



# PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

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13th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year B Green

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## St John XXIII Church

50 Reservoir Rd, Hope Valley 5090

**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, OR ON OUR  
WEBSITE

## 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.**

## ST JOHN XXIII

**Hope Valley**

**Monday 9.15am**

**Tuesday 9.15am**

**Saturday 6pm**

**Sunday 8am**

## *MASS TIMES*



**MODBURY HOSPITAL  
THURSDAY MASS 11am**

## HOLY TRINITY

**Para Hills**

**Wednesday 7pm**

**Friday 9.15am**

(Adoration Before Friday  
Mass commencing 8.30am)

**Saturday 9.15am**

**Sunday 10am**

## Prayer Meetings and Devotions

**Reconciliation (Confession) Saturday's**

**after 9.15am Mass at Holy Trinity and at 5.30pm at St John XXIII.**

<b>Mon 29th June</b>	Legion of Mary, (Junior), & R.E., 4pm - 5pm, <b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Tue 30th June</b>	Legion of Mary, 12.30pm, <b>Holy Trinity</b> Baptism Preparation, 7.30pm, <b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Wed 1st July</b>	Holy Cloak of St Joseph, 6.30pm, <b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Thur 2nd July</b>	Christian Meditation, 2pm, <b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Fri 3rd July</b>	Holy Hour, 3pm - 4pm, <b>Holy Trinity</b> Two Hearts, 8pm- 4am, with Mass at 9pm & 3am, <b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Sat 4th July</b>	<b>First Saturday Mass, 9.15am, Holy Trinity</b>

## *OTHER ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK*

<b>Mon 29th June</b>	Indoor Bowls, 1pm - 3.30pm, <b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Tue 30th June</b>	Reach Out, 9.45am, <b>St John XXIII</b> Parish Finance Committee Meeting, 7.30pm, <b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Wed 1st July</b>	Seniors Social Club, 1pm - 3.30pm, <b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Fri 3rd July</b>	Craft, 9.30am -12pm, <b>St John XXIII</b>

## **Don't be Afraid. Only have Faith....**

The raising of Jairus' daughter in the gospel and the message of the first reading today are meant to bring up the themes of eternal life which lie at the heart of the Christian message of salvation. The first reading today mentions the fact that according to God's original intention, human beings were made "imperishable". We were destined to immortality, and this is one of the main ways that we resemble God and share his nature. The symbolic meaning of the miracle in the gospel is that Christ has knocked down the barriers to our eternal life with God and "abolished death". There are a lot of people who don't have any religious faith or any belief in life after death who take what we might call a resigned or pessimistic attitude to death. Their idea is we are only here for a short while and then we will be gone forever. Everything that seems so valuable, everything that gives life meaning, all forms of material success and achievement, even our closest relationships - are all, in the end, swallowed up by death.

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Readings for 5th July, 2015  
 1st Reading: Ezek 2:2-5  
 2nd Reading: 2 Cor 12:7-10  
 Gospel: Mk 6:1-6

**Saints/Feast Days Of the Week**

29th St Peter, St Paul, Apostles  
 3rd St Thomas, Apostle  
 4th St Elizabeth of Portugal

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When people reflect in this sort of way they become overwhelmed by the feeling that life is meaningless. Nothing lasts, everything passes away - so what's the point? They may decide that the only thing they can do is to face up to the meaninglessness of life with clear minds, with courage, with unflinching honesty. They may cultivate a kind of detachment from earthly things because they all fall from our grasp at the end of the day anyway. Now from our Christian standpoint, we also believe that we should avoid attaching ourselves to worldly things for a similar reason: they don't last, they don't have any ultimate value. Unlike the pessimistic attitude, we don't believe that death is the end of all life. We believe that when someone dies and leaves this world behind, "life is changed, not ended". The whole witness of the Bible is a sort of gradual unfolding of the insight in the first reading: that we share God's nature and we are destined to live with him for eternity. When the door opens onto that new life, we leave behind all the hurts, sadness and ambiguities of our lives on earth, all the faults and imperfections within our own character. And so of course our belief in this future life with God makes a difference to how we go about our lives on earth. Then, once again let us give heed to the voice of Jesus, "Don't be afraid. Only have faith". Faith is the knowledge of God that takes us beyond a purely worldly-wisdom. When we start to live in contact with God we start to lose any notion that our lives have no purpose or meaning. It's faith that gradually gives us a sense of the direction our lives are supposed to move in and a sense of our real vocation as God's creatures: "to know him, love and serve him in this world, and to be happy with him forever in the next".

Fr. Manu Kumbidiyamackal



**DIVINE MERCY**

The next Divine Mercy Eucharistic Adoration will be on Sunday, 28th June at 3pm at Holy Trinity Church.

**Our Community's Prayer Petitions**

**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:**

John Martin, Marie Boulton, Sr. Marleen Dewar OLSH, Kevin Harriot, Kay Kennedy, Gaetana Grima, Ursula Spencer, Fiona Power, Elizabeth Meikle, Rita Robinson, Cathy Sharkey, Frances Davies, Pauline Fuller, Eileen Ryan, Gary Lockyer, Yvonne Summers, Darcy Ridley, Marie Bakaj, Jennifer Francou, Regan Barry, John Cherry, Dudley Dolman, Anastazia Proc, Fr. Michael Walsh, Pat Feutrill, Paul Holmes, Michael Lochhead, Margaret Scott, Christopher Malone, Odette Dotter.

**THOSE RECENTLY DECEASED**

Owen Cannard, John McPeake, Pam O'Conner



Gospel Mark 5:21-43

In this Gospel reading Mark explains that Jesus layed his hands on Jarius daughter and brought her back to life.

She was only twelve years old.

Jesus said to Jarius

"Do not be afraid; only have faith"

We hear Jesus say this often in the Gospels. What do you think he means?

The little girl was able to get up and Jesus told them to give her something to eat. He also said strictly not to let anyone know about it.

I wonder why Jesus said this?

**Prayer:**

God loves you, so don't let anything worry you or frighten you.

Thank you God for loving us.

Amen



**NOVENA OF THE HOLY CLOAK OF ST JOSEPH**



To pray for all Families, the Priesthood and for the Protection of the Unborn  
 Wednesday 1st July,

The Novena and Rosary beginning at 6.30pm followed by Mass at 7pm, concluding with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction.

*"put all my desires, cares and wishes for you in the Sacred Heart. I know it protects and guards you."*

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.**

## Our Community News . . .



**ST VINCENT DE PAUL**  
HQ: 1300 729 202 from 9.00 — 1.00pm  
or [www.vinnies.org.au](http://www.vinnies.org.au)

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL

'Mother Teresa said "touch the poor"  
and that's what I try to do' *Fr. Maurice Chase*

Last Friday we collected a full trailer load of non-perishable goods from St Francis Xavier's School Wynn Vale which the classes had collected for our annual "Winter Appeal" as part of their Social Justice subject.

We would like to thank all the Pupils, Parents and Teachers for the continued support that they give to "Vinnies" at St John XXIII and Holy Trinity, it helps us greatly in assisting those families in need in these difficult times. God Bless you all.

### REACH OUT GROUP

Tuesday 30th June, 2015,  
Mass 9.15am at St John XXIII

Reader: Barbara  
Offertory: Margaret E. & Leo  
Communion: Margaret D & Pat H.  
Altar Server: Maureen K.



### DEVELOPMENT FUND 2015 Congratulations Karin Gibson No 29

Drawn by Olive McGovern for Claude Mills  
Contact: Marg Dolman 8264 1317  
to be included in the draw.

### FIRST SATURDAY MASS



July 4<sup>th</sup> 2015, 9.15am  
HOLY TRINITY CHURCH  
Holy Rosary for PEACE in the world.  
Commencing at 8.45am with Acts of  
Consecration, to the Sacred Heart of  
Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of  
Mary with the Sacrament of Penance.  
Please bring a SINGLE flower  
for Our Holy Mother

*"In the end my Immaculate Heart will triumph"  
( Our Lady of Fatima 1917 )*

### Happy Birthday July Babies

1st Susan Uern  
2nd Dianna Panicker



## Father Peter's 50th Anniversary Celebration

### COME AND MAKE THIS DAY SPECIAL

Our Parish invites YOU, your family and friends to join with Fr Peter Milburn, his family and friends to celebrate his 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination to the priesthood.

**WHEN? SUNDAY, JULY 12,**  
**commencing with Mass at 12 mid-day**  
**WHERE? St John XXIII Community  
Centre, 50 Reservoir Rd., Hope Valley**

It's a day when we thank God tending to and guiding Fr Peter for these past 50 years. It's also a day when we celebrate with Fr Peter on this great milestone.

Mass will be followed by a  
BBQ lunch – BYO drinks.

Let's roll up in great numbers, bring a salad &/or dessert to share with his family and friends from Barossa Valley, Walkerville, the South East and other parts of S.A. Even one of his classmates from Seminary days is coming over from W.A. for the occasion!

### For the weekend of July 11-12 only:

*Mass times have been adjusted  
somewhat, viz. Saturday Vigil at  
St John XXIII at 6 PM and Sunday  
at Holy Trinity at 9.30 PM.*

Join in and let's make it a day to  
remember for Fr Peter!

### **PLEASE NOTE**

You are invited to attend a Catholic Mass.  
To be celebrated at the Lutheran Homes,  
Hope Valley in the Zinnbauer Hall on  
Monday 29th June at 10.30am.  
Father Manu will be the Celebrant.  
Anyone in Independent Living who needs transport,  
please contact Rosemary Morris in the Care Office  
on: 8265 8033.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death and brought us life through his gospel.**

**Raffle Tickets**

The Craft Group will be selling raffle tickets at all Masses on this weekend of 27th & 28th June.

The major prize will be an exquisite large handmade knitted rug plus other prizes. The raffle will be drawn at the completion of the Fashion Parade on Friday 3rd July.

**THANK YOU**

Thank you to all who bought and supported the Stall held on the weekend of 6th and 7th June at St John XXIII.

We raised \$180 for the work of the Christian Pastoral Support Workers in our local area schools.  
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**Modbury Community & Craft Group**

The Craft group will be holding a Fashion Parade on Friday 3rd July at 10 am, as a Fund Raiser for St John XXIII Church Roof.

We would like to invite our Parishioners to attend.

The cost is \$5 and will include a Devonshire morning tea.

Dressed 4 Success Pty Ltd will be conducting the Fashion Parade.

The clothing is very fashionable and clearly covers everybody's taste range and age group. Sizes range from 8 to 26.

The cost and quality of garments are excellent. There will also be many specials on the day.

Please phone Helen on 8264 7798 or 0422 862 229 if you are interested in booking your place at the parade.

*The members of the Craft group look forward to welcoming you to the parade.*

**Quiz Night 18<sup>th</sup> July 2015**

Holy Trinity Church Hall, 7.30 pm. start.

Adults \$10, Concession/students \$8, children under 12: free.

Tables of 8-10 people; BYO drinks and supper.

Tea & coffee supplied.

There will be lots of prizes, a few games and a raffle.

**Bookings:** Place your name and details on a booking sheet at one of the Mass Centres or the Parish Office or phone the office on 8264 7590.

**Donations** are gratefully appreciated. Please leave them at the Parish Office marked Quiz Night where they will be collected by a committee member.

We have a new Quizmaster with a few new ideas, so come along and have an entertaining evening while helping to raise funds for Maliana diocese.

Para Hills Modbury parish East Timor committee

**The Role of Music in Sunday Mass Part 3**

There are regular **parts of the Mass such as the Gloria (except in Lent and Advent), the Lamb of God, and some acclamations and responses that should *always* be sung on a Sunday.** These are the Holy, Holy, the Gospel Acclamation, the Memorial Acclamation and the Great Amen. In singing these, we are singing the very Mass and so these parts take precedence over anything else that is sung.

A Mass setting that Archbishop Wilson has asked parishes to use is the Mass of St. Francis by Paul Taylor. It is readily available and free of copyright restrictions.

**CHUCKLE CORNER**

A few old couples used to get together to talk about life and to have a good time. One day one of the men, Harry, started talking about this fantastic restaurant he went to the other night with his wife. "Really?", one of the men said, what's it called? After thinking for a few seconds the Harry said, "what are those good smelling flowers called again?" "Do you mean a rose? the first man questioned. "Yes that's it," he exclaimed. Looking over at his wife he said, "Rose what's that restaurant we went to the other night?"



RELIGIOUS ITEMS, CARDS, STATUES ARE ON SALE AFTER 10AM MASS EACH SUNDAY AT HOLY TRINITY MASS CENTRE, PARA HILLS.

VISIT OUR DISPLAY CABINET WHICH CAN BE FOUND IN THE ROOM AT THE REAR OF THE CHURCH

**REMINDER**

**The Parish Office will be closed on Mondays from the 6th July, 2015**

