



St Francis of Assisi Parish

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PARISH BULLETIN		CORPUS CHRISTI		22ND JUNE 2025	
PARISH PRIEST	Fr Anthony Girolami	ASSISTANT PRIEST	Fr Simeon Anthony		
DEACON	Rev John Vespa	PASTORAL ASSOCIATE	Sr Rodelia Bordan - 9407 6720		
YOUTH MINISTER	Carmel Walsh - 9407 6704	PARISH/SCHOOL LIAISON	Ruth Lees - 9407 6703		
OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR	Maree Chamoun - 9407 6700	PARISH BOOKKEEPER	Paul - 9407 6722		
SCHOOL PRINCIPAL	Mark Basile - 9407 3100				
WEEKEND MASS TIMES	Saturday vigil 5:00 pm; Sunday 9:00 am, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm				
WEEKDAY MASS TIMES	Monday – Saturday 9:15 am Wednesday 7:30 pm - Our Lady of Perpetual Help				
RECONCILIATION	Wednesday evening after Mass and Novena Saturday 9:45 am				
ADORATION	Saturday 9:45 am – 10:45 am concluding with Benediction				
VIGIL MASS:	1st Friday of the month 7:30 pm to Midnight Mass.			Next Mass: 4 th July	
FILIPINO MASS:	2nd Sunday of the month at 12 noon.			Next Mass: 13 th July	
MALTESE MASS:	3rd Saturday of the month at 4 pm. Confession 3:30. Rosary 3:40.			Next Mass: 19 th July	
INDONESIAN FAMILY GROUP MASS:	3rd Saturday of the month at 7pm.			Next Mass: 19 th July	
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Wednesday 6:30 am - 7:00 pm in the chapel.					
NOVENA TO ST JOSEPH: 1st Wednesday of the month after 9:15 am Mass.					
ANOINTING OF THE SICK: 2nd Wednesday of the month after 9:15am Mass.					
ST ANTHONY’S PRAYER GROUP MASS: Every Tuesday at 7:00 pm.					
NOVENA TO ST ANTHONY (MALAYALAM): Every Tuesday at 6:30 pm.					
LEGION OF MARY: Every Thursday at 10:00 am in the church fellowship area. Contact Jackie - 0422 443 324.					
JUNIOR LEGION OF MARY: Every Wednesday at 3:30 pm during school terms in the fellowship area. Contact Jackie - 0422 443 324.					
WORD OF LIFE PRAYER GROUP: Every Friday at 7:00 pm in the chapel. Contact Nancy - 0434 559 352.					
PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP: Contact Regina - 0432 267 557 or Alfons and Helen Glatzel - 9404 2050.					
DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET: Every Friday at 3:00 pm in the chapel and Friday mornings after 9:15am Mass.					
AGAPE RENEWAL PRAYER MEETING: Contact Jigimon - 0402 652 646.					
JESUS YOUTH YOUNG ADULTS PRAYER MEETING : Every Thursday at 7 pm in the chapel. Contact Irene K. Jacob - 0481 829 529					
CATECHIST R.E. CLASSES: For all enquiries contact May Park at sfranciscatechist@gmail.com .					
MEN’S MEET & GREET GROUP: 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm (Small Hall).					
MOTHERS WHO PRAY FOR THEIR CHILDREN: Every Monday night 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm in the Church fellowship area.					
LIFE TEEN: Every Sunday during the school terms 6 -7:45pm for those in high-school. Contact Carmel at the Parish Office 9407 6700					
AYA FELLOWSHIP: Young Adults aged 19-35. Every Last Saturday of the Month. Contact the Parish Office 9407 6700					
PARISH NEWS					
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS: Next weekend there will be a collection for ‘Peters Pence’ 29th of June					
PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS: Contributions can be dropped off between 9am and 5pm each day at the parish office.					
THANKSGIVING ENVELOPES: Please remember to write the amount on the front of your thanksgiving envelopes.					
PARISH CELLS OF EVANGELISATION:					
SUGGESTION BOX: All suggestions with full names & Phone No included will be considered. (Location: Church Foyer)					
HOUSE BLESSINGS: To invite our clergy to visit and bless your house, please fill in the card in the church foyer.					
ALTAR SERVER TRAINING: 1st Saturday of every month (except school holidays), meeting in the church foyer.					
PRAYER COMPANIONS: After 9am & 10:30am Masses in the Chapel, Your confidentiality will be respected.					
PLEASE PRAY FOR					
RECENTLY DECEASED: Louise Rigo, Maria Mung Thi Nguyen, Alex Magsombol					
IN MEMORIAM: Rosalind Ann Yeo Gaik Lan, Edna Cruz, Luke Ohis, Lucio Fernandes, Fe Garcia, Rui Neves Braz.					
THOSE WHO ARE ILL: Peter Walsh, Nancy Gheno, Michelle Sacdalan, Jack Tolba, Tony Micalizzi, Caterina Schiavello, Deb Parker, Cliff Aquilina, David Wallace, Greg Forrester, Antonina Gangi, Fr Terry Kean, Jack Mercovichs, Pierce Ng.					
(From time to time we will modify the sick list. If you prefer a person to remain on the list please contact the parish office. The newsletter will be available each week on our website www.melbcatholic.org/millpark					

Dear Parishioners,

Following our custom this weekend as we celebrate the Solemnity of The Most Body and Blood of Christ, we will conclude Mass with Exposition, Adoration and Benediction.

Also it is fitting that we have a number of children making their First Holy Communion this weekend. May they grow in love of the Lord in the Eucharist.

**Yours in the Risen Lord,
Fr Anthony Girolami.**

Exposition (Please kneel)

O salutaris Hostia,
Quae caeli pandis ostium:
Bella premunt hostilia,
Da robur, fer auxilium.
Uni trinoque Domino
Sit sempiterna gloria,
Qui vitam sine termino
Nobis donet in patria.
Amen.

Adoration Benediction

Down in adoration falling,
This great sacrament we
hail. Ancient types have
long departed

Newer rites of grace
prevail, Faith for all defect
supplying, Where the
feeble senses fail.

Glory let us give and
blessing, To the Father
and the Son, Honour,
might and praise
addressing, While eternal
ages run; Equal praise to
him confessing, Who
proceeds from both as
one. Amen.

V. You have given them
Bread from heaven.

R. Having in itself all delight

V. Let us pray: Lord Jesus
Christ, you gave us the
Eucharist as the memorial
of your suffering and
death. May our worship of
this sacrament of your
Body and Blood help us to
experience the salvation
you won for us, and the
peace of the Kingdom
where you live with the
Father and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and
ever. **R. Amen.**

Divine Praises

Blessed be God.
Blessed be His Holy
Name.
Blessed be Jesus Christ,
true God and true Man.
Blessed be the Name of
Jesus.
Blessed be His most
Sacred Heart.
Blessed be His most
Precious Blood.
Blessed be Jesus in the
most Holy Sacrament of
the Altar.
Blessed be the Holy Spirit,

the Paraclete.
Blessed be the great
Mother of God, Mary
most holy.
Blessed be her holy and
Immaculate Conception.
Blessed be her glorious
Assumption.
Blessed be the name of
Mary, Virgin and Mother.
Blessed be Saint Joseph,
her most chaste spouse.
Blessed be God in His
angels and in His saints.

Reposition Hymn

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY WINTER APPEAL

This weekend we have the collection for the ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY CHRISTMAS WINTER APPEAL. Funds raised will directly support our core programs, providing vital assistance to people experiencing or at risk of homelessness, poverty, and cost-of-living pressures. Envelopes have been provided if you wish to use a credit card or require a tax receipt. Donations of \$2 and above are tax-deductible.



THANKSGIVING STATEMENTS / ENVELOPES

Now available in the Church Foyer (Street Alphabetical Order)

1. **Presbytery offerings are not** recorded on the statement, only thanksgiving offerings are recorded.
2. Please **disregard** the “Actual” vs “Expected” figures on the statement because it is often incorrect.
3. If you have concerns please call the Parish Office on Wednesdays.
Parish Office 03 9407 6700

Childrens Liturgy IS ON AT 10.30 AM MASS!

Children are welcome to come to CHILDREN’S LITURGY during the Liturgy of the Word at 10:30 Mass. Children please come forward for a blessing after the Opening Prayer of the Mass. All Preschool children and lower to middle Primary school children are welcome. All pre-school children must be accompanied by an adult.

CATECHIST CLASSES 2025

Classes start Tuesday, July 22nd, from 4:15-5:00 pm. Enrolments are open. Forms available at the parish office or parish website. For queries, email stfranciscatechist@gmail.com or call 9407 6700.

We look forward to this faith journey with you and your children.

IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday 22nd July, Term 3:	Classes resume - 4:15-5:00pm
Tuesday 16th September:	Reconciliation at 4:00pm
Saturday 11th October:	First Eucharist at 11:30am
Saturday 8th November:	Confirmation at 11:30am

Solemn Mass of Ordination to the Priesthood

Rev John Vespa

5.00pm (VIC, AUS)
9.00am (VATICAN CITY)
Friday 27 June 2025



PRESIDED OVER BY THE HOLY FATHER
IN ST. PETER'S SQUARE, ROME, VATICAN CITY
Scan for the Vatican Media Live Stream, English.

REPAIRS TO THE FELLOWSHIP AREA

Please note that the fellowship area will be **unavailable** for use **starting this week** due to necessary repairs. It will remain closed **until all work is completed**.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation during this time.

Invitation Changes Everything:

**BUILD A
PARISH THAT
REACHES OUT**



Michael Harvey
DIVINE RENOVATION



MICHAEL HARVEY, AUS TOUR
19 JULY 10AM - 1PM, SFOA PARISH HALL
Free Tickets!!! Register by XR Code or call the Parish Office 9407 6700

Sat 28th
June
6:30pm

Trybooking
for catering
purposes!



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CHAPEL RENOVATIONS**
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