Lina Palumbo, Mabel Ming, Jun Diokno, Philomena Xavier, Isabelle Mondon, Betty Lothian, Tony Van Hoorn, Mary Edwards, Edwin Ray, Patrick McKay, Luke Mallia, André Lavoipierre, Paul Buick.

#### Serve the Lord with Joy



# Dare to Plause

The Salesian Sisters invite you to

A day for the young and the young at heart, 16 years and over Take time out of your busy lives for some " Me & God "time.

In a beautiful and serene environment, through Prayer, reflection, adoration, music, food, good company and an opportunity to ... Discover the "Pearl of Great Price" within you



Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2023 When: At the Sisters Convent Hall (43 George Street Scoresby) Where: 10am - 3.30pmTime: **Gold Coin Donation- Light Lunch provided** Cost:



#### Let us know if you are coming. RSVP - JULY 31<sup>ST</sup> SCAN THE OR CODE TO REGISTER VIA GOOGLE FORM.

#### 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, 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.

St Jude's Parish—Liturgy Roster First Reading 1Kgs 4:5 7-12, Second Reading Rom 8 28-30 & Gospel Mt 13:44-52

29 / 30 July Readers	<b>Saturday 6pm</b> Thomas Chan Max Connors
Mass Projector	Adina Atmadja
Children's Liturgy	Jacklin & Leean
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**Church Cleaner** 

Jacklin & Leeana

Rosanna Kelaart

Amy David Altar Society

Della Josse

Catherine Money

Sunday 8.30am

Stephanie Smyth Tino Vijendra

Anita Rav

Sunday 10.30am



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

#### Serve the Lord with Joy



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



We would love to hear from you.

# Fancy a cuppa? (



Cuppa and a Chat – July 26th A reminder that our next get together is on Wednesday, July 26th from 9.30 in the Parish Centre. Come in out of the cold to join us for a friendly cuppa and chat. Everyone is most welcome! Please contact Robyn on (0407 324 117) for further information.

ST STMON'S AND ST JUDE'S **Parish Newsletter &** other Parish Information via Email group for Year 5 to Year 10 students For those parishioners who are not currently G receiving the Parish Newsletter or other **DINNER WILL BE PROVIDED. A \$5 DONATION IS MOST WELCOME** relevant parish items via email and would like to **ST SIMON'S** SUNDAY 30TH JULY please click on the **PARISH CENTRE** 5:00 - 7:00PM following link to **subscribe** CINEMA https://www.melbcatholic.org/ s/subscription? id=0012w00000LOj6hAAD&r eq=subscribe PLEASE CONTACT DENISE & DINELLE: YOUTHTEAM@STSIMONSPARISH.COM.AU OR 0491 176 149 The Sisters of Saint Joseph have prepared an Prayer Group is held on the Australian Pilgrimage, "In the Footsteps of Mary first Friday of the month MacKillop" commencing in Melbourne on 17 October, journeying through Victoria and South and we gather in the

Enquiries Filomena 9763 6047

Reception Centre at 10am.

All welcome.

Australian Pilgrimage, "In the Footsteps of Mary MacKillop" commencing in Melbourne on 17 October, journeying through Victoria and South Australia, and ending at Mary MacKillop Place, North Sydney on 28 October 2023. During the Pilgrimage visits will be made to many places associated with Mary MacKillop's life and ministry. Flyers in Church Foyer.

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