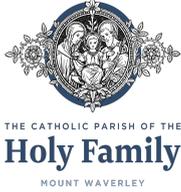


Fifth Sunday of Easter – 27th & 28th April 2024 Year B



236 Stephenson Road, Mount Waverley, Victoria 3149.

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Parish Priest: Rev. Father Justel Callos

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Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I give thee my heart and soul

Entrance Antiphon:

*O sing a new song to the Lord, for he has worked wonders;
in the sight of the nations he has shown his deliverance, alleluia.*

1st Reading:

Acts 9:26-31

<He explained how the Lord appeared to Saul and spoke to him on his journey.>

Responsorial Psalm:

I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people.

1. My vows I will pay before those who fear him.
The poor shall eat and shall have their fill.
They shall praise the Lord, those who seek him.
May their hearts live for ever and ever.

R.

2. All the earth shall remember and return to the Lord,
all families of the nations worship before him.
They shall worship him, all the mighty of the earth;
before him shall bow all who go down to the dust.

R.

3. And my soul shall live for him, my children serve him.
They shall tell of the Lord to generations yet to come,
declare his faithfulness to peoples yet unborn:
'These things the Lord has done.'

R.

2nd Reading:

1 John 3:18-24

<His commandments are these: that we believe and that we love one another.>

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

*Live in me and let me live in you, says the Lord;
my branches bear much fruit.*

Alleluia!

Gospel:

John 15:1-8

<All who live in me, and I in them, bear much fruit.>

Communion Antiphon:

*I am the true vine and you are the branches, says the Lord.
Whoever remains in me, and I in him, bears fruit in plenty, alleluia.*

Recent Deaths: Robert Cincotta,

Anniversaries: Pauline Flynn, Julie Walsh, Leon Naismith, Maria Thereza P. Garcia, Alec Gonzales

Prayers for the Sick: Jennifer & Kenny Rodrigues, Mark Saunders, Rosemary Stipanov, Peter De Nardo, Sue Stuckey, Celeste Chadwick, Marqie Miller, Tom Thompson, Patricia Donohue, Rose John, Janet Ng, Charlene Stipanov, Stuart Miller & Family, Loredana Saitta, Royce, Emanuel Attard, Peter Fenev, Bernadette Gordon.

Mass Intentions: The Sunday 10:00am Mass is offered for Pauline Flynn whose anniversary occurs at this time.

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

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Parish Office Hours:
Monday to Friday:
9:00am – 2:00pm

Parish Secretaries

Natalie Sillato
Janet Cullinan
Susan Haladjian (Finance)

Principal Holy Family School

Julie David
9807 3300

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:30am
10:00am

Weekday Masses

(Subject to change for special celebrations)

Monday: NO MASS
Tuesday: 7:00pm
Wednesday: 9:15am
Thursday: 9:15am
Friday: 9:15am

Korean Mass

Sunday 1:30pm
Thursday 7:30pm

Indonesian Mass & Adoration

First Friday of each Month 6:30pm

Filipino Mass

Fourth Sunday of each Month. 11:30am

Confession: Tuesday 7:30pm (*during Adoration*) and Friday 9:45am

Baptism Sundays at 11:30am*

* Please email the Parish Office for Preparation and Scheduling of Baptism

Weddings: By appointment with the Parish Priest

Hall Hire – Contact Shirley Ng
Shirley.Ng@cam.org.au

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Tuesday 7:30pm – 8:00pm
Wednesday After 9:15 Mass (30 mins)

Communion to Sick

Contact the Parish Office – 9807 9494

Community Care Coordinator

Veronica Nicoll 0433 314 697

Holy Family Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and human dignity of children, young people and adults.

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Dear Parishioners,

Thank you for your well wishes and prayers during my recent bout of illness. As some of you may have heard, I have been grappling with the flu followed by a bout of food poisoning over the past few weeks. Regrettably, these health challenges necessitated the cancellation of several appointments. It was indeed a trying time, marked by high fever, chills, and all the usual symptoms that accompany such ailments. Visiting my GP, I was advised to replenish my fluids with *Hydralyte* due to dehydration caused by the loss of fluids. While my recovery is ongoing and my body still feels somewhat weakened, I am grateful to report that I am steadily improving.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to those who attended our Parish Information evening for Jordanville parishioners last Wednesday evening. Despite the chill of the autumn night, we were blessed with a turnout of 36 individuals—a commendable number indeed. For those who were unable to join us due to prior commitments, fear not, as there will be ample opportunities for engagement in the near future. During the gathering, led by Mary Ryan and Michael Azzopardi from the Proclaim Team in the Archdiocese of Melbourne, participants were encouraged to connect with fellow parishioners, fostering new relationships and strengthening existing bonds. The discussions revolved around two pivotal questions: “What aspects of our parish do you hold dear and wish to preserve?” and “Given the chance, what changes or improvements would you propose?” Each table appointed a scribe to record their reflections, encouraging fruitful dialogue and exchange of ideas. It was heartening to witness the genuine enthusiasm and constructive feedback shared by all.

A recurring theme that emerged from our discussions was the warmth and hospitality at St. Mary Magdalen parish community—a sentiment with which I wholeheartedly resonate. While our community may be smaller in comparison to others, its tightly-knit nature nurtures a sense of belonging and camaraderie among its members. Furthermore, participants highlighted vital areas for growth, including evangelisation, the creation of a parish pastoral plan, and enhanced financial transparency. I am currently in the process of compiling the invaluable insights gathered and will discuss them at the next Parish Advisory Board meeting. I pledge to present a comprehensive report to the parish community at the earliest opportunity.

I also wish to express my gratitude to all who attended the ANZAC Day Masses at both of our parish communities last Thursday. The solemnity and reverence displayed during the services were truly moving, serving as a poignant reminder of the sacrifices made by those who have served our country. Let us continue to uphold them in our prayers and strive for peace in our world.

I extend my warmest regards to each one of you. May we continue to journey together in faith, guided by the light of Christ's love and compassion.

With blessings,

Father Justel

Parish News and Diocese Announcements

MINISTRY ROSTERS for 4th & 5th May 2024 - 6th Sunday of Easter - Year B

	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Welcome
5:00pm	Trish Smith Geraldine Wain	Ingrid Hale Giles Morrison	Janet Cullinan
8:30am	Bernadette Micallef Annshy Thayaparan	Norbert Easton Sharyn Newman	John Cotter
10:00am	Chris Cullinan	Julia Paszkowski Volunteer Requested	Trosa Soundranayagam

Mass Times - 5th Week of Easter

Monday 29 th April	NO MASS
Tuesday 30 th April	10:00am Funeral Mass Robert Cincotta 7:00pm Mass 7:30pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confession
Wednesday 1 st May	9:15am Mass Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday 2 nd May	9:15am Mass
Friday 3 rd May	9:15am Mass 9:45am Confession
Saturday 4 th May	5:00pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 5 th May 6 th Sunday of Easter	8:30am Mass 10:00am Mass

PARISH LUNCHEON
ON FRIDAY 10TH MAY 2024

The Parish Luncheon will be held on Friday 10th May. We will celebrate Mothers' Day with Mass and Anointing of the Sick at 11.30 am, followed by lunch in the small hall.

Our guest speaker will be Senior Constable Sara Coe, who is the Crime Prevention Officer for Monash. Sara will speak to us about crime prevention, home and motor vehicle safety and security, how to make a police report, and how to recognize scams. This information can be of value to everyone, so feel free to bring along a friend or neighbour who may also appreciate Sara's knowledge and advice.

Bookings are essential, so please phone the office before Tuesday 7th May to leave names. We look forward to seeing you before the Winter break, with our next luncheon scheduled for September.



Last Sunday we warmly welcomed into our Catholic faith,
through the Sacrament of Baptism.

ROHAN FELIKS WILLIAMS

&

SONNY ZARAFA

May their journey grow in faith as they do.

Catholic Care Sunday next Weekend 4-5 May 2024

Next weekend is the CatholicCare Victoria Sunday Appeal (previously held during the month of August). As the Catholic Church's mission in action, CatholicCare Victoria delivers programs and services to support families, children, young people and individuals to help everyone reach their full potential. The services include counselling and mental health services, specialised support for children and teens, refugee and asylum seeker help, pastoral care, support for separating families, social housing and homelessness support. Donations from our parish community help CatholicCare Victoria support the most vulnerable individuals and families in our community and empower everyone to live life to the full.

Please donate to the CatholicCare Victoria Sunday Appeal. Your support and generosity will help provide caring and compassionate support for struggling individuals and families in our community.

You can donate using the appeal envelopes, donate online at www.catholiccarevic.org.au or call (03)9287 5513.

PENTECOST – MULTICULTURAL DAY
HOLY FAMILY PARISH – 19TH MAY 2024 10:00AM



Food Hall of the World!!!

Please sign on to participate in the preparation of National dishes from your various countries to share with the community.

Allocated Team leaders will contact all who sign up.

Volunteers are also required to assist with setting up the hall.

Awaken Pentecost 2024

On 18th May we are collaborating with other parishes in our area to host a special event celebrating Pentecost. Join us for a vibrant and inspiring afternoon, with contemporary worship, talks, workshops and hospitality. Keynote talks will be given by special guests Sam Clear (Tasmania) & Kym Keady (Brisbane). Four youth streams are also being offered: Year 9-12, Year 7-8, Year 3-6, Prep-Year 2

When: 18th May, 1 - 5:30pm

Where: Newhope, [3 Springfield Rd, Blackburn North](#) Event is free but registration essential: awakenmelbourne.com.au

For more info email info@awakenmelbourne.com.au

Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne

- Parish Relations Officer
- Communications Officer

Parish Positions

- Parish School Sacramental Coordinator, St. Clement of Rome, Bulleen

Further details of the above positions can be found on the Archdiocese website at: [Job vacancies | Melbourne](#)

Catholic We encourage all parishes to have these positions listed in their weekly bulletins so that the parishioners are aware of the job opportunities.

Should you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact Human Resources at hadmin@cam.org.au

Rebecca Maree

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Jeffrey Kang
0433 661 738

at Aeolus Renovation or visit our website
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- Van mounted
- Flood damage

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