

HOLY EUCHARIST PARISH

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TRINITY SUNDAY – YEAR C 29 & 30 MAY 2010

“We welcome the stranger”

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Fr Minh Tran SJ
Parish Priest

Pastoral Associates

Sr Margaret Maher fcJ
Sr Catherine FMDM (VU)
Sr Maria Yen Bui MTGDL

Chaplains

Fr Lois Philippines
Fr John Malabar

Refugee Worker

Mathew Bul
Office Hours: Wed. 9am – 12 noon

Business Manager/Secretary

Sue O’Loughlin/Angela Lian
Office Hours 8:30am/4:30pm Mon–Fri

Parish School

Principal - John Steele
Phone: 9366 2899

Mass Times

Saturday: 6pm
Sunday 9am, 11am, 6pm
12:30pm Vietnamese

Other Masses

1st Sun Filipino Mass 4:00 pm
2nd Sun: Sudanese Mass 2.30 pm
3rd Sun: Malibar Mass 4:00 pm

RECONCILIATION: (English)

Sat: 5:15pm - 5:45pm
Sun: 12 noon – Vietnamese

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms take place on a Saturday morning at 11am or 1:30pm. Preparation - Thursday evening before the first weekend at 7:30pm in the Church.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

If anyone is sick, it is appropriate that they receive the Sacrament of the Sick (anointing). Please ring the Parish Office for regular Communion of the Sick home visits.

THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Six months notice should be given. Marriage preparation is necessary. Permission to marry in a church other than that of the bride or groom should be sought before making any arrangements. Church arrangements should be made prior to making any other bookings.

TRINITY

“Why do we have to hear all this stuff about the Trinity?”

Because the Triune God is not some kind of brainy speculation by scholars. It is simply the way we experience God in this world. Christian living is the Trinity in action.

Let me explain.

First, long ago human beings learned that there is only one God, and that he “takes delight in the human race.” Think of the many, many stories in the First Testament about God’s pursuit of us, his labouring to make a loving and holy covenant with us: “I will be your God and you will be my people.”

Like a marriage agreement. God became, by turns, angry, hurt, delighted, spurned, glorified, ignored, praised and rejected. Yet he kept coming back and back to renew the covenant. God’s love is steadfast.

Then we found out that God’s nature has another component. His very nature has always been to relate to others, to “pour himself forth,” as the First Reading puts it, and to receive back. The “Second Person” is at one with “the First Person” for all eternity.

The Word was made flesh. Jesus laughed and cried and preached and turned over tables and cured people, and was loyal to his friends even to the end. “Everything that the Father has is mine,” he said (Gospel). That’s how we knew he was The Word and the Word was God.

Then came a final revelation about the Trinity. The part of God gentled himself down and began to dwell within us, to guide our understanding. So Jesus promised to pour out the Holy Spirit into us.

Jesus tells us that the Spirit is God (and himself too). “Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine and declare it to you.”



An excerpt from the Holy Gospel according to John

‘Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.’



STEWARDSHIP CORNER THOUGHTS ON GIVING

“But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, He will guide you to all truth.” – John 16:13

Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to help us know the truth. So why not ask the Holy Spirit the truth about your stewardship? Are you sharing your time and talent with God and others? Do you give a fair amount of your treasure to do the work of the Lord? Can you hear the Spirit’s answer to those questions in your heart now? What more is He calling you to do?

Rosters next weekend

BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST SATURDAY/SUNDAY 5/6 JUNE 6:00 PM

Readers: Alaistair Surreo
Abigail Montoro
Head Spec Min: Pam Norris
Spec Min: Carmen Camilleri
Mario Zammit
Charlie Bartolo
Mary Borg
Miriam Vella
Charlie Busuttill

9:00 AM

Readers: Gordon Walsh
Fred Storage
Head Spec Min: Josephine Grixti
Spec Min: Kim Bui Quang
Anthony Naidu
Arleen Walsh
Doris Gatt
Phuong Ung
Pauline Storage

NOTE - 10:30 AM MASS

Reader: Bruno Barreca
Helen Maddela
Head Spec Min: Bini Samuel
Spec Min: Sr Helen Mary FCJ
Marilyn Medina
Maryanne Craker
Toni Antonowicz
Wally Antonowicz
Frank Carreon
Anna Grima

6:00 PM

Reader: May Mendoza
Head Spec Min: Ralph Perena
Spec Min: Joanne Azzopardi
Sharon Perena

PIETY STALL 6 pm - Janie Gatt
9 am - A. Naidu
10:30- L. Disco,
H. Maddela

CHURCH CLEANING

Week Beginning 31 May
Group 7 Lily Disco
Margaret Bajada
Cita Carreon
Ralph Weise
Kim Truong

SINGING GROUPS NEXT WEEKEND

Sat. 5 June - 6.00pm - Carmen
Sun .6 June - 9.00am - Charlie
- 11.00am - Samoan
- 6.00pm - Filippino choir

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tues. - Friday 9:00am

DAILY GOSPEL READINGS

Mon: Lk. 1:39-56
Tue: Mk. 12:13-17
Wed: Mk. 12:18-27
Thu: Mk. 12:24-34
Fri: Mk. 12:35-37
Sat: Mk. 12:38-44

June Activities

PARISH FEAST DAY NEXT WEEKEND

Feast of Corpus Christi
10:30am Mass - followed by BBQ
All welcome

Proposal is to consider permanently changing this Mass to 10:30am, in order to accommodate other parish functions. Your comments are invited.

WANTED - MUSICIANS (KEYBOARD/ORGAN) AND MUSIC DIRECTOR

Please contact the Parish Office if you can volunteer your services in this area.

SCHOOL ENROLMENTS 2011

Now open. Please contact the School Office for an enrolment form for Prep and other grades.

FOOD BANK

Many thanks for your support last weekend \$650.00 was raised.
Monthly Food Bank - next Friday 4th June 2 - 3pm. Weekly Food Bank operates now **Thursday only** 10 - 12noon and 3.30pm to 4.30 pm.

PARISH FUNDRAISING

Saturday 3 July 2010 Sausage Sizzle at Bunnings, Taylors Lakes. 12 volunteers wanted to take an hour and a half shift each. Please put your name on the roster on the noticeboard.

ANOINTING MASS

Each first Friday of the month there will be a Mass of Anointing at 9am, commencing next Friday, 4 June.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

This year 65 children from Grade 6 from the Primary School and Preca Centre will be confirmed on Saturday 19 June at 6:00pm.

COMBINED CATHOLIC PARISHES RAFFLE RESULTS

1st 27398 - C. Barron - Rye
2nd 126925 - R. Antonello - Epping
3rd 24723 - T Kendall - Sorrento
4th 207712 - B Perrett, Geelong
See noticeboard for other 11 prize winners. Many thanks for your support.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Herta Todero, Anna Kotula, Connie Agius, Kam Camilleri, Viviana Santos, Sam Tabone, Peter Vu, Cecilia Bozickovic, Tennous Boulus, George Aquilina, Louis Thewma, Joseph Duca, Tom Milinkovic, Peter Disco, Tess Micallef, Matija Latjman, Wasyl & Maria Lusak, Ana Brkljavic, Hannah Luka, Helen Tay.

Other Activities

DINNER DANCE - A CELEBRATION IN AID OF THE ALFRED TRANSPLANT FAMILY

Saturday 10 July special Dinner dance at Lakeside Banquet & Reception Centre, Taylors Lakes. Cost \$75 includes 3 course meal, beer, wine and soft drinks. Dress - formal. Many people are given a second chance of life when they receive a transplant. Bookings to Sam 0412 555 510 or Alfred 9390 2403.

WOMEN UNDERSTANDING MONEY IN AUSTRALIA

Running for the next 2 Fridays at our Primary School (Art Room) 10:30am to 2pm. Sponsored by Women's Health West.

UNDERSTANDING SCRIPTURE IN THE YEAR OF LUKE

With Sr Denise Hannebery RSC Tuesdays 1, 5 & 15 June 10am and 7:30pm at Christ the Priest School Hall, 54 Caroline Springs Boulevard, Caroline Springs.

YEAR OF PRIESTS CELEBRATION CELEBRATING GROWTH OF PARISHES ALONG BALLARAT ROAD

Sunday 6 June at 1pm at St Mary of the Immaculate Conception Parish, Williamstown. Guest Speaker: Fr Tony McSweeney SSS "The Priest Yesterday, Today and tomorrow". A celebration of the growth of the parishes along Ballarat Road. Parish groups are invited to bring along historical records and photographs for display. Afternoon tea provided.

VINNIES OF SUNSHINE

Volunteers needed - 56 Station Place, Sunshine. See noticeboard or contact Manager, Dianne Stark 9311 3448.

RECONCILIATION WEEK

The Victorian Aboriginal Catholic Council and the Aboriginal Catholic Ministry Victoria invite parishioners to join in prayer during the week 3 June.

WORLD YOUTH DAY, MADRID

To launch the Archdiocese's participation, the Archdiocesan Office for Youth will be holding a special event on Friday 20 August at St Brigid's North Fitzroy commencing at 7pm.

COELIAC PARISHIONERS

Please let Fr Minh know if you wish to receive a special host, which are now available.

**ANY IDEAS FOR A YOUTH GROUP?
CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE.**

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READINGS - TRINITY SUNDAY - SATURDAY/SUNDAY 29 & 30 MAY 2010

FIRST READING PRV 8:22-31

A reading from the book of Proverbs

*Wisdom was born before the earth
was made.*

The Wisdom of God cries aloud:

The Lord created me when his purpose first
unfolded,

before the oldest of his works.

From everlasting I was firmly set,
from the beginning, before earth came into
being.

The deep was not, when I was born,
there were no springs to gush with water.

Before the mountains were settled,
before the hills, I came to birth;
before he made the earth, the countryside,
or the first grains of the world's dust.

When he fixed the heavens firm, I was
there,

when he drew a ring on the surface of the
deep,

when he thickened the clouds above,
when he fixed fast the springs of the deep,

when he assigned the sea its boundaries
– and the waters will not invade the shore –

when he laid down the foundations of the
earth,

I was by his side, a master craftsman,
delighting him day after day,

ever at play in his presence,
at play everywhere in his world,

delighting to be with the sons of men.

This is the word of the Lord.

SECOND READING ROM 5:1-5

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the
Romans

*To God through Christ in the love which is
poured out through the Spirit.*

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by
faith we are judged righteous and at
peace with God, since it is by faith

and through Jesus that we have
entered this state of grace in which
we can boast about looking forward
to God's glory. But that is not all we
can boast about; we can boast about
our sufferings. These sufferings
bring patience, as we know, and
patience brings perseverance, and
perseverance brings hope, and this
hope is not deceptive, because the
love of God has been poured into
our hearts by the Holy Spirit which
has been given us.

This is the word of the Lord.

GOSPEL JN 16:12-15

A reading from the holy Gospel according
to John

*Whatever the Father has is mine. The Spirit
will receive what I give and tell you about
it.*

Jesus said to his disciples:

'I still have many things to say to you
but they would be too much for you now.
But when the Spirit of truth comes
he will lead you to the complete truth,
since he will not be speaking as from
himself

but will say only what he has learnt;
and he will tell you of the things to
come.

He will glorify me,
since all he tells you
will be taken from what is mine.
Everything the Father has is mine;
that is why I said:
All he tells you
will be taken from what is mine.

