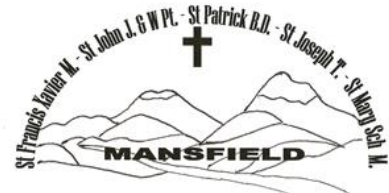


MANSFIELD PARISH

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

8th/9th June 2024

10th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B



Land of the Taungurung

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

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➤ **ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** (When there is no Entrance Hymn)

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; whom should I dread? When those who do evil draw near, they stumble and fall.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 129

R. With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord, Lord, hear my voice! O let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleading.

If you, O Lord, should mark our guilt, Lord, who would survive? But with you is found forgiveness: for this we revere you.

My soul is waiting for the Lord, I count on his word. My soul is longing for the Lord more than watchman for daybreak.

Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption, Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity.

R. With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

- **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia, alleluia! The prince of this world will now be cast out, and when I am lifted up from the earth I will draw all to myself, says the Lord. 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)
The Lord is my rock, my fortress, and my deliverer; my God is my saving strength.
- **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.**

Solemnities, Feasts and Memorials

Tuesday St Barnabas
Thursday St Anthony of Padua

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

1st Reading: **Ezekiel 17: 22-24** Resp Psalm: **Ps 91: 2-3, 13-16**
2nd Reading: **Corinthians 5: 6-10** Gospel: **Mark 4: 26-34**

Anniversary Prayers: Kevin Bock

Prayers for those who are sick: Leveah Hames, Marj Cameron, Ashleigh Chapman, Barry & Loretta Chivers, Malaika, Jondy, Savio, Anthony McHugh, Natasha Gomes, Janelle Kuc, Nancy Haley, Rex Zebrst, Patricia Wilson, Amy, George D'Arcy, Logan, Lloyd, Enzo Robinson, Patricia Lawson, Bernie Carroll, David Arbuthnot, Margaret Ramma

To book St Mary's Hall please call Greg Hogarth on ☎0408 618 135
St Vincent de Paul ☎ 5775 3156. President: Rosemary Badrock ☎ 0467 925 614



Mansfield Catholic Parish

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

11th – 16th June

Tuesday 8.45 Rosary 9.15am Communion Service
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Thursday 8.45 Rosary 9.15am Communion Service
Friday 8.45 Rosary 9.15am Communion Service
(Access through the side door for Communion Service)
Saturday 6pm Mansfield
6.30pm Mt Buller
Sunday 9am Mansfield
5pm Bonnie Doon

ROSTERS for 15th /16th June

SATURDAY 15th June:

Reader/ Prayers of the Faithful: Fay Smith

Special Minister: Rita Riley

SUNDAY 16th June:

Reader /Prayers of the Faithful: Mike O'Halloran

Special Minister: Dennis Mahoney

Communion to the Sick: Zaldah Kirley

Counting: David Bock & Ray Close

Church Cleaning: 10/6 – 22/6 Griffin Girls

Flowers for June: Rita Riley

SACRAMENTS IN THE MANSFIELD PARISH

Please contact the Parish Office on 5775 2005 for further information on the following:

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

MARRIAGES: Please note 3 months' notice is required before a wedding. For further information, please check Mansfield Catholic Parish Website.

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays 5.30pm **ONLY** on 15th June, Sundays 8.30am

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTIONS

Thanksgiving \$427, **Loose** \$433.40, **Presbytery** \$519.60

If you wish to contribute to either the Church or House account here are our bank details:

MANSFIELD CATHOLIC CHURCH ACCOUNT:

BSB 083 347 Acct No. 65793 1299

(If this is for thanksgiving, please include your thanksgiving number as a reference)

MANSFIELD PARISH HOUSE ACCOUNT:

BSB 083 347 Acct No. 65793 1280

You can also donate via our website:

<https://www.melbcatholic.org/s/mansfield>

In the Old Testament we read that the Israelites made an oath or swore to follow the Covenant of the Lord, like the Creed we profess every Sunday. But those who make this oath and persist in behaviour contrary to the Covenant will not share in the Covenantal blessing or forgiveness (Deut 29:18-19). In this weekend's gospel we hear about an 'eternal sin'. Pope St John Paul II in his encyclical *Dominum et vivificantem* (The Lord and Giver of Life), on the role of the Holy Spirit, explains this eternal sin. "According to such an exegesis* 'blasphemy' does not properly consist in offending against the Holy Spirit in words; it consists rather in the refusal to accept the salvation which God offers to man through the Holy Spirit, working through the power of the Cross", and "If Jesus says that blasphemy against the Holy Spirit cannot be forgiven either in this life or in the next, it is because this 'non-forgiveness' is linked, as to its cause, to 'non-repentance,' in other words to the radical refusal to be converted. This means the refusal to come to the source of Redemption, which nevertheless remain 'always' open in the economy of salvation in which the mission of the Holy Spirit is accomplished." *Exegesis means critical explanation or interpretation of a text, especially of scripture.

✠Fr George

NEWS AROUND OUR PARISH

IF YOU ARE VISITING: A very warm welcome to you.

THANKS to all who helped in the First Holy Communion Mass and Brekkie that followed it.

REFUGEE WEEK 16th – 22nd June: On Sunday 16th June, RAR Mansfield are hosting an afternoon with Gillian Triggs, former High Commissioner for Protection UNHCR. The event will be held in St John's Hall at 2.00pm and a delicious Devonshire tea will be served after the talk.

THE CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF MELBOURNE Clergy conference is from 10th -14th of June. Kindly pray for the bishops, priests and deacons of the Archdiocese.

MOUNT BULLER APLINE CHAPEL: Weekend Mass at 6.30pm on Saturdays at the Alpine chapel starts from 15th June to 21st September.

CONGRATULATIONS to Bishop Elect Very Reverend Father Joe Caddy, Vicar General of Melbourne, who has been appointed as Bishop of Cairns.

LEAVING COLLECTION: There will be a leaving collection at all Masses next weekend for the Propagation of the Faith.

PARISH 45 CLUB: Congratulations to this week's winners in Draw 5: 2 Chris Dunlop, 8 Fay Smith, 8 John Egan. The supplementary numbers from Wednesday Lotto are used to determine our weekly winners.

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(Parish Vision and Mission Statement and Child safety policies are on the website.