



PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

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20th October 2024
29th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B – Green

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

MASS TIMES

ST JOHN XXIII Hope Valley

**Saturday 6pm
Sunday 8am
Tuesday 9.15am**
(Rosary Before Mass
commencing 8.50am)
Thursday 9.15am



HOLY TRINITY Para Hills

**Wednesday 7pm
Friday 9.15am**
(Adoration Before Mass
commencing 8.30am)
**Saturday 9.15am
Sunday 10am**

Reconciliation (Confession)
**Saturday after 9.15am Mass at Holy Trinity
and 5.30pm at St John XXIII**

Temporary Changes to Weekday Masses

While Fr Kym is on leave some weekday Masses, (including Saturday morning), will be replaced with Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (LWHC)

Saturday 6pm, Sunday 8am & 10am Masses will go ahead as usual.

Please check the Bulletin each week for updates.

22nd October - 26th October

Tue 22nd Oct, 9.15am, St John XXIII - LWHC
Wed 23rd Oct, 7pm, Holy Trinity - MASS
Thu 24th Oct, 9.15am St John XXIII - LWHC
Fri 25th Oct, 9.15am Holy Trinity - MASS
Sat 26th Oct, 9.15am Holy Trinity - LWHC

PARISH TEAM

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OFFICE HOURS:

TUESDAY-THURSDAY: 9AM-2PM
FRIDAY: 9AM-12.30PM

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

171 KESTERS ROAD,
PARA HILLS 5096

ST JOHN XXIII CHURCH

50 RESERVOIR RD,
HOPE VALLEY 5090

BAPTISMS

BOOKINGS TO BE MADE
THROUGH THE PARISH OFFICE.

MARRIAGES

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S (PRIMARY)

CARIGNANE ST,
WYNN VALE 5127
PH: 8251 9500

GLEESON COLLEGE (SECONDARY)

40-60 SURREY FARM DRIVE,
GOLDEN GROVE 5125
PH: 8282 6600

PARISH CHILD PROTECTION OFFICERS

THERESE MEYERS:
0421 533 761

ANGELA ZAKARIAS:
0401 205 636



**catholic
mission**

SCAN ME



Freecall:
1800 257 298
catholicmission.org.au/mongolia

This week, you're invited to partner with the Church in Mongolia to help deliver essential services to people who need it most.

Lack of access and social stigma mean that some of the most vulnerable people are not getting the support they require.

The House of Mercy will provide a haven for many people, including those affected by homelessness and domestic violence.

Without your partnership, people in need will go without the assistance they require.

During World Mission Sunday, we are called to "Invite others to the banquet", and we invite you to share the warmth of God's love with our brothers and sisters who need it most in Mongolia.

You can support this work by using the appeal envelope, going online at catholicmission.org.au/mongolia, or scanning the QR code. Your gift will also assist many other Church programs around the world.

Readings for Sunday 27th October 2024
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

1st Reading	Jer	31: 7 - 9
2nd Reading	Heb	5:1 - 6
Gospel	Mk	10:46 - 52

Saints & Feast Days

22nd Oct	St John Paul II
23rd Oct	St John of Capistrano
24th Oct	St Anthony Claret

Our Community's Prayer Petitions

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:

Phyllis Truman, Teresa McBride, Margaret Dunn, Clarence Rodericks, Sue Rodericks, Margaret Penny, Theresa Camilleri, Corrie Bowman, Martha Fernandes, Carmel Adams, Vesna Zagar, Kim Pope, Anne Hughes, David Truman, Bruce Tilley, Anne Valentine, Ken Randell, Mary Rose Probst, Emelia Pudelek, Maria Trotta, Joan Walmsley, Lil Buckley, Pat Collins, Margaret Pitt, Anne Van Der Arend, Patricia Kopf, Darcy Ridley, Jayden Lee, Maria Hand, Asher Caudle, Emma Gammon, David North, Elijah Neri, Marg Dolman, Sean Molloy, Antoinette Pascale, Reta Lockyer, John MacGrath, Mary Redmond, Marlen Piineda, Rosa Maria Santos, Betty Roper, Imperia De Ionno, Julie Reimann, Gerry Canavan, Kay Kennedy, Gary Lockyer, Rita Robinson, Yvonne Summers

Recently Deceased:

Maria (Lydie) Bossy, Florina Fernandes, Antonio Alesiani, June Spurling, Sylvia Miles, Beth Delison

Deceased Anniversaries:

George Benzier Pereira, Rome D'Cruz, Agnes D'Cruz, Randal Dunn

Long Term Volunteer Opportunities in the Australia-Pacific Region
The Cagliero Project, Salesians of Don Bosco

We are seeking long term (6-12 month) volunteers for departure in January 2025 to work with young people in our Salesian communities in Samoa, Cambodia, Timor Leste, Solomon Islands and Mongolia.

Applications close October 31st, 2024.

Send us an enquiry:
www.cagliero.org.au or lhichaaba@salesians.org.au

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

The next meeting of the Parish Finance Council is on Tuesday, the 22nd October in the St John XXIII Meeting Room at 7.30pm.

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



St Vincent de Paul Modbury Conference

A moderately busy five call week. Eight adults and five children assisted with food and clothing. All of these families had been assisted previously. Requests from those needing Christmas hampers will be taken on the call line (1300 729 202) from November 4th onwards, and the Giving Tree will be in place after our November meeting. Christmas Cards are on order, and Columban calendars have arrived.

Keep an eye out for tickets in the raffle associated with the Concert – they will be on sale at Masses for the two weekends prior to November 8th. Multi prizes!

Our immediate needs in the pantry are **Margarine, Sugar, Vegemite (small) and Coffee**. If you can, please put any or all of these in the basket. We appreciate the assistance this provides us in keeping the pantry stocked against the assistance demand.

Aquinas College Alumni Mass
Sunday November 3

Aquinas College alumni, friends, students and staff will join in prayer on Sunday November 3 at 10am to remember former students and friends now deceased.

Mass will be celebrated in the Thomas Aquinas Chapel, followed by morning tea.

To record your attendance or to add an Aquinas community member for remembrance please email their name (including their maiden name if applicable), the date of their death and their Fresher Year or connection to the College Chaplain: Fr Paul Ghanem OFM by October 28. frpaul.ghanem@aquinas.edu.au

PASSING OF
Lydie Bossy



It is with regret that we inform you of the passing of Lydie Bossy. Lydie was a long term parishioner. We extend our condolences to Lydie's family and friends and ask you all to keep them in your prayers.

A funeral Mass will be held at St John XXIII on Tuesday 22nd October at 10.30am

2025 Columban Calendar

The 2025 Columban Calendars have arrived and will be available for sale after Mass or from the parish office.

At just \$11 they make a lovely Christmas gift and help to support the work of the Columban Missionaries.



RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

Gospel Reflection

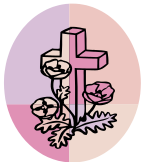
By Greg Sunter

James and John are effectively calling 'shotgun' on the best seats at the table! When they ask to sit at the left and right hand of Jesus, they are asking Jesus to name them as his deputies. They're looking to secure for themselves positions of power and authority. The only problem is that they have a completely messed up idea of what it means for Jesus to enter into his glory. For several weeks now, we have been exploring a theme from the Gospel of Mark that follows a physical journey towards Jerusalem as well as a symbolic and theological journey towards what is going to occur in Jerusalem – Jesus' arrest, crucifixion and resurrection.

Throughout this journey, Jesus has been trying to prepare the disciples for what is to come and educate them about what it really means to be a disciple of his. Three times Jesus tells the disciples explicitly what lies ahead. Each time the disciples fail to grasp what Jesus tells them. Despite occasional glimpses of insight, the disciples still believe that Jesus is going to rise up as a political or military figure. In a complete dismissal of this sort of thinking, Jesus declares quite forcefully that leadership of this sort is not what he intends for himself, nor for those who follow him.

Leadership in the Jesus model is about being of service to others; it is not about prestige and acclamation. Many of the best leaders are those who do not have any title of leadership or authority. Their leadership and authority come from what they do and how they do it. They inspire others to follow their example. They don't demand it; they don't bully; they don't play power games. People simply want to follow their example.

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November - The Month of Remembrance

November is the month when we as the church remember those of our family, friends and parishioners who have died.

We especially remember those who have gone to their heavenly reward this past year.

If you wish to have a Mass said for your deceased relatives and friends during the month of November, please fill in the envelope in your planned giving pack and place it in the second collection basket at Mass or drop off to the Parish Office.

November Mass envelopes will be available at the back of the church from next week for those who do not have a planned giving pack.

Parish Memorial Book

If you have a deceased relative or friend who you would like to have added to our Parish Memorial Book please contact the Parish office with their full name and date they passed away.

CHRISTMAS CRAFT ITEMS SALE!

Last chance to buy craft items donated by the family of Linda Schilsher, who was a member of the Modbury Community Craft Group.

There will be a variety of Christmas decorations and gifts available

Sale will be held at St John XXIII on

Friday 1st November at Craft
Saturday 2nd November before & after 6pm Mass
Sunday 3rd November before & after 8am Mass
Saturday 9th November at the Treasure Market

All proceeds will go to Sister Sally's Orphanage in South Africa, which is supported by the Friday Craft Group.

Kathryn Hudson
Patricia White

STAY FOR A CUPPA NEXT WEEKEND!

Next weekend we will have our monthly Cuppa after Mass. Please join your fellow parishioners for a cuppa and a chat. Donations of food would be gratefully received and can be left in the kitchen prior to Mass.

As always, volunteers will be needed to assist to set up, serve and clean up.



DIVINE MERCY AT HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

The next Divine Mercy Devotion will be on Sunday, 27th October at 2.30pm at Holy Trinity Church, 171 Kesters Rd, Para Hills.



Child Safe Environments Volunteer Briefing

Wednesday 30th Oct 10.30 am- 12.00 pm in the Adelaide Cathedral Hall, 39 Wakefield Street

If you have attended a Child Safe Environments within the past 3 years you do not need to attend a Volunteer Briefing at this time.

Please contact the Child Protection Unit to register for the Briefing session at:
childprotection@adelaide.catholic.org.au
or Ph. 8210 8159
with the below information,

First and Last name
Best contact number
Volunteer role/s
The parish volunteering at

Thank you for your part in helping us to provide care and safety for our children and young people.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! The Son of Man came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for all. Alleluia!

PRAYER MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK

Mon	21st Oct	Legion of Mary	5pm	Holy Trinity
Tue	22nd Oct	Parish Finance Council	7.30pm	St John XXIII
Fri	25th Oct	Craft Group	9am - 11.45am	St John XXIII
Sun	27th Oct	Divine Mercy	2.30pm	Holy Trinity



DEVELOPMENT FUND 2024

Congratulations to this week's winner

No 79, Jill Brokensha
Drawn by Dymphna Riordan

To join, or for more information please contact:
Barbara Mathews 8258 8806



**Alpha Australia & Henley Parish
Praise & Worship Event**

Come join us at Henley on
Wednesday October 30 from 6.30pm
at 420 Seaview Road, Henley Beach.

Theme: 'Prayer at the Heart of all we DO'
We know the best thing in life is a relationship with
Jesus and we are called to Pray, to Listen and to Act
so others can know the LOVE God has for them!
Who will you invite to come along with you and
share the experience of a great guest speaker,
prayer teams, live music and food?

Pray: to build our personal relationship with Jesus

Listen: for God to guide us in all we do

Act: to support our neighbour to grow in their
relationship with Christ.

**St Vincent de Paul
State Conference Principles:
Invitation to a Gathering**

The St Vincent de Paul Society (SA) recently
released its newly developed Conference Principles,
which describes our shared understanding of the life
and shape of a Conference in South Australia.

Wednesday October 23, 5.30pm-8pm

beginning with light supper at 5.30pm, for a 6pm start,
in Salisbury Parish Family Centre,
23 Commercial Road, Salisbury

RSVP, advising of any dietary requirements,
to rsvp2@svdpsa.org.au by October 22.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY
OCTOBER BABIES**

21st Oct	John MacGrath Heidi Giebel Tarlee Penwill
23rd Oct	Phyllis Truman
25th Oct	James Irwin



TRIVIA

NIGHT

**DO YOU
HAVE WHAT
IT TAKES?**

SATURDAY 2ND NOVEMBER
6.30pm | Holy Trinity Church

Churches Together Thanksgiving Service

Churches Together SA invite you to a
Thanksgiving Service on Saturday November 30,
9.30am at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral,
Wakefield Street, Adelaide.
Morning tea will follow the Service.

Adult and Youth Retreat

The Risen Lord Community Adelaide along with
Charis SA invite you to a life transforming retreat.
at St Anthony of Padua Church, Edwardstown

Adult Retreat - 4 Step Retreat

Friday October 25, 6pm-9pm
Saturday October 26, 9am-5pm

Youth Retreat - Lit Up!

Saturday October 26, 9am-5pm
Lunch and refreshments provided.
Please register using the QR Code.



Living Catholic THE SOUTHERN CROSS

The October edition of The Southern Cross
is available from both Mass Centres at a cost of just \$2
or online at www.thesoutherncross.org.au