



ST JUDE'S PARISH, SCORESBY

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Member of Knox Deanery
17th October, 2021



29th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B

Weekday Mass suspended until further notice

Weekend Mass suspended until further notice

Saturday 6pm, Sunday 8.30am & 10.30am

Mass can viewed online (see page 3 of the newsletter)

Reconciliation by appointment when out of lockdown (contact Fr Mark or Parish Office)

Dear Friends

Shortly we will begin to ease our way out of this Lockdown which began on August 4th!! We have all faced many, many challenges during these last two and a half months and as we gently move on there will still be challenges to face. Some of those will be to do with our participation in parish life, especially Sunday (Saturday pm) Mass. As Parish Priest I have a duty of care for all, a duty in which we all share. And the advice is very, very clear. Vaccination is the way back to the life we long for, and that includes Mass. Pope Francis has said he believes 'that morally everyone must take the vaccine...it is the moral choice because it is about your life but also the lives of others'. He has described taking the vaccine as 'act of love'. So I ask that all take on board the decisions that have been made and will be made as we go forward. There is no escaping the fact unfortunately that things will be messy for a while. I ask for your understanding and patience. For instance arrival at mass, using the QR code and displaying your vaccination details will be tedious but necessary. Both of these are a requirement of the Chief Health Officer for people entering venues and Churches are venues. So for a while we need to be a little 'unCatholic' and turn up 20 minutes early!!

With thanks and I look forward to seeing you soon.

Stay safe & well.
Mark

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



OUR PARISH OFFICE

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SERVICES & CONTACTS

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Mr John Downie 9801 8296
St Mary's College for the Deaf
Ms. Amanda Purcell 9800 2733
Mater Christi College
Ms Maria Haggett 9754 6611
St. Joseph's College
Ms Cathy Livingston 9758 2000

Serve the Lord with Joy

First Reading—Isaiah 53:10-11

The Lord has been pleased to crush his servant with suffering.
If he offers his life in atonement,
he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life
and through him what the Lord wishes will be done.

His soul's anguish over
he shall see the light and be content.
By his sufferings shall my servant justify many,
taking their faults on himself.

Second Reading—Hebrews :14-16

Since in Jesus, the Son of God, we have the supreme high priest who has gone through to the highest heaven, we must never let go of the faith that we have professed. For it is not as if we had a high priest who was incapable of feeling our weaknesses with us; but we have one who has been tempted in every way that we are, though he is without sin. Let us be confident, then, in approaching the throne of grace, that we shall have mercy from him and find grace when we are in need of help.

Gospel —Mark 10:35-4

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached Jesus. 'Master,' they said to him, 'we want you to do us a favour.' He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' They said to him, 'Allow us to sit one at your right hand and the other at your left in your glory.' 'You do not know what you are asking' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptised with the baptism with which I must be baptised?' They replied, 'We can.' Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptised you shall be baptised, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.'

When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to him and said to them: 'You know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all. For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'



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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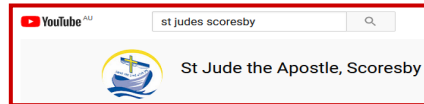
St. Jude's Roadmap for Return to Masses

The Parish Pastoral Council are processing the relevant information from the recent roadmap announced by the State Government. As the rules are complex and timelines subject to vaccination rates, we ask for your patience as we work out a plan for our return to Masses in the church.



As has been emphasised these last few weeks, we can all do our part by looking after our fellow parishioners and the common good, by being vaccinated, unless there are medical reasons not to be.

In the meantime, we continue to provide our recorded weekend Masses on our [St. Jude's YouTube channel](#), from 6pm each Saturday.



- Liturgy Team -

All Volunteers—As a result of advice from the Chief Health Officer to all parishes that all “religious workers in our Parishes”, which include paid parish staff, all volunteers including readers, ministers of Eucharist, ministers to the sick, collectors, laptop operators, children’s liturgy, musicians etc., are subject to Mandatory Vaccination (Workers) Directions.

To help assist the parish office to start the process we are asking that you provide a copy of your **fully vaccinated certificate** either by email or use the parish office chute to confirm your double vaccination status. If you could attend to this at your earliest convenience this will help to reduce the additional administrative duties that are required for when we are permitted to celebrate masses.

Thank you for your cooperation and ensuring that our parish community remains safe.

No one should have to skip a meal to pay their heating bill or because they can't afford to buy food, but we know that is happening in Victoria today especially during this challenging extensive LOCKDOWN period. People in our community call our Assistance Welfare line every day of the week asking for groceries. We believe that shouldn't be happening, and this is what we do about it.



As members of the St Vincent de Paul Society Scoresby Conference we are offering our assistance to any parishioner who may need assistance in any capacity. Food donations can be made available or it could be in the form of a chat through email, phone call or a visit (within Covid guidelines) through the parish office or contacting our Box Hill Call Centre on 1800 305 330 and request them to direct your request to SCORESBY CONFERENCE.

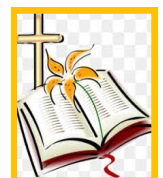
We – The Scoresby Conference members can assure you of your privacy being protected and treat any communication as CONFIDENTIAL. If in need please do not hesitate to contact the members of the Scoresby Conference who are friendly group of people who will be delighted to have a chat, visit you or offer assistance in every possible way. Continue to take care through our COVID challenging times.

GLORY BRITTO President St Vincent de Paul Scoresby Conference, Scoresby.conf.pres@svdp-vic.org.au

Subject to current restrictions—St Jude’s Parish—Liturgy Roster

Fist Reading: Jeremiah 31:7-9, Second Reading: Hebrews 5:1-6 & Gospel, Mark 10:46-52

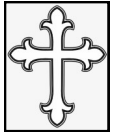
October 23 /24	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 10.30am
Readers	Arina Healy Susan Lim	Doris Teh Sally/Alex Nguyen	Linda Lampa Leon Raj
Mass Projector	Merin Clerin	Bill Ta	V.J/Victoria Bulloch
No Children’s Liturgy			
Altar Society	Amy David		
Church Cleaning	Jude Philip		



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

Serve the Lord with Joy

We ask for the peace and grace of Eternal Life for **Kevin Kay** and for those whose memories are sacred to us at this time especially:



Mary Kum Lam, Napoleon Manalastas, Lenard Callander, Mary Hubbard, Tom Hennessy, Chin Hoa Teh, Guiseppe D'Ortenzio, Rita Carvalho, Corrie Van Den Hout, Jean Baker, Jim Saundry, Martin White, Francisco Fernandes, Rose Barnao, Johanna Boek.



Get Ready to Fly!

All professions and trades are called to assist this mission.



Since 1961 [Palms Australia](http://palms.org.au) has quietly prepared and supported humble Catholics like you for mission. It's our response as church to calls from Australian and overseas communities to help bring opportunity to the poor.

Sharing your skills with local co-workers helps them to develop their essential community organisations. Improving their self-reliance aids sustainable poverty reduction and removes dependence on foreign aid and influence. Your relationships within the local community will transform your heart and soul.

To be prepared for a 2022 placement [CLICK AND ENQUIRE HERE](#) by **Friday October 29**.

Visit palms.org.au Email palms@palms.org.au or call Christine on 02 9560 5333

'Mindfulness & Meditation' via Zoom, Saturday 23 October 2021, 10am-2pm

When we are present to the 'now', centredness and relaxation become a natural part of life, and we know how to act from a heart of love. This is a day of reflection in the practice of Mindfulness & Meditation, and we invite you to come prepared to be still and journey within. This event is led by Paola Cheng, a qualified meditation teacher, spiritual director and social worker, who brings an inclusive and gentle approach to her sessions. Heart of Life Centre for Spiritual & Pastoral Formation. Cost \$40 Book and pay via website www.heartoflife.melbourne, email info@heartoflife.melbourne or phone 9890 1101.



Support our Parish Financially Online

Please find below for your convenience the account details for online donations.

Church Account

Account Name St Jude's Church Account (Stewardship)

BSB 083 347

Account No. 649410864

Reference Field: Envelope (recording) number & Surname.

Please contact the parish office on 9763 7302 or email Scoresby.finance@cam.org.au

to confirm your Envelope number.

Presbytery Account

Account Name St Jude's Presbytery Account (for the Parish Priest)

BSB 083 347

Account No. 648765671

You could also make a cheque to either account, i.e. St Jude's Church Account, or St Jude's Presbytery Account – or one cheque mentioning your preferred split between the two.

As a result of the Stewardship Renewal Program being temporarily suspended till next year therefore a new set of envelopes are not available, however, if you wish to continue contributing via cash it would be appreciated if you could use a plain white envelope clearly labelling it with your name, envelope number and amount given and pop it through the chute at the parish office.

Again many thanks for your continued generosity and support to the Parish of St Jude especially during these particularly challenging COVID-19 times.