

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 4th & 5th July 2026 Year A
Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday



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Assistant Priest: Rev. Father Stephen Battal
Deacon: Rev. Hubert Fernando

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

Entrance Antiphon: *Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple.
Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth;
Your right hand is filled with saving justice.*

1st Reading: **Zechariah 9:9-10**
<See how humbly your king comes to you!>

Responsorial Psalm: *I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.*

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| 1. I will give you glory, O god my King,
I will bless your name for ever.
I will bless you day after day
and praise your name for ever R. | 2. The Lord is kind and full of compassion
slow to anger, abounding in love.
How good is the Lord to all,
compassionate to all his creatures. R. |
| 3. All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord,
and your friends shall repeat their blessing.
They shall speak of the glory of your reign
and declare your might, O God. R. | 4. The Lord is faithful in all his words
and loving in all his deeds.
The Lord supports all who fall
and raises all who are bowed down. R. |

2nd Reading: **Romans 8:9, 11-13**
<If by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body, you will live.>

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, alleluia!*
*Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth,
you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom.*
Alleluia!

Gospel: **Matthew 11:25-30**
<I am gentle and humble of heart.>

Communion Antiphon: *Taste and see that the Lord is good;
blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.*

Recent Deaths: Aileen Canning.

Anniversaries: Denis Foley, Patricia Raj.

Prayers for the Sick: Francesco De Nardo, Barry O'Neil, Jacqueline , Ariel, Edward Cassar, Bernadette Grady, David Bruce, Adrian Wain, Laurie Attard, Florence Parker, Emma Bebe, David Spry, Margaret McLaren, Trish Vaughan, Geoff Goctord, Paul & Oliver Smith, Simon Tabone, Jim Gallagher, Paula Fabris, Margie Miller, Celeste Chadwick, Rosemary Stipanov, Margaret Kneebone, John Stuchey, Royce Gough, Desmond Donnelly, Catherine Moon, Claire McLaughlin, Grantley Fearn, Sarah Jayne Edmunds.

Mass Intentions: The Sunday 8:30am Mass is offered for Denis Foley and the 10:00am Mass is offered for Patricia Raj whose anniversaries occur 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 No Mass 28 May-2 Jul

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,

During the week, we celebrated the Funeral Mass for our longtime Holy Family parishioner, Aileen Canning. It was a beautiful celebration of her life and faith, and it was lovely to see so many parishioners there to support the family. It says a lot about our community when people turn up not because they have to, but because they genuinely care. Please continue to keep Aileen and the entire Canning family in your prayers in the weeks ahead.

On Friday morning, I celebrated Mass at Mount Waverley Glades Nursing Home. I always enjoy visiting our residents. Their stories, their wisdom and, above all, their enduring faith are a real gift. On Friday evening, our youth group gathered once again. It is encouraging to see our young people coming together, making new friendships and growing in their faith. Thank you to our wonderful youth leaders who continue to make this ministry possible each fortnight.

Saturday morning was another encouraging sign of life in the parish. We held training for both our existing and new altar servers, and I am delighted that around 8 new altar servers are joining the team at Holy Family. That's fantastic news! It's always heartening to see children and young people willing to serve at the altar. My thanks to Damian and all our experienced servers who came along as well, and to those who helped with the training. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

This weekend, we begin Ministry Month at St Mary Magdalen Parish. Throughout the month, we'll be highlighting the many ministries that help our parish flourish and inviting others to consider getting involved.

Sometimes people think ministry is only for priests or those with a particular role in the Church. In reality, every thriving parish is built on the generosity of ordinary people who quietly give their time and talents. Behind every Mass, every parish event, every cup of tea after church, every child prepared for a sacrament, every visit to someone who is sick or lonely, there are volunteers who simply saw a need and stepped forward.

One of the great blessings of parish life is that everyone has something to offer. Not everyone is called to the same ministry, but everyone has gifts that God can use. Volunteering isn't simply about filling positions on a roster. It's about belonging, sharing our gifts, and helping others encounter Christ through the life of our parish. If you've ever thought about becoming involved, perhaps this month is a good opportunity to take that first step. We'd love to have you.

As always, thank you for all that you do to make our parish communities such welcoming and faith-filled places. May God bless you and your loved ones, and I wish you a wonderful week ahead.

Warm regards,

Fr Justel

NEXT WEEKEND'S MINISTRY ROSTER 11th & 12th July 2026

	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Welcome	Power Point	Morning Tea
5:00pm	Ingrid Hale Terry Payne	Glenn Simon Ingrid Hale	Jenny Yates	Cheryl Chiam	
8:30am	Sarah Roberts Alan Ainsworth	Carmela Marino John Fazzino	Rosy Linden		
10:00am	Cindy Walpole Mark Petersen	Joe Bonnici Jesse Bernardo	Mary Banks	Nancy Bellistri	Geraldine Wain

Cleaning Roster - Team 2, 10:00am Saturday 11th July 2026

Shivanthi Gunasekara, Brenda Hiu, Raul Cavalida, Antonella La Greca, Tony La Greca.

Mass Times - 14th Week in Ordinary Time

Tuesday 7 th July	7:00pm Mass 7:30pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confession
Wednesday 8 th July	10:00am Mass St Mary Magdalen
Thursday 9 th July	10:00am Mass St Mary Magdalen
Friday 10 th July	9:15am Mass 9:45am Confession
Saturday 11 th July	5:00pm Mass
Sunday 12 th July	8:30am Mass
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:00am Mass



This weekend we warmly welcome into our Catholic faith, through the Sacrament of Baptism.

EVA CELINE SUBASINGHE

May her journey grow in faith as she does.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

\$1086.30

Many thanks for your kind generosity to this year's Peter's Pence collection.



HOLY FAMILY CT RECYCLE SCHEME 10C Container Donations.

As of the 1st July 2026, the amount paid since we started the collection is now a cumulatively - **\$2989.00**. Thank you to all those parishioners who are supporting this initiative. Please remember to donate your drink containers by placing them in the yellow bins outside the Church on weekends only.



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- Formation Specialist – Content Development and Delivery, East Melbourne
- Executive Support Officer – Mission Directorate, East Melbourne

Parish Positions

- Pastoral Worker, Our Lady of Pentecost Parish, Balwyn, Camberwell, Deepdene, Surrey Hills and Wattle Park
- Parish Secretary, St. Patrick's and St. Kevin's Parishes, Ormond & Murrumbeena

Catholic Development Fund (CDF)

- Integration Engineer, East Melbourne

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.

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