



<p>SUNDAY MASS Saturday Vigil 6.00 pm Sunday 9 am, 11 am</p> <p>WEEKDAY MASS Monday (Springvale) 9.30 am Tuesday 9 am Wednesday 9 am Thursday 9 am Friday 9 am Saturday 9 am</p>	<p>The Sacrament of Reconciliation Is available 30 minutes before each Mass, between 9:30-10:30 am Saturday morning, or by appointment.</p> <p>Eucharist Adoration Saturday 8:00-8:55am St Joseph's Church</p>	<p>HOLY ROSARY Tuesday—Friday 8.35am St Joseph's Church</p> <p>Wednesday 1pm St Joseph's Parish Centre 15 Decade-Rosary Mary Untier of Knots</p> 
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PARISH PRIEST
Rev Kevin Williams


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PARISH OFFICE HOURS
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78 Argyle Avenue, Chelsea Tel 9773 9295

ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL
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St Joseph's Parish is committed to the Safeguarding of Children and Young People in all aspects of Parish life.

To subscribe to St Joseph's Parish email list please email chelsea@cam.org.au

The solemn obligation for baptised Catholics to attend regular Sunday Mass has been restored throughout the Archdiocese of Melbourne.

Recently Deceased
Annette Fleming

Prayers for the Sick
Mary Caderamanpulle, Margot Coghlan, Beverley Garing, Helen Guest, Sister Anita LeClercq, Rita Popley, Malcolm Russell, Danielle Spencer

Anniversaries
Peter Roberts, John Canavan Snr,
Rev Fr Ronald D'Souza

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3rd September; 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time A
1st R: Jer 20:7-9
2nd R: Rom 12:1-2
Gospel: Matthew 16:21-27

10th September; 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time A
1st R: Ezek 33:7-9
2nd R: Rom 13:8-10
Gospel: Matthew 18:15-20



PARISH OF ST JOSEPH CHELSEA
22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time
3rd September 2023 Father's Day

Thank you from the Sisters of St Paul De Chartres on the recent passing of Sister Miriam Da Luz


The Sisters of St. Paul de Chartres in Australia wish to express their deepest appreciation and gratitude to Rev. Fr. Justin Ford, Rev. Fr. Ramsay Williams, Rev. Fr Kevin Williams and all parishioners at St. Patrick's, St. John Vianney's and St Joseph's for their thoughtfulness, prayerful support, and Holy Masses offered for our dearly beloved Sister Miriam E. DA LUZ who passed away recently.

May the Lord bless you always!


We give thanks to God for Sister Miriam's life and example of Holiness.

Yours in Christ,


Sr. Teresa LAU and Sisters,
District of Australia



Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace.



Please do not attend Mass if you are unwell.
There are no numbers restrictions on attendees at church.
Face masks are no longer mandatory inside the church, but their use has been strongly encouraged by the Archbishop.
Please use the hand sanitiser provided.

 Please include in your prayers, our Grade 6 children of St Joseph's, as they prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation on the 10th of September.

PARISH CALENDAR

SATURDAY 2 SEPTEMBER

8:30am Divine Mercy Chaplet— Church
4:30pm Our Lady Star of the Sea Junior
Legion of Mary—any enquiries please
contact June Pereira on 0403 095 627

SUNDAY 3 SEPTEMBER

Father's Day
Priest's Retirement
Foundation Appeal



MONDAY 4 SEPTEMBER

10:00am Divine Mercy PG—Chapel

TUESDAY 5 SEPTEMBER

10:00am Sacred Heart PG –Chapel

THURSDAY 7 SEPTEMBER

7:30pm The Religious Sense—Parish
Centre

FRIDAY 8 SEPTEMBER

The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary



Longbeach Parishes September Luncheon

The next luncheon will be held at The Rivera
on Nepean Highway on Wednesday
13th September At 12:30 for a lunch. The date
was changed to the 2nd week due to those on
holidays. For bookings ring Keith on 0417-350
-733. Or Patricia on 0448-866-020. Alternative
leave a message on Keith's landline 9772-7292.



ST JOSEPH'S PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Pledge \$ 2,737

Weekly average \$ 2,574.88

Thank you for your ongoing support



Did you know that the Nativity of the Blessed
Virgin Mary (or Marymas) is one of 3 Nativity/
Birthday Solemnity's celebrated in the Catholic
Church, with the other 2 being the Birth of Our
Lord Jesus and the Birth of St John the Baptist
(24th June)?

St Joseph's 9:00 choir invites you to join
our choir. We are always looking for new
members to join our ranks and support
the liturgy with sacred music. Everyone
is welcome. Please speak to one of the
choir members for more
information, or call Marie on
0412 601 402. We practice on
Saturday morning from 10.30-
11.30 and sing at the 9.00 am
Mass every Sunday. Thank you.



The Religious Sense:

It is not only a fact, an event, but the most
ineradicable fact in human history.
"What is the ultimate meaning of existence ?
Why is life worth living?
The religious sense lies within the reality of
our self at the level of these questions"
Fr Luigi Giussani
*You are warmly invited to join "The Religious
Sense" meetings - School of Community . A
comparison between the Christian proposal
and life, in order to verify how faith responds
to human needs in every aspect of reality .*

Every first and third Thursday of the month
starting on Thursday 7 September 7:30pm at
St Joseph's Parish Centre.

Info / registrations:
raffymazzeo@gmail.com
0424 325 005

Or sign up sheet in the narthex



Father's Day Appeal

The Priests Retirement Foundation was
established in 1990 and contributes to the
ongoing care of retired priests across the
Archdiocese of Melbourne. This includes, but is
not limited to, the provision of suitable
accommodation and health care and medical
out of pocket expenses. The Priests Retirement
Foundation runs an annual appeal on the first
Sunday of September, Father's Day. To donate,
please pick up an appeal envelope from the
narthex or visit [melbournecatholic.org/
foundation](http://melbournecatholic.org/foundation). Donations can also be made by mail
(cheque or money order), made payable to
"Priests Retirement Foundation". Please send to
PO Box 615, East Melbourne VIC 8002.
Donations are 100% tax-deductible.

St Joseph's Primary School Art Show 2023!

In the School Hall
Friday 1st September
4:00pm to 6:00pm
Sunday 3rd September
10:00am to 1:00pm
Come and see the work of our talented stu-
dents!!



GANGLAND TO PROMISED LAND

He was a serious "face" in London's East
End. His drug deals netted him
thousands; he lived the 'high' life ... when
he found himself nearly killing a man.
What happened next can
only be called
extraordinary. John
Pridmore has spoken to
millions around the world
about his past and
remarkable conversion. He
has inspired countless
individuals through his powerful talks,
conferences and parish missions.



MISSION NIGHTS 18-20 SEPTEMBER ST THOMAS MORE PARISH MOUNT ELIZA 7:30-8:30PM

Night 1: God's Love - Getting to know the
depth of God's love.

Night 2: God's Mercy - A chance to
personally experience the mercy of Jesus.

Night 3: God's Healing - Healing service -
allowing Jesus to heal us.

Each night will include John's talk, music
and scripture readings, and a time of

The Serra Club works with the Archdiocese to
encourage and support vocations through daily
Mass, Prayer, the Rosary, facilitating guest speak-
ers at Parishes and raising funds to inspire others
to a vocational life. The Serra Club will be host-
ing an event to support vocations on Sunday 17th
September from 12:15 to 3:00pm at St Joseph's
Parish Centre, with a BBQ
lunch, craft stalls and a
silent auction. Please see
flyers in the narthex.



The Sisters of Saint Joseph have
prepared an Australian Pilgrimage,
"In the Footsteps of Mary
MacKillop" commencing in
Melbourne on 17 October 2023,
journeying through Victoria and
South Australia, and ending at Mary
MacKillop Place, North Sydney on
28 October 2023. During the
pilgrimage many places will be
visited that are associated with Mary
MacKillop's life and ministry. Sister
Annie Bond is happy to answer any
questions and provide an itinerary
and application form, and may be
contacted at
national.pilgrimage@mmp.org.au or
on 03 8912 4818.

**St Vincent de Paul Society Week
1 - Canned Food** Soups, fruit, steak &
kidney, baked beans, tin spaghetti,
ham, etc. Please place your donations
in the Vinnie's Bin in the Narthex.

**St Vincent De Paul
urgently need more
volunteers. If you can
help, please phone
Carole on 0404 335 419.**



God and Beer 11 September - Jesus and Jazz
What has New Orleans to do with Jerusalem? Come
and listen to up-and-coming jazz singer Olivia Chamoun
Canavan who blends her love of the Catholic faith with
her musical career. She will explore how music can be a
powerful way for people to connect with God and a
source of healing. Olivia will also perform some songs
for the audience.

Topic: Jesus and Jazz **Speaker:** Olivia Chamoun Canavan
Date: Monday 11th September
Time: 6.30pm dinner available for purchase, 7.30pm
for the talk
Venue: Notting Hill Hotel (Steakhouse Room), 260-262
Ferntree Gully Rd, Notting Hill, VIC
RSVP: GodandBeer.com.au