

# PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

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# **Holy Trinity Church**

3 James Street, Para Hills 5096

#### St John XXIII Church

50 Reservoir Rd, Hope Valley 5090

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

# **BAPTISMS**

Celebrated <u>EITHER</u> during the 6pm, 8am & 10 am Masses on the 2nd Sun of the month <u>OR</u> 11.30am at Holy Trinity 12noon at John XXIII (Alternately on 4th Sun) Bookings to be made through the Parish Office, **O**R 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 27th September 2015 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year B Green Bulletin Vol.12 Issue 36 Deadline: Tuesday pm

We acknowledge the Kaurna 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

# <u>MASS TIMES</u>



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) Saturdays after 9.15am Mass at Holy Trinity and at 5.30pm at St John XXIII

Tue	29th Sept	Legion of Mary Baptism Preparation	12.30pm 7.30pm	Holy Trinity
Thu	1st Oct	Christian Meditation	2pm	St John XXIII
Fri	2nd Oct	Holy Hour Two Hearts	3-4pm 8pm-6am with 9pm Mass	Holy Trinity
Sat	3rd Oct	First Saturday Mass Legion of Mary	9.15am 10am-11.30am	Holy Trinity

# OTHER ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK

Mon 28th Sept Indoor Bowls, 1pm - 3.30pm, St John XXIII

Tue 29th Sept Reach Out, 9.45am, St John XXIII

Wed 30th Sept Seniors Social Club, 1pm - 3.30pm, Holy Trinity

# FAMILY FUN DAY MASS TIME CHANGES FOR 17TH/18TH OCTOBER Due to the Parish Family Fun Day taking place on the 18th October, the Weekend Mass Times are as follows: Saturday 17th October: Holy Trinity Church—Vigil 6pm Sunday 18th October: St John XXIII—9.30am

# GOSPEL (Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48)

- What do you do in Jesus' name?
- What are the obstacles to your own faith?
- What do you need to root out of your life in order to approach the kingdom more closely?

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

- There are a number of well documented examples of healers and miracle workers who were contemporaries of Jesus.
- Hell is the English word used to translate the Hebrew Sheol or Gehenna or the Greek Hades. The idea of a particular place of punishment by fire in the afterlife developed quite late in Hebrew thought-about the third century BC.
- In the final line of this gospel, Jesus is quoting from Isaiah about the fate of those who rebel against God: 'Their worm shall not die, their fire shall not be quenched.' (Isaiah 66:24)

# CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS CHOIR

# FROM 6—12 YEARS OF AGE

Fiona Rato will be taking children for choir practice.
Please contact Fiona on:
0401 799 807
as soon as possible so arrangements can be made for Practice times.





# ST JOHN XXIII ROOF FUND TOTAL

We have so far reached the total of \$15,274.22 balance needed \$14,725.78 More generous donations are welcome for this Special Community need.

# Congratulations on your 60th Wedding Anniversary Lorraine & Neil McPeake



Readings for 4th October, 2015 1st Reading: Gen 2:18-24 2nd Reading: Heb 2:9-11 Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

# Saints/Feast Days Of the Week

28th St Wenceslaus, St Laurence Ruiz & Companions 29th St Michael, St Gabriel, St Raphael, Archangels 30th St Jerome

1st St Therese of the child Jesus

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:

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



# SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

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 on the 25<sup>th</sup> October) are travelling through the different parts of the land where Jesus walked and so did Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and Moses. 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. You may like to pray and light a candle each day and we will light a candle for you every place we visit.

I will prepare a copy of the journey for you to take home so that you can follow spiritually in the footsteps of Jesus Mary and Joseph with us. Thank you for being part of our Journey.

Fr Jack Boog



# **Two Hearts Prayer Group**

Meeting Friday 2nd October.
Rosary at 8pm followed by Mass at 9pm and finishes with Mass at 3am on Saturday morning.

# 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



You must show them affection, serving them from the Heart, inquiring of them what they might need, speaking to them gently and compassionately.

Sister Rosalie Rendu

Another quiet week with only 1 call with 1 Adult and 2 Children wanting help with food.

Our Pantry Needs this week for St John XXIII are: Tinned Fruit, Tea Bags and 2min Noodles. Our Grateful Thanks God Bless.

# **Important Notice**

Put this date in your diary.

On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2015 the Modbury St Vincent de Paul Conference & The East Timor Committee are hosting a musical evening by:

# "SAPOL OFF THE CUFF GROUP" at St. John XXIII Parish Centre.

Cost: Family of 4 - \$10 Single - \$5.

Supper will be provided.

Tickets will be on sale from October 10<sup>th</sup> 2015

# **REACH OUT GROUP**

Tuesday 29th September, 2015, Mass 9.15am at St John XXIII

Reader: Mary Mattner
Offertory: Clem & Maureen K
Communion: Neil & Beulah H
Altar Server: Jos

All are Welcome.

## **REACH OUT TRIP**

Tuesday 20th October 2015 Jeff Cook Show at Port Wakefield

# Bus, leaving St John XXIII at 9.15am

Cost: \$74.00 includes:

Morning Tea—Café Nova Gawler Lunch—Salt of the Earth—Pt. Wakefield Jeff Cook Show—Poet/comedian Look at the gallery at Viennese Ballroom Scene and other displays.

All welcome to join us contact: Margaret Emery 8264 0780 or Maureen Frost 8250 0884 before 13th October.



# PARISH FAMILY FUN DAY SUNDAY OCTOBER 18 2015

Don't forget to mark this day in your Diary.

The day will commence with Mass at 9:30 followed by games, quizzes, chat, entertainment, music and laughs.

Please place your name on the list at the back of the church to help with catering. You are asked to bring a salad or sweet to share.

BYO drinks, tea, coffee and cordial provided. Please let us know if you need transport, just add your name to the list.

If you would like to assist in some way on the day please ring Anne Richards on 0405323958.

Come along, join in the fun and help create a great family atmosphere.



# FIRST SATURDAY MASS

October 3<sup>rd</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 September/October Babies

28th Helen Zmarek, Christopher Wilks,

Rita Robinson, Maud Brown

29th Chris O'Reilly

1st Greg Potticary, Scott Palmer,

Peter Van Der Arend

2nd Annie Gavini 3rd Jacinta Bell

4th Steven Horn, Emma Gavini





# **DEVELOPMENT FUND 2015**

Congratulations Pauline Lai No 8 Drawn by Adrian Bell

Contact: Marg Dolman 8264 1317 to be included in the draw.

# THANK YOU

The Men's Morning Tea was a great success. I would like to thank the lovely ladies for their support and help during organizing for and during the Morning Tea event.

I would also like to thank Fr Manu, Gracie and the Parish Staff for their support. I wish to thank all the sponsors for the raffle prizes, (36ers, Dave Potter Motors, Big W, Jarvis Ford Hillcrest, Stratco and Café Buongiorno).

The amount raised from the raffle was \$445.00 and the ticket sales was \$425.00 (Total amount \$870.00).

The following are the raffle prize winners.

1st Prize John Wright (Ticket F7) 2nd Prize Sophie (Ticket Y10)

3rd Prize Mary Mattner (Ticket F65)

4th Prize M Wilson (Ticket Y20)

5th Prize Fr Manu (Ticket C13).

Please collect your prizes from the Parish Office.

Once again thanks to everyone for their support for the success of the event.

Betty Poczman



# **PUDDING & PIE**

# Fund Raising Dinner



for Parish Centre roof
Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> Oct at 7:30pm
St John XXIII Community Centre
Cost: \$12 pp. Students: \$10:00 BYO
drinks, Tea & Coffee available
Book after Mass 26th/27<sup>th</sup>Sept.
(Organised by East Timor Committee)

# PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH AND BENGALI CHRISTIAN SOCIETY FOOD FEST

DATE: 4<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2015 TIME: AFTER 10.00 AM MASS

WHERE: AT HOLY TRINITY CHURCH PARA HILLS

Bengali Christian Society of South Australia (BCSSA) is established with the vision of socio-cultural, economical, and spiritual development among the member of the society. Only a small number of people (7 families) among Bengali speaking are Christians, live in South Australia.

Members are well organised.

The society is organising this event under the banner of Para Hills Church mainly as a gathering together program. The funds raised will be used to support the church and the activities of the society. You are cordially invited to enjoy our food and help this new association in its first attempt. MENU: Hot dogs, Beef Burgers, Butter Chicken with Basmati rice & Pappadam, some Gluten Free food will also be available.

Please check out the Menu and prices Displayed on the Notice Board.



# Gospel Mark:38-43,45,47-48

Jesus is pointing out to his disciples that sometimes there are things that stop them from being faithful followers and that these obstacles

(or attitudes) need to be removed from their lives so

that they can live as God wants them to.
Think about an attitude or obstacle that might stop us from sharing more fully as a follower

The stop us from snaring more fully as a follower of Christ. Maybe we have bad habits or we need to change our daily living so that we can avoid things that keep us from spending time with God. Reflect quietly on these comments. Now that you are all on school holidays try and choose a behavior that you can change or try to improve in the next week. Try helping mum and dad at home, when asked to help, without grizzling.

This could be one suggestion.

# Prayer:

Thank you, God for holidays
In 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.





Most of the new arrivals seem incapable of conversation. They just stare at their hands in despair.

