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- Parish Secretary, Our Lady Help of Christians, Eltham
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Member of Knox Deanery
17th March, 2019
 2nd SUNDAY of LENT Year C



MASS TIMES:
 Saturday 6.00pm, Reconciliation 5:30pm
 Sunday 8.30am, 10.30am & 6.00pm
 Weekday Mass Times:
 Tuesday 6.30pm, Wednesday-Saturday 9.00am

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 all our voices be heard in a spirit of openness that fosters ongoing communication across our Parish.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Ex 3:1-8,13-15
 Second Reading: 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12
 Gospel: Lk 13:1-9

ROSTERS

ALTAR SOCIETY: 23 Mar 19
 Cora Lijnders

BINGO: "Eyes Down" 21 Mar 19
 Cora Lijnders & John Raskas

CLEANING: 23 Mar 19
 Zammit Family & Filomena Uberti

COUNTERS: 24 Mar 19
 Rosary Pereira & Cora Lijnders

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: 24 Mar 19
 Nerina & Ingrid

READERS: 23/24 Mar 19
 6.00pm Ethan Dmello & Terri McKay
 8.30am Kim Baxter & Rachel Cheng
 10.30am Leon Raj & Irene Wallis
 6.00pm Rhea Torres & Nayomi Fonseka

MUSICIANS & COMPUTER SUPPORT:
23/24 Mar 19
 6.00pm Margaret, Jayden & Dean
 8.30am Therese, Rachel & Darryl Hodges
 10.30am Molly, Maria, Sidney, Rick, Rushika
 6.00pm Music

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BREAD RUN:
 Mar 21 Thur Rita Amato
 Mar 28 Thur Filomena Uberti
 Apr 04 Thur Terri McKay
 Apr 11 Thur Anita D'Mello
 Thank you to all those who continually "Serve the Lord with joy" by participating on these rosters.

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR: Father Longinus Onyechesi 9763 7302
PASTORAL ASSOCIATE: TBA 9763 7302
Parish Office: Preethi Pais - Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. 9am - 2pm 9763 7302
Email: scoresby@cam.org.au **Website:** pol.org.au/scoresby

A Defibrillator for use in a cardiac emergency is located in the foyer of the Church



AN UNQUENCHABLE LONGING

All of us can experience moments of great joy because in his goodness God allows us to taste on earth the joys of the world to come.

However, moments of joy, no matter how wonderful, will never satisfy the human heart. What we long for is a permanent state of happiness.

But that is unattainable here. So what must we do? Like desert travellers, we must go forward from one oasis to another, with the conviction that God has a homeland prepared for us at the end of our journey. This conviction will make it possible for us to travel onwards with an ache in our hearts and an unquenchable longing in our soul.

For all information on our Parish, please check our website pol.org.au/scoresby

IMPORTANT DATES:

Wednesday, 20 March
 3rd Wednesdays 'Cuppa & Chat'
Thursday, 28 March
 Parent/Child Reconciliation Workshop
Tuesday, 02 April
 Judean Meet
Wednesday, 10 April
 Parish Leadership Team Meeting
Saturday, 15 June
 Parish Dinner Dance

SERVICES & CONTACTS:

BAPTISM: 9763 7302
 By Appointment. 4th Sunday of the month at 12 noon. Welcoming: Sunday prior at 10.30am Parish Mass.
COMMUNITY CENTRE:
 Parish Office 9763 7302
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St. Jude's School 8761 9600
 Mr Tim Mc Mullen, Principal
Holy Trinity School 9801 8296
 Mr John Downie, Principal
St Mary's College for Hearing Impaired Students 9800 2733
 Amanda Purcell, Principal

PARISH SECONDARY SCHOOLS:
Mater Christi College 9754 6611
 Ms Mary Fitz Gerald, Principal
St. Joseph's College 9758 0000
 Ms Cathy Livingston, Principal
 Rector Fr Martin Tanti 9758 2000

Serve the Lord with Joy

1st Reading – Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18

Taking Abram outside the Lord said, 'Look up to heaven and count the stars if you can. Such will be your descendants' he told him. Abram put his faith in the Lord, who counted this as making him justified. 'I am the Lord' he said to him 'who brought you out of Ur of the Chaldeans to make you heir to this land.' 'My Lord, the Lord' Abram replied, 'how am I to know that I shall inherit it?' He said to him, 'Get me a three-year-old heifer, a three-year-old goat, a three-year-old ram, a turtledove and a young pigeon.' He brought him all these, cut them in half and put half on one side and half facing it on the other; but the birds he did not cut in half. Birds of prey came down on the carcasses but Abram drove them off. Now as the sun was setting Abram fell into a deep sleep, and terror seized him. When the sun had set and darkness had fallen, there appeared a smoking furnace and a firebrand that went between the halves. That day the Lord made a Covenant with Abram in these terms: 'To your descendants I give this land, from the wadi of Egypt to the Great River.'

2nd Reading – Philippians 3:17 – 4:1

My brothers, be united in following my rule of life. Take as your models everybody who is already doing this and study them as you used to study us. I have told you often, and I repeat it today with tears, there are many who are behaving as the enemies of the cross of Christ. They are destined to be lost. They make foods into their god and they are proudest of something they ought to think shameful; the things they think important are earthly things. For us, our homeland is in heaven, and from heaven comes the saviour we are waiting for, the Lord Jesus Christ, and he will transfigure these wretched bodies of ours into copies of his glorious body. He will do that by the same power with which he can subdue the whole universe. So then, my brothers and dear friends, do not give way but remain faithful in the Lord. I miss you very much, dear friends; you are my joy and my crown.

Gospel – Luke 9:28-36

Jesus took with him Peter and John and James and went up the mountain to pray. As he prayed, the aspect of his face was changed and his clothing became brilliant as lightning. Suddenly there were two men there talking to him; they were Moses and Elijah appearing in glory, and they were speaking of his passing which he was to accomplish in Jerusalem. Peter and his companions were heavy with sleep, but they kept awake and saw his glory and the two men standing with him. As these were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is wonderful for us to be here; so let us make three tents, one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah.' – He did not know what he was saying. As he spoke, a cloud came and covered them with shadow; and when they went into the cloud the disciples were afraid. And a voice came from the cloud saying, 'This is my Son, the Chosen One. Listen to him.' And after the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. The disciples kept silence and, at that time, told no one what they had seen.



During Lent we are encouraged to pray more frequently, practice self denial and to help others who are in need.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross will be held each Friday during Lent at 7.30pm.



VISITING THE SICK

If any of you are sick/elderly or know someone who is sick/elderly and would like Fr. Longinus to visit them for Pastoral Care, kindly call the Parish Office on 03 9763 7302.

Serve the Lord with Joy

Mater Christi College and Santa Maria College

invite you to: Join in conversation with Dr Jim Nikoloff, Director of Ministerial Formation at Barry University in Miami, Florida in the three ways to holiness - Beauty, Reason and Justice.
 Session 1 - "Beauty and Holiness"
 Three pathways to God—Beauty, Reason and Justice;
 12 March: 5:30-8:00pm
 Venue: Mater Christi College, Belgrave
 Light meal provided
 Session 2 - "Reason and Holiness"
 Look at the Church's historical rejection and eventual acceptance of science.
 19 March: 5:30-8:00pm
 Venue: Santa Maria College, Northcote
 Depart from Mater Christi College, 4:15pm Light meal provided
 Session 3 - "Justice and Holiness"
 Explore the question of justice in the Church itself and the relationship between Catholic schools and the Catholic Church.
 26 March: 5:30-8:00pm
 Venue: Santa Maria College, Northcote.
 Depart from Mater Christi College, 4:15pm Light meal provided
 RSVP: crocker_j@materchristi.edu.au
 Tuesday 12 March for catering and transport purposes

MISSIONARY SISTERS OF ST PETER CLAVER **89th Annual Mission Concert – All Invited**

'The Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver will hold their Annual Mission Concert on Sunday 31 March at the St Peter Claver Hall, 154 Cotham Road, Kew commencing 2pm. Admission is free – a collection will be taken during the concert. Proceeds will go to assist Sr Donatus Kilole of the Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Mother of Christ working in the diocese of Nairobi, Kenya, in the very remote village of Timau'

2019 SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION PROGRAM

1st Reconciliation:

1st May and 2nd May

Classes for Reconciliation:

31st March, 7th April, 14th April and 28th April.
 (No classes over Easter)

Parent/Child Reconciliation Workshop:

Thursday 28th March at 6.30pm in the Church.

If your child is studying in a non-catholic school and would like to register for the sacraments, please contact the Parish office on 9763 7302 or email scoresby@cam.org.au

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Invest in your most precious asset.....Your Marriage!

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2019 Melbourne weekend dates: 29-31 March 2019, 31 May-2 June 2019, 23-25 August 2019, and 15-17 November, 2019

Starts 7pm on Friday. Ends 5pm Sunday.

Accommodation and all meals provided.

Information/Bookings:

PH: Mercy and James 0409 183 676

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Website: www.wwme.org.au

Reflection

"I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans to give you this land as a possession." (Genesis 15:7)

Just as the Lord gave Abraham, Moses and the Israelites a land to possess, He has also given each of us a home. Whether your home is grand or humble, it is a gift from God. Abraham prepared a great sacrifice to the Lord in gratitude for the home God gave him. How do you show your gratitude to God for the home He has given you? Do you make a sacrifice of any kind? Do you return any of your finances to God, investing equally in your eternal home just as you invest in your earthly home?

ST JUDE THE APOSTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

St. Jude's Principal Mr. Tim McMullen warmly invites you to visit our school.

Open Days:

Wednesday 27th February 9am to 3pm

Wednesday 6th March, 12pm to 3pm

Sunday 31st March, 11.30am to 1pm

(Joining our Prep Picnic)

School Tours available anytime by appointment.

Contact:

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Email: office@sjscoresby.catholic.edu.au

Web: sjscoresby.catholic.edu.au

OPEN DAY

Vermont South Campus

Thursday, 28 March | 1.30 – 6.30pm

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