

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C
12 OCTOBER 2025

**FEAST DAY – 31 JULY**

**ST. IGNATIUS
CHURCH**

**326 Church Street,
RICHMOND VIC 3121**

Mass Times
12.00 noon
(Monday - Friday)

Saturday
5.00pm (Vigil)

Sunday
9.30am (English)
12.00 noon (Polish)
4.00pm (Vietnamese)

Adoration & Benediction
11.00am Friday

Anointing of the Sick

1st Friday of the Month

ST. JAMES CHURCH

**162 Kent Street,
NORTH RICHMOND,
VIC 3121**

Mass Times
Sunday: 11.00am

SACRAMENTS

Baptism
Contact Parish office.

Reconciliation

By appointment

Wedding
Contact Parish Office

**TRINITY CATHOLIC
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

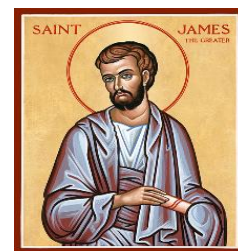
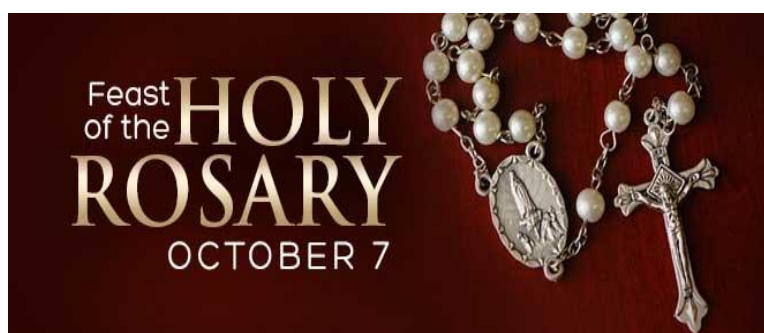
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**RICHMOND CATHOLIC PARISH
OF ST. IGNATIUS & ST. JAMES**

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**FEAST DAY- 25 JULY**

Pope Leo XIV asks Catholics to pray the rosary each day in October for peace.

Pope Leo noted that, as 7 October is the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, the Catholic Church traditionally dedicates the whole month to praying the rosary.

"I invite everyone to pray the rosary every day during the month of October, for peace - personally, with your families and in your communities", he said.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

Richmond Catholic Parish came together as one on Sunday 5 October to acknowledge “World Day of Migrants and Refugees”.

This celebration enabled us to learn more about each other.

We are blessed to have so many different cultural groups represented in our Parish and we acknowledge the many ways that they contribute to the life of our faith community.

Thank you to all those who contributed to making the day very memorable and a great success. Photos of the celebration are on the back page.



A JESUIT PARISH OUR MISSION

We share responsibility to: Practise and promote gospel values, recognise and respond to the ever-changing needs of the community and foster a faith that leads to justice. As a parish open to change desiring to be a community, we strive to live the gospel values of: Diversity, Hospitality and Inclusivity.

We respectfully
ACKNOWLEDGE
the Wurundjeri people
of the Kulin nation, as
the traditional
caretakers of the land
which is the
Richmond Catholic
Parish.

We acknowledge the
Elders, past & present.

May we too, be good
stewards of this land.

**SAFETY OF
CHILDREN & ALL
VULNERABLE
PEOPLE**

*Richmond Catholic
Parish holds the care,
safety and wellbeing of
children and all
vulnerable people as a
central and
fundamental
responsibility for our
community.*

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON*Psalm 129:3-4*

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities,
 Lord, who could stand?
 But with you is found forgiveness,
 O God of Israel.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, Heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us; You take away the sin of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One; you alone are the Lord. You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God, the Father. Amen.

FIRST READING*Kings 5:14-17**A reading from the second book of the Kings*

Naaman the leper went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, as Elisha had told him to do. And his flesh became clean once more like the flesh of a little child.

Returning to Elisha with his whole escort, he went in and stood before him. 'Now I know' he said, 'that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel. Now, please, accept a present from your servant.' But Elisha replied, 'As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing.' Naaman pressed him to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, 'Since your answer is "No," allow your servant to be given as much earth as two mules may carry, because your servant will no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any god except the Lord.'

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL*Ps 97:1-4*

(R.) The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

1. Sing a new song to the Lord
 for he has worked wonders.
 His right hand and his holy arm
 have brought salvation. (R.)
2. The Lord has made known his salvation;
 has shown his justice to the nations.
 He has remembered his truth and love
 for the house of Israel. (R.)

3. All the ends of the earth have seen
 the salvation of our God.
 Shout to the Lord all the earth,
 ring out your joy. (R.)

SECOND READING*Timothy 2:8-13**A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy*

Remember the Good News that I carry. 'Jesus Christ risen from the dead, sprung from the race of David'; it is on account of this that I have my own hardships to bear, even to being chained like a criminal – but they cannot chain up God's news. So I bear it all for the sake of those who are chosen, so that in the end they may have the salvation that is in Christ Jesus and the eternal glory that comes with it.

Here is a saying that you can rely on:

If we have died with him, then we shall live with him.

If we hold firm, then we shall reign with him.

If we disown him, then he will disown us.

We may be unfaithful, but he is always faithful, for he cannot disown his own self.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *Thessalonians 5:18*

Alleluia, alleluia!

For all things give thanks to God, because this is what he expects of you in Christ Jesus.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL*Luke 17:11-19**A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke*

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus travelled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' When he saw them he said, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' Now as they were going away they were cleansed. Finding himself cured, one of them turned back praising God at the top of his voice and threw himself at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. The man was a Samaritan. This made Jesus say, 'Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.' And he said to the man, 'Stand up and go on your way. Your faith has saved you.'

This is Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father
almighty; from there he will come to judge the living
and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Psalm 33:11

The rich suffer want and go hungry,
but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

BAPTISMS

✚ 12th Oct – Romeo Sergi-Conu

THE SICK IN OUR PARISH

*God of gentleness and love,
We entrust to your care all those in need of any form of
healing, and ask you to guide and sustain all who offer
them healing and hope.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.*

✚ Kate Franklyn
✚ Sophie Hogan
✚ Nick van der Pligt



RECENTLY DECEASED

*In company with Christ, who died and now lives, may
they rejoice in Your kingdom, where all our tears are
wiped away.*

*Unite us together again in one family, to sing Your
praise forever and ever. Amen.*

*If you have anyone to add to our prayer list, please notify the
parish office by Thursday 10.00am by ringing 8420 6789 or
email: parish@ignatius.org.au*

SONG OF THIS LAND - SUNDAY 12 OCTOBER ST PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL

You are warmly invited to a celebration of our faith
through music and cultural diversity.

- ❖ 2:30pm: Multicultural Rosary in various languages.
- ❖ 3:00pm: 'Song of this Land' free concert.

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST ST. IGNATIUS CHURCH

DATE	5.00PM VIGIL MASS	DATE	9.30AM SUNDAY MASS
11/10	Volunteer	12/10	Simon Feely
18/10	Martin O'Brian	19/10	Raquel Gonzales
25/10	Theresa Keogh	26/10	Mary Ebolo

MINISTERS OF THE WORD ST. IGNATIUS CHURCH

DATE	5.00PM VIGIL MASS	DATE	9.30AM SUNDAY MASS
11/10	Volunteer	12/10	Kaye Hogan
18/10	William Mai	19/10	Rosie Coulthard
25/10	Peter Keogh	26/10	Mary Ebolo

MINISTERS OF THE WORD ST. JAMES CHURCH

DATE	11.00AM MASS
12/10	Louise Luu
19/10	Margaret Gibson
26/10	Volunteer

COLLECTION WEEK – 5th October 2025 ST. IGNATIUS CHURCH

Thanksgiving Envelopes – \$ 263.00
Loose Collection – \$ 1644.00

RICHMOND CATHOLIC PARISH SPRING EXCURSION 2025

With the approval of our Parish Priest, and to strengthen
our spirit of unity, friendship, and support in building our
parish community, Richmond Catholic Parish is
organising a **SPRING EXCURSION 2025**.

Date: Tuesday, 4 November (Melbourne Cup Day)

Time: 7:00am – 5:00pm

Departure: St Ignatius Church – 326 Church St,
Richmond

Destinations: St Dominic's Church, Sacred Heart
Church, Dandenong Ranges Botanic Garden, Cardinia
Reservoir Park.

Cost: \$40 per head (Cost may reduce dependent on
numbers attending)

Meals: BYO

Note:

- Children under 18 must be accompanied by a guardian.
- Only 50 seats available – first come, first served.
- **Registration deadline: Sunday 26 October 2025**
- **Contact for registration & payment:**
Licia Marchese, Parish Office (8420 6789)

Tentative Program

8:00am - 8:30am	St Dominic's Church, Camberwell	Visit, prayer, group photo
9:00am - 9:30pm	Sacred Heart Church, Croydon	Visit, prayer, group photo
10:00am - 1:30pm	Dandenong Ranges Botanic Garden	Group photo, lunch, walking, sightseeing
2:00pm – 4:15pm	Cardinia Reservoir Park	Group photo, walking, fishing

A Wonderful Celebration of
our Cultural Diversity.
Sunday, 5 October 2025

