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16th September, 2018

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Sunday 8.30am, 10.30am & 6.30pm

Weekday Mass Times:

Tuesday 6.30pm, Wednesday - Saturday 9.00am



PARISH ADMINISTRATOR: Father Longinus Onyechesi 9763 7302
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SERVICES & CONTACTS:

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By Appointment 4th Sunday of the month at 12 noon. Welcoming: Sunday prior at 10.30am Parish Mass.

BIBLE STUDIES: 0402 075 822
Xavier David (AH)

BLESSED SACRAMENT EXPOSITION:
8.30am, Wednesday - Friday

CENACLE OF PRAYER:
First Saturday of the month 9.30am

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Saturday 6.00pm

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Today's Readings
First Reading: Is 50:5-9
Second Reading: James 2:14-18
Gospel: Mk 8:27-35
Next Week's Readings
First Reading: Wis 2:12, 17-20
Second Reading: Jas 3:16 - 4:3
Gospel: Mk 9:30 - 37

RESPONSORIAL PSALM
I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living.

ROSTERS
ALTAR SOCIETY 22nd September, 2018
Eve Buckeridge
BINGO: "Eyes Down" 8.00pm
Neethin Thottan, Don Uberti
CLEANING ROSTER 22nd September, 2018
Cora Lijnders, Lucille Everetts, Christine Hettiarachchi
COUNTERS TODAY:
Stephen & Dawn Cavanagh
COUNTERS NEXT WEEK 16th Sept, 2018
Stephen & Dawn Cavanagh
CHILDREN'S LITURGY
Marie
READERS NEXT WEEK
6.30pm Alan Horwood & Arina Healy
8.30am Frank & Margaret McCulloch
10.30am Marcel Koper & Leon Raj
6.30pm Rachel Cheng & Maxxine Xavier

MUSICIANS & COMPUTER SUPPORT
Next Week:
6.30pm Margaret, Jayden & Dean
8.30am Therese, Ellen & Bill Ta
10.30am Arceo, Molly, Maria, Sidney, Rick
6.30pm Music

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BREAD RUN:
Sep 17 Monday Anita D'Mello
Sep 20 Thursday Robert & Angela Koeoets
Sep 24 Monday Filomena Uberti
Sep 27 Thursday Terri McKay
Oct 01 Monday Rita Amato
Oct 04 Thursday Josie Camilleri

Thank you to all those who continually "Serve the Lord with joy" by participating on these rosters.

Important Dates
Sunday, 16 September
First Eucharist Celebration (Group 2)
2:00 pm at St. Jude's Parish, Scoresby
Friday, 21 September
Term 3 Finishes
Monday, 8 October
Term 4 Starts
Wednesday, 10 October
Evening with Jesus and Mary at St Jude's 7:30pm
Wednesday, 24 October
Film and Lunch at St Jude's 10:30am to 2:30pm.
Sunday, 18 November
Celebrating Our Multiculturalism at St Jude's
Tuesday, 4 December
Evergreens Lunch
Friday, 21 December
Term 4 Finishes



PARISH SCHOOLS: PRIMARY
St. Jude's School Principal Mr Tim Mc Mullen 8761 9600
Holy Trinity Acting Principal Mr John Downie 9801 8296
St Mary's College for Hearing Impaired Students 9800 2733

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Mater Christi College Principal Ms Mary Fitz Gerald 9754 6611
St. Joseph's College Principal Ms Cathy Livingston 9758 2000
Rector Fr Martin Tanti 9758 2000

Low Gluten Hosts are available in this Parish; a supply of consecrated hosts is available at each Mass. The Ciborium will be on the Altar. Anyone who is a Coeliac, or wheat and gluten intolerant, these hosts are suitable for you. (They have been passed by the Coeliac Society as safe.)

Serve the Lord with Joy

1st Reading – A reading from the prophet Isaiah

The Lord has opened my ear.

For my part, I made no resistance,
neither did I turn away.

I offered my back to those who struck me,
my cheeks to those who tore at my beard;
I did not cover my face
against insult and spittle.

The Lord comes to my help,
so that I am untouched by the insults.

So, too, I set my face like flint;
I know I shall not be shamed.

My vindicator is here at hand.

Does anyone start proceedings against me?

Then let us go to court together.

Who thinks he has a case against me?

Let him approach me.

The Lord is coming to my help,
who dare condemn me?

Gospel – A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Jesus and his disciples left for the villages round Caesarea Philippi. On the way he put this question to his disciples, 'Who do people say I am?' And they told him. 'John the Baptist,' they said, 'others Elijah; others again, one of the prophets.' 'But you,' he asked, 'who do you say I am?' Peter spoke up and said to him, 'You are the Christ.' And he gave them strict orders not to tell anyone about him.

And he began to teach them that the Son of Man was destined to suffer grievously, to be rejected by the elders and the chief priests and the scribes, and to be put to death, and after three days to rise again; and he said all this quite openly. Then, taking him aside, Peter started to remonstrate with him. But, turning and seeing his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said to him, 'Get behind me, Satan! Because the way you think is not God's way but man's.'

He called the people and his disciples to him and said, 'If anyone wants to be a follower of mine, let him renounce himself and take up his cross and follow me. For anyone who wants to save his life will lose it; but anyone who loses his life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it.'

2nd Reading- A reading from the letter of St James

Take the case, my brothers & sisters, of someone who has never done a single good act but claims that he has faith. Will that faith save him? If one of the brothers or one of the sisters is in need of clothes and has not enough food to live on, and one of you says to them, 'I wish you well; keep yourself warm and eat plenty,' without giving them these bare necessities of life, then what good is that? Faith is like that: if good works do not go with it, it is quite dead.

This is the way to talk to people of that kind: 'You say you have faith and I have good deeds; I will prove to you that I have faith by showing you my good deeds – now you prove to me that you have faith without any good deeds to show.'

Reflection by Dianne Bergant CSS

There are several messianic traditions, each one characterising the anointed one of the future in a unique way. Do we expect a prophetic figure who will enter our world and reform the structures of society, or a strong leader who will overturn these structures and establish a new order? Are we waiting for a teacher who will transform our minds and hearts, or a judge who will punish us for our infidelities? Are we expecting someone who will renew the face of the earth, or someone who will come in fire and brimstone to destroy it? What kind of a messiah do we expect? For what kind of a change are we preparing ourselves?

Jesus seems to overturn our expectations. We look for one who will save us from the predicaments in which we find ourselves, and he comes to us as one who seems to be a victim of his own predicament. God's thinking seems to be the reverse of ours: Those who save their lives, lose them; those who lose their lives, save them; the seed must die before it can bear fruit; Jesus will be killed, but will then be raised from the dead.

Can we claim to understand Jesus? Or are we more like the people in James' community: people who profess faith in Jesus, but who do not live it out; people who speak pleasant words to others, who say the right things, but who do not back up their words with good works? Is our faith really living?

Film and Lunch at St Jude's (REVISED DATE)

Date: Wednesday, 24 October

Time: 10:30am to 2:30pm.

More details to follow in coming weeks. For further information ring **Maureen Buick 0417634600**
We Apologise for any inconvenience caused.

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- Project Officer-Northern Corridor Service Development, CatholicCare, East Melbourne

Further details can be found on either the Archdiocese website at:

<http://www.cam.org.au/jobs.aspx>

Celebrating Our Multiculturalism

Sunday 18th November 2018

We are looking for volunteers to provide entertainment and/or food from their native cuisine to help make our celebration a success and to include as many cultures as possible.

If you are able to help, please put your name and details on the sheets after Mass.

Alternatively you can contact Joe Fonseka on 0402 005 517 or email pastoral.stjudes@gmail.com



Walk of Witness

HOMELESSNESS AND HOUSING

Tuesday 18th September 2018

- Parable of the good Samaritan 12.30 – 1.00pm Federation Square
- Walk of Witness 1.00 - 2.00pm federation square to cathedral via parliament house led by Bishop Mark Edwards OMI
- Social Justice Statement Launch 2.00 – 2.30pm st. patrick's cathedral

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Prayer for Generosity

Lord, teach me to be generous.
Teach me to serve you as you deserve;
to give and not to count the cost,
to fight and not to heed the wounds,
to toil and not to seek for rest,
to labor and not to ask for reward,
save that of knowing that I do your will.

St. Ignatius of Loyola

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The key of our success with this initiative is local people voting at

Pick My Project pickmyproject.vic.gov.au

Each member of the community can vote for 3 different proposed projects for the local community. Please get behind St Jude's School and help make our weather projected sports recreations space a reality!

PICK MY PROJECT

