

*St. Mary MacKillop
Church
Keilor Downs*



*St. Paul's
Church
Kealba*

PARISH OF ST MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B - 14th & 15th July, 2018

Jesus summoned the Twelve, and sent them out in pairs.



Jesus could have spread the Gospel, his message of eternal salvation to the whole world without any human help being needed. He could have, for instance, written the Gospel in the sky, over each country in its own language. Yet He chose the weaker, but more human way of evangelizing people, He sent their own countrymen to bring them the message.

God and Christ, is God, and gave us the gift that we call freewill, thus enabling us to choose between the alternatives.

God wants us to choose Heaven as our eternal home, but, He wants us to choose it without compulsion or coercion.

By Christ's own death, He has given us the chance of exercising our freewill, and therefore the chance of meriting Heaven.

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
<u>Reconciliation</u>	
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
<u>Reconciliation</u>	
Saturday	4pm—4.50pm

Entrance Antiphon:

In my justice I shall see your face, O Lord; when your glory appears, my joy will be full.

1st Reading:

Amos 7:12-15
Psalms 84:9-14

Responsorial Psalm:

Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation.

2nd Reading:

Ephesians 1:3-14

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!
May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called.
Alleluia!

Gospel:

Mark 6:7-13

Before Communion:

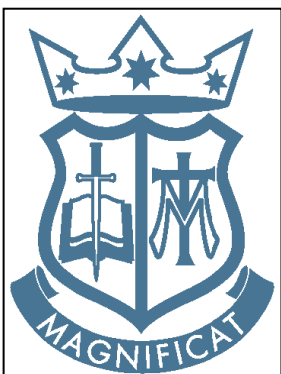
Lord, accept the gifts of your Church. May this eucharist help us grow in holiness and faith.

Communion Antiphon:

The sparrow even finds a home, the swallow finds a nest wherein to place her young, near to your altars, Lord of hosts, my King, my God! How happy they who dwell in your house! For ever they are praising you.

After Communion:

Lord, by our sharing in the mystery of this eucharist, let your saving love grow within us.

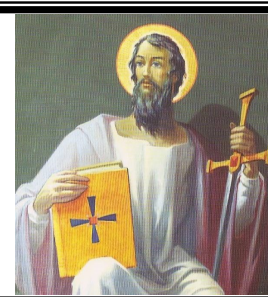


**ST. MARY
MACKILLOP**

*'Thank God for the way
God protected me
through all.'*

ST. PAUL

*'Before the world
was made,
he chose us in Christ.'*



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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St Paul's Charismatic Prayer Group

Invites all to join us, as we continue a 6 week DVD Seminar,
This Promise Is For You.

Powerful & Spiritual talks each week to open your hearts of life changing work of the Holy Spirit. Talks given by 2 very Gifted Powerful Speakers:

Michelle Moran- past -president of ICCRS, now memembr of the Pontifical Council to the laity and a Inspirational Evangelist for over 30 years.

Charles Whitehead- chairman of ICC; Past President ICCRS & Life Member of the NSC for Catholic Charismatic Renewal.

St Paul's Church, Kealba. Every Wednesday 20th June to 25th July at 7pm.

'JOONAFEKI!'

When I was younger I stopped genuflecting in church. Perhaps it was a reaction to old-fashioned pedagogy, but ever since then I have been inclined to just slide into the pew without bending my knee first, content to know that I am welcomed by the Lord and happy to be in God's house. But last week I was challenged to think again about the value of genuflecting. A friend whom I sometimes see at weekday Mass has a two year old son, Jack. I noticed that my friend has taught Jack to genuflect. He seems very proud of himself as he performs the action; he wobbles as he bends one knee and says in a loud voice 'Joonafeki!' (Two-year-old language for 'genuflect') I began to think about my own two year old child. Why was I not teaching her this little ritual? Surely this is all part of how children learn about their faith community, our beliefs and traditions, through copying the religious words and actions of their parents. And wasn't genuflection a sign of reverence for the Lord's presence? Didn't I want my child to grow up sensing the specialness of this sacred place? And knowing that her Mum was responsive to Christ's presence? At the end of Mass I walked over to my friend's pew to have a quiet word with my friend. As I stood next to her pew, little Jack looked at me expectantly and said loudly 'Joonafeki!' Dutifully (and a little rusty) I bobbed on one knee. Yes, Lord. Your lesson is clear. Taught by a two year old. (CP)

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UPCOMING SEMINAR

Pick up a flyer in the foyer. Great speakers coming to speak on wonderful topics in our upcoming New Life in God's Spirit Seminar. 8 consecutive weeks, beginning on Thursday, 2nd August. Meet in school area behind parish office of St. Mary MacKillop, see flyer for details. Enquiries: Christina 0431 955 975

THE LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is one of the largest apostolic organisations of lay people in the Catholic Church with approximately 10 million active members. Legion of Mary members have been gathering for their weekly meeting at Mary MacKillop for the last 20 years. Then during the week the members are required to do 2 hours of substantial assigned apostolic tasks with a colleague or staff member. Work includes religious education, taking

Our Lady's statue home to home, door to door evangelisation, soup kitchen, taking Rosary Home residents shopping.

For further information phone Juneanne 9366 7516.

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

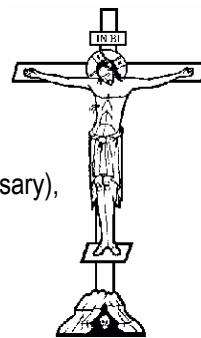
Tara Sciberras: 0403 100 733



In Remembrance...

Anniversaries:

Josephine Portelli,
Ana Kolic,
Rosetta Reale,
Madeline Tanti (20th Anniversary),
Julianne Tanti,
Carmela Scarpa,
Avis Le'Toille,
Rose & William Duffy,
Maria Durante, Edith Barwell, Marie Grierson,
Margaret Melder, Joseph Hursey, Josephine Hursey, Harold Levett, Dominic Hursey,
Carmen Portelli, Stipe Curcic, George Hursey,
Dominic Hursey, Dennis Levett, Antonietta & Lorenzo Falzon, Joyce & Denzil Mc Gulness,
Tania Rozario.



St Paul's Divine Mercy Prayer Group

Sunday 22 July and every Fourth Sunday of the Month 2.30pm. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 3.00pm Chaplet Rosary, Praise & Worship. Talk by Roman Sawko.

Topic: **Jesus and the woman at the well**

Our human tendency is to judge others. Jesus treats people as individuals ,accepting them with love and compassion. Do you dismiss certain people as lost causes, or do you see them as valuable in their own right, worthy of knowing about the gospel? - Come to the Living Water!

Concludes with Fellowship

Info: Rita 0435 956 226

Angela 0431 605 420

CLEANERS REQUIRED

Cleaners for St Mary MacKillop Church **urgently needed.** If you are available for approximately 1 hour

on a Friday morning (after Mass) to assist with the cleaning of the church, please contact the Parish Office on 9364 0440. Cleaners will be on a rostered basis. Light cleaning i.e. dusting, vacuuming and mopping/buffing only.



URGENTLY REQUIRED

**ST MARY MACKILLOP COUNTERS,
READERS & SPECIAL MINISTERS**

~ We need MORE help ~

If you are available to help with these vital ministries please contact the

Parish Office on 9364 0440.

All Counters, Readers and Special Ministers will be on a rostered basis.

LIFE, LOVE AND THE THEOLOGY OF THE BODY



Four Courses are being held in the different regions of Melbourne with our Parish being blessed to host the Western Region Course. Led by Fr Paul Chandler PhD and assisted by Andrew and Tara Sciberras, this course for young adults is an exciting and dynamic exploration of St John Paul II's Theology of the Body. We will meet on **Wednesday's** from **7:00-9:00 p.m.** commencing on the **4th of July** in the **Parish Office Building** across from St Mary MacKillop Church and run for approximately 10 weeks. If you wish to join us please register a.s.a.p. on: tinyurl.com/tobmelbform

If you have any questions please contact Andrew on:
0403 100 733

CHOIR PRACTICE

Will be held on
Monday 16TH of July at 7pm
At St. Mary MacKillop Church

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
St Paul's Choir: Hung 0402 171 733

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?"

Music Group Rehearsals	This Week in the Parish
ST MARY MACKILLOP GROUP Monday 16th July at 7pm	Monday, 16th July 10.30am Prayer Group
ST PAUL'S MUSIC GROUP To be advised	Tuesday, 17th July 7.00pm Eucharistic Adoration - St. Mary MacKillop
Feast Days	Wednesday, 18th July 7.00pm Legion of Mary 7.00pm St. Paul's Prayer Grp
Monday, 16th July Our Lady of Mount Carmel	Thursday, 19th July 10.30am St Mary MacKillop Morning Prayer Grp 7.30pm St Mary MacKillop Evening Prayer Grp
Friday, 20th July St. Apollinaris	Friday, 20th July 4.45pm Children & Youth of Mary
Saturday, 21st July St. Lawrence of Brindisi	

PRAYER GROUPS

MONDAY MORNING	THURSDAY MORNING
Following 9.30am Mass 10am Fellowship 10.30am - 11.30am Devotions	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
Join us in praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet 10am—10.30am	THURSDAY EVENING
WEDNESDAY EVENING	ST MARY MACKILLOP EVENING PRAYER GROUP Thursday, 19th July at 7.30pm, with Extended Praise & Worship, followed by Intercessory Prayer, and supper. All Welcome Enquiries: Christina 0431 955 975
ST PAUL'S CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP Join us for a 6 week DVD seminar This Promise Is For You Week 5— Fullness of Life Wednesday, 18th July 7pm Rosary, Praise, Worship & Seminar Concludes at 9pm with fellowship. Prayer ministry available. For more information call Doris: 9367 4126	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	LEGION OF MARY Wednesday 7.00pm in the Parish Meeting Room All Welcome
ST. PAUL'S ROSTER WEEKEND 21ST & 22ND JULY	ST. MARY MACKILLOP ROSTER WEEKEND 21ST & 22ND JULY
SAT 21ST JULY 6.30PM R Maurice Hammett Special Ministers D. Agius.	SAT 21ST JULY 5PM R Ginali Wickramasinghe Special Ministers Laurie Xerri, Marcella Fandino, Joe Camilleri.
SUN 22ND JULY 10AM R Hip Falcoa Special Ministers F. Mamo, F. Afuic.	SUN 22ND JULY 9AM R Hilda D'Souza Special Ministers Kathy Lindsay, Regina Duggan, Wayne Harrison.
St Mary MacKillop Cleaning	SUN 22ND JULY 11AM R Tara Sciberras Special Ministers Teresa Taverna, Glen D'Souza, Helen Sorokowski.
FRIDAY 20TH JULY Rita Haig Herwin Allen Millie Monteiro	SUN 22ND JULY 5.30PM R Julie Cassar Special Ministers Frank Lee, Keith Rodigo, Georgina Sant.
Counting Team	
COUNTING TEAM NO. 2: Joseph Barcellona Marita Tobin Mary Muscat Faye Colcao	

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY

Entrance:

Lord, you give the great commission:
 "Heal the sick and preach the word"
 Lest the church neglect its mission,
 And the Gospel go unheard,
 Help us witness to your purpose
 With renewed integrity;
 With the Spirit's gifts empower us
 For the work of ministry.

Lord, you call us to your service:
 "In your name baptize and teach"
 That the world may trust your promise,
 Life abundant meant for each,
 Give us all new fervour, draw us
 Closer in community:
 With the Spirit's gifts empower us
 For the work of ministry.

Lord, you make the common holy:
 "This my body, this my blood"
 Let us all, for earth's true glory,
 Daily lift life heaven-ward,
 Asking that the world around us
 Share your children's liberty;
 With the Spirit's gifts empower us
 For the work of ministry.

Responsorial Psalm:

Let us see your kindness Lord,
 Grant us your salvation.
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 Grant us your salvation.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia
 Glory to God who does wondrous things
 Let all the people God's praises now sing,

All of creation in splendour shall ring: Alleluia.
 Alleluia alleluia, alleluia.

Offertory:

"Go make of all disciples:"
 We hear the call, O Lord,
 That comes from you, our Father,
 In your eternal Word.
 Inspire our ways of learning
 Through earnest, fervent prayer,
 And let our daily living
 Reveal you ev'rywhere.

"Go make of all disciples."
 Baptising in the name
 Of Father, Son, and Spirit
 From age to age the same.
 We call each new disciple
 To follow you, O Lord,
 Redeeming soul and body
 By water and the Word.

"Go make of all disciples."
 We at your feet would stay
 Until each life's vocation
 Accents your holy way.
 We cultivate the nature
 God plants in ev'ry heart,
 Revealing in our witness
 The Master Teacher's art.

Communion:

Before the world began
 You were on His mind
 And every tear you cry
 Is precious in His eyes
 Because of His great love
 He gave His only Son
 Everything was done
 So you would come

Nothing you can do
 Could make Him love you more
 And nothing that you've done
 Could make Him close the door
 Because of His great love
 He gave His only Son
 Everything was done
 So you would come

Refrain:

Come to the Father
 Though your gift is small
 Broken hearts, broken lives
 He will take them all
 The power of the Word
 The power of His blood
 Everything was done
 So you would come (repeat refrain)

The power of the Word,
 The power of His blood,
 Everything was done
 So you would come








Recessional:

Go now you are sent forth
 To live what you proclaim;
 To show the world you follow Christ
 In fact not just in name.

Go now, you are sent forth
 To walk this troubled earth,
 To share your faith with other men,
 And prove your real worth.

Go now, you are sent forth
 As God's ambassador;
 By serving Him in those we meet,
 We love him more and more.

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