

St. Jude the Apostle Parish-

49 George St, Scoresby

"In a spirit of Pastoral outreach, we, the people of the Parish, are called to serve with joy."

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time—5th and 6th of July 2025



Gospel Reflection – Luke 10:1–9

"The harvest is rich, but the labourers are few."

In today's Gospel, Jesus sends out seventy-two disciples to go ahead of Him, carrying peace, healing, and the Good News of the Kingdom. He gives them simple, yet powerful instructions—travel lightly, rely on the hospitality of others, and above all, bring peace.

This passage reminds us that we, too, are sent—each of us, in our daily lives, is called to be a witness to Christ through small acts of faith, kindness, and service. The world is longing for healing and hope, and Jesus is still calling disciples to go out and meet that need.

We may not feel ready or worthy, but just like the seventy-two, we go with His blessing and His strength—not our own. Let us be willing to answer the call, trusting that He will work through us, wherever we are planted.

"Say to them, 'The Kingdom of God has come near to you.'"
May our words and actions make that truth known.

With Every Blessing, Fr Jerald.

New Projector -Thank You for Your Generosity

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all those who so generously donated towards the purchase of the new screen for our church. Your kindness and support have made a real difference to our parish community. The new screen will enhance our liturgies, presentations, and gatherings—helping us stay connected and engaged as a faith family.

Thank you once again for your generosity and continued commitment to the life of our parish.

NAIDOC Week 2025 – 6th to 13th July

This year we mark the 50th anniversary of NAIDOC Week, a significant milestone in the ongoing journey of honouring the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples—the first custodians of this land.

The 2025 theme, "The Next Generation: Strength, Vision & Legacy," calls us to reflect on the enduring strength of our Elders, the hopes of today's youth, and the importance of passing on a legacy of truth, culture, and resilience.

As a parish community, we are invited to join in this national celebration by acknowledging the sacred connection First Nations peoples have with the land and their continued contribution to Australia's cultural, spiritual, and social fabric. "The harvest is rich, but the labourers are few." (Luke 10:2) – May we each play our part in building God's kingdom of unity and love.

Fr Jerald away and Weekday Masses

During Fr Jerald's absence, please note the following
our weekday masses will be as follows

Wednesdays :

Mass at
9.15am

Thursdays:

Mass at 9.15am

Fridays:

Communion Service at
9.15am

MASS TIMES:

Week Days:

Wed, Thu & Fri 9.15am

Weekends:

Sat 6pm, Sun 8.30 & 10.30am

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**Baptisms—1st SUN of the
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contact the parish office

SERVICES

Community Centre

Parish Office: 9763 7302

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Combined Youth Mass – All Are Welcome!

We are excited to share that our Combined Youth Mass will be held every Sunday at St Simon's Church at 5.00pm.

These Masses are specially celebrated for the youth of both our parishes, offering a space to come together in prayer, music, and fellowship.

We warmly invite all young people and their families to join us each Sunday at 5:00 PM, as we celebrate faith and community in a vibrant and welcoming environment.

Come, be inspired, and be part of something meaningful!

Thank You – Project Compassion

A heartfelt thank you to all parishioners who gave so generously towards Project Compassion this year. Your compassion and support will go a long way in helping vulnerable communities both here and abroad.

For those who requested receipts, they are now available for collection from the Parish Office at your convenience.

Thank you once again for your generosity and commitment to living out the spirit of Lent through action and love.



Name Badges – Together we are St Jude's

There have been several requests to reinstate the wearing of name badges at Mass and other parish events. Parishioners enjoy the opportunity to greet people at the beginning of Mass and knowing the person's name could foster a greater connection and encourage new friendships. Name badges can be particularly beneficial for newcomers and visitors, making it easier for them to connect with regular parishioners and feel welcome in the community.

If you still have a name badge, please dust it off and wear it. If you have mislaid your badge or have never had one and wish to sign up for a new badge, please take a moment to write your name clearly on the sign-up sheet located in the church foyer. A name badge will be created and will be available for you to collect in the foyer within a week or two.

So that you have your badge with you each time you come to church, your car is the ideal place to leave it.



International Food Festival – Save the Date!

We are excited to announce that on **Sunday, 9th November**, St Jude's Parish will be holding an **International Food Festival** following the **10.30am Mass**.

Come and enjoy a wonderful celebration of the diverse cultures within our parish community through food, fellowship, and fun! Bring your family and friends along—there will be something for everyone.

VISIT TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

"Prayer and faith are what allows us not to give up."
- Sr. Emanujila Vishka, OSBM

We ask for the peace and grace of Eternal Life for those who have recently died and those whose memories are sacred to us at this time especially Michelle Lothian, Angela Jospeh, Elizabeth Rowbotto, Mary Azzopardi, Paula Grima, Philomena McDonald, Emily M Callander, Joyce Wallace, Maria Salomone, Charles W Jackson, Fiona D Johnstone, Leo Espino, Luigi Di Bianco, Christian Pasnian, Giovanni Costabile, Hendrikus T. J. Van Der Preet, Jack Dwyer, John Dwwyr, Julie Pasnin, Phyllis Craig, Vincenzo Pastura.

Vinnies Winter Appeal – this June and July

As the cold winter months approach, many individuals and families in our community will be struggling to stay warm, fed, and safe. The Vinnies Winter Appeal, taking place throughout the month of June and July, is our opportunity to extend compassion and practical help to those doing it tough.

This appeal is an essential fundraiser for St Vincent de Paul, helping to provide emergency accommodation, warm clothing, food, and support services to people experiencing homelessness and hardship. Your generosity through financial contributions can bring warmth and dignity to someone in need this winter.

Let us continue to live out our faith in action. Please consider how you might support the Winter Appeal this winter.

In the foyer, you will find some envelopes and a box to deposit any donation that you can kindly give.

Thank you all so much for your invaluable support of Vinnies.

The knitting group

will take place

Wednesday **16th July** at
the **Parish reception**
Centre at **9.30am-11am.**

Enquiries: **Maureen**
0417 634 600



New Thanksgiving Envelopes

Thank you to all who responded to our recent Parish Thanksgiving Campaign. If you requested a new set of Thanksgiving envelopes, they are now available for collection in the church foyer.

We are grateful for your ongoing support and commitment to the life of our parish. If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact the Parish Office.

There are still envelopes to be collected in the foyer. Please kindly collect your envelopes this weekend.

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as we share exciting details
of our forthcoming production
and welcome your participation



Celebrate the 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF COG THEATRE!

3pm, Saturday 26 July 2025

St Roch's Primary School Hall,
200 Burke Road, Glen Iris, Vic 3146

Please register your attendance on trybooking for catering purposes at
www.trybooking.com/DBRJU

ST SIMONS AND ST JUDES
YOUNG ADULTS [AGES: 18 - 35]

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📅 27th July 2025

🕒 after St Jude's 10:30am mass

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Readings for 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time—5th and 6th of July 2025

First Reading : Isaiah 66: 10-14

Rejoice, Jerusalem, be glad for her, all you who love her!
 Rejoice, rejoice for her, all you who mourned her!
 That you may be suckled, filled, from her consoling breast, that you may savour with delight her glorious breasts. For thus says the Lord:
 Now towards her I send flowing peace, like a river, and like a stream in spate the glory of the nations.
 At her breast will her nurslings be carried and fondled in her lap. Like a son comforted by his mother will I comfort you. And by Jerusalem you will be comforted. At the sight your heart will rejoice, and your bones flourish like the grass. To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 33:2-9. v5

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

Second reading: Galatians 6:14-18

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God.

I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. Amen.

Gospel Acclamation :

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, and the fullness of his message live within you.

Alleluia!

Gospel : Luke 10:1-9

The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he himself was to visit. He said to them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest. Start off now, but remember, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals. Salute no one on the road. Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer deserves his wages; do not move from house to house. Whenever you go into a town where they make you welcome, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you."

We are looking for Volunteers!

"We serve God by serving others"

We need projectionists for **Sunday 8:30am & 10:30am mass**. It is a very simple task and we provide training and supervision until you are comfortable to do the task on your own.

If you are interested, please contact:

Abigail on **0405725047**

St Jude's Parish Community is committed to the Victorian Child Safe Standards and acknowledges that child safe guarding is everyone's responsibility.

St Jude's Parish—Liturgy Roster

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time —Year C— 12th and 13th of July 2025

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:10-14	Second Reading: Collossians 1: 15-20	Gospel Reading: Luke 10: 25-37	
	Saturday 6.00pm	Sunday 8.30am	Sunday 10.30am
Celebrant	Fr Peter Ray	Fr Ken Barker	Fr Peter Ray
Readers	Filomena Uberti	Sharylnn Arulanandam	Robin Edwards
	Lauren Pereira	Tony McCumstie	Anita Ray
Communion Ministers	Christina Hettiarachchi, Daniel Vrsecky, Barbara Wong	Astrid Irwan	Mary King, Anita Rya Stephanie Smyth
Mass Projectors	Lawrance	Aidan	Merin
Children's Liturgy			School Holidays
Altar Society	Eve Buckeridge		
Church Cleaners	TBC		