

ST JUDE'S PARISH, SCORESBY

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Member of Knox Deanery



Second Sunday of Easter —Year A 16th April 2023

Weekday Masses/ Communion Service this week

Communion Service on Wednesday 19th April, Masses on Thursday, 20th April, & Friday 21st April at 9.15am

Weekend Masses

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



THANK YOU!

On behalf of Fr Mark and Fr Samuel the Liturgy Team would like to express our gratitude to all of you who made our Easter liturgies possible. From the musicians and choir singers who filled our church with beautiful music, to the readers who proclaimed the Word of God with passion and conviction, to the Special Ministers who served at the altar with grace and dignity, to the altar servers and projectionists who carried out their duties with reverence and respect, each of you played an integral role in making our Easter celebrations truly special.

We also thank those who helped with multiple processions, including the procession of the palms, the procession of holy oils on Holy Thursday, and the carrying of the cross on Good Friday. Your dedication and commitment to these important traditions helped make our Holy Week observances even more meaningful.

A big thank you also to those who helped with the foot washing ceremony. Your willingness to participate in this ancient tradition was a powerful reminder of our call to serve one another with humility and love.

Let us not forget those who work behind the scenes to prepare the Church with flowers and decoration, the Easter fire, to help clean the church, move chairs, and prepare and serve at our Easter Breakfast. Your efforts were essential to making everything run smoothly and joyfully.

Thank you all for your dedication and commitment to our parish community. May the blessings of Easter continue to fill your hearts and homes, and may God bless you abundantly.

Liturgy Team

OUR PARISH OFFICE

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SERVICES & CONTACTS

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Fitness Class

Pam Jess 9763 7302

Liturgy Group

Leon Raj - liturgy.stjudes@gmail.com

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Helpline 1800 305 330

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Xavier David 0448 766 705 Parish Pastoral Council

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PARISH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St Jude's Primary
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Mater Christi College
Ms Maria Haggett 9754 6611
St Joseph's College

Ms Cathy Livingston 9758 2000

Serve the Lord with Joy

First Reading: Acts 2:42-47

The whole community remained faithful to the teaching of the apostles, to the brotherhood, to the breaking of bread and to the prayers.

The many miracles and signs worked through the apostles made a deep impression on everyone.

The faithful all lived together and owned everything in common; they sold their goods and possessions and shared out the proceeds among themselves according to what each one needed.

They went as a body to the Temple every day but met in their houses for the breaking of bread; they shared their food gladly and generously; they praised God and were looked up to by everyone. Day by day the Lord added to their community those destined to be saved.

Second Reading: 1 Pt 1:3-9

Blessed be God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who in his great mercy has given us a new birth as his sons, by raising Jesus Christ from the dead, so that we have a sure hope and the promise of an inheritance that can never be spoilt or soiled and never fade away, because it is being kept for you in the heavens. Through your faith, God's power will guard you until the salvation which has been prepared is revealed at the end of time. This is a cause of great joy for you, even though you may for a short time have to bear being plagued by all sorts of trials; so that, when Jesus Christ is revealed, your faith will have been tested and proved like gold – only it is more precious than gold, which is corruptible even though it bears testing by fire – and then you will have praise and glory and honour. You did not see him, yet you love him; and still without seeing him, you are already filled with a joy so glorious that it cannot be described, because you believe; and you are sure of the end to which your faith looks forward, that is, the salvation of your souls.

Gospel Jn 20:19-31

In the evening of that same day, the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you,' and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, 'Peace be with you.

'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you.'

After saying this he breathed on them and said:

'Receive the Holy Spirit.
For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain, they are retained.'

Thomas, called the Twin, who was one of the Twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. When the disciples said, 'We have seen the Lord', he answered, 'Unless I see the holes that the nails made in his hands and can put my finger into the holes they made, and unless I can put my hand into his side, I refuse to believe.' Eight days later the disciples were in the house again and Thomas was with them. The doors were closed, but Jesus came in and stood among them. 'Peace be with you' he said. Then he spoke to Thomas, 'Put your finger here; look, here are my hands. Give me your hand; put it into my side. Doubt no longer but believe.' Thomas replied, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him:

'You believe because you can see me.

Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.'

There were many other signs that Jesus worked and the disciples saw, but they are not recorded in this book. These are recorded so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing this you may have life through his name.



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

Joseph H Lobo, Stanley Abeysena, David Merrick, David Neary, Lambert Begue, Liz Murphy, Matthew Di Bianco, Nick Baré, Maria Di Nuzzo, Noel Gleeson, Kevin Nolan, Trish Mallia, John Gnanapragasam, Nan McGregor, James Lacy, Edward Koay, Vivienne Koay, Robert Yeow.

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THANK YOU

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Project Compassion

A gentle reminder if you have not returned your Project Compassion boxes and envelopes, could you please return to the Parish Office at your earliest convenience. Thank you



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

EXPOSITION OF THE EUCHARIST— MULTICULTURAL ROSARY—BENEDICTION

WEDNESDAY, 17TH MAY 2023

You are all invited to St Jude's Scoresby, for an hour before the Blessed Sacrament with Multicultural Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on **Wednesday**, **17th May** 2023 from **7.30pm-8.30pm**, to pray for our world, that all may turn to God in their need.

Marriage Encounter Weekend—Every relationship is a journey and this weekend gives married couples the tools to keep passion alive in a gentle, nurturing environment, away from pressures and distractions of daily living. For further details please check the website.

28-30 April in Melbourne Book early to avoid disappointment Information/Bookings: Phone Mercy & James 0409 183 676

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St Jude's Parish—Liturgy Roster First Reading Acts 2:14, 22-33, 1 Pt 1:17-21, Gospel Lk 24:13-35

22 / 23 AprilSaturday 6pmSunday 8.30amSunday 10.30amReadersThomas Chan
Max ConnorsMarcel Koper
Prema PintoLouise Cooper
Linda Lampa

Mass Projector Diyen Hettiarachchi Megan Pinto Audrey/Isabelle Raj

Children's Liturgy not during School Holidays

Altar Society Eve Buckeridge & Rosanna Kelaart

Church Cleaner Jude Phillip

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.



Caritas

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Cuppa and a Chat

– join us for a fun couple
of hours creating Cards.

BYO plate as we enjoy
a shared lunch.

Please come along and join us from 9.45am on Wednesday 26th in the Parish Centre when Carmel will show us how to make some beautiful cards. Everything is supplied and ready to be assembled. At the end of the session you will have made some lovely personal cards, enjoyed a fun filled morning and a shared lunch. There is something lovely about giving a card, made especially for a family member or dear friend.

Join us even if you are not feeling crafty!!!
Please contact
Ann (0402 904 678) or
Robyn (0407 324 117)
for information.



JUDECARE

"I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly" John 10:10

Sr Ljudmila is wondering if there is anyone or if you know of someone who might like a home visit or phone call in preparation for our **JudeCare** volunteers to meet the particular needs of our parishioners. This could be by taking Communion to the sick, doing shopping, transport to mass etc. If you would like a visit or phone call please give Sr Ljudmila a call on **0410 949 056**, email <u>judecarescoresby@gmail.com</u> or by contacting the Parish Office on 9763 7302.

JudeCare is very much looking forward to being a service to others.



The **Knitting** and **Crochet Group** will **resume** this **Wednesday 19th April** and continue on the **1st** and **3rd Wednesdays**

of each month in the

Parish Centre from 9.30am-11am.

All are welcome—come along and enjoy good company while learning a new skill.

Enquiries Maureen 0417 634 600





FLOWER ROSTER



The Parish is organising a 'Flower Roster' and if you have a garden with flowers we would welcome you to bring in any cut flowers from your garden to add to the floral displays for the weekend Masses. If this is something you would like to do could the flowers be brought to the Parish Office on the Friday between 9am and 2pm. This will help the ladies on the Flower Roster to work out if they need to purchase extra flowers for the weekend. If anyone would like to join the 'Flower Roster' please contact the Parish Office for more information.



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