

CORIO & LARA CATHOLIC PARISH

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

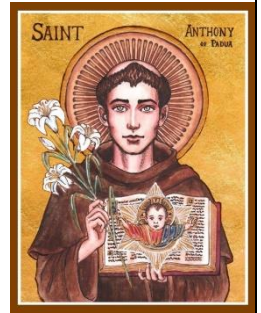
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Sunday 5th July 2020

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

As we face this second wave of Covid-19 in Victoria let's continue to keep in prayer each other and all those around the world affected by the pandemic. While we are some distance from the hotspots which have gone back into lockdown, it's important to remember that the risk is still very real for us.

We are all slowly adjusting to the 'new normal' regarding attending masses. Thank you so very much for all your efforts in looking after each other and observing the requirements. Over the last couple weeks, we have observed that there are still some details that need to be repeated. It was also mentioned at masses last weekend that Victoria Police are now making spot checks at churches, during mass times. Please remember these important points on attending masses...

- Only those who have registered and received confirmation with the Parish Office will be allowed into the church for each mass.
- To register, contact the Parish Office by phone or by email. Please leave a voicemail if we miss your call. **Your place at a mass is only guaranteed once confirmed by Arlean.**
- Please arrive 5 minutes before the scheduled start of mass. To ensure compliance with numbers, the doors will be closed and you might not be able to attend if you are late.
- If you are registered and confirmed for attendance but can no longer come for whatever reason, kindly let the office know as soon as possible, so that we can offer the place to another person.
- If you are particularly vulnerable or are feeling unwell: **Please stay home.**

Thanks once again for your patience and cooperation. God bless and stay safe.

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

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING *A reading from the Second book of the Kings 4: 8-11, 14-16*

‘See now, your king comes humbly to you’

The Lord says this: Rejoice heart and soul, daughter of Zion! Shout with gladness, daughter of Jerusalem! See now, your king comes to you; he is victorious, he is triumphant, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. He will banish chariots from Ephraim and horses from Jerusalem; the bow of war will be banished. He will proclaim peace for the nations. His empire shall stretch from sea to sea, from the River to the ends of the earth. *The Word of the Lord*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM *Ps 144: 1-2, 8-11, 13-14*

I will praise your name forever, my king and my God.

SECOND READING *A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans 8: 9, 11-13*

‘If by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body, you will live’

Your interests are not in the unspiritual, but in the spiritual, since the Spirit of God has made his home in you. In fact, unless you possessed the Spirit of Christ you would not belong to him, and if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, then he who raised Jesus from the dead will give life to your own mortal bodies through his Spirit living in you. So then, my brothers, there is no necessity for us to obey our unspiritual selves or to live unspiritual lives. If you do live in that way, you are doomed to die; but if by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body you will live. *The Word of the Lord*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, Alleluia! Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom. Alleluia!

GOSPEL *A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew 11: 25-30*

‘You have hidden these things from the wise and revealed them to little children’

Jesus exclaimed, ‘I bless you, Father, Lord of heaven and of earth, for hiding these things from the learned and the clever and revealing them to mere children. Yes, Father, for that is what it pleased you to do. Everything has been entrusted to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, just as no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him. ‘Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest. Shoulder my yoke and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. Yes, my yoke is easy and my burden light.’ *The Gospel of the Lord*

Liturgy this Week

Tuesday: 9:15 Mass & 5:30 Holy Hour with confessions (Corio)

Wednesday: 9:15 Mass (Lara)

Thursday: 9:15 Mass (Corio)

Friday: 9:15 Mass (Lara)

Saturday: 7PM Vigil (Corio)

Sunday: **9AM** (Lara) & **11AM** (Corio)

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

Vocation View: Have you discovered yet that there is more to life than what only material things have to offer? We live in the Spirit. Only in the Lord can we find lasting peace. Speak the Good News.

Pope's Prayer Intention: We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

As a community we pray for

Sick: Maria do ceu Fernandes, Jessica De Grandis, Victor Lombo, Vince Marshall, John Thomas, Judith Cummins, Bill Rinaldi, Peter Franchina, Nicholas Francis, Bonnie Gilson, Mrs. Ibi Bolyos.

Anniversary: Ricky Stolk

NAMES OF RECENT DEATHS & ANNIVERSARIES, and the UNWELL IN OUR PARISH FOR THE BULLETIN We still accept the names of those Recently Deceased, Anniversary of Death and the names of those who are sick within our Parish. Please call the Office on: 52754120 or email: fxcorio@iinet.net.au

Thanksgiving Envelopes – Thank you for the parishioners who drop their envelopes to the Parish office. The Parish Office is open during the week Monday - Friday from 9:00- 2:00, as the regular collections are not being taken up, we ask if you please drop off your envelopes to the Parish Post Box to continue your pledge, and keep it up to date. Alternatively, you can do an online transaction to the below details [Ac](#).

Name: [St Francis Xavier Church BSB: 083347 Ac. No- 543292126](#) Thank you.

Parish Thanksgiving: People who reside in our parish zone, kindly register with our parish to join the thanksgiving a way to support our parish. Parishioners who don't have envelopes for thanksgiving and would like to join our new thanksgiving campaign for the next financial year, or to set up the thanksgiving by direct debit/ credit card please contact the parish office on 0352754120 or email fxcorio@iinet.net.au

Car Raffles: At this stage, the car raffles are postponed. However, we still need the raffle tickets returned by the end of June. Please drop them off at the Parish office or in the Parish letter box. If any raffle book is lost or missing, please provide a Statuary Declaration for the respective book. Please contact the Parish Office for any help with this.

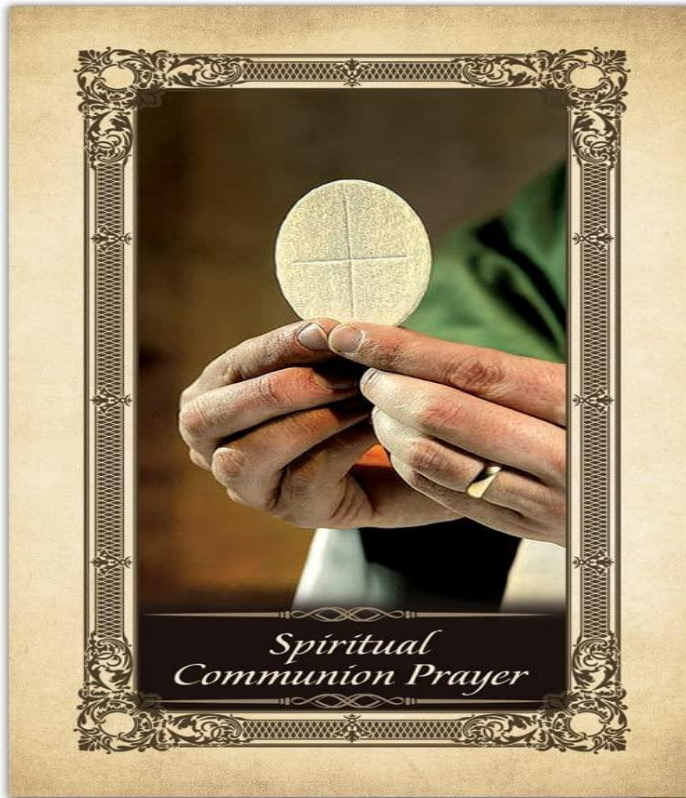
Working Bee Lara: It's time for a Working Bee! How does **Sat July 18th** (9am to 12pm) sound? It's the weekend after School Holidays. There are a number of tasks that require our attention:

- Spreading mulch in newly cleaned and laid out front section
- General gardening
- Trimming of shrubs and trees (near roof)
- Planting
- General cleanup

Please let me know asap how this date works for you.

Looking forward to seeing you all. (from a safe distance of course!) For enquiries please contact Frank Brennan +61418340492





Spiritual Communion Prayer

My 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 moment 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 permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

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