

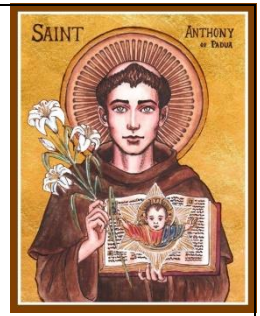
CORIO & LARA CATHOLIC PARISH

ST FRANCIS XAVIER, CORIO | ST ANTHONY OF PADUA, LARA

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

Sunday 27th June 2021

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

From this weekend, we welcome the news that religious gatherings in regional Victoria may now be held using the 1 per 2 square metre rule. This brings us back to our limits from before the last lockdown: **150 people at Corio & 190 at Lara**. This change however can only be utilised if we have 'Covid Marshalls' in place who ensure that people check in properly.

This means that we're putting the call out for volunteers who will act as our covid marshalls at each mass. While our sacristans and welcomers have been doing this over the last few weeks, if anyone else is willing to help out, please let us know.

Thankfully, with the increased numbers we **no longer need to book** ahead for our attendance at masses. It's important to note though that if we don't have Covid Marshalls in place, then we will have to revert to the 1:4 square metre rule. While we're not expecting a huge rush to fill all the available spots, those who have booked places at mass this weekend will have priority access.

A sincere and very big thank you to everyone who have booked there places and have followed all the requirements.

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A note on Sunday Masses

- **Bookings no longer required for masses.**
- 1:2 SqM rule in place
- Masks must be worn
- QR check-in required (there will be someone to help with this)
 - **Attendees must show a covid marshall the 'Green Tick' that they've checked in.**
- The **churches will be locked once mass begins** so please be on time

Weekday Mass

Our Weekday masses and Tuesday 6pm Holy Hour resume this weekend. Tuesday & Thursday 9.15 Corio, Wednesday & Friday 9:15 Lara.

Roadworks at Corio

The Council has advised that they will be mending the slip lane on Bacchus Marsh Rd in front of the Parish during the school holidays (next two weeks) but we haven't received exact dates. It may affect our parking situation.

Entrance Antiphon

All peoples clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy!

Communion Antiphon

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING *A reading from the book of Wisdom*

(1: 13-15; 2: 23-24)

Death was not God's doing, he takes no pleasure in the extinction of the living. To be – for this he created all; the world's created things have health in them, in them no fatal poison can be found, and Hades holds no power on earth; for virtue is undying. Yet God did make man imperishable, he made him in the image of his own nature; it was the devil's envy that brought death into the world, as those who are his partners will discover.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM *Ps 29* I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me.

SECOND READING *A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Corinthians*

(8: 7, 9, 13-15)

You always have the most of everything – of faith, of eloquence, of understanding, of keenness for any cause, and the biggest share of our affection – so we expect you to put the most into this work of mercy too. Remember how generous the Lord Jesus was; he was rich, but he became poor for your sake, to make you rich out of his poverty. This does not mean that to give relief to others you ought to make things difficult for yourselves: it is a question of balancing what happens to be your surplus now against their present need, and one day they may have something to spare that will supply your own need. That is how we strike a balance: as scripture says: The man who gathered much had none too much, the man who gathered little did not go short.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life: you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia!

GOSPEL *A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Mark*

(5: 21-43)

When Jesus had crossed in the boat to the other side, a large crowd gathered round him and he stayed by the lakeside. Then one of the synagogue officials came up, Jairus by name, and seeing him, fell at his feet and pleaded with him earnestly, saying, "My little daughter is desperately sick. Do come and lay your hands on her to make her better and save her life." Jesus went with him and a large crowd followed him; they were pressing all round him. While he was still speaking some people arrived from the house of the synagogue official to say, "Your daughter is dead: why put the Master to any further trouble?" But Jesus had overheard this remark of theirs and he said to the official, "Do not be afraid; only have faith." And he allowed no one to go with him except Peter and James and John the brother of James. So they came to the official's house and Jesus noticed all the commotion, with people weeping and wailing unrestrainedly. He went in and said to them, "Why all this commotion and crying? The child is not dead, but asleep." But they laughed at him. So he turned them all out and, taking with him the child's father and mother and his own companions, he went into the place where the child lay. And taking the child by the hand he said to her, "Talitha, kum!" which means, "Little girl, I tell you to get up." The little girl got up at once and began to walk about, for she was twelve years old. At this they were overcome with astonishment, and he ordered them strictly not to let anyone know about it, and told them to give her something to eat.

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.*

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



A Prayer for Spiritual Communion

Lord Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this time receive you Sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never let me be separated from you. Amen.

As a community we pray for

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

Recently Deceased: Helen White (Heffer)

The Pope's Prayer Intention for June: *For the beauty of marriage.* Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.

Vocations! This week's Vocation View: At times we can feel that we are being swamped by various troubles. Like the apostle Paul, we are overwhelmed, not by our troubles, but by the love of God made visible in Jesus Christ.

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.

2021/2022 THANKSGIVING ENVELOPE SETS : Thanksgiving envelopes are available for pickup in the foyer after Masses, and during the week after weekday mass. Otherwise please call the Parish Office during the week, to make other pick-up arrangements.

Parish Thanksgiving: People who reside in our parish zone, kindly register with parish and kindly join the thanksgiving to support our parish. 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.

Working with Children Checks: All Parish volunteers in the Archdiocese must have a current WWCC. The Parish Office will be updating our files and contacting volunteers to make sure checks are up to date. If anyone would like any assistance with updating their WWCC, please contact the Parish Office.

Infant Baptism: Baptism Formation Meetings for infant baptisms will be on the Tuesday, 20th July at 7:30pm, St Francis Xavier Church, Corio. Candles and Stoles for the Baptism ceremony can be purchased after the 9:00am Mass at Lara & 11:00 am Mass at Corio on Sundays. For Baptism Bookings please contact the Parish Office on 42120791.

2021 Parish Sacramental Program: FOR CHILDREN ATTENDING NON-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS- If you have children attending non-Catholic schools, or know of anyone who does, who are eligible for the sacraments of First Eucharist, please be advised that enrolments are now open for First Eucharist. Should you have any queries regarding date and time please contact the Parish Office.

Note on masses: Due to Fr Daryl's work with the Vocations Office, sometimes our weekday masses may need to be cancelled or our weekend masses will have a visiting priest.

Archbishop to visit: Archbishop Peter Comensoli will be in Geelong on Sunday 11th July and will celebrate the 11am Mass with us. More details to come.

Next Sunday's Readings

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Ezk 2: 2-5| Second Reading: 2 Cor 12: 7-10| Mark 6: 1-6

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; He descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

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.

Amen

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