

# ST JUDE'S PARISH, SCORESBY

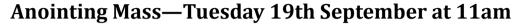
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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year A

17th September 2023



Weekday Masses and Communion Service at 9.15am

Wednesday 20 September, Thursday, 21 September & Communion Service Friday 22 September

# **Weekend Masses**

Saturday 6pm, Sunday 8.30am & 10.30am Reconciliation by appointment (contact Fr Jerald or Fr Samuel at Parish Office)

# **Prayer For Reflection**



"Lord, remember not only people of goodwill but also people of ill will.

Do not remember only the sufferings

That have been inflicted on us,

But remember too the fruit we have bought as a result of this suffering:

The comradeship and loyalty,

The humility and courage,

The generosity and greatness of heart

That has grown out of it.

And when they come to judgement,

Let all the frits that we have borne be their forgiveness."

**Prayer found in Auschwitz** 

New Sunday & Holy Day Liturgies—Flor McCarthy SDB

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

# **OUR PARISH OFFICE**

Parish Priest:
Rev Jerald Mariadas
Assistant Priest:
Rev Samuel Pearson
samuel.pearson@cam.org.au

Pastoral Care Coordinator: Sr Ljudmila Anzic 0410 949 056 judecarescoresby@gmail.com Parish Coordinator: Ida Lancuba Parish Bookkeeper: Ema Rivera Property Manager: Xavier David Child Safety Officer: Kim Baxter

#### 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

Parish Leadership Team

9763 7302

St Simon's & St Jude's Youth Group

youthteam@stsimonsparish.com.au

#### PARISH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St Jude's Primary

Mr Tim McMullen 8761 9600

Holy Trinity Primary

Mr Adrian Scutt 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: Sirach 27:30—28:7

Resentment and anger, these are foul things, And both are found with the sinner. He who exacts vengeance will experience the vengeance of the Lord, who keeps strict account of sin. Forgive your neighbour the hurt he does to you, and when you pray, your sins will be forgiven. If a man nurses anger against another, can he then demand compassion from the Lord? Showing no pity for a man like himself, can he then plead for his own sins? Mere creature of flesh, he cherishes resentment; who will forgive him his sins? Remember the last things, and stop hating, remember dissolution and death, and live by the commandments. Remember the commandments, and do not bear your neighbour ill-will; remember the covenant of the Most High, and overlook the offence.

# Second Reading: Romans 14:7-9

The life and death of each of us has its influence on others; if we live, we live for the Lord; And if we die, we die for the Lord, so that alive or dead we belong to the Lord. This explains why Christ both died and came to life, it was so that he might be Lord both of the dead and the living.

## Gospel Mt 18:21-35

Peter went up to Jesus and said, 'Lord how often must I forgive my brother if he wrongs me? As often as seven times?' Jesus answered, 'not seven, I tell you, but seventy-seven times. 'And so the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who decided to settle his accounts with his servants. When the reckoning began, they brought him a man who owed ten thousand talents; but he had no means of paying, so his master gave orders that he should be sold, together with his wife and children and all his possession, to meet the debt. At this, the servant threw himself down at his master's feet. "Give me time," he said "and I will pay the whole sum." and the servant's master felt so sorry for him that he let him go and cancelled the debt. Now as this servant went out, he happened to meet a fellow servant who owed him one hundred denarii; and he seized him by the throat and began to throttle him. "pay what you owe me", he said. His fellow servant fell at this feet and implore him, saying, "Give me time and I will pay you." But the other would not agree; on the contrary, he had him thrown into prison till he should pay the debt. His fellow servants were deeply distressed when they saw what had happened, and they went to their master and reported the shole affair to him. Then the master sent for him. "You wicked servant", he said. "I cancelled all that debt of ours when you appealed to me. Were you not bound, then, to have pity on your fellow servant just as I had pity on you?" And in his anger the master handed him over to the torturers till he should pay all his debt. And that is ow my heavenly Father will deal with you unless you each forgive your brother from your heart.'

#### 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

#### A visit to the Blessed Sacrament

"My peace be with you! In My Sacred Heart you will find peace!"

We usually are open from Tuesday-Friday, 9am-4pm



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

Angelica La Marca, Georgina Sacco, Malcolm McDonald, Lionel Malcolm Buckeridge, Cynthia A. Hucker, George Fernando, Laura Michelle Colling, Patricia Rogers, Valarie Johnson, Herbert Archie Mayes, Sally Griffin, Jennifer Yeoh, Robert Yeow

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# Caritas Australia's Emergency Appeals - Morocco / Libya



Caritas Australia needs your support to respond to the devastating earthquake in Morocco and Floods in Libya.

Thousands of people have died and others have been injured. **Communities need** shelter, food, water and medical assistance.

Please support Caritas Australia's Emergency Appeals.

Donate at www.caritas.org.au

## **Heart of Life**

Waiting at the Well—Carole Carmody rsm. Julie Adam

4 x THURSDAYS (in-person event)

5, 12, 19 & 26 Oct from 10 am – 12.30 pm This series offers an opportunity for those waiting to have their thirst quenched at the Well of Life to explore the depths of wisdom in their own heart, to recognise wisdom in the encounter with another, and to dwell in the Heart of Contemplation. Places limited. Bookings via https://

www.heartoflife.melbourne/events/waitingat-the-well-series/? or email in-

fo@heartoflife.melbourne. Cost: \$100 for the series, or, \$30 per session.

# EUCHARISTIC ADORATION, MULTICULTURAL ROSARY AND BENEDICTION

The Eucharistic Adoration, Multicultural Rosary & Benediction will be held at St Jude's Parish Church on Wednesday, 11 OCTOBER 2023 from 7.30 – 8.30pm. All are invited to pray to Jesus and Mary for love, peace and goodness to grow in our families, church and world.

# **Anointing Mass for the Sick and Elderly**



There will be an **Anointing Mass** to be held on **Tuesday 19 September** at **11am**, followed by **light refreshments** in the **Church Foyer**.

For those requiring assistance with transport please contact the Parish Office on 9763 7302.

# St Jude's Parish—Liturgy Roster

First Reading Is 55:6-9 Second Reading Phil 1:20-24.27, Gospel Mt 20:1-16

23/24 September Saturday 6pm Sunday 8.30am Sunday 10.30am

Celebrant: Fr Jerald Mariadas Fr Jerald Mariadas Fr Jerald Mariadas

ReadersFilomena UbertiThomas ChanPrima PintoMikhail SantosaAnita Kay TaylorRhea Torres

Mass Projector Stephanie Smyth Bill Ta T.J/Victoria Bulloch

No Children's Liturgy during school holidays

Altar Society Filippa Palumbieri
Church Cleaner Rosanna Kelaart

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

Please view the COVID Safe Plan for St Jude's displayed on the entry doors of the church.



# Serve the Lord with Joy

# Fancy a cuppa?



Spring has arrived, so it is time to shake off the blues and catch up with friends. Please come on Wednesday,
September 27th for a "Cuppa"

and Chat" in the Parish

Centre, from 9.30am.



All are welcome. Contact Ann on 0402 904 678 for further details

If you would like to support our **Parish** via **TAP** and **GO** please use the terminal in the **Church Foyer**.

All you need to do is choose the donation amount and tap or insert your credit card / debit card / smart phone or smart watch—your contribution will go straight into the **Church Account**.

If you would like to contribute to the support of our **Priests** please see bank details below:

Account Name: St Jude's Presbytery Account

BSB: 083 347

Account No. 648765671

Many thanks for your support.





# Mission: Transform Lives —theirs and yours

Communities in Africa, Asia or the Pacific are seeking Australians from a variety of professions and trades to share their skills and knowledge with those who have few other chances for training.

Build enduring global relationships while assisting sustainable, self-reliant, community development.

Want to find out more? Join our Global Development Webinar happening on the 14<sup>th</sup> of September 2023 at 6pm to 7pm AEST



We are looking for parishioners or if you know of someone who may be interested who loves playing either the **piano** or the **drums** to come and

join a friendly group of musicians to play at our weekend masses. We are hoping to organise a roster to play on a monthly basis.

If you would like to share your gift of playing please contact **Xavier 0448 766 705**, phone the **Parish Office** on **9763 7302 or** email Scoresby@cam.org.au

We would love to hear from you.





If we really want to love we must learn how to forgive.



To forgive takes love to forget takes humility.

Blessed Mother Teresa



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