ST JUDE'S PARISH, SCORESBY



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Member of Knox Deanery 1 August, 2021

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B



Weekday Mass

Wednesday 4 August, at 9.15am

Weekend Masses

Saturday 6pm, Sunday 8.30am & 10.30am

Reconciliation by appointment (contact Fr Mark or Parish Office)

Lord,
We follow you, seeking,
because we are
hungry for
infinite
life
and
love.

Your Father gave us

you.

In all creation, in searching, repairing, giving; in every friendship, love, joy and grief, in all that is difficult, challenging, beautiful and true,

you are with us always and everywhere, in everything.

All is Eucharist now.

So give us, this day, the bread that is you. Fill our hungry hearts and minds with your love. And give life to all the world.

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.

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



OUR PARISH OFFICE

Parish Priest: Rev Mark Reynolds EV mark.reynolds@cam.org.au

Parish Coordinator: Elisa Kelesidis
Parish Bookkeeper Ema Rivera
Pastoral: Mirani Perera
Property Manager: Xavier David

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

Tennis Club

Vito Trifilo 0447 044 920

Bible Study

Xavier David 0448 766 705

Parish Pastoral Council

pastoral.stjudes@gmail.com

PARISH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St. Jude's Primary
Mr Tim McMullen 8761 9600
Holy Trinity Primary
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

A reading from the book of Exodus

The whole community of the sons of Israel began to complain against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness and said to them, 'Why did we not die at the Lord's hand in the land of Egypt, when we were able to sit down to pans of meat and could eat bread to our hearts content! As it is, you have brought us to this wilderness to starve this whole company to death!'

Then the Lord said to Moses, 'Now I will rain down bread for you from the heavens. Each day the people are to go out and gather the day's portion; I propose to test them this way to see whether they will follow my law or not.'

'I have heard the complaints of the sons of Israel. Say this to them, "Between the two evenings you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have bread to your hearts content. Then you will learn that I, the Lord, am your God." And so it came about: quails flew up in the evening, and they covered the camp; in the morning there was a coating of dew all round the camp. When the coating of dew lifted, there on the surface of the desert was a thing delicate, powdery, as fine as hoarfrost on the ground. When they saw this, the sons of Israel said to one another, 'What is that?' not knowing what it was. 'That' said Moses to them 'is the bread the Lord gives you to eat.'

Second Reading

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Ephesians

I want to urge you in the name of the Lord, not to go on living the aimless kind of life that pagans live. Now that is hardly the way you have learnt from Christ, unless you failed to hear him properly when you were taught what the truth is in Jesus. You must give up your old way of life; you must put aside your old self, which gets corrupted by following illusory desires. Your mind must be renewed by a spiritual revolution so that you can put on the new self that has been created in God's way, in the goodness and holiness of the truth.

Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

When the people saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they got into boats and crossed to Capernaum to look for Jesus. When they found him on the other side, they said to him, 'Rabbi, when did you come here?' Jesus answered:

'I tell you most solemnly, you are not looking for me because you have seen the signs but because you had all the bread you wanted to eat. Do not work for food that cannot last, but work for food that endures to eternal life, the kind of food the Son of Man is offering you,

for on him the Father, God himself, has set his seal.'

Then they said to him, 'What must we do if we are to do the works that God wants?' Jesus gave them this answer, 'This is working for God: you must believe in the one he has sent.' So they said, 'What sign will you give to show us that we should believe in you? What work will you do? Our fathers had manna to eat in the desert; as scripture says: He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'

Jesus answered:

'I tell you most solemnly, it was not Moses who gave you bread from heaven, it is my Father who gives you the bread from heaven, the true bread; for the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.'

'Sir,' they said 'give us that bread always.' Jesus answered:

'I am the bread of life.

He who comes to me will never be hungry;

he who believes in me will never thirst.'

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Important—Single QR Code Covid-19 Check-in System

As the current COVID lockdown restrictions have eased somewhat the numbers permitted to attend Weekend Mass is 100 at each mass. As a result you MUST pre-register via Trybooking. This will ensure that the permitted numbers are not exceeded. If you have not pre-registered, you may be turned away, if that Mass is full.



Bookings can be made directly at trybooking (https://www.trybooking.com/BNTBP or the link on the Parish website this is the preferred method or

emailing your booking request to massrequest.stjudes@gmail.com

On arrival to Mass it is **mandatory** for everyone to register by using the single QR Code COVID-19 Check-In system which is positioned at the church entry points.

The check-in process is very simple:

- 1) On arrival, scan the new QR code that will be in the foyer with your camera app or the Service Victoria app.
- 2) Enter your name (for individuals, enter your **first & last name**; and for families the first name of each member separated by spaces please do not use commas followed by your **last name**.
- 3) Enter your phone number.
- 4) Select 'Check-in to this location" and you're done!
- 5) The contact details will need to be entered on first use and should be remembered by your phone on your subsequent visits, so checkins should be much quicker.

If you cannot scan the QR code, you can download the Service Victoria app from the Apple AppStore or Google Play.

For those parishioners who are unable to scan the QR code could you please seek assistance as there will be someone to assist you.

Please ensure you wear a face mask in Church unless you have a medical exemption. Social distancing (1 person per 4 square metre rule) applies within the Church but not within a family group. It would be most appreciated if you could arrive a little earlier to allow for the extra administrative duties to be attended to.

Thank you for your understanding and continued cooperation in these COVID challenging times. Please continue to pray that the outbreak will be contained and restrictions can be eased further in the very near future.

Mass is available via the <u>St Jude's YouTube Channel</u> and will be available Saturday 7

August from 6pm. The Mass can be viewed on our YouTube Channel, which can be found by searching for "st judes scoresby" in YouTube, or clicking on this link:

St Jude's YouTube Channel Or via the Parish wesbsite http://pol.org.au/scoresby



- Liturgy Team -

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

Fist Reading: 1 Kings 17:7-16, Second Reading: Colossians 3:12-17, Gospel: Matthew 6:25-34

August 7 / 8Saturday 6pmSunday 8.30amSunday 10.30amReadersMax ConnorsKim BaxterSybil DonohueDinelle HettiarachchiSally/Alex NguyenLinda Lampa

Mass Projector Stephanie Smyth Adam McMahon Katherina Smith-Williams

Children's Liturgy

Verona & Nerina

Altar Society Amy David

Church Cleaning Rosanna Jumonong

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



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



Bernard Murphy, George Menczer, Mary Theuma, Anthony Winstanley, Paul McGowan, Gemma Auld, Donald Hall, Giovanni Lupone, Jurgen Van Kollenburg, Charles Byrne, Bill Graham, George Pickles, Gregory Price, Thelma Lyons.

STEWARDSHIP TAX RECEIPTS (2020-2021)

Tax Receipts for the last financial year are now available for collection in the Church foyer this weekend. It would be much appreciated if you could collect your receipt after mass as this would save greatly on postage costs. If you are unable to find your tax receipt please contact the Parish Office on 9763 7302.



The remaining tax receipts we will posted, however, if you require your tax receipt urgently please email: Scoresby.Finance@cam.org.au

Thank you for your continued generosity in supporting our parish community especially through these particularly COVID challenging times.

CatholicCare Victoria Sunday Appeal—Sunday 7th-8th August 2021

Next weekend is the **CatholicCare Victoria Sunday Appeal**. CatholicCare Victoria delivers counselling and mental health services, specialised support for children and teens, refugee and asylum seeker help, support for separating families, homelessness support and pastoral care. Donations from our parish community will help to support the most vulnerable individuals and families in our community.



Please donate to the CatholicCare Sunday Appeal . Your support and generosity will help the vulnerable and marginalised in our community and empower everyone to reach their full potential.

You can donate using the appeal envelopes which will be made available next week or online at www.catholiccarevic.org.au or call 9287 5513.

WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK & THE SIGNING OF THE SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE CODE OF CONDUCT ARE MANDATORY FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS AT ST JUDE'S PARISH SCORESBY

For St Jude's Parish to be compliant with the Safeguarding requirements all volunteers over the age of 18 years are required to have a current Working with Children Check which can be accessed by visiting



www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au and follow the prompts. Under the field "Child-Related Work, choose "64-Religious Organisation". It is imperative that all volunteers have this check in place. In the instance that you are a registered teacher with the VIT and although you are not required to have a WWCC it is necessary to notify Working with Children Check Victoria that you volunteer at St Jude's Parish.

Another requirement is to read the "Safeguarding Children & Young People Code of Conduct Declaration", sign and return the 'Code of Conduct' to the parish office at your earliest convenience.

Copies can be found at the exit points of the Church or by phoning the Parish Office. Could you please write on the document the name(s) of the group(s) you participate in, for example, reader/cleaner etc. by doing so this will make it easier to categorise the parish groups and ensure our parish data base is accurate.

Please do not hesitate to contact Elisa Kelesidis on 9763 7302 if you need any clarification regarding either matter from Tuesday to Friday between 9am-4pm.

Thank you to all our volunteers for your commitment to our parish and for your continued support.