

*St. Mary MacKillop
Church
Keilor Downs*



*St. Paul's
Church
Kealba*

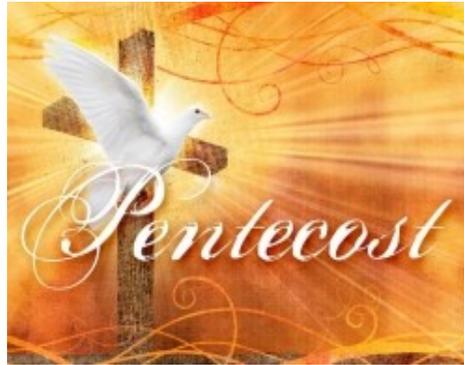
PARISH OF ST MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Year C - 8th & 9th June, 2019

MASS TIMES

<u>St Paul's</u>	
Wednesday	9.30am
Thursday	9.30am
Saturday	5:00 pm (Latin)
	6:30 pm
Sunday	8:00am (Maltese)
	10:00am
Reconciliation	
Saturday	6:00pm
<u>St Mary MacKillop</u>	
Monday	9.30am
Tuesday	9.30am
7.00pm—8.00pm	Holy Hour
Friday	9.30am
Saturday	5.00pm
Sunday	9:00am
	11:00am
	5:30pm
Reconciliation	
Saturday	4pm—4.50pm



We interpret Pentecost, as the birth of the Church, through the coming of the Holy Spirit.

In today's Gospel, Jesus urges the disciples to pray for: "another Advocate to be with you always."

Therefore, this means that God has already sent one Advocate, and He has, **His only Son – Jesus.**

Like a true advocate who helps, defends and pleads a cause, Jesus interceded for His disciples and now that he has ascended into Heaven, God will send yet another Advocate and this time, **the Advocate will remain with us forever.**

Although the historic dwelling of Christ on earth has come to an end; in a more wondrous way, Jesus and His Father – through the gift of the Holy Spirit – will now dwell with us forever.

Entrance Antiphon:

The Spirit of the Lord fills the whole world. It holds all things together and knows every word spoken by man, alleluia.

1st Reading:

Apostles 2:1-11
Psalms 103:1,24,29-31,34

Responsorial Psalm:

Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

2nd Reading:

Romans 8:8-17

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.
Alleluia!

Gospel:

John 14:15-16,23-26

Before Communion:

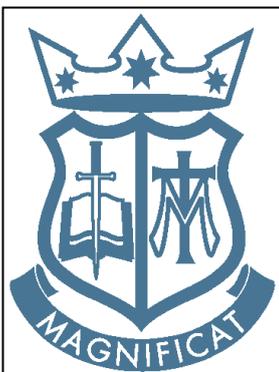
Lord, may the Spirit you promised lead us into all truth and reveal to us the full meaning of this sacrifice.

Communion Antiphon:

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and they spoke of the great things God had done, alleluia.

After Communion:

Father, may the food we receive in the eucharist help our eternal redemption. Keep within us the vigour of your Spirit and protect the gifts you have given to your Church.

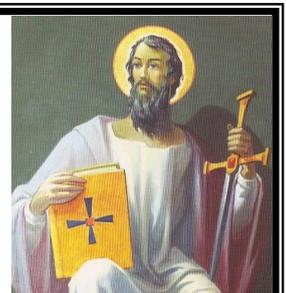


**ST. MARY
MACKILLOP**

*'Let us humbly
wait and pray.'*

ST. PAUL

*'Everyone moved
by the Spirit is a
son of God.'*



Parish Priest: Rev. Monsignor Charles Portelli **Assistant Priest:** Rev. Fr. Paul Chandler
Faith Development: Mr Joseph Zahra—St Paul's **Sacramental Program Coordinator:** Andrew Sciberras—St. Mary MacKillop
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FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

On Saturday 15th June
we will celebrate the
Feast of St. Anthony at the 5.00 p.m. Mass.
There will be the blessing and distribution of
St. Anthony's Bread and the veneration
of his relic after Mass.
All welcome to attend.



In Remembrance...

Anniversaries:

Lawrence Satui, Berry Bamford,
Basil Bamford, Ilgoi Bacak, John Galea,
Santa Lipsia, Anna Sorentino, Salvina
Darmanin, Anthony & Dominic Hursey,
Paul Muscat, Dorothy Muscat, Josephine Muscat,
Grace Ciantar, Theresa & Constantino Mifsud, Pat
Cooper & Prem Sahni, David & Brian Spink, Daniel
Francis Mulligan, Sabino Garcia, Nestor Labrador,
Luz Labrador, Carolina Labrador, Jimmy Logue,
Joseph Falzon, Neville Pereira, Thelma & Clarence
Gomesz, Johnny Caspersz, Ivy & Emmy Allen,
Eleanor & Louyd Sprink, Birdy & Johnny Allen,
Muriel Guest, Mary Fernandez, Gerald Grierson,
Cynthia Raspin.

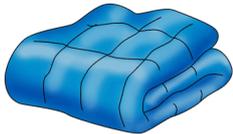


We pray for all those who are sick, especially Adol & Diding.

Vittorio Mammone's 1st Month Anniversary mass
will be Sunday 16th June at 5.30pm.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY, KEILOR DOWNS CONFERENCE WINTER APPEAL 2019

This year's St. Vincent de Paul
Winter Appeal will be held on
the weekend of June 15/16.
All donations of clothing,
blankets, doonas and non-
perishable food items will be
greatly appreciated (especially
blankets and doonas during this
winter season). Envelopes (for
financial donations) will also be
available at masses held during
the Winter Appeal weekend.



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ST. MARY MACKILLOP EVENING PRAYER GROUP

Our prayer group will NO LONGER MEET ON A THURSDAY, due to our usual
location being unavailable, we will be meeting in the St. Mary MacKillop Church
from now on, and on a WEDNESDAY night instead.

On Wednesday, 12th June THERE WILL BE NO MEETING.

We resume prayer group meetings on a Wednesday night from June 19th.

Please advise any members you may run into of the new changes. Sorry for any
inconvenience.

Enquiries: Christina 0431 955 975.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY, KEILOR DOWNS CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Members of the SVDP Society are committed to helping men, women and
families to break their cycle of poverty and disadvantage by responding to their
calls for emergency aid. Home visitations are the core work of the society, and
are carried out by local conferences. In addition to visitations, the Keilor Downs
Conference is also involved in fundraising, participation in the annual Winter
Appeal and Christmas Hamper Appeal.

CHILDREN & YOUTH OF MARY

When: Every **Friday** during the School Term

Time: **4:45-6pm**

Where: St Mary MacKillop's Parish Office Building (Opposite the Church)

All Primary and Secondary School aged children are welcome

Pray the Rosary

Enjoy Games and Activities

Learn about the Catholic Faith

For more information contact Andrew and Tara Sciberras:
0403 100 733



Parish Thanksgiving Program

All funds raised from your Thanksgiving
Offerings go towards the running of the Parish
of St Mary of the Assumption. This includes
both St Mary MacKillop Church in Keilor
Downs and St Pauls Church in Kealba. Funds
raised from Thanksgiving Offerings are vital
for the Parish and enable the Parish to plan
and to commit to projects in the future. The
Parish would not be able to operate without
these funds. Some expenses that are funded
by these Offerings are as follows:

- ♦ Paying off the Parish debt;
- ♦ Meet the operating costs of the Parish
(including parish salaries, insurance, energy
expenses, telecommunications and other
administrative expenses);
- ♦ Various property expenses;
- ♦ Maintenance of both of our Churches; and
- ♦ The supporting of charitable organisations
including St Vincent's de Paul Society.

For those in our parish Community who
currently contribute to our Thanksgiving
Program, we would like to say thank you very
much. However, if you are not a current
contributor and would like to participate in the
Program to ensure the current and future
security of our Parish, please contact one of
our administration staff at the Parish Office
between 9.00am and 1.30pm on weekdays.
Or alternatively, Thanksgiving forms can be
downloaded from our Parish Website located
at

<http://www.stmaryoftheassumption.org.au>
and click on 'Our Church and Ministries'.

If you have any questions with respect to the
Parish Thanksgiving Program please don't
hesitate to contact either Monsignor Charles
Portelli or one our Parish Administration staff
on 03 9364 0440.



Fr. Shalbin Kalanachery Paul SDB., Mission Procurator, and Fr. Tom Uzhunalil SDB., from India, have been invited by the Salesian Office in Australia on a visit in May and June 2019. Archbishop Peter Comensoli and Bishop Bosch Puttur of the Syro Malabar Diocese of Australia have given their permissions to visit.

Fr. Tom had been serving in Yemen Mission, from where he was taken as captive by terrorists since 4th March 2016 and released after eighteen months.

The Legion of Mary has organised for them to come to our Parish and for Fr. Tom to give his moving testimonial of faith and power of prayer, with the people. This will be done along with the slide show, on Wednesday, 12th of June 2019, from 7 p.m. - 8.30 p.m., followed by Fellowship, at the Multi Purpose Room of St Mary MacKillop School. All are welcome.

Divine Mercy Prayer Group at St Paul's Church

Samoan Divine Mercy Prayer Group: Every Sunday 12pm-4pm. Also English Divine Mercy Prayer Group on every 4th Sunday of the month From 2.30pm - 4.00pm (includes Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, Chaplet, Rosary, Praise and Worship followed by Fellowship). Please call Deacon David on 0451240713 (Samoan Service Enquiries), Rita D'Souza (0435956226) and Angela D'Souza (0413605420) (for English Service 4th Sunday's).

PARISH CHOIRS

Parishioners are invited to join the Choirs at all masses to praise the Lord in song. If you would like to be involved in this vital Ministry, please contact :-

St Mary MacKillop Choir: Rosanna 0425 751 230

PRAYER GROUPS

MONDAY MORNING

Following 9.30am Mass
10am Fellowship
10.30am - 11.30am Devotions

Join us in praying the **Divine Mercy Chaplet** 10am-10.30am

WEDNESDAY EVENING

ST PAUL'S CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Wednesday, 12th June

There will be NO meeting this Wednesday as we encourage all to attend St Mary MacKillop Church to hear and witness Fr Toms powerful testimony!

For more information call Julie 0400 837 825

SUNDAY AFTERNOON

SAMOAN DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Samoan Divine Mercy Prayer Group - at St Pauls Church every Sunday at 12pm-4pm.
Info: Deacon David 0451240713

THURSDAY MORNING

ST MARY MACKILLOP MORNING PRAYER GROUP

10.30am - 12pm

Come and join us in Praising our Lord. Hearing the Word of God and praying. Be filled with the Holy Spirit.
(except School Holidays)

Enquiries: Teresa 0411 233 625

WEDNESDAY EVENING

ST MARY MACKILLOP EVENING PRAYER GROUP

Change of Night
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All Welcome Enquiries: Christina 0431 955 975

LEGION OF MARY

Wednesday 7.00pm in the Parish Meeting Room
All Welcome

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

EVERY TUESDAY 7:00pm-8:00pm
St Mary MacKillop Church

"Will you not stay with me one hour with me?"



ST. PAUL'S ROSTER WEEKEND 15TH & 16TH JUNE

SAT 15TH JUNE 6.30PM
R Maurice Hammett
Special Ministers
D. Agius.

SUN 16TH JUNE 10AM
R Norma Marot
Special Ministers
J Mamo, M. Zahra.

St Mary MacKillop Cleaning

FRIDAY 14TH JUNE
Mary Formosa
Margo Harley
Pauline Portelli
Mary Xuereb

Counting Team

COUNTING TEAM NO. 7:
Joe Sammut
John Fenech
Josephine Lowe
Anna Attard
Liz Di'Cianni
John Dykun

ST. MARY MACKILLOP ROSTER WEEKEND 15TH & 16TH JUNE

SAT 15TH JUNE 5PM
R Antonia Camilleri
Special Ministers
Quintus Diaz, Mario Camilleri, Marcella Fandino.

SUN 16TH JUNE 9AM
R Armando Bianco
Special Ministers
Mim Caruso, Mickie Cavka, Armando Bianco.

SUN 16TH JUNE 11AM
R Mark Royal
Special Ministers
Joseph Camenzuli, Carmen LaBruna, Teresa Taverna.

SUN 16TH JUNE 5.30PM
R Kerry Tieppo
Special Ministers
Kimberley D'Cruz, Frank Lee, Georgina Sant.

Music Group Rehearsals

This Week in the Parish

ST MARY MACKILLOP GROUP
To be advised

ST PAUL'S MUSIC GROUP
To be advised

Feast Days

Monday, 10th June
Mary, Mother of the Church

Tuesday, 11th June
St. Barnabas

Thursday, 13th June
St. Anthony Padua

Monday, 10th June
10.30am Prayer Group

Tuesday, 11th June
7.00pm Eucharistic Adoration
- St. Mary MacKillop

Wednesday, 12th June
7.00pm Legion of Mary
7.30pm St. Paul's Prayer Grp
7.30pm St Mary MacKillop Evening Prayer Grp

Thursday, 13th June
10.30am St Mary MacKillop Morning Prayer Grp

Friday, 14th June
4.45pm Children & Youth of Mary

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Entrance:

O Spirit, all embracing and counsellor all wise,
Unbounded splendour gracing a shoreless sea of skies;
Unfailing is your treasure, unfading your reward;
Surpassing worldly pleasure, the riches you afford.
Come stream of endless flowing, and rescue us from death;
Come, wind of springtime blowing, and warm us by your breath.

O beauty ever-blazing in flower, field and face,
You show yourself amazing in unexpected place.
We see you and remember what once our dreams had been;
You fan the glowing ember and kindle hope within.
Come fire of glory gracious, bless all who trust in you;
Undying flame tenacious, burn in your Church anew.

Come, passion's power holy, you insight here impart,
And give your servants lowly an understanding heart.
To know your care more clearly when faith and love are tried,
To seek you more sincerely when false ideals have died;
For vision we implore you, for wisdom's pure delight;
In prayer we come before you to wait upon your light!

Responsorial Psalm:

Lord, send out Your Spirit,
And renew the face of the earth.

SEQUENCE OF PENTECOST

Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
And from your celestial home.
Shed a ray of light divine!
Come, O Holy Spirit Come!
Come, O Father of the poor!
Come, O Source of all our store!
Come, within our bosoms shine!
Come, O Holy Spirit, Come!

You, of comforters the best;
You, the soul's most welcome guest;
Sweet refreshment here below;
Come, O Holy Spirit come!
In our labor, rest most sweet,
Grateful coolness in the heat;
Solace in the midst of woe.
Come, O Holy Spirit, come!

O most blessed Light divine,
May the Light within us shine,
And our inmost being fill!
Come, O Holy Spirit, come!
In your absence, we have naught,
Nothing good in deed or thought,
Nothing free from taint of ill.
Come, O Holy Spirit, come!

Heal our wounds, our strength renew
On our dryness, pour your dew
Wash the stains of guilt away
Come, O Holy Spirit come!
Bend the stubborn heart and will;
Melt the frozen, warm the chill
Guide the steps that go astray,
Come, O Holy Spirit come!

On the faithful who adore,
And confess you evermore,
In your sev'n-fold gift descend;
Come, O Holy Spirit come!
Give them virtue's sure reward;
Give them your salvation, Lord
Give them joys that never end,
Come, O Holy Spirit come!

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful
And kindle in them the fire of your love.
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Offertory:

Refrain:
Spirit, come, transform us.
Come be our breath, be our hope.
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Come be our breath, be our hope.

Deep in the womb of our heart
Reveal your presence, O God. **Refrain**

Draw us to share others' burdens,
Healing and loving with truth. **Refrain**

You are the one who unites us
In striving for justice, for peace. **Refrain**

Sing in our heart, be the dancer,
Birthing our love as we grow. **Refrain**

Communion:

There is a redeemer,
Jesus, God's own son,
Precious lamb of God, Messiah,
Holy one.

Refrain
Thank you, O Our Father,
For giving us your Son,
And leaving your Spirit
'til your work on earth is done.

Jesus my redeemer,
Name above all names,
Precious lamb of God, Messiah,
O for sinners slain. **Refrain.**

When I stand in glory,
I will see his face,
And there I'll serve my king forever,
In that holy place.

Refrain:

Thank you, O Our Father,
For giving us your Son,
And leaving your Spirit 'til
your work on earth is done.
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your work on earth is done.

Recessional:

Lord, the light of your love is shining,
In the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, Light of the World, shine upon us,
Set us free by the truth you now bring us.
Shine on me, shine on me.

Chorus:

Shine, Jesus, shine,
Fill this land with the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze,
Set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow,
Flood the nations with grace and mercy;
Send forth your word,
Lord, and let there be light.

Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
From the shadows into your radiance;
By the blood I may enter your brightness,
Search me, try me, consume all my darkness,
Shine on me, shine on me.

