

SAINT MARGARET MARY'S

Weekend Masses

Saturday 6:00pm (Vigil)
Sunday 9:00am (English)
Sunday 10:30am (Italian)
Sunday 5:00pm (Vietnamese)

Weekday Masses

Tuesday – Friday 9:00am
(Wednesday - Italian)

Reconciliation (1st Rite)

By appointment

Baptisms

1st Sunday of the month

Weddings

By appointment

Holy Hour

(English/Italian)
Every 1st Friday of month 8:00am – 9:00am
(Vietnamese)
Every Sunday 3:00pm - 4:00pm

NEXT WEEKEND'S ROSTER

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A

Readings:

Isaiah 5: 1-7
Philippians 4: 6-9
Matthew 21: 33-43

Ministers:

(Sat/Sab) H Pham
(Sun/Dom 9:00am) C Gianì
(Sun/Dom 10:00am) R Pira

Commentators:

(Sat/Sab) N Ianno
(Sun/Dom 9:00am) C Hirst

Readers:

(Sat/Sab) N Ianno
(Sun/Dom 9:00am) G Hunter
(Sun/Dom 10:30am) L Scutella

Counter:

G Hunter



Welcome to St Margaret Mary's Parish

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SATURDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER & SUNDAY 1ST OCTOBER 2023
26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR A



**The tax collectors
and prostitutes
will precede you
into the kingdom
of God.**

Matthew 21: 28-32

PARISH DIARY / DIARIO PARROCCHIALE

30 SEPTEMBER / 1 OCTOBER 2023

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - Year A

SEPTEMBER

30 Concluding Mass of the Centenary of
Salesians of Don Bosco in Australia
11:00am

OCTOBER

31/1 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1 Start of Daylight Savings

1 Vietnamese Rosary Festival
- Mass & Procession 3:00pm

6 Holy Hour at 8:00am followed by Mass

7/8 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9 Office Closed

14/15 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

14 Cake and Plant Stall Fundraiser
outside parish hall - Referendum Day

FINANCE/FINANZE – 24/09/2023

THANKSGIVING ENVELOPES

- Church \$259.60
- Presbytery \$106.00

LOOSE CASH

- Church \$167.38
- Presbytery \$167.37

DIRECT DEPOSITS TO CHURCH

- August \$305.00

SUPPORTING OUR PARISH ELECTRONICALLY

CASHLESS PAYMENTS:

CDFPay for Parish:

<https://bit.ly/CDFpayBrunswickNorth>

OR DIRECT DEPOSIT:

Church A/C: BSB: 083-347 ACC: 542820812

Presbytery A/C: BSB: 083-347 ACC: 543011742

Thank you/Grazie

PENSIERO DOMENICALE

Siamo sempre in attesa della consolazione e della forza di Dio. Non ci piace tanto quando qualcuno ci sfida perchè sbagliamo. Ma Dio vuole solo quello che va bene per noi. Gesù ci domanda: “Sei uno di quelli che dicono. “ Si, Padre, sia fatta la tua volontà, ma poi fai come ti pare e piace e mi dici di NO?”

Ci sarà sempre una sfida per noi Cristiani. Parliamo molto di Dio ma ci è pesante fare la sua volontà. Altri forse appartengono ad altre Chiese, ma fanno la sua volontà meglio di noi. Siamo forse come i farisei e gli anziani a cui non piace il rimprovero di Gesù?

LIVING THE GOSPEL

Each night this week, reflect on your day. What were the 'no' moments? What were the 'yes' moments? What 'no' of today might you make into a 'yes' of tomorrow?

Please remember in your prayers / Gentilmente ricordate nelle vostre preghiere:



OUR SICK / NOSTRI MALATI

Joseph Franchina.

WE REMEMBER / RICORDIAMO

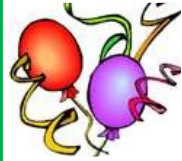
Carmelo & Pina Lucisano, Gelsomina, Leda, Umberto, Lucia & Giuseppe Lorefice, Michele, Antonio & Gino Teti, Nunzio Catalano, Emilia Boema, Giuseppina Caruso, Silvio & Vincenzo Dinuzzo.

RECENTLY DECEASED / RECENTEMENTE DECEDUTE

Itala Zanon, Patricia Tesoriero.

Responsorial Psalm

Response: Remember your mercies, O Lord.



BUON COMPLEANNO / HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Tanti auguri / Congratulations to:
Ennio Volpe che celebra **90 anni il 1/10.**
Buona Salute!

Weekend Readers & Commentators Needed

We are seeking readers and commentators for our weekend Masses.
For more information, please see Fr Anthony or contact the office 9386 6522.

Volunteers needed for Fundraiser on Saturday October 14th

Our Parish will be holding a **Cake and Plant Stall Fundraiser** just outside the Hall on The Voice Referendum Voting Day - Saturday October 14th.

We are seeking volunteers to help out behind the stall for one or two hours between 8:00am - 3:00pm.

If you can lend a hand, or for more information please contact Cath Lizzit on 9386 6069.

Many hands make light work!



Holy Hour All parishioners are invited to the Holy Hour the first Friday of the month at 8:00am (before Mass). Everyone is most welcome to spend a little time in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.



Register for the Marriage Anniversary Mass

Sunday 22 October 2023, 11:00am
at St Patrick's Cathedral, East Melbourne.

Couples and their families are invited to join the celebration of the annual Marriage Anniversary Mass. Couples who register and are celebrating the following anniversaries – 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th or 40 years and above – will receive a commemorative certificate. **Register by Sunday 15 October.**

Numbers

- 1: **One is a symbol of divinity as well as unity**
- 2: Two represents the dual nature of Christ, the human and the divine.
- 3: **Three suggests the Trinity, three persons in one God; Christ also spent three days in a tomb.**
- 4: Four refers to the four evangelists.
- 5: **Five suggest the five wounds of Christ, it is also a symbol of man, his four limbs and his head.**
- 6: Six is the number of days in which the world was created.
- 7: **There are many references to the number seven; God rested on the seventh day after creating the world; the seven deadly sins; the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit; the seven joys and the seven sorrows of the Virgin Mary.**
- 8: On the eight day after his entrance into Jerusalem, Christ arose from the grave.
- 9: **The Bible tells us there are nine choirs of angels.**
- 10: For the Ten Commandments.
- 12: **The number of Apostles.**
- 13: The number of people sitting at the table of Jesus on the night of the Last Supper.
- 40: **There are many references to the number forty. The rains of the flood lasted forty days and forty nights; the Israelites wandered in the desert for forty years and were held hostage by the Philistines for the same period of time; Moses was on Mt Sinai for forty days; Christ spent forty days in the wilderness.**
- 100: One hundred suggest plenitude.
- 1000: **One thousand signifies eternity.**

Quote

"Christ has no body now on earth but yours, no hands but yours, no feet but yours; yours are the eyes through which Christ's compassion looks out on the world, yours are the feet with which He is to go about doing good and yours are the hands with which He is to bless us now."
Teresa of Avila