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6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

YEAR A

16 FEBRUARY 2020

TODAY'S RESPONSE

Happy are they who follow the law of the Lord!

NEXT WEEK: 7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18; Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 3:16-23; Gospel: Matthew 5:38-48

LEADERSHIP TEAM

Team Ministry - **Fr Brian Collins** - Priest in charge of Resurrection
Team Ministry - **Fr Martin Jeramias** - Priest in charge of St Anthony's
Pastoral Associate - Resurrection - **Vicki Russell**
School Principal (St Anthony's) - **Patrika Rowley** - 9546 0044
School Principal (Resurrection) - **Jane Dunstone** - 9798 4126
Keysborough Learning Centre General Manager - **Neil Cooper** - 9798 7005



Contact: 9546 8276 or 9701 5899
(St Anthony's) (Resurrection)

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

THE RICHNESS AND GIFT OF A MULTICULTURAL COMMUNITY

Last Saturday morning, at Resurrection, our Vietnamese Community observed the 20th anniversary of their annual Lunar New Year celebration. What a wonderful celebration it was.

Fr Philip Lee, who introduced this Mass all those years ago, was our principal Celebrant. Fr Sang Ho returned and delivered his Homily in Vietnamese. We were led in song and music by a wonderful choir. There were many speeches and presentations. There was a collection for the Victorian Bushfire, which combined with recent sale of plants at Masses raised an amazing \$4,575.

After Mass everyone was invited to the Hall for a lovely lunch and an entertaining afternoon with many people singing and the drawing of the raffle. Prizes were donated by the local Vietnamese community. Thank you to all who planned this lovely celebration, those who prepared all the lovely food and entertainment and then packed up. It truly was a lovely day for our community.

Last Sunday at St Anthony's at 2.30pm Bishop Terry Curtin returned to our Parish to be the Principal Celebrant for our South Sudanese Mass of St Josephine Bakita. Josephine was born in Darfur in 1869 and died on 8th February 1947. As a young girl, she was sold several times in the human trade market which sadly still exists today. Josephine, like many others with her were tortured and

violently abused, with many scars as a constant reminder. In 1883 she was bought by an Italian Vice Consul where she was treated with respect and dignity. She was introduced to our Catholic faith and she was baptised Catholic. Josephine became a Religious Sister. In 2000 Josephine was declared the first Saint from South Sudan.

St Josephine is today the Patron Saint for those trapped in Human Trafficking. Sadly this is well and truly alive today. Australia receives young girls and boys who come to Australia for a fresh start to benefit their family. On arrival these young people are held captive and many are forced into prostitution or domestic slavery. There are many organisations doing wonderful work in rescuing these vulnerable people who are often trapped in a very difficult and painful way of life. Others are forced into arranged marriages which are illegal in Australia. At Resurrection this weekend there will be a third collection to support the great work of the Brigidine Sisters in their endeavours to assist those people trapped in this terrible slave trade.

May we all take time this week to research something about Human Trafficking so as to have an awareness of this evil practise that still exists today. Let's also remember in prayer those who courageously work to bring healing to the vulnerable caught up in this trade.

Blessings
Brian, Martin & Vicki

We are committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

MEETINGS/EVENTS THIS WEEK

Wednesday February 19: 7.30pm PPC (Res)
Thursday February 20: 7pm RCIA meeting
Friday February 21: 10.30am Evergreen Seniors

ST ANTHONY'S VOLUNTEER FORM

This is your opportunity to be part of your parish. The volunteer forms are available at all doors for **existing** volunteers and **new** volunteers. Attached with the form is a brief description for each group. Please take a copy home and bring it back next week or return it to the Parish Centre. Thank you to those who have responded.

Any enquires please leave a message at the Parish Centre for Carmel.



YOU CAN DONATE BY CREDIT CARD!

Late last year you were invited to contribute to the Catholic Youth Festival in Perth via a Credit Card Tap Device.

St Anthony's now has its own Tap Device. This will enable you to make a contribution for your Thanksgiving to the Church or to the Refurbishment of St Anthony's via a **\$10/a tap** with your Credit Card (*You can do more than one tap, if you want!*). The device is located in the main entrance of the church.

Visitors are welcome to use the device.
Thank you for your generosity and support.

For the Church Renovation We need your help!

St Anthony's Church Liturgical Furniture

item	Amount
CHURCH	
Main Altar	\$18,480.00
Lectern	\$11,550.00
Presiders Seat	\$9,652.00
Tabernacle	\$21,615.00
Oils Cabinet	\$6,600.00
CHAPEL	
Altar	\$12,980.00
Lectern	\$7,480.00
Presiders Seat	\$9,652.00
Tabernacle and Cross	\$12,100.00
Total	\$109,559.00
Plus architects fee 10%	\$10,955.90
Totals	\$120,514.90
projector (2 of)	\$12,000.00
screen (2 of)	\$5,790.00
mixer (1 of)	\$5,260.00
speaker (2 of)	\$13,750.00
subwoofer (1 of)	\$11,000.00
microphones (7 of)	\$6,040.00
chapel screen (1 of)	\$6,000.00
chapel speakers (2 of)	\$1,800.00
chapel sub woofer (1 of)	\$1,900.00

ADVANCE NOTICE

Tuesday February 25: 8pm Liturgy Meeting (StA)
Wednesday Feb 26: 9.30am & 7pm Ash Wed Masses (StA)
Thursday February 27: 7pm Baptism meeting at St Anthony's
Sunday 1 March: Project Compassion Sunday

BUSHFIRE RECOVERY APPEAL 2020

The Bushfire Recovery Appeal 2020 is a partnership between CatholicCare, the Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne and the Diocese of Sale. It is an opportunity for the Catholic community to stand in solidarity with families and communities devastated by the 2020 bushfires in East Gippsland. Disaster recovery is a long process, and CatholicCare's role will begin when the immediate crisis is over and the emergency response teams have left. Commencing 16 February, this Appeal aims to raise \$2.5 million to fund the delivery of a Bushfire Community Recovery Service in East Gippsland, which will support families and communities for up to three years providing therapeutic counselling, community development and pastoral care for bushfire-affected communities in East Gippsland. Details regarding how to donate will be available in the Parish shortly.

WE REQUIRE PALMS FOR ASH WEDNESDAY (STA)

If you have palms from last year, could you please leave them in the basket located in the Sacristy. These palms will be burnt and the ashes used on Ash Wednesday.

Thank you.

NEW MAGAZINE (RES)

Have you ever wanted to be a journalist/editor? Many years ago the Parish produced a magazine called "Worship and Service" (our Parish motto). We are looking to form an editorial committee to oversee the production of a twice annually magazine recording events, people, reflections etc. Please contact the Parish office by email (keysborough@cam.org.au) or phone (9701 5899) if you are interested or sign the clipboard in the Narthex.

LYSTERFIELD RETREAT

THE GOSPELS OF HOLY WEEK AND EASTER RETREAT - Fr Frank Moloney SDB - 16 - 19 March
Fr Frank Moloney will lead this retreat on the Gospels of Holy Week and Easter at the beautiful and peaceful Don Bosco Retreat Centre at Lysterfield. Cost - \$430 all inclusive (retreat, meals, accommodation, etc). Further information and registration: Contact - Candy 9752 2432 or e-mail: dbrclysterfield@gmail.com

FOOTY TIPPING 2020 (RES & STA)

Yes, it's nearly that time of the year again. Entry forms for this year's competition will be available next week.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 19th February, 2020, after the 9.30am Mass. All welcome to come.

LENTEN GROUPS (STA)

Would you like to join a small prayer group to prepare for Easter? Our Lenten Groups will meet in the Gathering Space beginning Tuesday 25th February after 9:30 Mass (*around 10:00am*) or Tuesday evening at 7:30pm. The groups will meet every Tuesday for 6 weeks. Those interested, please put your names on the list in the front entrance of the church or ring Joseph in the Parish Centre on 9546 8276.

ROSTERS (RES)

Final weekend to complete a form for Mass Ministries – Readers, Special Ministers and Multimedia (Blue form) and Service Ministries – Counters, Church flower, Church Linen, Church Cleaning, Mowing, Home Rosary and Bread (Green form)

Later this month we will also have a form for Service Ministries available that do not require a physical roster to be created.

Please complete either or both forms indicating if you would like to stay on, be added to, or be removed from rosters. Parishioners new to these ministries are welcome to join up by completing the section at the bottom of the form. Forms are to be returned to the Parish this weekend. They can be returned at Mass, or placed in the purple letterbox in front of the Parish Centre.



EVERGREEN SENIORS

The Evergreen Seniors Group Club will reopen on Friday 21st February at 10.30am in the Little Chapel. Membership fees of \$10.00 for 2020 to be paid on the 21st. \$5.00 will be collected from each member towards their lunch on the day. We will play Bingo as well, so bring your markers and correct change. You must email, text or call Mary on 0419 442 273 to confirm your attendance for catering purposes. Those who are not able to attend must also let Mary know. Thanks for your cooperation.

VIRUS PROTECTION

In this current time, it is an opportunity to remind us all to limit the spread of colds and flu etc. Please do not distribute Eucharist if you are affected and be mindful of coughing, sneezing into your arm inside elbow region rather than into your hands. For serious conditions, please recover at home. We have many people undergoing treatments which compromise their immune system so we all need to be mindful.

EVERGREEN SENIORS

Good News! We have been able to get someone to help us start the line dancing class for beginners, including experienced dancers, on Wednesday afternoons from 1.30 - 2.30pm commencing on Wednesday 4th March. This will be held in the Keysborough Community Centre, (near the Men's Shed) on the Oval behind the school. We can only accommodate a maximum of 40, so call soon to avoid disappointment. Cost per person per session is between \$3.00 - \$5.00, to cover the cost of the dance instructor, who charges \$50.00 per session. We are trying to get funding to cover this cost, however, if we are not successful, then each one will need to contribute a small amount each week to cover the cost. Please call Mary on 8521 3662 Mon-Fri after 3.30 pm to register your interest.

MINISTRIES AT CHURCH (RES)

Please note, our policy is one ministry per person at Mass. If you have already agreed to participate in a ministry, please inform anyone else that asks you that you are already involved.

VOLUNTEER GUIDELINES (RES AND STA)

The Archdiocese has a document outlining the expectations for laity who take up ministry in the Parish. This includes all parishioners on rosters or committees. A copy of the policy is available on our Parish websites. On the Resurrection website it is under the "Policies" tab. Please make the time to read these guidelines regarding appropriate behaviours and expectations of volunteers.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY PROGRAM 2020 – RESURRECTION

Are you interested in participating in the Children's Liturgy program this year? Our fantastic team would love to have you on board for this important and enjoyable ministry. Activities are prepared and the commitment involves attendance at either 6pm or 11am mass during the school term.

The program will recommence this Saturday February 15 at 6pm, and Sunday February 16 at 11am mass.

For further information please email me at:

Brenda.OLeary@cam.org.au

Many thanks, Brenda O'Leary

AN INVITATION TO JOIN OTHERS IN A 2020 LENTEN RETREAT

Inner Peace in Darkness and Light

FACILITATORS: Trish Collier and Anita Davine (trained givers of the First Spiritual Exercises of St Ignatius)

VENUE: Garratt Publishing.

32 Glenvale Crescent, Mulgrave, 3170

DATES & Time: Mondays, 2, 16, 23, 30 March & 6 April from 1.30 - 3.00 pm

Registration: Contact Garratt Publishing on 85452911 or sales@garrattpublishing.com.au

RESURRECTION FUNERAL POLICY

We have many enquiries regarding the process of organising a funeral at Resurrection. A flyer has been prepared for those preparing a funeral or simply as a reference for anyone anticipating that they may have to organise a funeral. Copies of the policy are in the brochure stand in the Narthex.

THANKSGIVING ENVELOPE 238

If you have envelope 238, please contact the parish office during the week on 9701 5899.

CHEWING GUM IN THE CHURCH

Please note that the church is a chewing gum free zone! Please discard your gum prior to entering the church.

VACANT POSITIONS

Applications are invited from suitably qualified and experienced people for the positions of:

New Positions

- Parish Secretary - Part Time, St Marks Fawkner
- Volunteer Emergency Relief Workers, Catholic Care

Still Accepting Applications

- Senior Pastoral Associate - Part Time, Holy Trinity Parish
- Director of Music, St Stephen's Cathedral, Brisbane

For positions currently available at Catholic Education Office, Melbourne please click [CEM](#)

Further details can be found on the Archdiocese website at: <http://www.cam.org.au/Jobs.aspx>

CONGRATULATIONS!

One of our parishioners, Josephine de Lange, was honoured by the Greater Dandenong City Council. She was honoured as a "Living Treasure" for all the volunteer work she does, and has been doing for over thirty years. Well done, Josephine.

VINNIES BAKE SALE

On Sun 23/02 the Greater Dandenong Young Vinnies will be having a bake sale at St. Anthony's Parish after the 8.30am and 10.30am masses. All proceeds will go towards families in need. Please bring small change on the day.

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK...

SATURDAY	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Resurrection
	6.30pm	Vigil Mass	St Anthony's
SUNDAY	8.30am	Mass	St Anthony's
	9.00am	Mass	Resurrection
	10.30am	Mass	St Anthony's
	11.00am	Mass	Resurrection
	2.30pm	Mass for Sth Sudanese Community	St Anthony's
	5.30pm	Mass	St Anthony's
MONDAY	9.30am	Communion Service	St Anthony's
TUESDAY	9.30am	Mass	St Anthony's
	10.00am	Funeral Prayers for Yure Pekez	Resurrection
	6.00pm	Mass	Resurrection
WEDNESDAY	9.30am	Mass	St Anthony's
	10.30am	Mass	Estia
THURSDAY	9.15am	Mass	Resurrection
	9.30am	Mass	St Anthony's
	10.30am	Mass	Noble Manor
FRIDAY	9.15am	Mass	Resurrection
	9.30am	Mass	St Anthony's
SATURDAY	9.30am	Communion Services	St Anthony's
	10.00am	Reconciliation	StA & Res



HOME ROSARY

Enquiries: Antoinette Waite - 9547 3746
January 26th - Home Rosary will be prayed in the home of Charles & Yvonne, 9701 6242



LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER!

† *We pray in thanksgiving for* Frances Troeger, Miriam Domain, Giuseppe Pham Tanh, Natu Ioane, *and for those who have died recently in the peace of Christ.*

† *We pray for all those whose anniversaries occur at about this time:* Fr Paul Maher, Victor Benjamin, Walter Martin, Travin Gerreyn, Adolfo Dacosta Freitas, Ivy Balfour, Oscar Rothe, Demetria Pacana, Reginald & Nova Martil, Bradman Martil, Joseph & Gertrude Fourlze, Leslie Dirckze, Giuseppina Favorito.

† *Please also pray for those who are sick especially:* Jeff Carlson, Derrick Concesso, Evan Hart, Pierre Marion, Alana Crawford, John Doherty, Terry Melbourne, Peter Angelopoulos, Maria Abrencia, Anslam Diaz, Eduardo Tan, Richardo Salamat, Dorothy Gray, Dale Fernandes, Hillary Pallman, Gary Edwards, Josie Mule, Ana Fuentes, Baby Noa, Jerico Falce, Patricia Nichols, Nathan Fernandez, Maria Teresa Mascazzini, Omar Uduman, Alana Pierre.

RESURRECTION PARISH

Received last week with thanks:

Pledge: **\$5,280.04** - Thanksgiving: **\$4,397.18**
Presbytery: **\$1,013.65** - Loose: **\$824.30**

PARISH STAFF

Sacr. Coordinator	Marj Sjostrom	Resurrection
Pastoral Worker	Sr Nga Nguyen	St Anthony's
Pastoral Worker	Brenda O'Leary	Resurrection
Parish Secretary/Finance	Joseph Duong	St Anthony's
Parish Secretary/Re Admin.	Peter Suhr	Resurrection
Finance/Parish School Levy	Talia Wicks	Resurrection
Sacr. Coordinator	Suzan Gerreyn	St Anthony's
Pastoral Worker	Leai Savea-Passi	Resurrection
Bereavement/Funeral Coordinator	Maria Jones	St Anthony's

CHILD SAFE OFFICERS:

Moira Ryan: 0417 519 159 - **Maria Jones:** 0414 520 488

Office Hours at St Anthony's this week

Monday - Friday	9.00am - 5.00pm
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Office Hours at Resurrection this week

Monday	Closed
Tuesday - Friday	9.30am - 1.00pm

(at all other times leave a message on the phone).

PLENARY COUNCIL PRAYER

Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost.
Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.
O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council. Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road. Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth. Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying. Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the journey from age to age.
Amen.
Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us.
St. Mary MacKillop, pray for us.

COUNTERS (RES)

Week commencing February 16th Team 7 – Patricia Baya, Hinh Tran, Maria Martinez, Roger Galway, Jeanette Bayros, Thomas Miranda.

COUNTERS (STA'S)

Group 7: Marcel & Gillian Sladen, Edgar Tellis, Denise Palat
Group 8: Mary & Fred Griscti, Maria & Phil Jones

ST ANTHONY'S PARISH

Received last week with thanks:

Pledge: **\$5,347.50** - Thanksgiving: **\$4,120.00**
Loose: **\$1,345.00** - Presbytery: **\$1,290.00**

ST ANTHONY'S PARISH PRAYER

St. Anthony, patron of our parish, loyal servant of God, faithful follower of Jesus: You taught by word and deed, the message of the Gospel. Teach us to live the Gospel values as you did. Enlighten our minds in search of God's will. Inspire us to be a prayerful community, ever reaching out to and cherishing our neighbour. Help us proclaim God's love and live what we proclaim. **AMEN.**