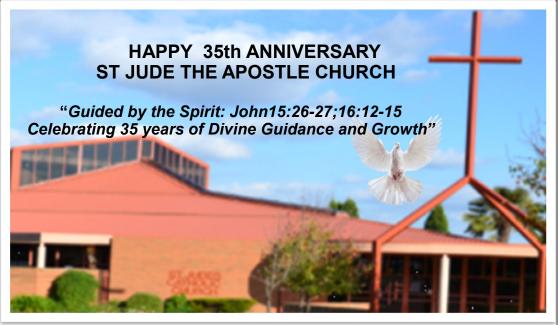
St. Jude the Apostle Parish 49 George St. Scoresby



"In a spirit of Pastoral outreach, we, the people of the Parish, are called to serve with joy."

Pentecost Sunday—Year B 19th May 2024



As we approach the anniversary of the building of our beloved church, let us reflect on the journey that has brought us to this moment. It's a time to celebrate not only the physical structure that houses our faith but also the spiritual foundation upon which our community stands. With each brick laid and each prayer offered, we have woven a tapestry of love, faith, and commitment. Our church is not just a building; it is a beacon of hope, a sanctuary for the soul, and a testament to the power of community.

As we reflect on John's Gospel, we can draw parallels between the guidance of the Holy Spirit and the growth and guidance our church has experienced over the years. Just as Jesus promised the disciples the Advocate to lead them into all truth, our church has been guided by the Holy Spirit through various challenges and triumphs. As we celebrate our building's anniversary, let's remember how the Spirit has worked within our community, guiding us in faith unity and service. Let us renew our dedication to one another and to the values that unite us. May we continue to nurture and cherish our church, not only for ourselves but for generations to come.



United by the Holy Spirit



Heavenly Father,

On this 35th anniversary of the consecration of our parish church, we reflect with joy and thanksgiving on these blessed years. We are reminded of Your words: "I will set my dwelling among you. I will live in your midst; I will be your God and you shall be my people" (Leviticus 26:11-12). We thank You, Lord, for the many blessings bestowed upon our parish community. We are grateful for the guidance of our Parish Priests and for all who have supported our stewardship program, enabling us to grow as a vibrant community of faith.

We give thanks for all those who have served and continue to serve our parish with joy. Their efforts, often unseen, reflect the living Spirit within us. As Pope Francis reminds us, "When the Holy Spirit sows, He grows."

Holy Spirit, move us to action. Help us to join in solidarity for others, advocate for justice, speak up for those who cannot, and serve with love. Stir us into acts of service, guiding us to remain steadfast in our faith and commitment to our parish community. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

MASS TIMES:

Week Days:

Wed. Thu . Fri 9.15am

Weekends:

Sat 6pm, Sun 8.30 & 10.30am

RECONCILIATION

Contact Fr Jerald or Fr Joel at the Parish office

OFFICE HOURS:

Tue—Fri 9am to 3.30pm

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First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome - Jews and proselytes alike - Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

Second Reading: Gal 5:16-25

If you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since selfindulgence is the opposite of the Spirit, the Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it is precisely because the two are so opposed that you do not always carry out your good intentions. If you are led by the Spirit, no law can touch you. When selfindulgence is at work the results are obvious: fornication, gross indecency and sexual irresponsibility; idolatry and sorcery; feuds and wrangling, jealousy, bad temper and quarrels; disagreements, factions, envy; drunkenness, orgies and similar things. I warn you now, as I warned you before: those who behave like this will not inherit the kingdom of God. What the Spirit brings is very different: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, trustfulness, gentleness and self-control. There can be no law against things like that, of course. You cannot belong to Christ Jesus unless you crucify all self-indulgent passions and desire.

Since the Spirit is our life, let us be directed by the Spirit.

Gospel Reading: John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Jesus said to his disciples:

When the Advocate comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who issues from the Father, he will be my witness.
And you too will be witnesses, because you have been with me from the outset.

I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.'

"What the Spirit Brings is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, trustfulness, gentleness ..."

"Let us be guided by the Holy Spirit
Allow Him to speak to our hearts and He
will tell us this:
GOD IS LOVE'
-Pope Francis

VISIT TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Mary guides the faithful to the Eucharist. - Redemptoris Mater by Pope John Paul II

We ask for the peace and grace of Eternal Life for those who have recently died and those whose memories are sacred to us at this time especially: Clyde Rutzou, Guiseppi Lamendola, Norm Delacorn, Ranjini Kandamudali, Clifford Fisher, Filidea Di Bianco, Ruby Delacorn, Elaine Sorensen, Simon Money, Albert Adams, Alice Lim, Thomas Innes, Christopher Kellett, Simon Ravel, Anthony D'adimo, Aldo Baron



Our Cuppa and A Chat is held on the 4th Wednesday of each month, which for May is the 22nd. **A warm welcome awaits all parishioners** from 9.30 am in the Parish Centre.

Any questions, please contact Ann (0402 904 678) or Robyn (0407 324 117).

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





In this year of the 200 years of the Dream of Don Bosco at 9 years old

The Daughters of Mary Help of Christians (Salesian Sisters)

Invite St Jude's community to join them for a special Rosary and Evening Prayer
To celebrate the feast of
Mary Help of Christians on
Sunday 26th May
3pm-4.30pm
@43 George St Scoresby

Have faith in Mary Help of Christians and you will see





The knitting group will take place
Wednesday June 5th at the
Parish reception Centre at 9.30am-11am.
Join, knit and laugh with us!
Enquiries: Maureen 0417 634 600

Mission Warriors—(Age 16 +)

Date / Time: Sunday, 19th May @ 6pm (meeting fortnightly)

Where: St Simon the Apostle, Rowville (Parish Centre)
For enquiries, please call:

Kim—0403 323 353 or Elysia—0432 079 978

St Jude's Parish—Liturgy Roster The Most Holy Trinity—Year B

First Reading Deuteronomy 4:32-34. 39-40 Second Reading Romans 8:14-17 Gospel Matthew 28:16-20

May 25/26 Sunday 10.30am Saturday 6pm Sunday 8.30am Celebrant Fr Yoris Role Fr Joel Peart Fr Joel Peart Readers: Thomas Chan Prema Pinto Anita Kay Taylor Ann Doyle Sr Ljudmila Anzic Melanie Van Esch Tino Vijendra **Mass Projector** Lawrance Catherine Money

Children's Liturgy Jacklin & Molly

Altar Society Carmen Leitao

Church Cleaner Filomena Uberti & Lucille Everetts

We are looking for Volunteers!



We need projectionists for Sunday 8:30am & 10:30am mass.
It is a very simple task and we provide training and supervision until you are comfortable to do the task on your own.

If you are interested, please contact: **Abigail on 0405725047**.

CONFIRMATION

Parent/Child workshop 13th June at 6pm

Commitment Masses 15/16 June at 6pm & 10.30am

Sacrament of Confirmation 1st of August at 5.30pm & 7pm





Caritas Australia's 60th Anniversary Online Photo Exhibition – Vote for your chance to win!

To mark the 60th anniversary of Caritas Australia, we have compiled a selection of our favourite 60 photos. Vote for your favourite photo to go into the draw to win a beautiful Indigenous Australian artwork from Djilpin Arts, our First Australian partner in the Northern Territory. The artwork is a painting by Harry Malibirr which depicts five dreaming stories.

Simply visit our website <u>caritas.org.au/faces-of-caritas-australia-60th-anniversary</u>, choose a photo from the gallery and vote via the online form. Entries close 30 June 2024



170TH EXHIBITION

TUESDAY 21 — FRIDAY 24 MAY 2024 11.00AM - 4.00PM

Xavier College, Eldon Hogan Performing Arts Centre 135 Barkers Road. Kew

Join us to celebrate the good works of our members and volunteers over 170 years in Australia.

This St Vincent de Paul Society's exhibition showcases the remarkable journey from Melbourne's infancy in the 1850s to 2024.

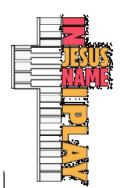


EXPERIENCED MUSICIANS NEEDED

The gift of service leads to a life of love

"Serve wholeheartedly, as if you were serving the Lord, not people"

We are looking for volunteers to play 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 monthly basis. If you would like to share your gift of Music with us, please contact: **Xavier on 0448 766 705 or contact the**



The World Mission Rosary — Join Catholic Mission online to honour Mother Mary during the month of MAY through praying the Rosary.

Days / Time: MON—FRI, @ 2:00 pm

Where: Zoom Meeting

(https://tinyurl.com/cmprayer)

Meeting ID: 893 8798 2280

Parish Office on 9763 7302

Password: 876574

Go and invite EVERYONE to the Banquet



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