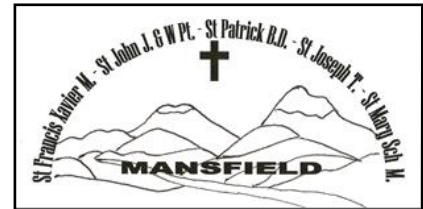


THE LORD MANSFIELD PARISH

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Nov 15th/16th 2025

Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



Land of the Taungurung

Our vision is to Live, Love and Grow into the Body of Christ.

Our mission is to work as one in the Spirit building up the Body of Christ, to serve one another and the Mansfield Community.

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OFFICE HOURS: Thurs - Fri :10am to 2pm

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: (When there is no Entrance Hymn) The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

Sing songs to the Lord with the harp with the sound of music. With trumpets and the sound of the horn acclaim the King, the Lord.

Let the sea and all within it, thunder; the world and all its peoples. Let the rivers clap their hands and the hills ring out their joy at the presence of the Lord.

For the Lord comes, he comes to rule the earth. He will rule the world with justice and the people with fairness.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! Lift up your heads and see; your redemption is near at hand. Alleluia!

THE MYSTERY OF FAITH: We proclaim your death O Lord and profess your resurrection until you come again.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: (When there is no Communion Hymn) To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord.

PARISH PRAYER: Heavenly Father, We the people of Mansfield Parish entrust you with our prayers, our needs and our hopes. We thank you for giving us your Son as our Saviour, our life and our inspiration. Help us to work as one in the Spirit building up the Body of Christ and bringing peace through forgiveness to the world. May our patrons: St Francis Xavier, St John the Apostle, St Patrick, St Joseph, St John and Mary Help of Christians, pray for us and guide us in the ways of Jesus. **AMEN.**

Memorials and Feasts

Mon 17th Nov: St Elizabeth of

Hungary – Memorial

Fri 21st Nov: the Presentation of the
Blessed Virgin Mary - Memorial

Our Lord, JESUS CHRIST, KING of the UNIVERSE

1st Reading: 2 Samuel 5: 1-3

Psalm: Ps 121: 1-5

2nd Reading: Colossians 1: 12-20

Gospel: Luke 23: 35-43

Anniversaries and Memorials: Dulcie Reaper

Prayers for those who are sick: Helen Mullins, Jane W, Tim Whitfield, Ed Griffin, John Nuttman, Winston D'Cruz, Loretto Redfern, Marj Cameron, Ashleigh Chapman, Loretta Chivers, Anthony McHugh, Natasha Gomes, Rex Zebrst, Patricia Wilson, Amy, Enzo Robinson, Patricia Lawson, Bernie Carroll, Margaret Ramma, Ian, Logan, Jane O'Halloran, Julius D'Costa, Alex Harmes

To book St Mary's Hall please call Greg Hogarth on ☎0408 618 135

St Vincent de Paul ☎ 5775 3156.

The Mansfield Catholic Parish is committed to the safety of children and vulnerable adults.

MASS TIMES & ROSTERS

19th to 23rd November

Wednesday: 12.30 Funeral Mass Jill Hannaker

Thursday: 8.45am Rosary/Chaplet 9.15am Mass

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Saturday: 6pm Mass Mansfield

Reader/ Prayers of the Faithful: Anna McKenzie

Special Minister: Rita Riley

Sunday: 9am Mass Mansfield

Reader /Prayers of the Faithful: Joan Tehan

Special Minister: Zaldah Kirley

Communion to the sick: Sandra O'Brien

Counting: Nance & John Rutley

11.00am Jamieson

Flowers for November: Kath Bock

CLEANING & MAINTENANCE ROSTER

Church Cleaning: Nijo/Praveen families

Maintenance: Peter Hood (Front of Church & Hall)

David Bock (Back of Church, Hall & Presbytery)

SACRAMENTS IN THE MANSFIELD PARISH

BAPTISMS: Saturdays & 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at 11.00 am. 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month 1.00 pm. Please make an appointment to meet the parish priest.

MARRIAGES: Three months' notice is required before a wedding. For further information, please check Mansfield Catholic Parish Website. Please make an appointment to meet the parish priest.

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 9.45am & 5.30pm / Sunday 8.30am.

FRIENDS OF ST JOSEPH AT ST MARY'S HALL

Delicious Jams, Relishes, Chutneys, Pickles etc. on sale.

Open on Friday's 1-4pm and after the 9am Sunday Mass.

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTIONS

Thanksgiving \$537.00 \$Loose \$224.75 Presbytery \$422.90

To donate - Mansfield Catholic Church Acct: BSB 083 347 Acc 65793 1299

Mansfield Parish House Acct: BSB 083 347 No. 65793 1280

or please scan the QR Code



Child safety policies are on the website
<https://www.melbatholic.org/s/mansfield>

Sunday November 16 is the World Day of the Poor. Pope Leo's recent Apostolic Exhortation, ***Dilexi te - I Have Loved You*** encourages the Church to be a poor Church accompanying the poor. It encourages us to reflect on how we think about those who live in poverty and how we take action to address their plight. Pope Leo reminds us that "the poor are not a distraction for the Church, but our beloved brothers and sisters, for by their lives, their words and their wisdom, they put us in contact with the truth of the Gospel."

✠ Fr George

NEWS AROUND OUR PARISH

JUBILEE 2025: Welcome to all visitors and pilgrims. Jubilee Programme details are on the parish website.

ART & CRAFT: Tuesday 11am at St Mary's Hall.

CHAIR EXERCISES: Wednesday 10am at St Mary's Hall. Gold coin donation.

ARCHBISHOP'S MESSAGE: I am delighted to share that Mansfield Parish has raised \$875.00 towards this year's Campaign. I am immensely proud of the Archdiocese and the many families who have come together in such a spirit of generosity. Their commitment is a powerful testament to our shared mission of proclaiming the Good News of Jesus Christ. Already, the overall effort has surpassed last year's total, exceeding \$1.1 million. Further donations are still being processed.

RED NOVEMBER: Aid to the Church in Need invites you to pray and support persecuted Christians through November especially in Nigeria, Sudan and the Middle East, where they are in grave danger. Please scan the QR code or visit www.rednovember.org for more information.



2026 CALENDARS: Columbian Art calendars available for sale in the piety store. Cost \$ 10 each

THANK YOU PARISHIONERS: Thanks to all for your generosity this past year of 2025. There is a letter for all parishioners. Please collect your letter with relevant information. Envelopes for the coming year, commencing 7th December are also available at the main church entrance. Please note that some of your numbers may have changed and the boxes of envelopes are displayed in alphabetical order.

IMPORTANT DATES IN THE PARISH:

Sunday 16th November: Leadership Team Meeting after 9am Mass.

Fifth Sunday 30th November: 11am Mass at Tolmie followed by BYO Lunch.

Sunday 7th December: Parish Christmas Celebration and Thank you to Trish Etccl - 11am Mass at Mansfield followed by Christmas Lunch at the Hall.

Mansfield Catholic Parish

