



## HOLY SAVIOUR PARISH GLEN WAVERLEY NORTH

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**WEEKEND MASS TIMES**  
Saturday 6.00pm, Sunday 10.00am

**Livestream Saturday 6.00pm**

**WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:**

Wednesday & Friday: 9.15am

**Reconciliation: By Appointment or after 9.15am mass on Wednesday & Friday**

### 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

Fr Ralph Besterwitch SAC  
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### SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mr. Steve Evans  
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### 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 23RD OCTOBER 2022—30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME-YEAR C

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Marion Kading (*Helen Edwards' sister*)

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Bernie Gallagher, Ettore Merolli, Dorothy Schofield, Mary Sowersby, Barry Dobson, Joe De Marco, Liz Freeman-Hume, Roger Godson, Sue Dick, Bryant De Neise

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:** Stephen Greene, Brian Osborne, Aidan Carroll, Edith Cheong, Graeme Potter, Pat Young

*This weekend, we welcome back our former Parish Priest, Fr Gerry McKernan.  
Welcome back, Fr Gerry*



### BAPTISM:

We welcome into our Parish community:

*Liam David Hay*

who will be baptised this weekend.

Please keep the family in your prayers.

### All Saints Day

Tuesday 1st November 2122— 9.15am

@ St. Christopher's

### All Souls Day

Wednesday 2nd November—9.15am & 7.00pm

@ Holy Saviour

### CATHOLIC MISSION WORLD MISSION SUNDAY—23 OCTOBER 2022 BUILD BRIGHTER FUTURES FOR FAMILIES IN EMDIBIR

THIS week, Catholic Mission will share the continued vision of Fr Habte and how, through the Goat Rearing Centre, many other families living in poverty are able to access agricultural training and employment that they would otherwise be unable to.

Please give generously this weekend to help continue this program by using the appeal envelope (*available in the church foyer*); going on online at [catholicmission.org.au/families](http://catholicmission.org.au/families)

There will be a Special Collection for World Mission Sunday at all masses this weekend.



### VISITING FR JULIAN @ WARBURTON Thursday 3rd November

Kevin McDermott is organizing a visit to Fr Julian with the Parish Bus. The Parish Bus will be leaving from the Parish carpark at **9.30am**, Thursday 3 November.

Please bring your own lunch (*or BBQ facility is available, please bring your own meat*) & drink. If you would like to attend, please leave your details with Kevin 0422 296 819

The Parish Bus seats **11** people, if there are too many numbers, names will be drawn out.

### MEMORIAL MASS (ALL SOULS DAY) 2ND NOVEMBER 2022 7.00PM IN THE HALL



All are warmly welcomed to join in the candle lighting ceremony in memory of family, friends or parishioners who have died.

Please stay for a cuppa afterwards and share your memories with members of the Bereavement Group.

### REGULAR MORNING TEA & A CHAT

All parishioners are invited to stay for a cuppa & a chat after the Sunday 10.00am mass.  
All are welcome.



### PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Meets 1st Thursday of the month.  
Next meeting is on **THURSDAY 3RD NOVEMBER 2022**

9.30am till 11.00am in the Chapel  
Plain knitting skills is all that is required.  
If you or someone you know are facing one of life's many challenges, having a shawl might make a positive difference.

Enquiries: Maree 0402 043 164

### OVER 39ERS/SENIORS GROUP

The next gathering will be on  
**Wednesday 9th November 2022**  
**12.00pm @ Holy Saviour**

### HOLY SAVIOUR PARISH FEAST DAY SUNDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2022

There will be **NO** Saturday 6.00pm mass on  
Saturday 12 November.  
The Sunday mass will be celebrated as normal at  
10.00am on Sunday 13 November.

### HOLY SAVIOUR PARISH MINI FEST SATURDAY 12TH NOVEMBER MINI FEST, 2.00PM-6.00PM TWILIGHT CINEMA FROM 7.30PM

#### DONATIONS FOR THE BAR

We are seeking donations of light beer, sparkling wine and white wine for the Mini Fest Bar. If you are able to support and contribute to the bar - the committee is requesting that all alcohol is dropped on the Friday before the Mini Fest, Friday 11th November 2022

If you are able to support, please email the festival committee **by the 2nd November**, this will allow us to work out what we need to purchase and how we can raise the funds to support and make our bar successful.

#### TREASURE STALL

There will be a Treasure Stall (treasure not trash) this year at the Holy Saviour Mini Fest. This is a great way to start a spring clean! If you have items that are still in good condition but you no longer need or want them please feel free to donate - dates will be set for collection throughout term 4, for anyone wanting to donate. Donations can only be accepted during the specified drop off times. **No donations can be left at the school office. Please also note that if donated items cannot be relocated to a good home you will be asked to take them back as we do not have the capacity to store or dispose of items.**

Please feel free to contact Vivien (Stall Leader) if

### BIBLE STUDY: THE BIBLE TIMELINE

By Gwen O'Brien

On Thursdays at 7.30pm in the Cenacle

**St Christopher's Parish**

Dates as follows:

October: 27th

November: 3rd, 10th, 17th & 24th

Also, sessions conducted via zoom on

Saturday @ 10.00am

Zoom link:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81708433156?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81708433156?pwd=aTYwN0N1cTVQZzJIU25hWkZ6aDNoQT09)  
[pwd=aTYwN0N1cTVQZzJIU25hWkZ6aDNoQT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81708433156?pwd=aTYwN0N1cTVQZzJIU25hWkZ6aDNoQT09)

### 1ST COLLECTION (PRESBYTERY OFFERING)

to be taken up after the **homily** is for the  
Presbytery Account, which supports not only  
Fr Ralph, but also supports the other priests in our  
Parish.

### 2ND COLLECTION (THANKSGIVING OFFERING)

will be taken up immediately after the **Prayers of the Faithful**. All monies from this collection go towards meeting the running costs of the Parish and paying off debt

Safeguarding is Everyone's Responsibility.  
Holy Saviour Parish is committed to the safety, well-being and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

you require on 0433 472 227  
Drop off dates below—in the parish car park:

**Wednesday 12.00pm - 1.00pm:**

26th November, 9th November

**Saturday 1.00pm - 2.00pm:**

22nd October, 5th November

### BOOKSTALL

The St Vincent de Pau Group will be operating the bookstall at the Holy Saviour Mini Fest. We welcome your donation of surplus books, either hard cover or paperback. Also, unwanted CDs or DVDs would be appreciated.

**We are unable to accept:** school textbooks, encyclopaedias, Reader's Digest condensed books, DIY series or videos.

Books may be left in the church foyer.

### SPONSORSHIP

Do you or someone you know own a business? Would you or they be interested in sponsoring part of the Mini-Fest? If so please contact Denise on 0414 990 344 or via email: [hspcommunityfestival@gmail.com](mailto:hspcommunityfestival@gmail.com)

### TICKETS

Via QR code or at [www.trybooking.com/CCGJX](http://www.trybooking.com/CCGJX)



*As always, thank you for your support!*

Dear Parishioners,

*It is now little over a year since I began my ministry at Holy Saviour Parish. During this time I have had the opportunity of getting to know some of you at a personal level, and getting to know the parish better.*

*My observations so far:*

- Because we do not have a leadership team that looks into pastoral planning and initiatives that flow from it, some things fall through the cracks.
- There are some who have a leadership role, but have been doing it for a long time. For want of the right guidance/support, they are not able to get the best out of their members.
- There are some who are quite involved, and many others who are not engaged in any ministry/group. (And I'm not thinking of those who no longer have the energy).
- Then there are others who don't step up, because they think they can't fit in.

*It would be wonderful if our parish could become more 'Alive', where all feel they have something to contribute and help to make things happen.*

*So the first thing we will do is reconstitute the Parish Pastoral Council. We want this leadership group to be an active and dynamic one. This group will be tasked with planning pastoral initiatives, organizing community events, supporting existing ministries and groups and reviewing and revitalizing other aspects of parish life.*

*The PMC going forward, will deal with matters of finance, and managing building/property maintenance issues. We will delink from PMC all matters/issues that come under the purview of PPC. For all practical purposes the PMC will be more a Finance and Admin committee, helping with the proper management of our material resources, and looking at creative ways to keep Holy Saviour financially healthy.*

*These proposals were discussed at our last PMC meeting and there was unanimous agreement among the members. The actual change will happen once we find the right people for PPC.*

I look forward to any feedback that you think could be useful. Please leave your feedback into the suggestion box located in the church foyer. Thank You.

*Fr Ralph*

Congratulations and many blessings to  
Father Ralph for your  
39th Ordination Anniversary  
Tuesday 25th October 2022

**125<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF CONSECRATION  
ST PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL**

As we celebrate our 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary year as a diocese – we also mark a significant milestone for our Cathedral.

Archbishop Comensoli warmly invites you to join him for Mass to celebrate the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Consecration of St Patrick's

**Thursday 27 October 2022  
at St Patrick's Cathedral,  
commencing at 1.00pm.**

This is a beautiful opportunity to come together in the house of the Lord – built by the faithful and generous people from every part of our Archdiocese, and home for all. Mass will be followed by the Launch of the **Catholic Precinct Walking Tour App**, an initiative of the Mary Glowrey Museum.

**The Society of the Divine Word Australia Province  
and  
The Trinh Family**

**Warmly Invite You to Join In Celebration of:**

**The Ordination to the Priesthood of**

**Tin Minh Trinh SVD**

Conferred by Tim Norton SVD  
Auxiliary Bishop of Archdiocese of Brisbane

**SATURDAY, 19TH NOVEMBER 2022  
10.30AM**

**The First Thanksgiving Mass**

**SUNDAY, 20TH NOVEMBER 2022  
10.30AM**

**St Christopher's Parish  
5 Doon Avenue, Glen Waverley**

**ANTI-POVERTY WEEK, 16-22 OCTOBER 2022**

This week is also Anti-Poverty Week, an opportunity to deepen our understanding of poverty and to think about the ways we might respond—another important aspect of our mission to proclaim God's love.

Organisations such as Vinnies Australia are calling on all parliamentarians to halve the rate of child poverty by 2030.

For more information on what you can do, go to

<https://antipovertyweek.org.au/>

**FIRST READING: Sirach 35:15-17, 20-22**

A reading from the book of Sirach.

The Lord is the judge,  
and with him there is no partiality.  
He will not show partiality to the poor  
but he will listen to the prayer of one who is wronged.  
The Lord will not ignore the supplication  
of the orphan,  
or the widow when she pours out her complaint.  
The one whose service is pleasing to the Lord  
will be accepted,  
and the prayer of such a person  
will reach to the clouds.  
The prayer of the humble pierces the clouds;  
it will not rest until it reaches its goal,  
it will not desist until the Most High responds  
and does justice for the righteous,  
and executes judgment.  
Indeed, the Lord will not delay.

The word of the Lord.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 34:1-2, 16-17, 18+22**

**R.**      *The Lord hears the cry of the poor.*

I will bless the Lord at all times;  
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.  
My soul makes its boast in the Lord;  
let the humble hear and be glad.

The face of the Lord is against evildoers,  
to cut off the remembrance of them from the earth.  
When the righteous cry for help, the Lord hears,  
and rescues them from all their troubles.

The Lord is near to the brokenhearted;  
and saves the crushed in spirit.  
The Lord redeems the lives of his servants;  
none of those who take refuge in him  
will be condemned.

**R.**      *The Lord hears the cry of the poor.*

**SECOND READING: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18**

A reading from the second letter of Paul to Timothy.

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation,  
and the time of my departure has come.  
I have fought the good fight;  
I have finished the race;  
I have kept the faith.  
From now on there is reserved for me  
the crown of righteousness,  
which the Lord, the righteous judge,  
will give me on that day, and not only to me,  
but also to all who have longed for his appearing.  
At my first defense no one came to my support,  
but all deserted me.  
May it not be counted against them!  
But the Lord stood by me  
and gave me strength,  
so that through me the message  
might be fully proclaimed  
and all the Gentiles might hear it.  
So I was rescued from the lion's mouth.  
The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack  
and save me for his heavenly kingdom.  
To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: 2 Corinthians 5.19**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
God was in Christ,  
to reconcile the world to himself;  
and the good news of reconciliation  
he has entrusted to us.  
Alleluia!

**GOSPEL: Luke 18:9-14**

*The tax collector went home justified;  
not so the Pharisee.*

**ROSTERS FOR 29/30 OCTOBER 2022**

**READINGS: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time:** Wis 11.22-12.2, Resp Psalm: Ps 145.1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13cd-14 (**R.** *I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.*); 2nd Reading: 2 Thess 1.11-2.2; Gospel: Lk 19.1-10

|   | <b>6.00PM</b>                               | <b>10.00AM</b>  |
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| <b>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF THE EUCHARIST:</b> | John Battista                               | Carmel Adams    |
| <b>LECTORS:</b>                                 | John McCarthy                               | Ollie Armstrong |
| <b>MASS CO-ORDINATORS:</b>                      | Barry Hay                                   | Felix Carroll   |
| <b>MUSIC:</b>                                   | Joe & Bernadette                            | Choir           |
| <b>HALL CLEANING TEAM 8:</b>                    | *Larry Dent, Gerard Lavery, Kevin McDermott |                 |
| <b>COUNTERS:</b>                                | Joe Yardin, Carmel Grosseck                 |                 |
| <b>SACRISTANS:</b>                              | Margaret Dietrich, Maureen Gleeson          |                 |