

Parish of St Justin Wheelers Hill

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Sixth Sunday of Easter, Year B

2 May 2018

PARISH PERSONNEL

PARISH PRIEST: Fr Andrzej Madry, CR

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ST JUSTIN'S SCHOOL PRINCIPAL: Patrick Torpey 9561 7644

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PARISH OFFICE OPEN:

Tuesday 9am—2pm Wednesday 10am—4pm Thursday 12 Midday—4pm

PIETY STALL OPEN:

1st weekend of each month & special occasions

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday Vigil: 6.00pm Sunday: 8.30am, 10.30am

WEEK DAY MASSES:

Tuesday to Saturday 9.15am

Every Friday Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction at 9.45am

RECONCILATION: Saturday after 9.15 Mass

BAPTISMS, MARRIAGES, PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK:

For details regarding the celebration of these sacraments, please contact the Parish Office or speak directly to Fr Andrzej.

BAPTISM PREPARATIONPlease contact the Parish

Please contact the Parish Office on 9561 8891

First Reading Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48

The gift of the Holy Spirit was poured out upon the gentiles also.

As Peter reached the house Cornelius went out to meet him, knelt at his feet and prostrated himself. But Peter helped him up. 'Stand up,' he said, 'I am only a man after all!' Then Peter addressed them: 'The truth I have now come to realise' he said. 'is that God does not have favourites, but that anybody of any nationality who fears God and does what is right is acceptable to him.' While Peter was still speaking the Holy Spirit came down on all the listeners. Jewish believers who had accompanied Peter were all astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit should be poured out on the pagans too, since they could hear them speaking strange languages and proclaiming the greatness of God. Peter himself then said,' Could anyone refuse the water of baptism to these people, now they have received the Holy Spirit just as much as we have?' He then gave orders for them to be baptised in the name of Jesus Christ. Afterwards they begged him to stay on for some days.

"The Word of God"

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 97:1-4. R. see v.2

(R.) The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

Second Reading 1 Jn 4:7-10

God is love.

My dear people, let us love one another since love comes from God and everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God. Anyone who fails to love can never have known God, because God is love. God's love for us was revealed when God sent into the world his only Son so that we could have life through him; this is the love I mean: not our love for God, but God's love for us when he sent his Son to be the sacrifice that takes our sins away.

"The Word of God"



Gospel Acclamation Jn 14:23

Alleluia, alleluia! All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them and we will come to them. Alleluia!

Gospel Jn 15:9-17

No one can have greater love than to lay down his life for his friends.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you. Remain in my love. If you keep my commandments you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my own joy may be in you and your joy be complete. This is my commandment: love one another, as I have loved you. A man can have no greater love than to lay down his life for his friends. You are my friends, if you do what I command you, I shall not call you servants any more, because a servant does not know his master's business; I call you friends, because I have made known to you

because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father.
You did not choose me, no, I chose you; and I commissioned you to go out and to bear fruit, fruit that will last; and then the Father will give you anything you ask him in my name.
What I command you is to love one another.'

The Ascension of the Lord Next Week's Reading Acts 1:1-11; Eph4:1-13 or Eph 1:17-23; Mk16:15-20

IN YOUR PRAYERS

SICK: Domenica Cila, Robyn Arentz, Phylis Young, Marie De Morton, Barry Carson, Rob Lucas, Ludwig Schmittinger, Margo Schroter

Recently Deceased: Filomeno D'Angelo

PARISH CALENDAR

Wednesday 9 May 1st Reconciliations Yr 3

Sunday 13 May Ascension Day Mothers Day

Tuesday 15th May Parish Fair Meeting

Sunday 20 May Pentecost Sunday

Tuesday 22 May P & F Meeting 7.30pm

Sunday 27 May The Most Holy Trinity

Thursday 31 May Corpus Christi



Saturday 16th June Parish Dinner

Friday 3rd August Parish School Trivia Night

Saturday 10th November Fair on the Hill



Parish Prayer to St Justin

Jesus help us as we walk our pilgrim way to heaven,
May St Justin be our guide.
Grant us his strength of faith and wisdom
So we may remain united as one family,
growing in love
in our Parish of St Justin Pray for us.

LAST WEEK's COLLECTIONS

A: The first collection is for the support of priests, sick and elderly, retired and your priest

Presbytery \$876.45

B: The second collection is for Parish expenses

Thanksgiving \$ 538.50 (Thanksgiving) \$ 306.85 (Loose)

Please note if anyone wants to change their giving through Direct/Debit or Credit Card the option is available. Thank you



PARISH DINNER RAFFLE - DONATIONS WELCOME

During our Parish Dinner we hold a small raffle, all money raised assists our Parish of St Justin.

We would welcome any donations of new goods

Vouchers etc for prizes.

If you can contribute please leave donations at Parish House marked "Parish Dinner Raffle" Thank You.

St Justin's Prayer Group

Starting 19th April 2018 - 1pm—3pm Thursday Downunder (below St Justin's Church presbytery) Contact: Nina on 0407 704 185

Bible Study. The Gospel of Matthew: The King and his Kingdom

ALL WELCOME



When: Mondays 7.30pm-9.00pm Thursdays 10.30am-12noon

Where: St Justin's Church, 48 Whalley Drive, Wheelers Hill (downunder room of Presbytery)

This exciting study:

- Demonstrates how the prophecies of the Old Testament are fulfilled in Christ.
- 2. Helps us see who Jesus is and what His life and teachings mean to us today.
- 3. We learn how Christ established the Church with the twelve apostles.
- 4. We discover the roots of the Sacraments and much more

For more information contact Nina on 0407 704 185 Or email : ckasimir888@gmail.com

ROSTERS This Week	DATE	ALTAR SERVERS	DATA PROJECTIONIST	READERS	EUCHARISTIC MINISTER
Sat 6.00pm	5 May	Marcus Bernardo Noah Bernardo	Joe Persico	Melissa Fernandes	Marian Coyle
Sun 8.30am	6 May	Nathan Vu Mitchell Brodie	Ida Tontodonati	Jamie Davin	Frances Gunther
Sun 10.30am	6 May	Aydan Edward Alistair Edward	John Italiano	Yanika Alvares	Gina Cristiano
NEXT WEEK					
Sat 6.00pm	12 May	Garrie Alexandra David Greensmith	Joyce Fernandez	Paul Dunne	Joe Persico
Sun 8.30am	13 May	Chloe Dressler Ryker Dio Hiu	Khai Vu	Joyce Chew	Beng Chew
Sun 10.30am	13 May	Gavin Rajahmoney Caitlin Mujie	Magda Schwarz	Robert Zupo	John Italiano
ROSTERS		Counters	CLEANING	ALTAR	BANKING
THIS WEEK	6 May	Frances Gunther Agnes Lau	Myrna Rebelo	Lydia Perri	Yvette Esteves
NEXT WEEK	12 May	Bernadine Fernando Rohitha W'ratne	Yvette Esteves Sheena Devadass	Anne Ryan	Theresa Bell

Assisted Dying Legislation has been passed by Parliament in Victoria

Moves are afoot to coordinate efforts of various groups to have this law repealed before it comes into effect in June 2019

Today we ask that you sign a petition to repeal this legislation.

Please help us in this very difficult task of overturning this legislation by signing this petition asking Parliament to repeal the legislation.

Please see the petition on your way-out Thankyou

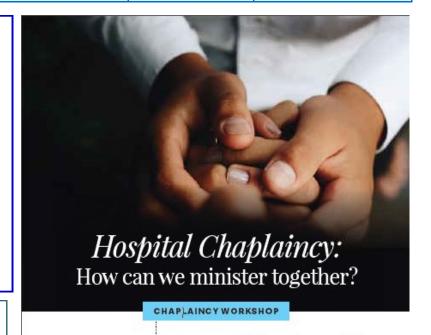
NOVENA TO THE HOLY SPIRIT AND PENTECOST VIGIL

Friday 11 May to Saturday 19 May St Mary's, 160 Foster Street, Dandenong Divine Mercy Shrine, 337-343 Greens Road, Keysborough

Friday 11 May: St Mary's Church, Dandenong. Novena during weekly Friday evening service. Sunday 13 to Thursday 17 May, 8-9pm: Divine Mercy Shrine, Keysborough. Mass and Adoration. Friday 18 May: St Mary's Church, Dandenong. Novena during the weekly Friday evening service. Saturday 19 May, 8pm-12am: Divine Mercy Shrine, Keysborough. Pentecost vigil, with Rosary, praise and worship, Mass and Adoration.

Details: Ramesh and Bernie on 0433 549 167 or

check www.vrcm.org.au



WEDNESDAY 9 MAY 10am - 3pm Cetholic Leadership Centre 576 Victoria Pde, East Melbourne

\$25 (incl. morning tea & lunch)

Bookings: wwtrybooking.com/VADS Please RSVP by Wednesday 2 May.

se contact Suzanne Hermon at the Archbishop's Office for Evengelisation Melbourne on (03) 9926 5765 or email

There are a range of challenges that we need to be aware of for hospital ministry and this workshop will provide either a refresher for experienced hospital chaplains or formation for less experienced chaplains.

The session includes a presentation by Rev Mgr Anthony Ireland (Episcopal Vicar for Health, Aged and Disability Care) on the theology of hospitality in ministry, some practical tips for ministry by Very Rev Anthony Kerin (Episcopal Vicar for Life Marriage and Family), as well as input by Coordinators of Catholic Chaplaincy on the context in which this ministry is occurring.

This workshop is ideal for Pastoral Associates who minister in hospitals as well as Hospital Chaplains (Lay, Priests and Volunteers). The session is a joint offering by the Archbishop's Office for Evangelisation, Ministry to Priests and CatholicCare











Our Parish Priest Fr Andrzej Madry CR is a member of the Congregation of the Resurrection.

SHORT HISTORY CONGREGATION OF THE RESURRECTION

The Congregation of the Resurrection traces its origins to February 17, 1836 when a small group of men took up residence on rue Notre Dame de Champs, 11 in Paris where they began to live a common life. Their leader and "elder brother" was Bogdan Janski. Janski had come to Paris from Poland on a government scholarship to study law and economics. He quickly became convinced of the need for social reform but he also fell away from his faith and into a life of licentious debauchery.

In 1830 rebellion broke out in Poland against the Russian tsarist regime but was quickly crushed and Janski found himself inundated by a flood of Polish emigrés among whom were Peter Semenenko and Jerome Kajsiewicz who were destined to become his closest disciples and collaborators.

In the course of his spiritual journey Janski had become convinced that social reform had to be accompanied by a religious and spiritual reform. He began to seek out others among the emigré population who would share his vision. Semenenko, described by one Polish aristocrat as "that stinking Semenenko who talked like a mad dog," and Kajsiewicz, a veteran of the insurrection who had, like Janski, immersed himself in the hedonistic life of Paris, were the first to respond, undergoing a conversion which amazed their compatriots.

Semenenko and Kajsiewicz studied for priesthood in Rome and were ordained in December 1841.

The goal of the community would be the renewal or resurrection of society along Christian lines. The parish was chosen as the best instrument to achieve this, acting as a leaven of the society of which it would be a part. To provide Catholic leaders, clerical and lay, necessary to revitalize the parish and society education was essential. The care of parishes and Christian education would be the apostolic ends of the Congregation.

Janski's vision, to resurrect society under the banner of the Risen Christ, was at last being realized and continues to animate the Congregation to this day.

SOUTHERN STARS PARTY FOR SINGLE CATHOLICS

Saturday 19 May, 8pm

Benedict House, 301 Warrigal Road, Burwood

For single Catholics in the 28 to 60 age group, the Southern Stars Social Club hosts another Saturday night of music, fun and live entertainment, with supper provided. Lucky door prizes too!

Cost: \$13

Details: Peter on 9885 2167

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Catholic Theological College **2018 Knox Public Lecture**

Wednesday 16 May at 7.30pm Dr Jeff <u>Kildea</u>

What Price Loyalty? Australian Catholics in the First World War

Bookings and Information: Email jill.doncovio@ctc.edu.au or phone 9412 3304. R.S.V.P.: Wednesday 9 May.

Venue: Catholic Leadership Centre,

Corner Victoria Parade & Hoddle Street, East Melbourne



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The cost will be \$5.00 per week. Funds will assist the cost of printing our parish newsletter. Advertisements will appear on the back page of the newsletter with the following disclaimer.

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