

ST JUDE'S PARISH, SCORESBY 49 George Street, Scoresby 3179

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**Member of Knox Deanery** 

# Sixth Sunday of Easter —Year A 14th May 2023

Weekday Masses this week Wednesday, 17th May, Thursday, 18th May & Friday, 19th May at 9.15am

## Weekend Masses

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

Happy Mother's Day to Mums of all kinds! Birth Mums, Angel Mums, Step Mums, Fur Baby Mums, Adoptive Mums, Foster Mums, Angel Baby Mums, Grandma Mums, Aunty Mums, Sister Mums, Mentor Mums.

Happy Mother's Day!



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 Mark Reynolds EV mark.reynolds@cam.org.au Assistant Priest: Rev Samuel Pearson samuel.pearson@cam.org.au

Pastoral Care Coordinator: Sr Ljudmila Anzic 0410 949 056 judecarescoresby@gmail.com Parish Coordinator: Elisa Kelesidis Parish Bookkeeper: Ema Rivera Property & Facilities 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

PARISH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

<u>St Jude's Primary</u> Mr Tim McMullen 8761 9600 <u>Holy Trinity Primary</u> Mr Adrian Scutt 9801 8296 <u>St Mary's College for the Deaf</u> Ms Amanda Purcell 9800 2733 <u>Mater Christi College</u> Ms Maria Haggett 9754 6611 <u>St Joseph's College</u> Ms Cathy Livingston 9758 2000

### First Reading: Acts 8:5-8 14-17

Philip went to a Samaritan town and proclaimed the Christ to them. The people united in welcoming the message Philip preached, either because they had heard of the miracles he worked or because they saw them for themselves. There were, for example, unclean spirits that came shrieking out of many who were possessed, and several paralytics and cripples were cured. As a result there was great rejoicing in that town.

When the apostles in Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them, and they went down there, and prayed for the Samaritans to receive the Holy Spirit, for as yet he had not come down on any of them: they had only been baptised in the name of the Lord Jesus. Then they laid hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

### Second Reading: 1 Pt 3:15-18

Reverence the Lord Christ in your hearts, and always have your answer ready for people who ask you the reason for the hope that you all have. But give it with courtesy and respect and with a clear conscience, so that those who slander you when you are living a good life in Christ may be proved wrong in the accusations that they bring. And if it is the will of God that you should suffer, it is better to suffer for doing right than for doing wrong.

Why, Christ himself, innocent though he was, had died once for sins, died for the guilty, to lead us to God. In the body he was put to death, in the spirit he was raised to life.

### Gospel Jn 14:15-21

Jesus said to his disciples:

'If you love me you will keep my commandments. I shall ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you for ever, that Spirit of truth whom the world can never receive since it neither sees nor knows him; but you know him, because he is with you, he is in you. I will not leave you orphans; I will come back to you. In a short time the world will no longer see me; but you will see me, because I live and you will live. On that day you will understand that I am in my Father and you in me and I in you. Anybody who receives my commandments and keeps them will be one who loves me; and anybody who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I shall love him and show myself to him.'



We offer our **congratulations** and **best wishes** to Jessica Di Benedetto & George Vlahos who were recently married at St Jude's Church.



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

Therese Ravel, Sinhorina Carvalho, Anne Low Yam Tho, Ondray Ephraum, Allan Craig, Clyde Geoffrey Rutzou, Norm Delacorn, Guiseppi Lamendola, Ranjini Kandamudali, Filidea Di Bianco, Clifford Fisher.

### Anointing Mass for the Sick and Elderly

There will be an **Anointing Mass** to be held on Tuesday 6 June at 11am, followed by light refreshments in the Church Foyer.

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



The Sisters of Saint Joseph have prepared an Australian Pilgrimage, "In the Footsteps of Mary MacKillop" commencing in Melbourne on 17 October, journeying through Victoria and South Australia, and ending at Mary MacKillop Place, North Sydney on 28 October 2023. During the Pilgrimage visits will be made to many places associated with Mary MacKillop's life and ministry. Please see flyers in the Church foyer or item on Parish Noticeboard.



The month of **May** is designated to the "Mass Count" and your presence is welcomed.

How you can contribute to the Parish

You can make a donation by scanning the QR Code below which is unique to St Jude's Parish and allows parishioners to directly access the CDF pay webpage. To make a payment, parishioners simply scan the QR Code with their mobile phone

and follow a few east steps. The QR Code is also displayed on the noticeboard in the Church Foyer.



Thank you for your continued support.

### 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.



Heart of Life Centre for Spiritual & Pastoral Formation

#### **Reflection day in May**

'Pondering Grief' (in-person event), Saturday 20 May 2023, 10am—3.30pm.

This day offers an invitation to reflect on and honour our inner life of change and transition. With creativity, space and gentle guiding support, this workshop will offer a sacred place for the breadth of human experiencing and spirit to guide the individual exploration.

Facilitated by Linda Espie a counsellor of loss, grief and bereavement for over 35 years.

Cost: \$80 including 'Pondering Grief' book (BYO lunch). Book and pay via website www.heartoflife.melbourne, email info@heartoflife.melbourne or telephone 9890 1101.



### A Visit to the Blessed Sacrament 유

"Bring your heart so that I may fill it with many gifts of My love.

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

#### St Jude's Parish—Liturgy Roster First Reading Acts 2:1-11, Second Reading 1 Cor 12:3-7 12-13, Gospel Jn 20:19-23

20 / 21 May Readers **Mass Projector** Stephanie Smyth **Children's Liturgy** Amy David

Saturday 6pm Lauren Pereira Ann Doyle

Bill Ta

Inggrid & Verona

**Altar Society** 

**Church Cleaner** Jude Philip Sunday 8.30am Millicent Miranda Tony McCumstie

Sunday 10.30am Adel Medel Irene Wallis

T.J/Victoria Bulloch



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. or via the parish website pol.org.au./scoresby

Serve the Lord with Joy



## Cuppa and a Chat Seniors Exercise Park Talk

Please join us on Wednesday, May 24th for our a Cuppa and a Chat when we will be joined by the Senior Champions from

Carrington Park to talk about the Seniors Exercise Park; an age-friendly space to play. It is purposebuilt to support seniors with their balance, mobility, coordination and strength building. And also gives an opportunity for older adults to engage in physical activity and social interaction. Please contact Ann (**0402 904 678**) or Robyn (**0407 324 117**) for information.

# All parishioners are very welcome and we look forward to your company.

The PIETY STALL is now open fortnightly after weekend masses. If you have any specific/special items you require please contact GLORY BRITTO on 0432 195 205 or email scoresby.conf.pres@svdp-vic.org.au alternatively please leave your details on 9763 7302 and we can contact you.

# VOUNTES NEEDED

Looking for volunteers to help assist with the St Jude's Altar Society requiring a commitment on a monthly basis. Some of the duties include washing of chalice, ciborium and communion plates and general upkeep in preparation of weekend masses. Volunteers are required to have a current Working with Children Check and appropriate training will be provided.

For further details please contact the Parish Office on 9763 7302.





The Knitting and Crochet Group will gather on Wednesday 17 May from 9.30am-11am in the Parish Centre.

All are welcome—come along and enjoy good company while learning a new skills. Enquiries: Maureen **0417 634 600** 

#### WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK & THE SIGNING OF THE SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE CODE OF CONDUCT ARE MANDATORY FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS AT ST JUDE'S PARISH SCORESBY

For St Jude's Parish to be compliant with the Safeguarding requirements **all volunteers over the age of 18 years** are required to have a current **Working with Children Check** which can be accessed by visiting <u>www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au</u> and follow the prompts. Under the field "Child-Related Work, choose "64-Religious Organisation". It is imperative that all volunteers have this check in place. In the instance that you are a registered teacher with the VIT and although you are not required to have a WWCC it is necessary to notify Working

with Children Check Victoria that you volunteer at St Jude's Parish. Another requirement is to read the "Safeguarding Children & Young People Code of Conduct Declaration", sign and return the 'Code of Conduct' to the Parish Office at your earliest convenience.

Copies can be found at the exit points of the Church, on the parish website, or by phoning the Parish Office. Could you please write on the document the name(s) of the group(s) you participate in, for example, reader/cleaner etc. by doing so this will make it easier to categorise the parish groups and ensure our parish data base is accurate.

Please do not hesitate to contact Elisa Kelesidis on 9763 7302 if you need any clarification regarding either matter from Tuesday to Friday between 9am-4pm.

Thank you to all our volunteers for your commitment to our parish and for your continued support.

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