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St. Paul's Church Kealba

PARISH OF ST MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B - 10th & 11th November, 2018

St Paul'sWednesday9.30amThursday9.30amSaturday5:00 pm

MASS TIMES

(Latin) 6:30 pm

Sunday 8:00am

(Maltese) 10:00am

Reconciliation

Saturday 6:00pm

St Mary MacKillop

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



God In Whom We Trust

We must not be afraid to give, for Christ gave himself completely and will reward with salvation all those who are waiting for him.

In the second reading Christ offers himself only once to take the faults of many on himself. And he does not have to offer himself again and again, like the high priest going into the Sanctuary year after year with the blood that is not his own; or else he would have had to suffer over and over again since the world began. When Christ appears a second time, it will not be to deal with sin but to reward with salvation those who are waiting for him.

Entrance Antiphon:

Let my prayer come before you, Lord; listen, and answer me.

1st Reading:

1 Kings 17:10-16 Psalms 145:7-10

Responsorial Psalm:

Praise the Lord, my soul!

2nd Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28



Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs! Alleluia!

Gospel:

Mark 12:38-44

Before Communion:

God of mercy, in this eucharist we proclaim the death of the Lord. Accept the gifts we present and help us follow him with love, for he is Lord for ever and ever.

Communion Antiphon:

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. In green pastures he gives me rest, he leads me beside the waters of peace.

After Communion:

Lord, we thank you for the nourishment you give us through your holy gift. Pour out your Spirit upon us and in the strength of this food from heaven keep us single-minded in your service.



ST. MARY MACKILLOP

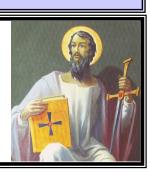
'Bear quietly with the defects that from time to time come under your notice.'

ST. PAUL

'Christ offered himself only once to take the faults of many on himself.'

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Safe Schools Program

The 'Safe Schools' program (also referred to as Minus 18 or Respectful relationships) has been operating in Victoria for some time now. It was marketed as an 'Anti bulling' program. However, it has been well recognised that it has nothing to do with bulling but rather sexualisation and gender identity issues. The Safe schools program is compulsory is all Victorian High schools and optional at the Primary school level. The Victorian Labor Government has publicly stated that this program will be compulsory at all levels in Government schools after the next State Election on 24 November 2018.

A question that is often asked is, does the Victorian Schools program really teach that your children may not be a boy or a girl? The Victorian Education Department Safe Schools website publishes a Guide to making schools safe and inclusive, see

http://www.education.vic.gov.au/ Documents/about/programs/ health/safeschoolsguide.docx

The Guide states 'it is important to challenge our thinking beyond binary constructs of male and female' and 'gender identity does not necessarily relate to the sex a person is assigned at birth' (pg 14) The Guide further states "Gender isn't quite as simple as whether you're male or female... it's up to the individual to describe what gender identity fits them best'. (pg34) The Year 11-12 Curriculum states the following:

"The need to disrupt the presumption that man and women are the only gender categories available"; and

"Those who self-identify with multiple genders and may move fluidly between being a boy or a girl" (pg 70 of Resilience, Rights & Respectful Relationships: Level 11-12)

Please also refer to the link below. The video shows a teacher speaking about the Safe Schools program and its dangers. We urge all parents/guardians and grandparents to view this video. https://youtu.be/TV7B8xrh3xY

The Victorian Opposition Liberal Party has a stated Public Policy to scrap the

'Safe Schools' program from all Victorian Government Schools.



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good works

Please note the next meeting of the SVDP Keilor Downs Conference is this coming Monday November 12^{th} , 7pm, at the St Mary of the Assumption Parish Centre.

In Remembrance...

During November we remember all our faithfully departed....

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We pray for those who are sick, especially Tayah and Gerlinde.

THANKSGIVING MASS-DECEMBER 6TH

On Thursday, December 6th, there will be a Thanksgiving Mass for ALL Prayer Groups of the Parish. Whether you are part of the prayer groups or not, if you have something to thank God for, come along to this mass.

7.15pm Divine Mercy Chaplet, 7.30pm Praise & Worship, 8.00pm Thanksgiving Mass Followed by fellowship and supper and Christmas Cheer.

All Welcome. Enquiries: Christina 0431 955 975

CHOIR PRACTICE

A warm invitation is extended to any parishioners who would like to join St Mary Mackillop Choir in celebrating Christmas in song.

There will be 5 Christmas Services-

Christmas Eve- 5pm and 8pm Midnight (carols at 11.30pm) Christmas Day-9am and 11am.

Rehearsals will be held on MONDAY, 3rd December (6.45pm start) Monday, 10th (7pm start) and Monday, 17th of December (7pm start)

A Christmas folder with all music and an accompanying CD will be issued at the first rehearsal to assist you with your practice.

If you would like to be part of this beautiful ministry, please contact Rosanna on 0425 751 230 so that a music folder can be prepared for you.

We look forward to welcoming you in celebrating this joyous celebration. Thank you.

CALLING ALL MEN

Our parish is inviting all men to attend a talk hosted by our parish Men's Group on Monday 26th of November. The key speaker will be our very own Fr Paul Chandler who will focus his talk on masculinity and fatherhood. The talk will take place at 7.30 pm in the staff room of St Mary MacKillop Primary School. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided. No need to register your interest just simply arrive on the night and bring a friend along. For any further information contact Julius on 0408 572 927.

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

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, 14th November

Join us in some prayer time with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament through Adoration.

7pm Rosary, Praise & Worship. Concludes at 9pm with fellowship.

> 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

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

THURSDAY EVENING

ST MARY MACKILLOP **EVENING PRAYER GROUP**

Thursday, 15th November

7.30pm Prayer & Praise 8.00pm DVD-Life to the Full-Bringing the Bible Alive Topic: Session 3 - Passion for Jesus

David Payne & Jenny Baker All Welcome **Enquiries:**

Christina 0431 955 975

LEGION OF MARY

Wednesday 7.00pm in the Parish Meeting Room All Welcome

ST. MARY MACKILLOP ROSTER

WEEKEND 17TH & 18TH NOV

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 17TH & 18TH NOV

SAT 17TH NOV 6.30PM R Marita Tobin

Special Ministers

O. Diaz.

SUN 18TH NOVEMBER 10AM

R Lidia Davies

Special Ministers

J. Mamo, S. Scerri,

St Mary MacKillop Cleaning

FRIDAY 16TH NOVEMBER

Mary Formosa Margo Harley

Pauline Portelli Mary Xuereb

Counting Team

COUNTING TEAM NO. 5:

Eddie Vassallo Chris Kisielewski Val Watson Sally Rodrigues Rachel Rodrigues

SAT 17TH NOVEMBER 5PM

R Ginali Wickramasinghe **Special Ministers**

Laurie Xerri, Marcella Fandino.

Joe Camilleri.

SUN 18TH NOVEMBER 9AM R Hilda D'Souza

Special Ministers

Wayne Harrison, Kathy Lindsay Regina Duggan.

SUN 18TH NOVEMBER 11AM

R Tara Sciberras

Special Ministers

Teresa Taverna, Glen D'Souza, Helen Sorokowski.

SUN 18TH NOV 5.30PM

Special Ministers

Frank Lee, Keith Rodigo, Georgina Sant.

Music Group Rehearsals

ST MARY MACKILLOP GROUP Monday 3rd Dec-6.45pm

ST PAUL'S MUSIC GROUP

To be advised

Feast Days

Monday, 12th November St. Josaphat

Saturday, 17th November

St. Elizabeth of Hungary

This Week in the Parish

Monday, 12th November 10.30am Praver Group

Tuesday, 13th November

7.00pm Eucharistic Adoration - St. Mary MacKillop

Wednesday, 14th November

7.00pm Legion of Mary 7.00pm St. Paul's Prayer Grp

Thursday, 15th November

10.30am St Mary MacKillop Morning Prayer Grp

7.30pm St Mary MacKillop **Evening Prayer Grp**

Friday, 16th November

4.45pm Children & Youth of Mary

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY

Entrance:

In Christ alone my hope is found. he is my light, my strength, my song: this cornerstone, this solid ground firm through the fiercest drought and storm.

What heights of love, what depths of peace.

when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!

My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless Babe! This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save. 'Till on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied. For every sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.

Responsorial Psalm:

Praise the Lord my soul! Praises to our God! Praise the Lord my soul! Praises to our God!

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! Happy the poor in spirit; The kingdom of heaven is theirs! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Offertory:

O God, you search me and you know me. All my thoughts lie open to your gaze. When I walk or lie down you are before

Ever the maker and keeper of my days.

You know my resting and my rising. You discern my purpose from afar, And with love everlasting you besiege me: In ev'ry moment of life or death, you are.

Before a word is on my tongue, Lord, You have known its meaning through and through.

You are with me beyond my understand-

God of my present, my past and future, too.

Communion:

Refrain:

Here I am, standing right beside you, Here I am; do not be afraid. Here I am, I'm your loving Father, I am here; here I am

Do not fear when the tempter calls you. Do not fear even though you fall. Do not fear, I have conquered evil. Do not fear, never be afraid. Refrain

I am here in the face of every child. I am here in every warm embrace. I am here with tenderness and mercy. Here I am, I am here, Refrain

I am here in the midst of every trial. I am here in the face of despair. I am here when pardoning your brother. Here I am, I am here. Refrain

Recessional:

Chorus:

Though the mountains may fall, And the hills turn to dust, Yet the love of the Lord will stand. As a shelter for all who will call on his

Sing the praise and the glory of God.

Could the Lord ever leave you? Could the Lord forget his love?

Though a mother forsake her child, He will not abandon you. Chorus

Should you turn and forsake him, He will gently call your name. Should you wander away from him, He will always take you back. Chorus

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