



# St Paul Apostle Catholic Community

## One Family

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22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, 2-3 September, 2023

### Weekday Masses

**Monday**  
9am Mass

**Tuesday**  
9am Mass

**Wednesday**  
7pm Mass

**Thursday**  
9am Mass

**Friday**  
9am Mass

**Saturday**  
6pm

**Sunday**  
9am, 11am and 6pm

Please note Sunday 11am is also  
ONLINE

Please click on this link to follow  
<https://youtube.com/live/3h8uyqUzuTw?feature=share>

**Reconciliation**  
**Saturdays**  
10am—10.30am



## ST PAUL APOSTLE YOUTH GROUP



**\$2  
DONATION**

**FRIDAY, 8 SEPT. 7-9PM**

**FOOD . FAITH . FUN**

FR TIM O'TOOLE ANNEXE

**REGISTER THROUGH**

**LINK OR QR CODE**

<https://www.trybooking.com/CLCIG>



#### Priests:

Fr Brendan Connell CP (PP)  
Fr Luke Bulley CP

#### Parish Staff:

Gillian Velupillay (Bursar)  
Didi Karkas (Secretary)

#### Passionist Community

Fr Brendan Connell CP  
Fr Brian Gleeson CP  
Fr Kevin Hennessy CP  
Fr Luke Bulley CP

#### St Paul Apostle North Primary School

Ph. 9700 6068  
Principal  
Mrs Mary Lucas

#### St Paul Apostle South Primary School

Ph. 9700 3663  
Principal  
Mr Paul Gleeson

#### St John's Regional College

Ph. 9791 3366  
Principal  
Mr Tim Hogan

## Readings for Next Week

### **First Reading**

**Ezekiel 33:7-9**

Thus says the Lord: So you, o son of man, I have made a watchman for the house of Israel; whenever you hear a word from my mouth, you shall give them warning from me.

If I say to the wicked, "O wicked one, you shall surely die," and you do not speak to warn the wicked to turn from their ways, the wicked person shall die in their iniquity, but their blood I will require at your hand.

But if you warn the wicked person to turn from their ways, and they do not turn from their ways, they shall die in their iniquity, but you will have saved your life

### **Psalm**

O come, let us sing to the Lord;  
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!  
Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;  
let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

O come, let us worship and bow down,  
let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!  
For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture,  
and the sheep of his hand.

O that today you would listen to his voice!  
Do not harden your hearts, as at Meribah,  
as on the day at Massah in the wilderness,  
when your ancestors tested me,  
and put me to the proof, though they had seen my work

### **Second Reading**

**Romans: 13:8-10**

Brothers and sisters:

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, "You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet"; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, "Love your neighbor as yourself." Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law

### **Gospel**

**Matthew 18:15-20**

Jesus spoke to his disciples:

"If your brother or sister sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained your brother or sister. But if the person does not listen, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the person refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if that person refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them."

### Questions for reflection

In what way do I show love to my neighbour?

Am I a person who focuses on revenge or reconciliation?

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



### NEW SETS OF THANKSGIVING ENVELOPES

Your NEW SETS of Thanksgiving envelopes are now ready in the Gathering Space. They are arranged in alphabetical order of STREET NAME (not surname)

You will find in there the new sets of envelopes and the statement up to 20 August 2023. You will notice that your envelope number has changed. You have a NEW number. However, your statement will have the OLD number as it was based on the previous lot. If you have any OLD envelopes, please DO NOT use them anymore as the number will be incorrect.

Please don't forget to pick it up on your way out today. Also do not hesitate to contact us if you have any query

### CENSUS AND THANKSGIVING CARD

Some of you have taken one or both of the cards home. Please return them to the parish office once completed. Both cards are also still available at the back of the Church or at the foyer, if you just join in our parish, or have changed your details..

### ADORATION—UPDATED

The core group has had their meeting on Wednesday, 30 August. In the coming week we will give you more details on when and how this will run. In the mean time, if you would like to know more, attend this session or be part of the adoration roster, please contact John Hendriks on 0418308051 or [Johnhendriks@gmail.com](mailto:Johnhendriks@gmail.com)



### PARISH BINGO

Our next parish bingo is on **FRIDAY, 15 SEPTEMBER at 7.30pm in the annexe**. You may come in a group or on your own. 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 only for anyone older than 18 yrs old. *Unfortunately, we are bound to a policy which states that anyone under this age is not permitted inside the hall during Bingo*



### SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Please remember that registration for 2023 Sacrament of Confirmation program is open. If you wish your child to be part of this program you must submit the completed registration form by September 15, 2023

Important dates are:

First family night on Tuesday, 3 October at 7pm  
4 classes either at Parish Schools or ASRE for those who attend non parish schools.

Last Family Night on Tuesday, 14 November at 7pm  
Meeting with Bishop on Thursday 16 November (TBA)

### JUSTICE GROUP

Last weekend, our Justice Group had their egg collection to support the asylum seekers. It has generated \$703.75. Justice group thanked you for your generous support.

### COME AWAY DAY

The Come Away Days program resumes at Holy Cross Retreat Centre (the home of Passionists order in Melbourne) on **Wednesday 13 September**. The theme of the day is "Invitation to new beginnings."

*The day's program provides opportunities for prayer, reflection and fellowship in the peaceful grounds and facilities of Holy Cross, situated at 207 Serpells Road, Templestowe.* All are welcome. BYO lunch. Registration is from 9.30am. The day concludes at 2pm with a celebration of the Eucharist. You are invited to support these days financially according to your means, using \$25.00 per person as a guide. For further details contact Frank Burke on 0407998781 or [burke.frank942@yahoo.com.au](mailto:burke.frank942@yahoo.com.au)

### WELLSPRINGS FOR WOMEN

Invites you to the launch of 'KNOW MY STORY' (Film and book) on **25 September** at Drum Theatre, Lonsdale St, Dandenong. It starts at 2pm. Booking is via Event Bright <http://bit.ly/44pjk9h> or scan the bar code



#### **Readings:**

#### **22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr A**

Jeremiah 20:7-9 ;  
Romans 12:1-2 ;  
Matthew 16:21-27

#### **23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr A**

Ezekiel 33:7-9 ;  
Romans: 13:8-10 ;  
Matthew 18:15-20

[www.universalis.com](http://www.universalis.com)

#### **This weekend we pray for:**

##### ***Those who are sick***

Horace Stolke, Grace Sprigg, Lara Moyle, Michael D' Silva, Lina Jom, Giorgia Vella, Lucia Lay, Marie Kronomberg, Bernardo Cabrera, Anne Ghatt, June Enright, Leang Diep, Zina Carlow, Denis Carlow, Sonia Singh, Roger Gray, Anthona Henderson, Nimal Pandithakoralage, Cecil Harper, Fr Brian Gleeson, Nicole Pinto, Toni Celona, Shinead Kralj, Carlos Aquino, Jamie Cabrera, Angela Schink, Roy Conyers, Sandra D'Costa, Annette Perera, Ronald Peters, Godfrey Joseph, Camilla D'Rozario, Esric Jackson, Emily Broadbent, **and All those in aged care or homebound with chronic health issues**

##### ***Those who have died***

Jovan Bodor, Alfred Xerri, Louisa Lazarus, Anthony Woodley, Therese Curé, Rosaria Nania, Marc Kelaart, Noel Burner, John Vinnie, Noella Lobo, Allan Baker, Cynthia Baker, Yasmin Baker **and all who are named in our church memorial book**

***May they rest in peace***



*Birthday of Our Lady*

Friday,  
8 September 2023

Masses are:  
9am and 7pm