



PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

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27th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year B Green

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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, 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) Saturdays

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

Tue 6th Oct	Legion of Mary	12.30pm	Holy Trinity
Wed 7th Oct	Holy Cloak of St Joseph	7.30pm	Holy Trinity
Thur 8th Oct	Christian Meditation	2pm	St John XXIII
Fri 9th Oct	Holy Hour	3-4pm	Holy Trinity

OTHER ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK

Tue 6th Oct	Reach Out, 9.45am, St John XXIII
Wed 7th Oct	Seniors Social Club, 1pm - 3.30pm, Holy Trinity
Sat 10th Oct	Pudding & Pie Fund Raising Dinner, 7.30pm, St John XXIII

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

PUDDING & PIE -Fund Raising Dinner

for Parish Centre Roof Saturday 10th Oct at 7:30pm St John XXIII Community Centre

Cost: \$12 pp. Students: \$10:00 BYO drinks, Tea & Coffee available.



(Organised by East Timor Committee)

Laudato Si' "Praise be to You"

'Laudato Si' is not exactly an encyclical on climate change as misunderstood by many people. Its focus is something much beyond. The central theme of the Encyclical is that the fallen nature of the human heart and the resulting brokenness of human relations is the cause of the crises in our lives, families, nations, and now the life-sustaining ecosystems that form our common home. The title comes from St. Francis's Canticle of the Creatures, which addresses Christ in gratitude for the goodness of nature. The encyclical is divided into a prologue and six chapters. It examines the problems of our age: environmental, yes, but also the breakdown of social relations. Pope Francis stresses the link between human and environmental crises, which he says "are ultimately due to the same evil: the notion that there are no indisputable truths to guide our lives, and hence human freedom is limitless." Then he elaborates the symptoms and causes of these problems. It offers a brief catechesis on the environment as seen from the "very good" creation accounts of Genesis and then through the incarnational proclamation of the Gospels, which highlights the relationship in Jesus Christ between God and creation. Pope Francis also examines the role of sin in the modern age. A Catholic response to all this is given by the Pope in the remaining part of the Encyclical and concludes with a rich array of Catholic theology and spirituality. Yes, Laudato Si' should help us to understand and offer a way out of the personal, communal, and planetary disorders of our age in the light of the salvation history. If we consider it only as an Encyclical on climate change it becomes not so meaningful.

Fr. Manu Kumbidiyamackal

Joy of the Gospel.

Daily Gospel Reflections 2016 by Missionaries of St Francis de sales (MSFS) \$10.00 each.

Please contact office or Fr Manu on: 8264 7590 if you wish to purchase a copy.



NOVENA OF THE HOLY CLOAK OF ST JOSEPH

To pray for all Families, the Priesthood and for the Protection of the Unborn
Wednesday 7th October,
The Novena and Rosary beginning at 6.30pm followed by Mass at 7pm, concluding with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction.

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

(St Mary of the Cross MacKillop)

Readings for 11th October, 2015

1st Reading: Wisdom 7:7-11

2nd Reading: Heb 4:12-13

Gospel: Mark 10:17-30

Saints/Feast Days Of the Week

6th St Bruno

7th Our Lady of the Rosary

9th St Denis & Companions, St John Leonardi

11th St John XXIII

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.

Recently Deceased

Jim Symes



PRACTICE FOR NEW ALTAR SERVERS

The next practice for new altar servers will be on:
Sat. 10th October
at Holy Trinity church
from 10am until 11am.

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 9:30am 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.

ST JOHN XXIII ROOF FUND TOTAL



We have so far reached the total of
\$15,384.22

Balance needed \$14,615.78

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives.



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

We had 5 calls last week 8 Adults and 2 Children wanting assistance with Food, Furniture and assistance with High Electricity Bills. The high cost of rent and services is certainly causing hardship to a lot of families.

Our Pantry Needs this week for St John XXIII are:
 Long Life Milk, Vegemite and Margarine.

Again we thank you for your ongoing support,
 God Bless.

PUT THIS DATE IN YOUR DIARY

On Friday 27th 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 10th 2015

REACH OUT GROUP

Tuesday 6th October, 2015,
 Mass 9.15am at St John XXIII

Reader: Raphael

Offertory: Andrea & Jos

Communion: Maureen F & Maureen K

Altar Server: Ian

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.



ST VINCENT DE PAUL
PARA HILLS CONFERENCE



THANK YOU

To the “Reach Out Group” for their generous donation, much appreciated. Also to all who help (and buy) from our monthly Egg and Cake Stall.

HELP

We are looking for donations of Baskets (all sizes) to make Gift Baskets to sell at St John XXIII Craft Market. Money raised will go towards Christmas Hampers for our clients. Please leave baskets if possible at Holy Trinity Church or at the Parish Office. Thank you.

During June, July & August we averaged 15 calls a month (45 Adults—31 Children) helping with Food, Furniture, Clothing, Vouchers, Electricity, Gas and Phone Accounts.

We also do a bread run, 3 times a week.
 With thanks and God Bless.

TREASURE MARKET

Second Saturday of each month

8am to 12noon

Next: 10th OCTOBER

St 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.**

Happy Birthday October Babies

- 5th Sandra Dennison, Catherine Frawley
- 6th Nora Krakowiak
- 7th Michael Lineage, Alvin Cruz
- 9th Michael Micallef
- 10th Anne Hughes, Lucinda Palmer



DEVELOPMENT FUND 2015

**Congratulations Barbara Mathews
 No 87**

**Drawn by Pauline Lai
 Contact: Marg Dolman 8264 1317
 to be included in the draw.**

**7 WEEKS TO GO UNTIL THE
PARISH CRAFT MARKET**

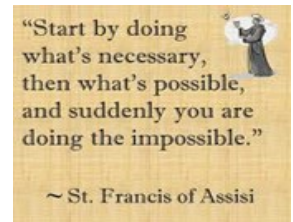
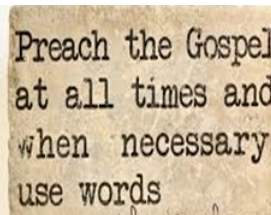
Coordinators needed for
Hidden Treasures & Bric-a-Brac Stall
(Secondhand knowledge desirable)
Secondhand Book Stall
(Knowledge of books desirable)
Please contact Helen Podgorski on 0422
862 229 or 8264 7798



Thank you to the Carter family for
making Marmalade for the Craft Market



God created the world for all human beings, animals, and plants and sea creatures. What a beautiful world and God had made us as care takers for future generations. There are some good things happening in the world let's support these things like recycling, and not wasting food. Growing our own vegetables and using safe cleaning products. Every little bit helps. Can you think of other things we can do?



These are some of St Francis of Assisi quotes. Read them and reflect on them and think about what the message is behind each quote. Discuss them with your parents. Research and find out how St Francis changed his life and what was the main reason? It is something for you to do on holidays.

Prayer:

Thank you, God, for the good brown soil;
A cradle for each tiny seed;
A home for each growing plant;
A resting place for each fallen leaf.
Amen

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.



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 25th 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

THANK YOU

We wish to thank all those involved in helping us celebrate the wonderful occasion of our 60th Wedding Anniversary last weekend. How blessed we were to have such a beautiful Mass to celebrate with our Family, Friends and Parishioners. Many happy Memories. God Bless. Neil & Lorraine McPeake.

**PLANNED GIVING FIGURES FOR
SEPTEMBER, 2015**

August Amount Promised	\$13,508.16
August Planned Giving Envelopes	\$11,446.80
SHORT FALL	\$2,061.36

CHUCKLE CORNER

A friend commented to her friend:
"You've lost weight"
Yes I've lost my Winter Fat,
now I've got Spring Rolls!!!!