

# ST JUDE'S PARISH, SCORESBY

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Member of Knox Deanery

29<sup>th</sup> December, 2019

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph



## 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 READINGS

First Reading: Is 60:1-6  
Second Reading: Eph 3:2-3. 5-6  
Gospel: Mt 2:1-12

### ROSTERS

**ALTAR SOCIETY: 04 Jan 20**  
Carmen Leitao

**BINGO: "Eyes Down"**  
Restarts in February 2019

**CLEANING: 04 Jan 20**  
Clyde Robert & Volunteer

**COUNTERS: 05 Jan 20**  
Rosary Pereira & Cora Lijnders

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY:**  
Restarts after School Holidays

**READERS: 04/05 Jan 20**  
6.00pm Filomena Uberti & Max Connors  
8.30am Doris Teh & Dorothy Teh  
10.30am Anne McCarthy & Linda Lampa  
6.30pm Mary & Michael Kay-Taylor

**MUSICIANS & COMPUTER SUPPORT:**  
**04/05 Jan 20**  
6.00pm Margaret, Jayden & Dean  
8.30am Therese, Rachel & Bill Ta  
10.30am Molly, Maria, Sidney, Rick, Victor  
6.30pm Music

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BREAD RUN:**  
Jan 02 Thur Josie Camilleri  
Jan 09 Thur Anna Tefillo  
Jan 16 Thur Robert & Angela Koevoets  
Jan 23 Thur Carmen Leitao  
*Thank you to all those who continually "Serve the Lord with joy" by participating on these rosters.*



### REFLECTION

Lord, grant us children, who will be strong enough to know when they are weak; who will be unbending in defeat, yet humble and gentle in victory. Grant us children, whose wishes will not take the place of their deeds; children who will know you and know themselves.

Lead them, we pray you, not in the path of ease and comfort, but rather in the path of difficulties and challenges. Grant us children, whose hearts will be clear, and whose goals will be high; children who will master themselves before seeking to master others. And after all these things, add we pray, a sense of humour, so that they can be serious, yet never take themselves too seriously. Then we, their parents, will dare whisper, we have not lived in vain.

### IMPORTANT DATES:

**Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020**

9.30am 3rd Wednesdays

'Cuppa & Chat'

**Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020**

7.15pm Paris Pastoral Meeting

**Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> February 2020**

9am Ash Wednesday Mass

7.30pm Ash Wednesday Mass

### SERVICES & CONTACTS:

**BAPTISM:** 9763 7302

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

**COMMUNITY CENTRE:**

Parish Office 9763 7302

**FITNESS CLASS:**

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**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL**

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### PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOLS:

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 the deaf 9800 2733

Ms. Amanda Purcell, Principal

### PARISH SECONDARY SCHOOLS:

Mater Christi College 9754 6611

Ms Mary Fitz Gerald, Principal

St. Joseph's College 9758 2000

Ms Cathy Livingston, Principal

**PARISH ADMINISTRATOR:** Father Longinus Onyechesi 9763 7302

**Parish Office:** Secretary -Preethi Pais,

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## Serve the Lord with Joy

### **1<sup>st</sup> Reading – Ecclesiasticus 3:2-6. 12-14**

Arise, shine out, Jerusalem, for your light has come, the glory of the Lord is rising on you, though night still covers the earth and darkness the peoples. Above you the Lord now rises and above you his glory appears. The nations come to your light and kings to your dawning brightness. Lift up your eyes and look round: all are assembling and coming towards you, your sons from far away and your daughters being tenderly carried. At this sight you will grow radiant, your heart throbbing and full; since the riches of the sea will flow to you; the wealth of the nations come to you; camels in throngs will cover you, and dromedaries of Midian and Ephah; everyone in Sheba will come, bringing gold and incense and singing the praise of the Lord.

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – Colossians 3:12-21**

You are God's chosen race, his saints; he loves you and you should be clothed in sincere compassion, in kindness and humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with one another; forgive each other as soon as a quarrel begins. The Lord has forgiven you; now you must do the same. Over all these clothes, to keep them together and complete them, put on love. And may the peace of Christ reign in your hearts, because it is for this that you were called together as parts of one body. Always be thankful.

Let the message of Christ, in all its richness, find a home with you. Teach each other, and advise each other, in all wisdom. With gratitude in your hearts sing psalms and hymns and inspired songs to God; and never say or do anything except in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Wives, give way to your husbands, as you should in the Lord. Husbands, love your wives and treat them with gentleness. Children, be obedient to your parents always, because that is what will please the Lord. Parents, never drive your children to resentment or you will make them feel frustrated.

### **Gospel – Matthew 2:13-15. 19-23**

After the wise men had left, the angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said, 'Get up, take the child and his mother with you, and escape into Egypt, and stay there until I tell you, because Herod intends to search for the child and do away with him.' So Joseph got up and, taking the child and his mother with him, left that night for Egypt, where he stayed until Herod was dead. This was to fulfil what the Lord had spoken through the prophet: I called my son out of Egypt.

After Herod's death, the angel of the Lord appeared in a dream to Joseph in Egypt and said, 'Get up, take the child and his mother with you and go back to the land of Israel, for those who wanted to kill the child are dead.' So Joseph got up and, taking the child and his mother with him, went back to the land of Israel. But when he learnt that Archelaus had succeeded his father Herod as ruler of Judaea he was afraid to go there, and being warned in a dream he left for the region of Galilee. There he settled in a town called Nazareth. In this way the words spoken through the prophets were to be fulfilled: He will be called a Nazarene

#### **PARISH OFFICE UPDATE**

Father Longinus will be away for the month of January; and has organised substitute Priests for celebrating the Weekend Masses for the Month.

#### **Please note:**

**There will be no weekday Masses during January**

**The Parish Office will be closed during public holidays of Christmas and New Year.**



#### **HEARTFELT SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL OUR VOLUNTEERS**

Our Readers, Special Ministers, Visitation People, Counters, Cleaners, Gardeners, committee Members, Fundraisers, Social, Pastoral, Liturgy and teaching groups, Hospitality etc etc. The list could be so long. **THANK YOU ALL.** You keep the parish friendly and a place where people love to come.

For information on all services and activities you could be a part of, visit our website: [pol.org.au/Scoresby](http://pol.org.au/Scoresby)

#### **WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO DIED RECENTLY**

#### **AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME:**

Allan Ross, Christobel Van Langenberg, Peter Fernandes, Lino Baldin, Margherita Mangion, Adelaide Cordeiro, Juliette Sabatero, Percival Pereira, Garry Kelly, Antonio De Venuto, Joan Malik, Elizabeth Hill

