



St Paul Apostle Catholic Community

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12th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B, 22-23 June, 2024

2024 First Communion

After many months of preparation, 45 catholic children in our community received their Sacrament of First Communion on 22 June, 2024. They have journeyed together with their peers, teachers, parents and families.

We thank all teachers and parents who have helped and guided them in the process. We pray that the children will continue their journey of faith and be a part of our community, with a stronger desire joining together at the table of the Lord.

Congratulations!!

Theeran Isaac Emmanuel
Sandor Szabo
Archer Cortes Castro-Zambrano
Nandini Emmanuel
Savannah Marie Bartolo
Heath Beech
Felicity Boughton
Orlando Allan Dawson
Chloe Raffaella Floris-Binder
Taliyah Carmela Peluso
Lyna Ngoc Ratnagopal
Junior Simoes
Jezel Morales
Anne Louise Belliran Guelas
Micah Laureta
Annika Almodiel
Grace Olivia Amoorthum

Raphael Perri Barker
Paul Claude Josip Oro
Joshua Edward Gilder
Samantha Louise Grima
Cienna Hatters
Lana Hebron
Cruz Lobos
Caia McCoy
Lilly Michie
Saia Martin Nasalio
Aiden Poyyayil
Chiara Rose Primerano
Zena Salameh
Liam Siao
Rosie Silva
Emma Maria Taylor
Mason Taylor
Havana-Rose Tenisio
Isaac Cooper Van Der Say
Sara Nanos
Rory Daniel Shepherd
Bonita Da Silva
Irvin Gacharia Wahome
Luther Patrick de Kauwe
Mason Jekyun Woo



Masses

Monday
9am

Tuesday
9am Mass

Wednesday
7pm Mass

Thursday
9am Mass

Friday
9am Mass

Saturday
6pm Mass

Sunday
9am, 11am, 6pm

Please note Sunday 11am is also
ONLINE

Please click on this link to follow

<https://youtube.com/live/LaG6VJbMu-8?feature=share>

Reconciliation
Saturdays
10am—10.30am

Priests:

Fr Brendan Connell CP (PP)
Fr Sony Kannanaikal CP

Parish Staff:

Gillian Velupillay (Bursar)
Didi Karkas (Secretary)

Passionist Community

Fr Brendan Connell CP
Fr Sony Kannanaikal CP
Den Tuan Paul Anh-Do CP

St Paul Apostle North Primary School

Ph. 9700 6068
Principal
Mrs Mary Lucas

St Paul Apostle South Primary School

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Principal
Mr Paul Gleeson

St John's Regional College

Ph. 9791 3366
Principal
Mr Tim Hogan

Readings for Next Week

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

First Reading Wis 1: 13-15; 2: 23-24

A reading from the book of Wisdom

God did not make death, and he does not delight in the death of the living. For he created all things so that they might exist; the generative forces of the world are wholesome, and there is no destructive poison in them, and the dominion of Hades is not on earth. For righteousness is immortal. For God created us for incorruption, and made us in the image of his own eternity, but through the devil's envy death entered the world, and those who belong to his company experience it.

Psalm

I will extol you, O Lord, for you have drawn me up,
and did not let my foes rejoice over me
O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol
Restored me to life from among those gone down to the Pit

Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones
and give thanks to his holy name
For his anger is but for a moment
his favour is for a lifetime
Weeping may linger for the night
but joy comes with the mourning

Hear O Lord, and be gracious to me!
O Lord, be my helper!
You have turned my mourning into dancing
Lord my God, I will give thanks to you forever

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

A reading from the second Letter St Paul to the Corinthians

Bothers and sisters,
Now as you excel in everything—in faith, in speech,
in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for
you—so we want you to excel also in this generous
undertaking.
For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ,
that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor,
so that by his poverty you might become rich.
I do not mean that there should be relief for others and

pressure on you, but it is a question of a fair balance
between your present abundance and their need, so that
their abundance may be for your need, in order that
there may be a fair balance. As it is written, “The one
who had much did not have too much, and the one
who had little did not have too little.”

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
Our Saviour Jesus Christ has abolished death
and has brought us life through the Gospel
Alleluia!

Gospel Mark 5: 21-24, 35-43

When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side,
a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the sea.
Then one of the synagogue leaders named Jairus came and,
when he saw him, fell at his feet and begged him repeatedly,
“My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and
lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and
live.”

So Jesus went with him. And a large crowd followed him.
Some people came from the leader's house to say,
“Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher
any further?” But overhearing what they said, Jesus said
to the leader of the synagogue, “Do not fear, only believe.”

Jesus allowed no one to follow him. When they came
to the house of the leader of the synagogue, he saw
a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly.
When he had entered, he said to them, “Why do you make
a commotion and weep? The child is not dead but sleeping.”

And they laughed at him. Then Jesus put them all outside,
and took the child's father and mother and those who were
with him, and went in where the child was. He took her by
the hand and said to her, “Talitha cum,” which means,
“Little girl, get up!” And immediately the girl got up
and began to walk about for she was twelve years of age.
At this they were overcome with amazement. He strictly
ordered them that no one should know this, and told them
to give her something to eat

Reflection

- 1/ The compassion of Jesus is not discriminating
- 2/ As Christ became poor for our sake, so must we share with those in need from our abundance

We are committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults

PARISH YOUTH GROUPS

4:12 YOUTH (our Parish Youth for grd 5 to yr 9)

Last Friday they had their gathering in the annexe. If you are interested in joining the group, please come along on the second Friday of each month. The next event will be held on **FRIDAY, 12 July at 7pm** in the Tim O'Toole Annexe. A variety of activities is arranged for each gathering. Please contact Trish Brown on 0412 357 350 if you wish to attend for planning purposes

YOUNG ADULTS (age 18 to 25 years old)

This age Youth group will be gathering on **SUNDAY, 21 July**. If you wish to join in please contact parish office on 97003781 They usually gathers on **THIRD SUNDAY** of each month. Sometimes it holds in the annexe, but other times they have activities at other venue.

THANKSGIVING MASS OF Fr. TUAN PAUL CP

Fr Tuan Paul will have his thanksgiving Mass this Sunday, **23 June at 11am mass**. Following the Mass we will gather in School Hall to celebrate with him as we share some food (and cutting the cake). All are welcome to join in. even if you are not attending the 11am Mass you are welcome to join in directly at the school hall. Please bring a plate to share.

2024 SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

If you wish to have your child to be part of this year's sacrament of Confirmation program, you are required to send the completed registration form by the 4th of October, 2024 (you can obtain the registration form from our website or from the Parish office Tuesday-Friday 9am to 2pm. Your child must be in Grade 6 and have already received their Sacrament of Reconciliation & First Communion.

PARISH BINGO

Our next parish Bingo will be on **FRIDAY, 19 July** at 7.30pm in the Annexe. You can come on your own or as a group. For more information please contact Louis 0419 008 173, Vianney 0438 700 675 or Joe 0419 385 441. Please note that this activity is strictly adults only (18 years or over). Unfortunately, we are bound to a strict policy which states that anyone under this age is not permitted inside the hall during Bingo

The Parish Team is Looking for a New Member

Position: Safeguarding Officer and Visitation Coordinator

Purpose of the Position:

The key purpose of this role is to work collaboratively with the Parish Team to promote the safety of children and young people and to coordinate visitations within the Parish.

Responsibilities and duties will include:

- Promote the importance of and foster an understanding of child safety.
- Facilitate the communication of information in relation to child safety within the Parish.
- Respond to requests received for visitation and/or communion.
- Coordinate pastoral visitation to homes within the Parish.

The position will initially be for 7 hours per week but can be spread over 2 days.

While there will be an opportunity to do some of the work off site, the bulk of the work will be done from the Parish office. We envisage this new person to be integrated into the existing Parish Team.

Although there are no specific qualifications for the role, a basic understanding of computers and solid communication skills would be beneficial.

Please send a brief letter of application with a resume to Fr Brendan Connell CP at St Paul Apostle Church 5 William Hovell Drive Endeavour Hills 3802. Alternatively you can drop the application into the office or email it to office@stpaulapostle.com.au.

Applications close on Friday July, 5th at 5pm.

Readings:

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Job 38:1. 8-11
2 Corinthians 5:14-7
Mark 4:35-41

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Wis 1: 13-15; 2: 23-24
2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15
Mark 5: 21-24, 35-43

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This weekend we pray for:

Those who are sick

Rui Manuel Campos, Annette Tanner, Ruby Reid, Kay Dal Lago, Maureen Dawson, Michael Arcaro, Margaret Ferrao, Danny Sugunasekera, Roger Gray, Stephanie Kinson, Anton Jansz, Dorothy Locke, Piper Anne Spriggs, Ronella Tyrell, Meti Pereira-Van Eijk, Agnes Fernandez **and All those in aged care or homebound with chronic health issues**

Those who have died

Lauren Houghton, Alex Loudon Snr, Nicolina Laratta, Ingram Mirando, Gayle Short, Rudolf Pahor, Colleen Nunes, Joseph Maximus Perera, Mikelina Albanese, Joseph Hickey, Anne Silva, Led Clark, Asunta Beltrano, Ivan Fadljevic **and all who are named in our church memorial book**

May they rest in peace



Congratulations!!
Fr. Tuan Paul CP

Thanksgiving Mass

Sunday, 23 June

11am Mass,

followed by gathering in school hall

All are welcome to join us in offering
congratulations to and celebrating with Fr TP.

Please bring a plate