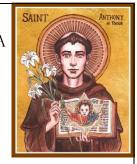


CORIO & LARA CATHOLIC PARISH ST FRANCIS XAVIER, CORIO | ST ANTHONY OF PADUA, LARA

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Mass Times: Tuesday & Thursday: 9.15am (Corio) | Wednesday: 9.15 (Lara) | Friday: 7.30am (Corio) Saturday 7pm Vigil (Corio) | Sunday 9am (Lara) 11am (Corio) Holy Hour & Confessions: Tuesday 6pm (Corio)

Sunday 10th July 2022 FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

<u>Entrance Antiphon</u>

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

Communion Antiphon

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

Some faith filled happenings

At the 11am mass this Sunday, we welcome baby Celeste Rante who will be baptised. Her parents Eric and Anna are active parishioners who generously contribute to building up our Parish. They own and operate R&K Taxation Experts at Corio Village and have supported the parish with our accounting for the last few years. We welcome them and any of their visiting family and friends this weekend.

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After a well-deserved hiatus, the Lara choir will be returning this weekend to sing the aboriginal Our Father for the conclusion of NAIDOC week. We continue to pray for our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people that they know the peace of justice and equality and that all Australians work to make God's presence known in this Great South Land of the Holy Spirit. We also thank the Lara choir and all our musicians for their generous service.

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A new hospitality team for the 11am mass has been formed to organise fellowship after some masses. This weekend we will have another sausage sizzle like we did in June. These will be held every three months. Apart from the larger sausage sizzle, a cuppa will be held after the 11am mass on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month.

We hope to launch something similar after the 9am mass too. If anyone would like to be part of a hospitality team for this mass, please let Fr Daryl know.

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A young men's BBQ will be held next Sunday evening at the Parish House. Its an opportunity to meet other young Catholic men from around Geelong. Ages 18-35. Please see flyers on the notice boards for more details.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING *A reading from the book of Deuteronomy*

(30: 10-14)

Moses said to the people: "Obey the voice of the Lord your God, keeping those commandments and laws of his that are written in the Book of this Law, and you shall return to the Lord your God with all your heart and soul. "For this Law that I enjoin on you today is not beyond your strength or beyond your reach. It is not in heaven, so that you need to wonder, 'Who will go up to heaven for us and bring it down to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?' Nor is it beyond the seas, so that you need to wonder, 'Who will cross the seas for us and bring it back to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?' No, the Word is very near to you, it is in your mouth and in your heart for your observance."

RESPONSORIAL PSALM *Ps* 68 Turn to the Lord on your need, and you will live.

SECOND READING A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Colossians (1: 15-20)

Christ Jesus is the image of the unseen God and the first-born of all creation, for in him were created all things in heaven and on earth: everything visible and everything invisible, Thrones, Dominations, Sovereignties, Powers – all things were created through him and for him. Before anything was created, he existed, and he holds all things in unity. Now the Church is his body, he is its head. As he is the Beginning, he was first to be born from the dead, so that he should be first in every way; because God wanted all perfection to be found in him and all things to be reconciled through him and for him, everything in heaven and everything on earth, when he made peace by his death on the cross.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, Alleluia! The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice, says the Lord, I know them and they follow me. Alleluia!

GOSPEL A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke (10: 25-37)

There was a lawyer who, to disconcert Jesus, stood up and said to him, "Master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" He replied, "You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbour as yourself." "You have answered right," said Jesus, "do this and life is yours." But the man was anxious to justify himself and said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbour?" Jesus replied, "A man was once on his way down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of brigands; they took all he had, beat him and then made off, leaving him half dead. Now a priest happened to be travelling down the same road, but when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. In the same way a Levite who came to the place saw him, and passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan traveller who came upon him was moved with compassion when he saw him. He went up and bandaged his wounds, pouring oil and wine on them. He then lifted him on to his own mount, carried him to the inn and looked after him. Next day, he took out two denarii and handed them to the innkeeper. 'Look after him,' he said 'and on my way back I will make good any extra expense you have.' Which of these three, do you think, proved himself a neighbour to the man who fell into the brigands' hands?" "The one who took pity on him" he replied. Jesus said to him, "Go, and do the same yourself."

Next Sunday's Readings

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary time

First Reading: Gen 18: 1-10| Second Reading: Col 1: 24-28| Luke 10:38-42



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Catholic people of Corio & Lara Parish guided by the Spirit, participate in Christ's Mission. With our gifts, we create a parish that welcomes all people.

As a community we pray for

The Pope's Prayer Intention for July: The Elderly

We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

Vocations! This week is Vocation View: We are called to love with our whole being. God is inviting you to love through ministry to the Church. Pray for generosity to serve God's people. (Luke 10:25-37)

The Sick: Jessica De Grandis, Vince Marshall, John Thomas, Peter Franchina, Nicholas Francis, Bonnie Gilson, Ibi Bolyos, Dee Tetzloft, Michael Watson, Katareena Cabretti, Bridgett Bradley, Mark Tetzloff and Eva Watson, Michael Cabretti.

Anniversary: Jean Skinner

Recently Deceased: Krystyna Lopez, Karen Ward.

Please contact the Parish Office to have the names of any loved ones who are seriously ill, recently deceased or have coming anniversaries included in the bulletin.

Parish Thanksgiving: Parishioners, who have changed their residential address or phone numbers, please contact the Parish office, as it needs to be updated. Please ring the Parish Office to register or to set up the thanksgiving by envelopes or by direct debit. **Thanksgiving Envelopes will be available in the Church Foyer.**

New Thanksgiving Envelopes: To help with our record keeping, please use the newly released sets of envelopes. Kindly discard any unused envelopes from the previous set.

Infant Baptism: Please email us at <u>fxcorio@iinet.net.au</u> for information regarding having your child baptised at Corio and Lara Parish. Next Baptism Preparation meeting is 19th July 2022, 7:30pm, Corio.

Craft Group: There will craft group on the Saturday, 16th July at Xavier's Centre from 9:00am- 3:00pm. BYO Lunch.

2022 Parish Sacramental Program: FOR CHILDREN ATTENDING NON-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS Enrolments are now open for First Eucharist. Should you have any queries regarding date and time please contact the Parish Office.

Anchor Young Adults: This Tuesday will be an Anchor Social Night following the 6pm Holy Hour.

Ordinations to Priesthood – Next Friday evening three men will be ordained priests for the Archdiocese at St Patrick's Cathedral. One of them will be (soon Fr) Andrew Kwiatkowski who we had the pleasure of joining us last year. He will spend a few weeks in Melbourne before returning to Rome to complete his studies.

On the following Friday, two men will be ordained priests for Ballarat Diocese at the Ballarat Cathedral (also St Patrick's!). One of them has also made regular appearances in our Parish. The newly ordained Fr Bill will lead our Tuesday evening Holy Hour and Confessions on 26th July. We pray for all of these men and for many more vocations to priesthood and Religious Life.

Covid update: With the changes to Victorian vaccination requirements, the Archdiocese has followed suit and there are no longer any such requirements for volunteers and parish workers. Regarding our covid measures, while they are still welcome to, there is no requirement for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (special ministers) to wear masks or to sanitise their hands between their own reception and distribution of Communion.

Geelong Catholic Diners Club: You are warmly invited to join us for a social get-together for food and friends for our second dinner for 2022. <u>Date:</u> Tuesday, 12 July, 2022; <u>Time:</u> 6.00 PM ; <u>Venue:</u> The Bistro, Belmont Hotel, cnr High St & Mt Pleasant Rd, Belmont; <u>Cost:</u> Purchase of meals and drinks at your own cost. Please RSVP by phone or text Michael 0431 959 584 or Joan 0429 215 111 by Friday, 9 July.

PARISH CALENDAR							
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	
11 th July	12 th July	13 th July	14 th July	15 th July	16 th July	17 th July	
	9:15am Mass,	9:15am Mass,	9:15am Mass,	7:30am Mass,	7pm Vigil	9:00 am Mass,	
	Corio	Lara	Corio	Corio	Mass Corio	Lara	
	6pm, Corio Holy Hour (Benediction) Confessions					11:00am Mass, Corio	

ROSTERS					
TIME AND DATE	READER/COMMENTATOR	EUCHARIST MINISTERS			
16th July 7:00pm, Corio	R Demicoli M Drake	F Moloney			
17th July 9:00 am Lara	B Hyland - C N Meade- R	T McManus			
11:00am Corio	J Lenders- C L Victoria-R	A Buaya R Buaya			

Parish Prayer

We, the people of Corio & Lara Catholic Parish give thanks and praise to God the Father. By the power of the Holy Spirit, may we become more like Jesus: listening to the Word of God and celebrating the Eucharist; sharing each other's lives and forgiving one another; respecting creation and taking responsibility for our world. Like St Francis Xavier, may we offer light to those in darkness, and warmly welcome all people. Like St Anthony of Padua, may we nourish the hungry with wise words and kind deeds. St Francis Xavier, pray for us. St Anthony of Padua, pray for us.

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Our Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.