

SUNDAY MASS Saturday Vigil 6.00 pm Sunday 9 am, 11 am	The Sacrament of Reconciliation Is available 30 minutes before each Mass, between 9:30-10:30 am Saturday morning, or by appointment.	HOLY ROSARY Tuesday—Friday 8.30am St Joseph's Church Wednesday 1pm St Joseph's Parish Centre 15 Decade-Rosary Mary Untier of Knots
WEEKDAY MASS Monday (Springvale) 9:30 am Tuesday 9 am Wednesday 9 am Thursday 9 am Friday 9 am Saturday 9 am	Eucharist Adoration Half an hour before each weekday Mass St Joseph's Church	

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St Joseph's Parish is committed to the Safeguarding of Children and Young People in all aspects of Parish life.

*To subscribe to St Joseph's Parish email list please email chelsea@cam.org.au
The solemn obligation for baptised Catholics to attend regular Sunday Mass has been restored throughout the Archdiocese of Melbourne.*

Recently Deceased
Joan Hardie, Nathan Smith

Prayers for the Sick
Bill Armstrong, Marie-Claire Azie, Marie Ella Bednarski, Lina Blake, Margot Coghlan, Dennis Gallagher, Brian Glewis, Brian Grace, Rick Hayes, Antonio and Antonietta Laria, Siu Kiang Lay, Julie McLeod, Peter O'Shea, Christine Riddle, Danielle Spencer, Brian Wilson, Toni (Marie) Wilton

Anniversaries
Kathleen Beatie, Lorraine Benjamin, Bertram Godlieb, Thomas Keith Reiter, Lawrence (Rod) and Dorothy Rodrigues, Olive Shelton, Murray and Fred Swinton

Special Intentions
Thanksgiving on Anniversary of Baptism



13th October; 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time B
1st R: Wis 7:7-11
2nd R: Heb 4:12-13
Gospel: Mark 10:17-27

20th October; 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time B
1st R: Is 53:10-11
2nd R: Heb 4:14-16
Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

PARISH OF ST JOSEPH CHELSEA

28TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

13 OCTOBER 2024

Life, Marriage and Family Sunday

Marriage and Family



Every year, the Vicar General's Office promulgates a list of the observances and collections to be held throughout the Archdiocese of Melbourne. The collections enable us to grow in our Christian charity, while the observances enable us to grow together as the family of God – sharing similar values and beliefs.
This week we have the observance of marriage and the family.

Marriages and families are a treasure of society and the whole Church. Marriage witnesses to the joy of living a life in communion and in service to others. Because spouses are called to love like Jesus, radically giving of themselves—Christian marriage also expresses and communicates God's love. In the Sacrament of Marriage, spouses receive a special grace from God to live the vows they made to each other on their wedding day. Marriage is not easy, but we know that Jesus is always with us, and he is present in our marriages—always ready to redeem and heal.
While no family is perfect, our families are where we first learn how to receive and give love. It is from within the family that love is communicated and experienced—between husband and wife, parents and children, siblings, extended family, friends and the wider community.

The family home is also the place where faith is nurtured and passed on. The home is where we see and learn how to love, pray and serve. It is the place where we learn to grow in virtue and to learn the way of Jesus. By their love for one another, as well as their words and actions towards others, Christian families speak to others of Jesus. What happens within the homes of families is indispensable to the mission and life of the Church and the wider community.
In today's world, more than ever the family is called to be a centre of outreach, love and faith. The home is a wonderful place for all to be welcomed into the life and love of Jesus. A family can live their call to be a domestic church by sharing a meal with neighbours, or by simply lending a listening and loving ear to someone in need. When a family reaches out, especially to those in need, it participates in the mission of the Church. Open and caring families find a place for others and build friendships and relationships with those around them. While there can be a temptation to wait until the family is 'perfect' before inviting others in, seeing the messy reality of family life can be a source of encouragement to others. It is also a place where those who may not have had an ideal family life—or who have no family—can come to find love, safety and care. In this way, families are called to open their doors and to let their love shine.

Full article: <https://melbournecatholic.org/live/marriage-and-family>



FEELING SICK?
PLEASE STAY HOME

Please do not attend Mass if you are unwell.
There are no numbers restrictions on attendees at church.
Face masks are no longer mandatory inside the church.
Please use the hand sanitiser provided.

PARISH CALENDAR

SATURDAY 12 OCTOBER

9:45am Annual Public Rosary—after 9am Mass—Church
4:30pm Junior Legion of Mary—Parish Centre. Enq 0403 095 627
6:00pm Men's Choir at Mass—Church

SUNDAY 13 OCTOBER

3:00pm Baptism Preparation Meeting—Parish Centre

MONDAY 14 OCTOBER

10:00am Divine Mercy PG—Parish Centre
10:30am St Padre Pio PG—Church
7:30pm Men's Focus Group—PC

TUESDAY 15 OCTOBER

St Teresa of Avila
10:00am Sacred Heart PG—Parish Centre

WEDNESDAY 16 OCTOBER

St Gerard Majella
12:30pm Parishioners Luncheon—Caffe Opera Chelsea
6:30pm Legion of Mary Chelsea—PC

THURSDAY 17 OCTOBER

10:00am Film and Light Lunch—Parish Centre

FRIDAY 18 OCTOBER

St Luke



ST JOSEPH'S PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Pledge \$ 2,742
Weekly average \$ 2,740.31



St Joseph's Men's Choir are seeking new members!!! 2nd Saturday Vigil Mass of each Month—this Saturday 12/10! The Men's Choir are seeking new members. Come and experience the joy of singing in community, and the satisfaction of making a difference to our Vigil Mass. Your presence definitely will make a big difference!!

Please contact Mike Shaw
mikeshawau@gmail.com or 0418-122-966

PUBLIC ROSARY

On Saturday 12th October, the Our Lady of Fatima Praesidium (Legion of Mary) will be conducting the annual public Rosary. The Rosary will be held at the bronze front doors of St Joseph's Church following the 9am Saturday morning Mass. All are welcome!



Sacred Heart of Jesus Prayer Group

invites you to a **Healing Mass** Celebrated by Father Aurelio Fragapane St Joseph's Church Chelsea

Friday 25th October
Prayer and Praise

7:30pm

Mass 8:00pm

Individual Prayer Ministry after Mass
Followed by Fellowship and Light Refreshment
All Welcome!!!!



MASS FOR
Marriage Anniversaries
SUNDAY 20 OCTOBER 2024 • 11AM
ST PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL, EAST MELBOURNE

Couples and their families are invited to join us as we celebrate our annual Anniversary Mass.

Couples who register and are celebrating the following anniversaries - 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th or 40 years and above - will receive a commemorative certificate.

Register by Sunday 13 October:
trybooking.com/CVMFG

For any queries please contact us
9926 5761 or proclaim@cam.org.au




St Joseph's Anima Group, Chelsea warmly invites you to a

Garden Wander Tour to Cruden Farm, Langwarrin on Wednesday 23 October 2024



\$20 per person, includes Entry Fee
Depart by bus at 9.30am, Woodbine Grove, Chelsea, Return 3pm

BYO picnic lunch; Tea, coffee and bottled water available to purchase. Bring picnic rugs (not rubber-backed), foldup chairs, etc. Place your name on Clipboard available in Church Foyer. Payment will be taken during the Sundays in October. Enquiries: Sue Hyde 0408 547 791

KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS Melbourne Cup Sweep 2024

The sale of tickets in our annual Melbourne Cup sweep will commence at this weekend's Masses, through until the 3rd of November. Horse numbers will be drawn on Melbourne Cup Eve (4/11), with lucky recipients advised by phone.

Tickets are \$2.00. Ticket proceeds fund bursaries for Grade 6 students.

Your continued support is very much appreciated!!



St Joseph's Parish Website:
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The next Parishioners Luncheon will be held on **Wednesday**

16th October, 12:30 at The Caffe Opera 419 Nepean Highway Chelsea. For bookings ring either Patricia Adams on 0448-866- 020 or Keith on 0417-350-733 or alternatively leave a message on 9772-7292.

FILM AND LIGHT LUNCH

Thursday 17th October
10:00am in the Parish Centre. All are Welcome. Come along and enjoy a movie, conversation and friendship!!



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY



20th October 2024 *Reach out. Give life.*

You have the opportunity to partner with this life-giving work, as your prayers and support are crucial in ensuring this program can move forward.

Free call: 1800 257 296
catholicmission.org.au/mongolia

March for the Babies

MELBOURNE
SATURDAY 12 OCTOBER, AT 1PM

MEETING AT TREASURY GARDENS, CORNER OF SPRING ST AND WELLINGTON PDE, MELBOURNE.

Please wear pink and/or blue for the babies!