



Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish Ringwood

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Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

16 June 2024

Parish Information

Parish Priest

Fr Dispin John

Assisted by

Fr Michael Kelly CSsR

Fr Len Size (retired)

Parish Catechist

Trish Chaston

Pastoral Care Worker

Loredana Iacobucci

Parish Secretary

Janine Meades

Office hours

Mon, Tues, Fri 9:30-2:30

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Week Day Masses

Tuesday 6:00p.m. Mass and Novena

Thursday 9:15 a.m.

First Thursday—Healing Mass

Confessions

Thursday 9:45 a.m.

Baptism

Please contact the office.

Weddings

Please contact the office.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help School

Principal: Jenny Rohan

admin@olringwood.catholic.edu.au

2 Wilana Street, Ringwood

98707227

The Laws of Growth

We would love to be able to plant a seed today and have a magnificent tree tomorrow. But that is not possible. It will take many years for the tree to grow to its full height. Likewise, the church is constantly growing towards fuller maturity. The Church is nourished by the Eucharist and the Word of God. The Church is like a growing tree, already bearing fruit and giving comfort, but always open to further growth.



Please pray...

For those who are sick or suffering serious illness, their families and loved ones who care for them: Peter Harris,

For those who have died recently:

For those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Desmond Moylan

Readings next Week

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Job 38:1, 8-11

Ps 106:23-26, 28-31

2 Cor 5:14-17

Mk 4:35-41

The Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Ringwood is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

Parish Ministries

June 15/16
Saturday 5:00

Lectors: Amelia Mitchell, Frances Cassidy
Eucharist: Margaret Roper, Kate & Andy Coombs
Laptop: Joshua Berketa

Sunday 9:30

Lectors: Angela Lacey, Kerry Peterson
Eucharist: Paula & Jim Corcoran, Sean Peterson
Music: Rohan Smith—guitar
Laptop: Jos Vandersman
Children's Liturgy: Jennifer Tolcher
Morning Tea: Team 3

June 22/23
Saturday 5:00

Lectors: Matt Giuliano, Jennifer Tolcher
Eucharist: Sian Giuliano, Margaret Roper, Maureen Glennie
Music: Christian Gunawan (Organ)
Laptop: Maureen Platt

Sunday 9:30

Lectors: Jim Fuller, John Noronha
Eucharist: Tess Repalust, Evelyn Randrup, Kath McCrae
Music: Our Lady's Singers
Laptop: Bob Munro
Children's Liturgy: Ingrid Scott

Flowers

Week 1 & 3—Polish Community
Week 2 & 4— Zomi Community
Week 5—

Linen:

Link for Readings of the Day

<https://universalis.com/australia.melbourne/20240301/mass.htm>

Children's Liturgy—Sunday 9:30am Mass

Each Sunday during the school term. All school age children are welcome to attend.

Please note: 2nd Sunday of the Month—July 14

Polish Mass 8:00am

4th Sunday of the Month—June 23

Zomi Community Mass 2:00pm

Filipino Mass 5:00pm

Parish Sacramental Program

For those not attending the Parish School, email trish.chaston@cam.org.au

Church Heating

Please note there will be no heating in the church until a decision can be made on what is required going forward. The heating unit in the church is very old and after seeking expert advice unable to be fixed. Sorry for any inconvenience.

Catholic Mission Collection This Weekend

Envelopes are available to take home and return next week. More information later in the bulletin.



2024 Parish First Reconciliation Classes

Preparation classes for the sacrament of Reconciliation will begin on Thursday 18th July 2024 for students who do not attend a Catholic school. These classes are conducted at Our Lady's Church Ringwood, Thursday afternoons 4:00 – 5:00pm.

For further information or to enrol your child contact Trish Chaston via email. trish.chaston@cam.org.au

Our Lady's Fete Saturday 26th October.

Save the date! Our Parish representative on the Fete Committee is Dean Scott. Contact: dean_ingrid@yahoo.com (0490 384314) for any questions, suggestions, offers of help etc. You can help:

- * Raise/grow plants to donate to the Plant Stall
- * Volunteer to work on a stall
- * Provide donations for the Silent Auction
- * Sponsor the fete; check out packages available for advertisers.

Caritas Australia's Papua New Guinea Landslide Disaster

Thousands are feared dead and many more are displaced after a devastating landslide struck a remote village in Papua New Guinea. Your urgent support is needed now. Donate at www.caritas.org.au/png

Our Lady's Table Tennis

Feel like a game of table tennis? Come along by yourself or bring a friend or two and join in the fun on Monday 10-12 in the Parish Hall. Wear appropriate footwear. We provide equipment and a cuppa. You give us \$3 and energy. New players welcome.

Working With Children Check

Janine is happy to assist with the online application or to renew. Call the office to arrange a time.

Teachers please go online and record your volunteer work with VIT, the parish is then formally notified thus keeping our records up to date.

May Mass Counts

It has been requested that information regarding Mass numbers collected during May be published.

Average weekly numbers:

2023: 294, 2024: 339.75

These statistics include attendance at Zomi, Polosh and Filipino Community Masses.

Renovation Fundraising Update

Donations are still trickling in with **\$69794.90** raised. (Contribute by Direct Debit to our **Repair and Maintenance Account: BSB 083 347 Account 534233044** use your surname in reference line OR Envelopes are available if you would like to contribute by cash/cheque.

Kid's Corner

Toys are available for children to play with in the "crying room" or the Narthex, located in the Narthex near the front door. Children should be supervised by an adult.

Child Safety

The Child Safety Officers (in high-vis vests) should be a first point of contact for any concerns regarding child safety. Remember we ask that children be accompanied by a parent or older sibling when they leave the church to go to the toilet in the Narthex

Catholic Theological College

Online Information Session Monday 17 June at 7.30pm (AEST)

Register via our website: ctc.edu.au/information-session

For more information contact: Dr Maureen Saclot
ctc@ctc.edu.au

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If you're happy for the trip, come to Palms' [Discovery information session](#) at Altona on 11 July. Meet Soraya and returned Palms participants to discover more about [Assignments Aboard](#). Alternately, please enquire at [palms.org.au](mailto:palms@palms.org.au)

Venue: Mary Help of Christians Church Hall

Address: 97 Railway St N, Altona VIC 3018

Date: Thursday 11th July 2024

Time: 5:30pm to 6:30pm

0422 472 567 palms@palms.org.au

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY @ OUR LADY'S

"Pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people."

Ephesians 6:18

"Pray for one another, that you may be healed" James 5:16

For prayer requests, please call Loredana 0423 313 336 or contact the Parish Office.

Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High

will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.
I will say of the Lord, "He is my refuge and my fortress,
my God, in whom I trust."

[Psalm 91:1-2](#)



In Mongolia, vulnerable people requiring social services often face stigma for using them. Those in need are often impacted by domestic violence or homelessness. Unfortunately, support services are limited in number and the demand for them is growing.

This means some of our brothers and sisters in Mongolia are going without the help they need.

This month, we invite you to support the Church in Mongolia on their journey to provide more support for vulnerable people in need. Your kindness will ensure that more of our brothers and sisters can receive the assistance they need to get back on their feet.



Freecall: 1800 257 296
catholicmission.org.au/mongolia



Stewardship Corner

"For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive recompense, according to what he did in the body, whether good or evil." - 2 Corinthians 5:10

We are all accountable for all of the gifts God has given us – our time, our talent and our treasure; everything we have and everything we are. Each of us is accountable not only for our own life but for the lives of others as well. One day God will ask each of us what did we do with the gifts we were given. How will you respond?

Supporting the Parish

Through the Stewardship Program, parishioners are asked to pledge a weekly/monthly amount to the upkeep of the parish. This allows the parish to pay utility bills, insurance premiums, Archdiocese levies, purchase church supplies and pay staff wages. This amount is given as the "Thanksgiving Offering" and placed in the appropriate envelope or given as a direct debit. Any loose cash contributes to the support of the Parish Priest. A percentage of the Presbytery collection is also required to be sent quarterly to the Archdiocese. Become part of the Stewardship Program, please contact the office for further information on how this can be done or click the link below to take you to the 'donate' page on the parish website and choose how you wish to support the parish.

to support our parish
click [HERE](#) or use the QR
Code
Please chose where you
wish your
support to go.



Parish Meetings

Parish Pastoral Council: First Wednesday of Month
Parish Finance Council:
Safeguarding Committee: 7:30pm June 19
Time Out : Third Wednesday of Month 12 noon

St Vincent de Paul Piety Stall

CASH ONLY—Sorry.

The piety stall has available items for Sacraments:

stoles, cards, gifts. Opened: After 5:00pm Mass
Saturday and 9:30 am Mass Sunday. For welfare
enquiries please call Vinnies on 1800 305 330 Mon-
Fri 10am –3pm

Sharing from St. John's Parish Mitcham

Phone: 03 9401 6366 or 0402 330 128

Email: Mitcham@cam.org.au

Website: www.stjohnsmitcham.com.au

Weekday Masses

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 10:00a.m.

Weekend Mass Times

Sat Vigil 6pm, Sun 8:30am, 9:45am, 11:15am, 5pm

Venue hire– St Johns

Call Manuela at St John's Parish Office for more information.

<https://stjohnsmitcham.com.au/venue-hire>

St John's Friendship Group

26 June

Join us for morning tea. Time: 10:30am to 11:30am

Venue: St John's Mitcham Parish office

Matinee at the Opera Wednesday July 3rd 2024

11:00am: Mass Anointing of the sick followed by
Matinee at the Opera with
Monica & Ben (In the Church)

Lunch: in the Narthex

Booking essential by June
28th please call the Mitcham
Parish Office on 9401 6366
Donations welcome on the
day



Christian Meditation 7:30

We meditate fortnightly. You are most welcome to join us. Lockdown can sorely test our endurance and spirits. If you are interested in deepening your spirituality, or want to know what God wants of you at present, you must try this.

To indicate your interest or for any enquiries: Chris Ryan at the Parish Office, 9401 6366. Or simply turn up on the night. Looking forward to seeing you! No experience or Biblical knowledge needed.

House of Books

Finished your 'to be read pile'? Looking for a good book to read? Visit the House of Books, located at 508 Whitehorse Rd, Mitcham, next to St. John's Church.

All books, CD's and DVD's have been donated and there are books for every taste, including fiction and non-fiction and an extensive children's section. Prices generally range from \$1-\$5. The Bookshop is open from 10am to 4pm Monday to Friday and 10am to 1pm on Saturdays.