



# PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

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29th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year C Green

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## Holy Trinity Church

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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 8.30am  
Saturday 6pm  
Sunday 8am

*MASS TIMES*



**MODBURY HOSPITAL**  
**MASS THURSDAY 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

<b>Mon</b>	<b>17th Oct</b>	Legion of Mary (Jnr) & R.E.	4pm– 5pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>18th Oct</b>	Legion of Mary	12.30pm - 2pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>20th Oct</b>	Christian Meditation	2pm - 3pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>21st Oct</b>	Holy Hour	3pm - 4pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>

## OTHER ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK

<b>Mon</b>	<b>17th Oct</b>	Bowls	1pm - 3.30pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>20th Oct</b>	Parish Pastoral Council	7pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>19th Oct</b>	Seniors' Social Club	1pm - 3pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>21st Oct</b>	Craft Group	9.30am - 12 noon	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Sat</b>	<b>22nd Oct</b>	Garage Trail Market	8am - 3pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>

## CHANGE OF MASS TIME

**MASS ON TUESDAY 18TH OCTOBER WILL BE AT  
8.30AM AND NOT AT 9.15AM DUE TO THE REACH OUT  
GROUPS EXCURSION.**



## CRAFT MARKET

**3 Weeks to go**

The Church's stalls this year include a Cake Stall, Produce Stall, Plant Stall,  
Secondhand Books, Bric a Brac, BBQ, Devonshire Tea and our International  
Food Market selling Indian, Asian, Italian and Pizzas,  
we will also be selling Beer from the BBQ, Soft drinks and Ice creams.

Along with 50+ CRAFT STALLS and Two Bands.

We also have one raffle this year, the first prize being \$500 Cash, Tickets \$1

Donations of Plants, Cakes, Produce, Bric a Brac and Books  
would be very much appreciated.

**FREE FACE PAINTING is available to all children**

Any and all donations can be dropped into the office  
between 9am and 2pm Tuesday to Friday.

Please contact **Helen on 8264 7798 or 0422 862 229** for any further information.



## Melbourne Cup Lunch

The Modbury Community & Craft Group will be holding a Melbourne Cup Lunch at St John XXIII Church Centre on Tuesday 1st November commencing at 11:30 am.

Lunch menu  
Chicken and Salad  
followed by Fruit Salad with Cream or Ice Cream.  
Tea & Coffee supplied  
BYO Alcohol is permitted  
**Cost \$12.00 per person**

There will be Sweeps, Raffles and a Trading table on the day.

We will also hold a **best hat competition**

Tickets available from the Church office from Tuesday 18th October between 9 am and 2 pm, tickets will also be sold from the Craft Group on Friday 21st October and after each Mass on weekend 22nd and 23rd October.

Please contact Helen on 8264 7798 or 0422 862 229 for further details

Readings for 30th October 2016  
1st Reading :Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19  
2nd Reading :Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18  
Gospel :Luke 18:9-14

### Saints/Feast Days Of the Week

17th St Ignatius of Antioch  
18th St Luke, Evangelist  
19th Sts John Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues  
& Companions  
St Paul of the Cross  
22nd St John Paul II

### 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:

Imperia De ionno, Julie Reimann, Wayne Collins, Imelda Schulz, Maddison Calleja, Janice Forrester, Ray Zielonka, Ann Stanton, Jim Marlow, Marie Canavan, Gerry Canavan, Jayden Lee, Audrey Athayde, Phyllis Anthony, John Martin, Marie Boulton, Sr. Marleen Dewar OLSH, Kay Kennedy, Gaetana Grima, Fiona Power, Rita Robinson, Eileen Ryan, Gary Lockyer, Yvonne Summers, Darcy Ridley, Marie Bakaj, Jennifer Francou, Regan Barry, John Cherry, Dudley Dolman, Fr. Michael Walsh, Pat Feutrell, Paul Holmes, Michael Lochhead.

### Recently Deceased

Esther Casha, Maria Neuhaus, Nellie de Marie, Marie Coldwell, Amanda Milne.

## WORKING BEE

Our Craft Market is just a few weeks away and we need your help to prepare the St John XXIII Mass Centre and grounds for the day.

There will be a Working Bee on Saturday 29th October from 9 am.

Our aim is to do a general cleanup of the Mass Centre and grounds and to wash all the windows inside and out.

Lunch will be supplied.

Many hands make light work

## Funeral Mass

Please note that the Funeral Mass for Maria Neuhaus (Karin Gibson's Mother) will be held at Holy Trinity Church, Para Hills on Monday 17th October at 10.30am. Holy Rosary will be said at 10am.



## SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE FOR THOSE WHO STAY AT HOME

We are leaving on a Pilgrimage for the Holy Land on 23<sup>rd</sup> October. A SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE is when you follow us day by day, light a candle and pray with us on the journey. We will light a candle in all the Holy Sites of the Land of Jesus, Mary and Joseph for all those at home who are unable to join us. You can be part of this journey at home. I have a copy of the journey available at the back of the church today. Please take a copy home and join us on this Sacred Journey. When we return I will do a presentation for all on the Spiritual Pilgrimage. Thank you for being part of our journey.

Fr Jack Boog  
Para Hills/Modbury Catholic Parish.

## WORLD MISSION APPEAL DAY

A SPECIAL COLLECTION WILL BE TAKEN UP THIS WEEKEND AT ALL MASSES FOR WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.**



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

### St Vincent De Paul Modbury Conference

Christ has no body here on earth but yours. No hands but yours. No feet but yours. Yours are the eyes through which His compassion looks out on the world. Yours are the feet with which He goes about doing good. Yours are the hands with which He can bless all people now. *(St. Teresa of Avila)*

We had a very quiet week last week with only one call with 2 Adults and 2 Children needing assistance with food.

A quiet week gives us the opportunity to prepare for other projects. The end of the year is coming up very fast, with all that entails.

Our Pantry needs this week at St John XXIII are:  
 Jam, Tinned Carrots & Milk

Our Vinnies Meeting is on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month. As always our Grateful Thanks & God Bless.

### REACH OUT GROUP

Tuesday, 18th October, 2016  
 8.30am Mass at St John XXIII

Reader: Maureen F  
 Offertory: Cathy D & Pat C  
 Communion: Jos & Maureen K  
 Altar Server: Pam R

**All Welcome**

**Please note that Mass is at 8.30am due to the bus trip**



### DEVELOPMENT FUND 2016

Congratulations Miriam Morrison  
 No.81

Drawn by Jim Bell for Adrian Bell

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

## Thank You

The family of Nellie de Marie would like to thank Father Manu and the parishioners present at her funeral on Thursday 29th September at St John XX111. As a long serving contributor to parish life, especially through Reach Out, mum would have valued all the prayers and messages of support.  
 Krina McGlaughlin (daughter)

### Happy Birthday October Babies

21st John MacGrath, Heidi Giebel,  
 Tarlee Penwill  
 23rd Phyllis Truman



## Important Notice

Put this date in your diary.

On Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2017 at 7pm the  
 Modbury St Vincent de Paul Conference  
 “ADELINO ANGKLUNG”

Cost: \$6.

Supper will be provided.

### A little information about the Adelino Angklung Group:

The Adelino Angklung group was formed in 2011, to perform at Indonesian Gatherings. The Bamboo Musical instrument is from West Java. The music became so popular that they have performed at the Adelaide Festival Theatre, Ozasia Festival, Indonesian Festival, plus in Melbourne, Sydney and in Auckland New Zealand at the Indonesian Festival, many nursing homes, hospitals and retirement villages have had them perform and they have received accolades and have bookings into 2017. Audience participation is part of the concert, tickets will be available at all masses.



### St Vincent De Paul: Para Hills Conference

During the month of August, St Vincent De Paul: Para Hills conference had 8 calls and provided support to the community by supplying food, clothing, furniture and paying utility accounts. In addition, deliveries of fruit, vegetables and bread are made 3 times a week to various clients.

The Para Hills Conference is looking for new members, especially with Christmas around the corner. So, if you have ever wanted to help people in need and you have a few hours a month to spare please contact Lynda on 0435 007 054.

Or join us at our next meeting:

When: Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 7pm  
 (Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month)

Where: Para Hills church hall  
 Supper is provided  
 God Bless



Next weekend St John XXIII Community Centre will be participating in the Tea Tree Gully Councils Garage Sale Trail. Sites are available for \$10, no need to book just turn up on the day at 7.30am to set up. If you need more information please call the Parish office 9am—2pm Tuesday—Friday



### THE SOUTHERN CROSS

October edition of the Southern Cross is now available. Only \$2.

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**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: The word of God is living and active;  
 it probes the thoughts and motives of our heart.**

### **Mission: A Call to be Merciful**

The Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy, which the Church is celebrating, casts a distinct light on World Mission Sunday 2016: it invites us to consider the mission of the church to the nations as a great, immense work of mercy, both spiritual and material. On this World Mission Sunday, all of us are invited to "go out" as missionary disciples, each generously offering their talents, creativity, wisdom and experience in order to bring the message of God's tenderness and compassion to the entire human family. By virtue of the missionary mandate, the Church cares for those who do not know the Gospel, because she wants everyone to be saved and to experience the Lord's love. We are called to imitate the merciful God who from the beginning has lovingly turned towards the most vulnerable, because his greatness and power are revealed precisely in his capacity to identify with the young, the marginalized and the oppressed (cf. Deut 4:31; Ps 86:15; 103:8; 111:4). Mercy finds its most noble and complete expression in the Incarnate Word. Jesus reveals the face of the Father who is rich in mercy; he "speaks of 'mercy' and explains it by the use of comparisons and parables, but above all he himself makes it incarnate and personifies it" (John Paul II, *Dives in Misericordia*, 2). When we welcome and follow Jesus by means of the Gospel and sacraments, we can, with the help of the Holy Spirit, become merciful as our heavenly Father is merciful; we can learn to love as he loves us and make of our lives a free gift, a sign of his goodness (cf. *Misericordiae Vultus*, 3). The Church, in the midst of humanity, is first of all the community that lives by the mercy of Christ: she senses his gaze and feels he has chosen her with his merciful love. It is through this love that the Church discovers its mandate, lives it and makes it known to all peoples through a respectful dialogue with every culture and religious belief. This merciful love, as in the early days of the Church, is witnessed to by many men and women of every age and condition. The considerable and growing presence of women in the missionary world, working alongside their male counterparts, is a significant sign of God's maternal love. Women, lay and religious, and today even many families, carry out their missionary vocation in various forms: from announcing the Gospel to charitable service. Together with the evangelizing and sacramental work of missionaries, women and families often more adequately understand people's problems and know how to deal with them in an appropriate way. All peoples and cultures have the right to receive the message of salvation which is God's gift to every person. This is all the more necessary when we consider how many injustices, wars, and humanitarian crises still need resolution. The mandate of the Gospel to "go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you" (Mt 28:19-20) has not ceased; rather this command commits all of us, in the current landscape with all its challenges, to hear the call to a renewed missionary "impulse" (*Evangelii Gaudium* 20). This Jubilee year marks the 90th anniversary of World Missionary Day, first approved by Pope Pius XI in 1926 and organized by the Pontifical Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Let us not close our hearts within our own particular concerns, but let us open them to all of humanity. (Summary of Pope Francis' message for World Mission Day 2016)

*Fr Manu Kumbidiyamackal*

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

If you have a member of the family or a friend that would like to know more about the Catholic Faith and wishes to receive the Sacraments of Initiation.

Please contact the Parish Office on:  
8264 7590



### **Christmas Tree Festival**

Creating new trees from recyclable items.  
Venue: Tea Tree Gully Uniting Church  
592—600 Milne Road, Tea Tree Gully  
Date: Thursday 24th to Saturday  
26th November \$2 donation.

### **LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR FAITH**

- Lives of the Saints
- Papal Encyclicals & Letters
- Teachings of the Magisterium
- Insights in the Gospels of Mark, John etc.
- How to read the Bible
- Does the Church still teach that?
- The persecuted Church
- Pilgrimages
- A Catholic perspective of World News  
DVD Library every 3rd Sunday  
of the month at Holy Trinity.

**The Library will be open on—16th October  
after 10AM MASS.**

**WE ARE ALL CALLED TO HOLINESS -  
DON'T MISS YOUR CHANCE**

### **Modbury Community & Craft**

The Craft Group resumes for the 4th Term on  
Friday 21st October, 2016  
Sr Sally Duigan will be coming at  
about 10.30—10.45am to speak about  
her work in South Africa.  
Everyone is welcome  
and morning tea will be provided.  
Any queries please contact  
Helen—0422 862 229

### **KIDS CORNER**

The word of God is living and active in our Community, let us all become disciples of God. Let us pray that we never lose heart, that we respect each other and understand we are all different, let us all bring different things to the table of God.