

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 SCHOOL
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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
Stella Styzinski, Nikola Vukmorovic

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

Anniversaries
Syd Gallagher, Bridget Esther Michael

Special Intentions
Antonio Italiano, Francesco Galluci, Rina Carlino, Domenico Carlino, Domenico Gorgane, Christopher Abdullah, Father Daniel Pietrzak, Mario Varone, Francesca Morieca, The Holy Souls in Purgatory



10th November; 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time B
1st R: 1 Kg 17:10-16
2nd R: Heb 9:24-28
Gospel: Mark 12:38-44

17th November; 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time B
1st R: Dan 12:1-3
2nd R: Heb 10:11-14, 18
Gospel: Mark 13:24-32

PARISH OF ST JOSEPH CHELSEA

32ND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

10 NOVEMBER 2024

November is the month in which the Church celebrates our belief in the communion of Saints ... God's holy people praying for and with each other:
the Church Militant on earth
the Church Triumphant (the Angels and Saints in heaven)
and the Church Suffering (the holy souls in Purgatory).

Living out our calling to be part of God's holy people praying for each other, November is also the month in which we remember and pray (in a special way) for our dead – for our loved ones who have gone before us.

From previous experience, I will make the following points of clarification:

- 1) The YELLOW November Mass offering envelopes are gathered during the month of November. At some point in December, these envelopes are sent to the Aid to the Church in Need, who then organise to have the Masses said by priests in countries where the Catholic faith is persecuted. These Mass intentions thus enable the priests in other countries to have some form of regular income (so in God's name, I thank you for your generosity). But please note: this means that the yellow envelope Mass intentions are not offered up at public Mass here at St Joseph's, Chelsea.
- 2) The white envelopes marked "Mass Intentions" are offered at Masses celebrated at St Joseph's. I can only accept and celebrate the intentions marked on ONE ENVELOPE ONCE A DAY. These Mass intentions fill up quickly, so it is a "first come best dressed" scenario. If there is already a Mass intention booked on your preferred date, then the Mass intention is offered on the nearest available date (so it is a good idea to include your name and telephone number on the white Mass intention envelopes, so we can notify you of the change).
- 3) During the month of November, the priest has a second intention at every Mass to pray for the people whose names appear in the Book of the Dead (located up the back of the Church). Please note, this means ALL the names in the entire book, not just the names recorded on a specific year. So it is not necessary to record the same names with each passing year. When the current book is filled, a new one will be purchased. But the intention will continue for all the previous books that have been used throughout the years.
- 4) Finally, if you ever read through the text of the Eucharistic Prayers we use at Mass, you will discover that at every Mass we remember and pray for the dead. It is a beautiful tradition we have in the Catholic Church, recognising that nothing ... not even death itself ... can separate us from the love of God.

So – OREMUS PRO INVICEM! ("Let us pray for one another!")
Fr Kevin Williams

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen.*



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 9 NOVEMBER

4:30pm Junior Legion of Mary—PC.
6:00pm Men's Choir at Mass—Church
7:00pm Families Dinner—Hall

SUNDAY 10 NOVEMBER

CatholicCare Pastoral Care Appeal

MONDAY 11 NOVEMBER

Remembrance Day
St Martin of Tours
10:00am Divine Mercy PG—
Parish Centre
10:30am Padre Pio PG—Church



TUESDAY 12 NOVEMBER

10:00am Sacred Heart PG—PC
7:30pm KSC Branch Meeting—PC

WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER

10:00am St Joseph's Care and Concern
Meeting—Parish Centre
6:30pm Legion of Mary Chelsea—PC

THURSDAY 14 NOVEMBER

7:00pm Legion of Mary Bayside Curia—
Parish Centre

The month of November is a time in which we remember and pray for those who have died. The names of deceased family and friends may be added to the St Joseph's Memorial Book in the narthex. Envelopes for November Mass Offerings are available in the narthex. These offerings will be sent to *Aid to the Church in need*, where priests serving in countries that persecute those of our faith will offer masses.



St Joseph's Church and Garden Working Bee!

Saturday 14th December 2024

10:00 until midday.

Let's have our Church sparkling in time for the birth of our Lord!!!

Volunteer lists will be placed in the Narthex in the next week! God Bless



This weekend is CatholicCare Victoria's annual Pastoral Care

Appeal. Donations from our parish community will support the most vulnerable people in our community. Your support and generosity will ensure that Catholic Prison Chaplains can continue to be the messengers of God's mercy, love and compassion. Parishioners are encouraged to offer prayers and financial support to help provide continued spiritual and emotional comfort to individuals and families in Victoria. The presence of Catholic Chaplains is a crucial witness to our faith, a crucial dimension of our service of love, and a vital testimony to the value of life in all its stages. You can donate using the envelopes available or online at www.catholiccarevic.org.au or call (03) 9967 2515.

The next Parishioners Luncheon will be held on **Wednesday 20th November, 12:30 at Rivera Hotel Seaford**. For bookings ring either Patricia Adams 0448-866- 020 or Keith 0417-350- 733 or alternatively leave a message on 9772-7292.



ST JOSEPH'S PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Pledge \$ 2,742
Weekly average \$ 2,733.89

Our Parish is looking to expand our Safeguarding Children and Young People (SC&YP) Committee. Reporting to Father Williams, the duties consist of assisting the Committee in ensuring our Parish complies with the Melbourne Archdiocese SC&YP policies and procedures. Circa 3 hours per week and requires basic Microsoft Office Excel and Word skills. If you are interested, please phone Maree on 9772-2211 or email chelsea@cam.org.au



St Joseph's Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

YOU ARE INVITED TO

ST JOSEPH'S FAMILIES DINNER

BRING YOUR FAVOURITE DISH & DESSERT TO SHARE WITH EVERYONE
BYO DRINKS

SATURDAY 9 NOVEMBER 7 PM
AFTER 6PM MASS

ST JOSEPH'S HALL
ENTER FROM WOODBINE GROVE GATE

RSVP BY 5/11
RAFFY 0424 325005

KIDS OF ALL AGES ARE WELCOME

9th NOV

St Joseph's Men's Choir are seeking new members!!!

2nd Saturday Vigil Mass of each Month—This Saturday 9 November at 6pm Vigil Mass!

The Men's Choir are seeking new members. It's a chance to actively participate in the celebration of the Mass. We value all talents and contributions. 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



KSC Melbourne Cup Sweep

The annual Cup Sweep has successfully concluded. The winners in this year's Sweep are:

1st Prize Andrea Aboujaber (Ticket No: 2512)
2nd Prize Sheryl Muttek (Ticket No: 4231)
3rd Prize Eric Roche (Ticket No: 3801)

All drawn names are on the Church Noticeboards. A huge thanks to all the parishioners, their families and friends for their support which raised vital funds to provide bursaries to Gr 6 students. We look forward to your support in 2025!.



Anima Christmas Lunch

on
Wednesday, 4th December 2024
12 noon to 3pm

Chelsea RSL, Thames Promenade, Chelsea
\$45 per head

Festive 2-Course Meal (pork/turkey 50-50) + Dessert
Soft drink, teas, coffees included

Please ring Daphne if you have any dietary requirements

BOOKINGS (payable by Sunday, 24 November)

will be taken after the 9am Sunday Mass in the Church Foyer,

or ring: Daphne Kelly 0439 006 494

Christmas Raffle: 3 Tickets for \$5

QUARTERLY MEN'S HOUR

Saturday 16th November 7am
St Joseph's Parish Centre
Chapel

Register: Mike 0418 122 966

mikeshawau@gmail.com



QUARTERLY MEN'S BBQ BREAKFAST

Saturday 16th November 8am

St Joseph's Hall \$10

Register: Church Narthex

or Mike 0418 122 966

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Chelsea Community

Christmas Lunch

Will you be alone on Christmas Day? Experience the joy of Christmas at The Chelsea Community Christmas Lunch - 2024. We're serving up more than just a delicious traditional meal - we're dishing out hope, love, and joy to all who attend. Enjoy festive music, great company, and a chance to be part of something special this holiday season.

11:45am—2pm Christmas Day 25/12

St Joseph's Hall Woodbine St Chelsea

For more info and to book:

<https://>

www.chelseacommunitychristmaslunch.au/

