

HOLY SAVIOUR PARISH GLEN WAVERLEY NORTH 765 Highbury Road, Vermont South 3133 sbytery: 5 Sherwood Rise, Vermont South, 3133 Telephone: 9401 6340

Presbytery:

NEW Website: https://holysaviourparishvs.com.au/ Email: glenwaverleynorth@cam.org.au

Sunday Mass: 765 Highbury Road, Vermont South 3133 Weekend & Weekday Masses: Suspended Until Further Notice

Reconciliation: By Appointment Only

OUR VISION

Our Parish leads and supports all members on their journey of faith.

OUR MISSION

We welcome and engage everyone in our faith community at Holy Saviour so that all may feel at home.

We provide opportunities for people to encounter God through liturgy and community.

We actively live God's message of love and justice in a way that is relevant for today.

PARISH PRIEST

Rev Fr Julian Langridge Julian.langridge@cam.org.au

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mr Steve Evans principal@hsvs.catholic.edu.au

PARISH PRAYER

God of all creation, may your Spirit inspire us to do your will. Bless us in your service, strengthen us in our support of each other. Unite us as we grow in faith and love, to be a welcoming, caring community, enabling all to flourish, especially our children and the most vulnerable. This we pray in the name of our Holy Saviour, Jesus Christ, the Lord. Amen.

SUNDAY 4TH OCTOBER 2020—27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

RECENTLY DECEASED: Monsignor Anthony Kevin Toms PE; Maureen Berenger

ANNIVERSARIES: Giacomina Mazza, Antonio Gangi, Bryan Sowersby, Geoff Miller, Rosa Terzigni, Noel Newson, William Ryan, Frank Murphy

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Paul Payne, Maria George, Loretta Snell, Brian Murphy, Aleena Schekla, Jim Timbs, Naresh David, Pat Young, Xavier Da Gama, Lily Rose

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Rosemarie Lawrenson Tracey Langridge Terri Hosking Alan Douglas Dirk Douglas

CELEBRATING WORLD MISSION MONTH

October is recognised in the Catholic Church as World Mission Month, a time when Catholics all over the world join to support and celebrate global missionary work <u>Catholic Mission</u>, as the Australian arm of the Pontifical Mission Societies, plays a vital role.

What Catholic Mission and the international network of Pontifical Mission Societies can do, is to help some of the most vulnerable people in the world', says Catholic Mission Victorian Director, Kevin Meese. This year we focus on the essential work of priests, religious and lay missionaries in Cambodia, supporting people with disability and their families.'

> **World Mission Sunday is on** 18 October 2020

Holy Saviour Parish acknowledges & respects the Wurundjeri, the traditional custodians of this land.



Every day we must let Christ transform us and conform us to him. ... The temptation to set God aside in order to put ourselves at the center is always at the door, and the experience of sin injures our

Christian life, our being children of God.

Pope Francis

COLLECTIONS FOR WEEK BEGINNING

MONDAY21/09/20 TO SUNDAY 27/09/20: 2020 Current Weekly Pledge: \$3119.09 1st Collection (Presbytery) includes cash, direct debits & credit cards: \$360.00

2nd Collection (Thanksgiving Envelopes): \$ 2nd Collection (Credit Cards/Direct Debits): \$470.00 TWIG Box: Received for month of JUNE: \$20.00

Thank you for your ongoing financial support of the Presbytery & Thanksgiving Collections during these difficult times.

THE COMBINED CATHOLIC PARISHES RAFFLE 2020

The Combined Parishes Raffle 2020 has finally conclude for this year. Due to the Covid restrictions the raffle was granted permission to be drawn Saturday evening, <u>26 September 2020</u>, via a ZOOM meeting, which I and numerous others attended.

Though we tried our best, no tickets sold through the Holy Saviour community jumped from the barrel. A big THANK YOU to Fr. Dillon and Christina Liew, St. Simon's Parish, for arranging the conclusion of this years raffle.

It was sad that all of us parish participants weren't allowed to be physically present.

Congratulations to the various winners shown below.

Prize <u>No</u>	<u>Prizes</u>	Ticket No	<u>Parish</u>
1	Suzuki Beleno	032770	Good Shepherd, Mulgrave
2	Suzuki Beleno	095457	St Patrick's, Lilydale
3	Suzuki Beleno	049753	Our Lady of the Pines, Donvale
4	\$1000 Coles/Myer Gift Card	083496	Our Holy Redeemer, Surrey Hills
5	\$1000 Coles/Myer Gift Card	011368	Clairvaux Primary School, Belmont
6	\$500 Coles Myer Gift Card	024215	Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Dromana
7	\$500 Coles Myer Gift Card	069241	St Damian's, Bundoora
8	\$500 Coles Myer Gift Card	077953	Resurrection Parish, Keysborough
9	\$500 Coles Myer Gift Card	109047	St Simon's, Rowville
10	\$500 Coles Myer Gift Card	077525	Resurrection Parish, Keysborough
11	\$500 Coles Myer gift Card	092015	St Michael's, Ashburton
12	\$500 Coles Myer Gift Card	056036	St Scholastica, Bennettswood
13	\$500 Coles Myer Gift Card	015841	St Agatha's, Cranbourne
14	\$500 Coles Myer Gift Card	069696	St Damian's, Bundoora

A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL WHO PARTICIPATED!

A special **THANK YOU** to all my assistants; early on at the masses, the parish staff, the school staff, and to those of you who purchased tickets. Thank you!

Ed Lemanski
Parish Raffle Coordinator

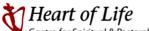
EMMAUS COLLEGE VIRTUAL INFORMATION SESSION 5 OCTOBER 2020 6PM. 7PM OR 8PM

Limited places available for each session www.emmaus.vic.edu.au

Years 7-12, 503 Springvale Road, Vermont South Y9@E, 285Warrigal Road, Burwood 9845 3211

HUMOUR:

Two guys are walking through a game park & they come across a lion that has not eaten for days. The lion starts chasing the two men. They run as fast as they can and the one guy starts getting tired and decides to say a prayer, "Please turn this lion into a Christian, Lord." He looks to see if the lion is still chasing and he sees the lion on its knees. Happy to see his prayer answered, he turns around and heads towards the lion. As he comes closer to the lion, he hears the it saying a prayer: "Thank you Lord for the food I am about to receive."



Centre for Spiritual & Pastoral Formation

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'PONDERING GRIEF - REFLECTION EVENT VIA ZOOM', Saturday 17 October 2020, 10am-1pm (AEST).

Facilitated by Counsellor/Supervisor/Educator Linda Espie, this event provides the opportunity to reflect on and honour our inner life of change and transition. With creative, space and gentle guiding support, this

workshop will offer a sacred place for the breadth of human experiencing and spirit to guide individual exploration. Limited to 10 participants.

Cost \$30. Bookings and payment via Trybooking at https://www.trybooking.com/BLUEA
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and other precautions

Contact the school office on 9803 6828 to arrange a virtual or onsite tour or to find out more.

LITURGY, PRAYER, PASTORAL CARE AND PANDEMICS

The COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted our experiences of liturgy and public prayer as never before. Providing pastoral care to the sick and dying in high-risk environments alongside health professionals engaged in medical care, has necessitated the development of innovative approaches to this vital work.

The ACU Centre for Liturgy will examine this current reality in "Liturgy, Prayer, Pastoral Care and Pandemics," a free public lecture presented live online from New York, USA by Sr Professor Julia Upton rsm of St John's University (New York) on

Monday 12 October via Zoom. 10-11.30am (AEDT)

The zoom link will be provided on 9 October to those who have registered.

Registration is essential for this free lecture www.acu.edu.au/LectureUpton

For more information contact the ACU Centre for Liturgy, centreforliturgy@acu.edu.au

POSITIONS VACANT

Applications are invited from suitably qualified and experienced people for the positions of:

- Business Analyst Client Services, Catholic Development Fund
- Financial Controller (12-month contract), Catholic Development Fund
- Dean, St Mary's College, Melbourne University

Further details of the above positions can be found on the Archdiocese website at: https://cam.org.au/human-resources/vacancies/



RUSSELL DAVIS "UNITE TO FIGHT CANCER"

Once again, I have taken on the Peter Mac Unite to Fight Cancer fundraising challenge, with all

funds raised benefitting Peter Mac, Australia's largest cancer hospital, and home to Australia's largest cancer research group.

I will be walking 60 Kms over ten days (15th to 24th October) to show I stand with those battling cancer.

If you would like to donate to my effort, please log on to:

www.unitetofightcancer.org.au,

select 'Sponsor Someone' from the menu bars, enter my name and follow the prompts.

Thank you very much, Russell.



PLENARY COUNCIL

If not for the COVID-19 pandemic, delegates from across Australia would be descending on Adelaide this weekend for the opening assembly

of the Plenary Council. The pandemic has put people's lives on hold in many ways, and the Council is no different.

With just 12 months to go until the rescheduled first assembly in October 2021, and with cautious optimism that the impacts of COVID-19 are abating, dioceses across the country are resuming their local engagement with the Plenary Council.

What are the National Themes for Discernment?

After the analysis was carried out on the submissions sent in from the Listening and Dialogue stage of the Plenary Council journey, the National Council for Pastoral Research conducted qualitative analysis on these submissions to group them into categories that had similar aspects. After reflection and prayer, the six "National Themes for Discernment" emerged.

In looking at the National Themes for Discernment for the Plenary Council journey, we are asking all Australians to communally discern how God is calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is:

- * Missionary and evangelising
- Inclusive, participatory and synodal
 - * Praverful and Eucharistic
 - * Humble, healing and merciful
- * A joyful, hope-filled and servant community
 - * Open to conversion, renewal and reform

People are encouraged to continue to consider, reflect on and discuss those themes from a local and national perspective as we move towards the Plenary Council assemblies.

https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/

FIRST READING: Is 5:1-7

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

Let me sing to my friend the song of his love for his vineyard. My friend had a vineyard on a fertile hillside. He dug the soil, cleared it of stones, and planted choice vines in it. In the middle he built a tower, he dug a press there too. He expected it to yield grapes, but sour grapes were all that it gave. And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and men of Judah, I ask you to judge between my vineyard and me. What could I have done for my vineyard that I have not done? I expected it to yield grapes. Why did it yield sour grapes instead? Very well, I will tell you what GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: I am going to do to my vineyard: I will take away its hedge for it to be grazed on, and knock down its wall for it to be trampled on. I will lay it waste, unpruned, undug; overgrown by the briar and the thorn. I will command the clouds to rain no rain on it. Yes, the vineyard of the Lord of hosts is the House of Israel, and the men of Judah that chosen plant. He expected justice, but found bloodshed, integrity, but only a cry of distress

The word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 79:9. 12-16. 19-20. R. Is

R. The vineyard of the Lord is the House of Israel.

You brought a vine out of Egypt; to plant it you drove out the nations. It stretched out its branches to the sea, to the Great River it stretched out its shoots. (R.)

Then why have you broken down its walls? It is plucked by all who pass by. It is ravaged by the boar of the forest, devoured by the beasts of the field. (R.)

God of hosts, turn again, we implore, look down from heaven and see. Visit this vine and protect it, the vine your right hand has planted. (R.)

And we shall never forsake you again: give us life that we may call upon your name. God of hosts, bring us back; let your face shine on us and we shall be saved. (R.)

SECOND READING: Phil 4:6-9

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians

There is no need to worry; but if there is anything you need, pray for it, asking God for it with prayer and thanksgiving, and that peace of God, which is so much greater than we can understand, will guard your hearts and your thoughts, in Christ Jesus. Finally, brothers, fill your minds with everything that is true, everything that is noble, everything that is good and pure, everything that we love and honour, and everything that can be thought virtuous or worthy of praise. Keep doing all the things that you learnt from me and have been taught by me and have heard or seen that I do. Then the God of peace will be with you.

The word of the Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia! I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Mt 21:33-43

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people, 'Listen to another parable. There was a man, a landowner, who planted a vineyard; he fenced it round, dug a winepress in it and built a tower; then he leased it to tenants and went abroad. When vintage time drew near he sent his servants to the tenants to collect his produce. But the tenants seized his servants, thrashed one, killed another and stoned a third. Next he sent some more servants, this time a larger number, and they dealt with them in the same way. Finally he sent his son to them. "They will respect my son," he said. But when the tenants saw the son, they said to each other, "This is the heir. Come on, let us kill him and take over his inheritance." So they seized him and threw him out of the vineyard and killed him. Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?' They answered, 'He will bring those wretches to a wretched end and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will deliver the produce to him when the season arrives.' Jesus said to them, 'Have you never read in the scriptures:

It was the stone rejected by the builders that became the keystone. This was the Lord's doing and it is wonderful to see?

'I tell you, then, that the kingdom of God will be taken from you and given to a people who will produce its fruit.'

The Gospel of the Lord.