



Parish of St Justin

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St Justin's Parish is committed to the safety, well-being and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

Third Sunday of Lent, Year B

3rd March 2024

PARISH PERSONNEL

PARISH PRIEST:

Fr Andrzej Madry CR
Congregation of the Resurrection

PERMANENT DEACON:
Deacon Neil Daculan

PARISH SECRETARY:
Jeanne Bernard

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL CHAIR:
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ST JUSTIN'S SCHOOL PRINCIPAL:
Patrick Torpey 9561 7644

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Sam Consentino
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ST JUSTIN'S WEEKEND MASSES:
Saturday Vigil: 6.00pm
Sunday: 8.30am, 10.30am & 5 pm
WEEK DAY MASSES:
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9.15 am, Saturday 9.15am

GOOD SHEPHERD WEEKEND MASSES:
Saturday Vigil: 6.00pm
Sunday: 9.00am & 11.00am

WEEK DAY MASSES:
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 9.15 am, Saturday 10.00am

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 Andrew

First Reading

A reading from the book of Exodus Ex 20:1-17

God spoke all these words. He said, 'I am the Lord your God who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

'You shall have no gods except me.

'You shall not make yourself a carved image or any likeness of anything in heaven or on earth beneath or in the waters under the earth; you shall not bow down to them or serve them. For I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God and I punish the father's fault in the sons, the grandsons, and the great-grandsons of those who hate me; but I show kindness to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

'You shall not utter the name of the Lord your God to misuse it, for the Lord will not leave unpunished the man who utters his name to misuse it.

'Remember the sabbath day and keep it holy. For six days you shall labour and do all your work, but the seventh day is a sabbath for the Lord your God. You shall do no work on that day, neither you nor your son nor your daughter nor your servants, men or women, nor your animals nor the stranger who lives with you. For in six days the Lord made the heavens and the earth and the sea and all that these hold, but on the seventh day he rested; that is why the Lord has blessed the sabbath day and made it sacred.

'Honour your father and your mother so that you may have a long life in the land that the Lord your God has given to you.

'You shall not kill.

'You shall not commit adultery.

'You shall not steal.

'You shall not bear false witness against your neighbour.

'You shall not covet your neighbour's house.

You shall not covet your neighbour's wife, or his servant, man or woman, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is his.'

The Word of the Lord,

Response - Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 18:8-11. R. Jn 6:68

(R.) Lord, you have the words of everlasting life

Second Reading

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 1 Cor 1:22-25

While the Jews demand miracles and the Greeks look for wisdom, here are we preaching a crucified Christ; to the Jews an obstacle that they cannot get over, to the pagans madness, but to those who have been called, whether they are Jews or Greeks, a Christ who is the power and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

The Word of the Lord,

Response - Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son,

that all who believe in him might have eternal life.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!



Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John Jn 2:13-25

Just before the Jewish Passover Jesus went up to Jerusalem, and in the Temple he found people selling cattle and sheep and pigeons, and the money changers sitting at their counters there. Making a whip out of some cord, he drove them all out of the Temple, cattle and sheep as well, scattered the money changers' coins, knocked their tables over and said to the pigeon-sellers, 'Take all this out of here and stop turning my Father's house into a market.' Then his disciples remembered the words of scripture: Zeal for your house will devour me. The Jews intervened and said, 'What sign can you show us to justify what you have done?' Jesus answered, 'Destroy this sanctuary, and in three days I will raise it up.' The Jews replied, 'It has taken forty-six years to build this sanctuary: are you going to raise it up in three days?' But he was speaking of the sanctuary that was his body, and when Jesus rose from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they believed the scripture and the words he had said.

During his stay in Jerusalem for the Passover many believed in his name when they saw the signs that he gave, but Jesus knew them all and did not trust himself to them; he never needed evidence about any man; he could tell what a man had in him.

The Gospel of the Lord

Response - Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Next Week's Reading
4th Sunday of Lent
2 Chron 36:14-16, 19-23:
Eph 2:4-10: Jn 3:14-21:



We pray for the sick of our Parish:

Carmel Welsh, Francis & Joanne Downs, Tiana Mugagulio, David Booth, Maria Macan, Rita, Steven & Georgette Mizher, Annette & Stephen Sachie. Dilini Abeysekara, Senaka Fernando, Cathy Faux, June Ferguson, Delani Hakan, Nicolette Thomas, Eileen Doyle, Piroska Tertelyi. Cameron Wales, Alan Sullivan, Melinda Anderson, Helena De Costa, Marise Peiris, Jenny Williams, Nigel D'Lima, Ondie & Robert Gould and Stuart Ellem.

We pray for all those who have died recently.

We pray for those whose death anniversaries occur at this time,

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

VOLUNTEER'S NEEDED:

Palm Sunday, Holy Week & Easter Sunday Services,

If you are available please sign the signing sheets which are placed in the church foyer. Thank you.

Parish Calendar 2024



Sunday 3rd March

L.I.F.T. Youth Ministry Meeting 6pm

Thursday 7th March

St Justin's Primary School Open day 9am - 3pm

Friday 8th March

Station of the Cross 7.00pm followed by mass (St Justin's Church)

Thanksgiving Collections 25th February 2024

1st Collection (house)	
Presbytery	- \$ 899.60
2nd Collection (church)	
Thanksgiving	- \$ 420.50
Loose	- \$ 287.90

We express our thanks and appreciation for your continued support to St Justin's Parish.

ST JUSTIN'S LENTEN PROGRAM 2024

19th March Tuesday

7.00pm Lenten Parish Reconciliation, (2nd Rite)

28th March Holy Thursday, .

7.00pm Mass & Adoration until 11.00pm

29th March Good Friday

10.00am Stations of the Cross
3.00pm (Celebration of the Lord's Passion)

30th March Easter Vigil Mass

7.00pm:

31st March Easter Sunday

8.30am & 10.30am No 5.00pm mass

Stations of the Cross (during Lent)

Every Friday 7.00pm

PROJECT COMPASSION

Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow for all future generations.



You can donate through project compassion donation boxes and envelopes available now in church, and also by visiting caritas.org.au/project-compassion or by calling 1800 024 413

MOTHERS PRAYER GROUP

We will never be a perfect parent, but we can be a praying parent.

Wednesday after 9.15am Mass, 2nd & 4th Wed each month
"Your prayers for your children are the greatest legacy you can leave."

For more information : Please contact Yvette on 0435 757 439
Mothers, Aunts & Grandmothers are Welcome !



ST JUSTIN'S PARISH CRAFT GROUP

All welcome, come along to the Meeting Room in St Justin's Parish House

WEDNESDAYS 1.00pm—3.00pm
2nd & 4th Wed each month (except school holidays)

Next gathering will be on the 13th & 27th March 2024,

Any queries text Mai Ling 0412 499 205.

All Parish Bulletin requests must be in by

Wednesday midday.

Please email all requests to Wheelerhill@cam.org.au



PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

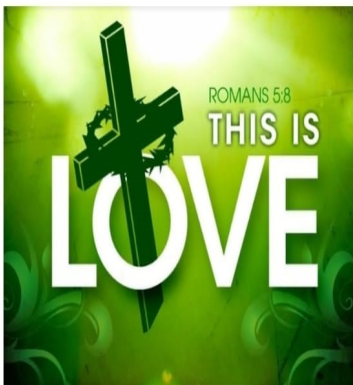
If you or a loved one are temporarily or permanently home-bound or at a care facility and are unable to attend Mass, please contact the parish office to schedule a time for a trained Pastoral Care Minister to bring Holy Communion to you.

The Ministry to the Sick is a pastoral ministry of caring for those hospitalized, in nursing homes, or confined to private homes. The purpose of the ministry is to demonstrate the care and concern of our faith community to the sick and those unable to leave their home and to provide the opportunity to pray with others and to receive the Holy Eucharist.

If you or a friend are interested in joining this ministry at St Justin's parish under the guidance of our parish Priest, Fr Andrzej, please contact the parish office

on [\(03\) 9401 6335](tel:0394016335) or
email us at wheelershill@cam.org.au.

L.I.F.T Youth Ministry - March 2024 Activity



*Reflecting on the
Way of the Cross*

DATE: Sunday 3rd
March 2024

TIME: 6.00PM—
7.30PM

VENUE: Down Under
Room, St Justin's
Parish

Hot Cross Buns will be
provided

The Children's Ministry of St Justin's Parish, Wheelers Hill

Next session : 9th March 2024

The session will commence during the 10.30am Mass on 2nd Sunday of the month and children will be taken together by the volunteers before the penitential act. Father will invite all the children and give them a blessing prior to leaving the church.

Safeguarding Measures are in place & St Justin's is committed to ensure the safety, well-being and inclusion of all children and has policies and procedures in place to maintain a Child Safe Environment.

Further Information

If you have any suggestions or queries, please contact the parish office of St Justin's Church on 03 9401 6335 or email wheelershill@cam.org.au

REACHOUT MINISTRY

As we now have cell groups formed within the ReachOut Ministry at St Justin's Parish, our meetings will commence in the month of February 2024 and will continue once every month on an ongoing basis.

What is a ReachOut Ministry ?

The vision of this Ministry is to have parishioners of St Justin's involved in a ReachOut community, meet monthly to share life and faith in a small group setting and thereby growing in Spiritual love.

These groups will help us:

- learn to be missionary disciples bringing Jesus Christ to others in the world;
- allow members to know one another and foster a sense of belonging not experienced in a large Parish setting and
- facilitate quick and effective mobilization of parishioners for important larger events and parish level initiatives.

This ministry is also in keeping with Paul's writings in his epistle to the Hebrews (*Hebrews 10:24-25*) and the people of Thessaloniki (*1 Thessalonians 5:11*) wherein he exhorts the Believers to meet together for worship, encourage one another to love and to do good deeds, build up one another and comfort one another.

Frequency of meetings?

Cell groups meet once a month.

Where will it be held ?

Cell groups can meet in a non-formal setting such as at members' homes / Parish meeting room or at a park.

Further Information

If you have any queries, please contact

St Justin's Parish office: 03 9401 6335

or e-mail: dgdcruz@yahoo.com.au

ONLINE BIBLE STUDY

Join us online each week during Lent to read and reflect on the Sundays readings.

For more details and registration WhatsApp Kasimir 0435049828 or email ckasimir888@gmail.com

The online meetings are on

Wednesdays from 8pm to 9.15pm

BIBLE STUDIES

Would you like to join us for face-to-face Bible studies? No previous studies are required, just a heart yearning to know Christ our Good Shepherd in the scriptures and in prayer!

Please let us know via email to jefferson.tan@gmail.com or Good Shepherd parish office 9560 4511

so we may get an idea about numbers. We are aiming to start during the second week of Lent.

"We proclaim to you the eternal life which was with the Father and which was made manifest to us – that which we have seen and heard we proclaim also to you, so that you may have fellowship with us; and our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ" (1 Jn 1:2-3)

ROSTERS	DATE	ALTAR SERVERS	DATA PROJECTIONIST	READERS	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER
Sat 6.00pm	02 Mar	Volunteer	Magda Schwarz	Yvette Esteves	Raymond Coyle
Sun 8.30am	03 Mar	Volunteer	Ida Tontodonati	Diana Tan	Mai-Ling Sholl
Sun 10.30 am	03 Mar	Volunteer	John Italiano	Demetrio DeJ	Anthony Phey
Sun 5.00pm	03 Mar	Volunteer	Lucas Sim	Isabelle Devadass	Ophelia D'Souza
NEXT WEEK					
Sat 6.00pm	09 Mar	Volunteer	Bernadine Fernando	Paul Dunne	Marian Coyle
Sun 8.30am	10 Mar	Volunteer	Oswin Antao	Claudia Scuteri	Michael Spina
Sun 10.30am	10 Mar	Volunteer	Lolita Briones	John Italiano	Volunteer
Sun 5.00pm	10 Mar	Volunteer	Anthony Devadass	Natalie Uranie	Volunteer
ROSTERS		COUNTERS		ALTAR	COLLECTORS
THIS WEEK	03 Mar	Peter Corteling, Adeline Sie		Lolita Briones	Youth (5pm mass)
NEXT WEEK	10 Mar	Claudia Scuteri, Magda Schwarz		Diana Tan	

MAZENOD COLLEGE

OPEN DAY 2024

WEDNESDAY 6TH MARCH

2.00PM — 6.30PM

BOOKING ESSENTIAL

YEAR 7, 2026 APPLICATION CLOSE

FRIDAY 16TH AUGUST 2024

St Justin's Primary School

OPEN DAY

Thursday 7th March 2024
9am - 3pm

Everyone Welcome

No booking required

All enquiries: Ph 9561 7644

Principal: Mr. Patrick Torpey

office@sjwheelershill.catholic.edu.au

VOCATIONS NEWS !

Dear Friends,
I would like to thank you for your prayers for Vocations over the years. We were delighted to accept eight men to the Seminary for Melbourne this year:

Chinh Tran, Rohan Prince, Luke Kennedy, Luke Emslie, Tung Phan, Joseph Maae, Patrick Harris and Mathews Noble.

Many of you have personally helped and encouraged these men along their journey to apply to join the Seminary; it truly is a team effort!

Please continue to pray for them!

Part of the work of the Vocations Office is to promote Vocations throughout our Archdiocese. Please feel free to contact us if you have any thoughts/plans of how we can do so better.

In Christ,
Fr Dishan and the Vocations Team

Catholic Vocations
W: vocationmelbourne.org



Charismatic Prayer Group

Meeting will be held every Tuesday at
7:30pm in the foyer of the Good Shepherd church;

34 Academy Ave., Wheelers Hill.

Everyone welcome! For any enquiry,
Please contact Trish on 0488 996 106

CHILD SAFE PARISH

Here at St Justin's, Wheelers Hill Parish we follow the Child Safe Standards outlined by the Victorian Government and we implement procedures and standards as directed by the Archdiocese of Melbourne.

All Volunteers must have a current Working with Children Check Card.

If you need assistance or for more information- please contact the Parish Office or Fr Andrew - wheelershill@cam.org.au on 9401 6335. Safeguarding Group ; wheelershill.safeguarding@cam.org.au