



PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

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**CHILDREN'S LITURGY
CELEBRATED AT 6PM &
10AM MASSES.**

BAPTISMS

Celebrated EITHER during the
6pm, 8am & 10 am Masses on
the 2nd Sun of the month OR

11.30am at Holy Trinity

12noon at John XXIII

(Alternately on 4th Sun)

Bookings to be made through
the Parish Office.

MARRIAGES

By appointment only.

REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

St Francis Xavier's
(Primary) 8251 9500
Carignane St,
Wynn Vale 5127

Gleeson College
(Secondary) 8282 6600
40-60 Surrey Farm Drive,
Golden Grove 5125

**We acknowledge the Kurna people as the custodians of this region.
Let us share and learn together for reconciliation and justice.**



Parish Mass Times

Saturday Vigil 6pm John XXIII Church

Sunday 8am John XXIII Church,

10am Holy Trinity Church

**Reconciliation (Confession) 5.30pm Sat at John XXIII and
after 9.15am Mass on 1st Sat. of the Month at Holy Trinity.**

Saints/Feast Days Of the Week

6th St Bruno

7th Our Lady of the Rosary

9th St Denis & Companions,

St John Leonardi



Placed in the Vineyard of God....

Today's gospel makes us wonder! "What were these labourers thinking?" Surely they knew that the land and the harvest belonged to the landowner, and not to the labourers...so, too, the Kingdom of God. We labour for the Kingdom, with our works of mercy, charity and love. Yet, the results of our labours, the harvest we do not get to keep for ourselves. All of our works are for the glory of God and for the purpose of building the Kingdom. From this we can learn a lot about ourselves and how we stand in relation to God. First we see human PRIVILEGE. Like the managers of the vineyard, everything we have is a privilege and not a merit. This is what we mean when we say that everything is God's grace. Life itself is a privilege which can be taken away from any of us at any moment. Privilege comes, however, with RESPONSIBILITY. We are ultimately responsible and accountable to God for the way we use or abuse our God-given privileges. God has given us all that we need to make a judicious use of all our privileges, yet we retain the ability to abuse them. This is called FREEDOM. The Parable of the Wicked Tenants, as it is called, is a parable on the misuse of human freedom. Let us today pray for the wisdom and the courage never to abuse our privileges but rather to make a judicious use of all the privileges and opportunities that God gives us.

Fr. Manu Kumbidiyamackal

LAY MINISTRY

Para Hills/ Modbury Parish is a vibrant parish - we have dedicated parishioners who volunteer in Lay Minister roles.

If you have a gift or talent that you wish to share with your parish please let us know. We always need more Lay Ministers as Eucharist Ministers, Readers, Welcomers, Commentators.

We are desperate for projectionists at both John XXIII and Holy Trinity. We really need to share this commitment. The power points are part of

our Liturgy and we need more people to operate this Ministry. We need religion instruction teachers,

Children's liturgy ministers. If you have ever thought to yourself, I would love to be..... Talk with Fr Manu or Grace Healey.

Readings for 12th October 2014
1st Reading: Isaiah 25:6-10
2nd Reading: Philippians 4:12-14,19-20
Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14

Musicians, Singers, Cantors

We need musicians for John XXIII and Holy Trinity. If you can play a **guitar, piano, etc, or sing** we need you. We have weeks at John XXIII or Holy Trinity where we have CD's. they are ok but it's not the same as live music. Live music brings our Liturgies to a joyous prayerful level that enhances our prayer with God. We need you to commit to a level of self-motivation and reliability. Please if you ever thought to yourself, I would love to sing, play an instrument or both Talk with Fr Manu or Grace Healey.

Thank you to all of you that are already committed in ministering at our liturgies, we appreciate your dedication and commitment.

October is First Collection Renewal Month

The first collection renewal aims to raise awareness of the importance of the First Collection and the need to increase our contribution. Thank you to those many generous parishioners who support our priests and deacons through the First Collection. We offer support to our priests by our prayers and encouragement as well as by ensuring their well-being.

PLEASE NOTE

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion will not be Celebrated at Holy Trinity due to a special Mass for the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary on Tuesday 7th October at Holy Trinity Church at 7pm.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO DONATED TO THE CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL LAST WEEKEND. THE AMOUNT OF \$609.50 WAS RAISED.

Our Community's Prayer Petitions During October

PLEASE NOTE: THE NAMES ON THE SICK LIST WILL REMAIN FOR TWO MONTHS ONLY UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTIFIED.

BULLETIN PRAYER LIST: Please note that names can only be added to this list by immediate family, or the ill person themselves (for reasons of privacy).

Please Remember in your Prayers

THOSE WHO ARE SICK, especially:

Elizabeth Meikle, Rita Robinson, Cathy Sharkey, Frances Davies, Pauline Fuller, Eileen Ryan, Gary Lockyer, David Bird, Yvonne Summers, June Tucker, Richard McDonald, Darcy Ridley, Ursula Spencer, Joy Almeida, Ethel O'Hanlon, Marie Bakaj, Brett Speed, Jennifer Francou, Owen Cannard, Regan Barry, John Cherry, Dudley Dolman, Anastazia Proc, Fr. Michael Walsh, Pat Feutrill, Paul Holmes, Michael Lochhead, Margaret Scott, Christopher Malone, Odette Dotter, Felix Williams, Kay Kennedy, Therese Middeldorp, Michaela Matthews.

Those Recently Deceased

Merv Bowman (Corrie Bowman's Father-in-Law), Sarah Killen, Lynette Bird, Peter Quinn, Petronella (Nell) Boog, Jacobus Boog, Joseph Kumbidiyamackal, Alan Croucher, Allen Shuttleworth, Susan Lafferty.

What's happening during OCTOBER 2014



[J23 = John XXIII Church, HT = Holy Trinity Church]
[LWHC = Liturgy of the Word with Communion]

Mon 6th **PUBLIC HOLIDAY**

Tues 7th **MASS**, 8.30am, J23
NO LWHC, HT

MASS, Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, 7pm, HT
Reach Out—Day Trip

Wed 8th **MASS**, 7pm, HT
Over 50's, 12.30pm-3.30pm, HT

Thur 9th **MASS, Modbury Hospital, 11am**
Christian Meditation, 2pm, J23

Fri 10th **MASS**, 9.15 am, HT
LWHC, 9.15am, J23
Holy Hour, 3pm, HT

Sat 11th **MASS**, 6pm, J23
East Timor Pasta & Pudding night, 7.30pm, J23

Sun 12th **MASS**, 8am, J23
MASS, 10am, HT



SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE

Not everyone is able to travel to the Holy Land and walk in the footsteps of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. But maybe you can make a spiritual journey while we (the pilgrims who are going in October) are travelling through the different parts of the land of Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Moses, not to mention Jesus.

If you wish to be part of that Spiritual Journey you can pray *with* us and *for* us as we go from one site to the other.

I have the journey printed for you. You may like to pray and light a candle each day and we will light a candle for you in every place we visit.

When we return, we will share with you our experiences with photos and film one night. All you have to do is to pick up a copy of the Pilgrimage Journey at the back of the church and follow spiritually in our footsteps.

Thank you for being part of our Journey.

Fr Jack Boog
Para Hills Modbury Catholic Parish



RESPONSORIAL PSALM: The vineyard of the Lord is the House of Israel.

Our Community News . . .



ST VINCENT DE PAUL
HQ: 1300 729 202 from 9.00 — 1.00pm
 or www.vinnies.org.au

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

What do you mean by crushing my people;
 by grinding the face of the poor. Isaiah 3: 15



Last week we had 3 families requiring assistance,
 5 Adults and 5 Children, wanting help with Food,
 Clothing and Furniture.

Our pantry needs at John XXIII this week are:
 Pasta Sauce, Milo and 2 minute Noodles
 Our Grateful Thanks for all the assistance you give
 us, we are humbled, God Bless.

REACH OUT

Mass 8.30am at J23, DUE TO TRIP

Tuesday 7th October, 2014

Reader: Barbara
 Offertory: Irene & Raphael
 Communion: Maureen F. & Pat H.
 Altar Server: Pam

All Welcome

DAY TOUR TO LITTLEHAMPTON

29 people are going this coming Tuesday,
 7th October. **MASS** will be at **8.30am**
 (Note Change of Mass Time). Before leaving at
 9.00am for what hopefully will be an
 enjoyable day out.



DEVELOPMENT FUND

Congratulations Margaret Scott (Tom Snr.)
 Ticket No. 46
 Drawn by Joyce Simmonds
 Contact: Marg Dolman 8264 1317
 to be included in the draw.

Happy Birthday October Babies

- 6th Nora Krakowiak
- 7th Michael Lineage, Alvin Cruz
- 9th Michael Micallef
- 10th Anne Hughes
- 11th Ethel O'Hanlon
- 12th Alexander Frost



KIDS CORNER

Thank you, God, for holidays
 In the lovely spring days,
 For our picnics, for our fun,
 For our playing in the sun.
 Make us good, with smiling
 Faces.



So our homes are friendly places,
 And the helpful things we do
 Make all our mothers and fathers
 happy too.
 Amen.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)

We will be starting our sessions soon for catechumens
 (not baptised) and candidates (baptised but do not
 have all sacraments) for R.C.I.A. The Second Vatican
 Council prescribed the revision of the rite of baptism of
 adults and decreed that the catechumenate for adults,
 divided into several steps, should be restored. This
 means the time of the catechumenate, which is
 intended as a period of well-suited instruction, would
 be sanctified by liturgical rites to be celebrated at
 successive intervals of time. The Council likewise
 decreed that both the solemn and simple rites of adult
 baptism should be revised, with proper attention to the
 restored catechumenate. If you would like to know
 anything about our R.C.I.A. program,
 please contact Grace Healey Pastoral Associate
 on ghealeyparamod@adam.com.au
 or Phone: 8264 7590

Infant Baptism Course Enrolments by 10th October Ph: 8152 7806

I hope to start a Baptism Preparation Team that
 will work with me.
 If you want to be on this team, an opportunity for
 training with Sr Ilsa Neicinieks RSM has been
 made available. I will be taking this five week
 course starting :-
 Date: Thursday the 16th October to 13th November
 Time: 7.00 – 9 p.m.
 Place: Meeting Room, Office for Worship
 127 South Road Thebarton
 (enter at 116 George St).
 If you wish to go to this course please let me know
 either by email: paramodcath@adam.com or
 phone the Parish on 08 82647590.
 If you can't make the course but are still interested
 in this Ministry please contact me, Grace Healey.

Date Change Community Garden

Change of Date from the 18th October,
 to the 25th October.

The Craft Fair is on the 18th of October and I
 hope we will all be there. I had a senior's mo-
 ment when I announced the date oops!!!

**HAPPY 80th BIRTHDAY
 ANNE HUGHES**



**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have
 made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father.**

TREASURE MARKET
Second Saturday of each month
8am to 12noon

Next: 11th October
John XXIII Centre

Sellers \$6—Buyers free!

PLEASE SEND SMALLER GOODS OUR WAY,
THEY CAN BE LEFT ON THE SHELVES IN THE
MARKET WALKWAY

OR IN THE BOX AT THE BACK OF JOHN XXIII
CHURCH, ALSO IN A BOX IN THE CRY ROOM
AT HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.

All monies raised from the Market
are donated to the Parish.

**WE CAN NO LONGER ACCEPT LARGE ITEMS
SUCH AS TV'S, MATTRESSES, SOFAS, LOUNGE
CHAIRS & WARDROBES AS WE ARE NOT ABLE
TO SELL THEM.**

40 DAYS FOR LIFE SPRING CAMPAIGN 2014

Help Save Mothers & Babies

With the support of Archbishop Wilson, the 40 Days
for Life Spring Prayer Campaign runs daily until
2 November 2014, at Mareeba Abortion Clinic,
21 Belmore Tce, Woodville. Please come for
1 or more hours and peacefully pray.

40 Days International Director Robert Colquhoun
(from UK) will speak at Rosary Church Hall,
14 Barker Road, Prospect at 7.30 pm Wednesday
1st October 2014. A dynamic & inspiring speaker.

All Welcome. Please bring a plate.
Enq Alan & Helen Tyson 8364 4516, 0412 389 875,
0400 364 403, itm54au@gmail.com.

**OCTOBER, the MONTH
OF THE HOLY ROSARY**

Pope Paul VI said "*Without contemplation, the
Rosary is a body without a soul.*"
therosary3.com is a scriptural Rosary. Whether
you are already in the habit of praying the
Rosary and want to renew the spirit of your
prayer, or whether you are new to the Rosary
and want to learn how to quieten your mind and
heart, therosary3.com will help you enter more
deeply into the Mysteries of Christ. Come then,
come to a quiet place within ...
visit therosary3.com.



**Upcoming events in St Francis
Xavier's Cathedral:**

Sat-Sun, Oct 11 & 12 – Rosary weekend in Cathedral
and hall. Reciting of Rosary, Mass at Normal Times,
9am – 4.30pm. Fr Peter Dunn

Sunday, October 12 – Mass for Feast of St Daniel
Comboni of Sudan, 2.30pm

More events: [http://www.adelaide.catholic.org.au/news-
and-events/upcoming-events](http://www.adelaide.catholic.org.au/news-and-events/upcoming-events)

Adelaide Archdiocesan website:
<http://www.adelaide.catholic.org.au>

Prayer for the Synod on the Family
5th to 19th October 2014

A request from the Holy Father, Pope Francis to
pray for the Synod in Rome on the Family.
Please take a prayer card which are placed at
the back of the church.

Glenelg Catholic Parish and the
Organ Music Society of Adelaide

Public Concert on the newly-refurbished pipe organ at
Our Lady of Victories Church, High Street, Glenelg,
2.30pm Sunday, November 2. Brilliant organist,
Joshua van Konkelenberg plays works by
Bach, Brahms, Franck and Vierne.
Entry by donation (includes afternoon tea)

DVD OF OUR COMMEMORATION MASS
FOR SAINT JOHN XXIII

The DVD's for our Celebration Mass are now
available for collection. Those who have ordered
a copy can now collect them from the
Parish Office, at a cost of \$5.00.
There are extra limited copies available.



Young Catholic Students
Ages 12 to 17.



Our next get together will be on
Friday 17th of October 2014
From 7 pm—9 pm at Holy Trinity.
We will be having fun and activities,
Table Tennis, Darts, Pool Table and Bowling.
For further enquires please contact:
Grace Healey on 82647590.

ROSARY WEEKEND

Rosary weekend at
St Francis Xavier's Cathedral and Hall –
(Sat. 9.30am-5pm BYO lunch & Sun.,
11am-5pm; BYO lunch).

Mass at normal times. Speaker:
Fr Peter Dunn; Rosary. prayer, talk,
afternoon tea and Benediction.



CHUCKLE CORNER



An ill-prepared college student taking an
economics exam just before Christmas
vacation wrote on his paper.

"Only God knows the answers to these
questions. Merry Christmas!"

The professor graded the papers and wrote
this note:

"God gets 100, you get 0. Happy New Year!"