



# PARA HILLS MODBURY

## CATHOLIC PARISH

### Parish Team

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### Parish Admin Office

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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 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

7th June 2015  
Body and Blood of Christ—Year B White

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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

### 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.

Tue 9th June Legion of Mary, 12.30pm, Holy Trinity  
Thur 10th June Christian Meditation, 2pm, St John XXIII  
Fri 12th June Holy Hour, 3pm - 4pm, Holy Trinity

### OTHER ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK

Tue 9th June Reach Out, 9.45am, St John XXIII  
Parish Pastoral Council, 7pm, St John XXIII  
Wed 10th June Seniors Social Club, 1pm - 3.30pm, Holy Trinity  
Thur 11th June St Vincent de Paul, 4.30pm, St John XXIII  
Fri 12th June Craft, 9.30am -12pm, St John XXIII

### **Changes to Parish Office Hours**

#### **Please Note:**

From the beginning of July the office will remain closed on all Mondays.  
It is after much prayer and deliberation that we have come to this decision.

My dear brothers and sisters it is not a very pleasant news for me to inform you that we are forced to cut down on the working hours of the office staff as our planned giving (income for the regular running and maintenance of the parish) is on a steady decline.

We have come to a point wherein we need to really think and plan for the future. The decline in income has caused a situation wherein we have to reduce the work hours of the office staff. Grace, Pauline and Sindi will lose six hours each from their work. As you know most of the work was directly managed from the office and they used to be working even out of time to meet the needs of the parish to which we gave not much of a notice.

With the reduced work hours it is going to be a very hard task on them to complete all that they were doing previously. Losing six hours in a week out of the eighteen hours is going to be very hard on them as well. We should not be expecting them to do all that they were doing previously. So it is now time for more volunteers to step in to complement.

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Readings for 14th June, 2015

1st Reading: Ezek 17:22-24

2nd Reading: 2 Cor 5:6-10

Gospel: Mk 4:26-34

### Saints/Feast Days Of the Week

9th St Ephrem

11th St Barnabes, Apostle

12th The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

13th The Immaculate Heart

of the Blessed Virgin Mary

### The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

Today is Corpus Christi, the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, a day on which we honor the Lord's Supper, the Eucharist, the Mass, which Jesus instituted as a memorial of his sacrifice of himself on the cross for the salvation of the world. This memorial makes present the one and only, unrepeatable sacrifice of Jesus Christ on the cross that he offered to the Father in reparation for the sins of the world. The Eucharist was instituted during a Jewish Passover supper, when they remembered their salvation from slavery in Egypt and from the plague of the death of the firstborn, because of the blood of the paschal lamb. Jesus is the fulfillment of the paschal lamb. He is "the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world" (John 1:29). His blood, shed in sacrifice for our sins on the cross (1 Cor. 15:3), saves us from our sins, justifies us, forgives us, and gives us the freedom of the children of God. So when instituting the Eucharist, Jesus said, "This is my blood; of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins" (Matt. 26:28).

The Eucharist is the sacrifice of the New Covenant, for it makes present for us the one and only, unrepeatable sacrifice of Jesus Christ on the cross. It is Christ who offers himself for our sins in the Eucharistic celebration. Yet his once and for all sacrifice on the cross is not repeated but made present for us so that we might offer it with him to the Father in the Holy Spirit for the glory of God and the salvation of the world. Therefore, the Holy Eucharist is the sacrifice of the New Covenant. It is our act of worship as Christians. In the Eucharist we receive Holy Communion, whereby we eat the flesh and drink the blood of Christ for the life of our spirit. This is spiritual food in which we taste and experience the sweetness of Christ as we sit in silent contemplation, praying directly to Christ who is physically present within us. Thus the reception of Holy Communion should be a great aid to contemplative prayer. Let us today approach the Eucharist with a more lively faith in the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist and we shall experience therein God's saving power and transforming love. Then we will be able to shout aloud with deep faith and devotion:

"O Sacrament most Holy, O Sacrament most Divine;  
All praise and all thanksgiving,  
be every moment Thine."

Fr. Manu Kumbidiyamackal

### Our Community's Prayer Petitions

During May

**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, Owen Cannard, Regan Barry, John Cherry, Dudley Dolman, Anastazia Proc, Fr. Michael Walsh, Pat Feutrell, Paul Holmes, Michael Lochhead, Margaret Scott, Christopher Malone, Odette Dotter.

**THOSE RECENTLY DECEASED**

John McPeake, Pam O'Conner, Carmine Papa

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We need more volunteers to do some of the works that were previously done by the office staff. Kindly let us know if you are able to help us out in any way.

The situation also calls for a renewal of the planned giving program. I encourage all the parishioners to register their names in the planned giving program, especially the new parishioners who have not yet done so.

The parish is yours and all of us need to work together for the smooth running of it.

Thanks to all who contribute generously we are what we are because of you.

Thanks to Grace, Pauline, Sindi and Jill who have taken up the burden of the loss of income on them.

We hope for a better future. May God bless all of us.

Fr. Manu Kumbidiyamackal

During the next few weeks I will be placing information regarding the role of Music in Sunday Mass.

This is a refresher for all of us and explains the important part that music makes in our Liturgy. Grace Healey

### The Role of Music in Sunday Mass Part I

If Sunday Mass goers were asked to list occasions in the Mass when the assembly should be singing, the results would probably vary quite considerably, even among musicians.

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM) states that "great importance should be attached to the use of singing in the celebration of the Mass, with due consideration to the culture of peoples and abilities of each liturgical assembly." (#39)

To begin with the **Entrance hymn**, its purpose "is to open the celebration, foster the unity of those who have been gathered, introduce their thoughts to the mystery of the liturgical time and accompany the procession of the priest and ministers." (#47).

One way of encouraging this sense of unity and common purpose as the Eucharist begins is to choose music that is well known to the assembly and an appropriate introduction to the celebration.

By Ilsa Neicineks RSM  
Office for Worship, Adelaide Archdiocese

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM: I will take the cup of salvation,  
and call on the name of the Lord.**

# 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*

Only 2 Calls last week, 3 Adults all only wanting assistance with Food. Our cold weather is certainly starting to be felt by those in difficult living circumstances, keeping warm is a real issue. We are mindful of the difficulties families face with the rising cost of power as winter hits hard.

Our Pantry needs this week at St John XXIII are:  
Sugar, Pasta Sauce and 2 min Noodles  
Our grateful Thanks for your assistance. God Bless.

**Our next Vinnies meeting is  
Thurs. 11th June at 4.30pm at John XXIII,  
you would be made most welcome.**

## REACH OUT GROUP

Tuesday 9th June, 2015,  
Mass 9.15am at St John XXIII

Reader: Barbara S  
Offertory: Cathy D & Pat C.  
Communion: Pat H & Jos.  
Altar Server: Maureen K  
All Welcome



**DEVELOPMENT FUND 2015**  
Congratulations Kathryn Hudson  
No 2  
Drawn by Anna Mervart  
Contact: Marg Dolman 8264 1317  
to be included in the draw.

## Altar Servers

On Sat. 13th June there will be a practice for new altar servers  
at 11am at Holy Trinity Church  
Contact will be made for those who have put their names on the list but we welcome any boy or girl who is interested in this very special service in our parish.

## KIDS CORNER

Prayer: Give thanks to you O Lord,  
The bread is warm and fresh,  
The water cool and clear,  
Lord of all life, be with us,  
Lord of all life, be near.  
Amen



## Modbury Hospital Ministers for the Sick Volunteers

Ministry for the Sick is a rich and rewarding ministry that is a spiritual, and outreach for our parishioners at Modbury Hospital. We need Ministers to visit and take communion to the sick.

We have two volunteers currently that have been lay ministering for many years and need help. If you feel you would like to volunteer or find out more about this role please contact Grace Healey on 8264 7590. Please if you feel you have an interest in finding out more about this Ministry do not hesitate to contact me.

## Community Fair 21st November, 2015

We are looking for donations of seasonal fruit to make jams, pickles and preserves to sell on the church stall (all proceeds to the church roof) at the Community Fair.

If you have any available fruit you can spare please phone Helen on 8264 7798 or 0422 862 229.

We are also looking for experienced Jam/pickles & sauce makers, if you would like to help please contact Helen on the numbers above. I will supply the jars and lids.

Thank you.

## LITURGY ASSISTANTS—NEW AND EXISTING

Lists have been placed on the Notice Board for you to volunteer for your Ministry/ies for the next 12 months.

Please add your name etc. to the list/s appropriate to your Ministries. The lists will be available until Sunday 14th June and only those people whose names are on the lists will be considered for Liturgy Assistants' Rosters over the next 12 months.

Training will be provided for all new Liturgy Assistants prior to the next Roster which will begin on the weekend of 1st/2nd August 2015.

For further information please contact Greg and Leonie Dew on 8265 1566 or 0411 774 510.

## Parish Pastoral Council

The next PPC meeting is on Tuesday 9th June. If you are interested in observing the works of the PPC please join us at 7pm at John XXIII.

## Happy Birthday June Babies

9th Neil Potticary, Jamie Chester  
12th Fr Manu



**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;  
whoever eats this bread will live for ever.**

**TREASURE MARKET**  
**Second Saturday of each month**

**8am to 12noon**

**Next: 13th June**

**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, MATRESSES, SOFAS, LOUNGE  
CHAIRS & WARDROBES AS WE ARE NOT ABLE  
TO SELL THEM.**

**Youth Group**

Attention all Youth Group Members  
Bowling night at Ingle Farm Bowls  
Come along, ages 12 to 18 years

June 20th Saturday night after 6 p.m. Mass  
At: St John XXIII 50 Reservoir Road Hope Valley  
Please contact Grace on 8264 7590 if you are

Interested in going or email:  
[paramodcath@adam.com.au](mailto:paramodcath@adam.com.au)

I need numbers to know the cost, the more that come  
the cheaper for everyone.



**PASTORAL WORKERS SUPPORT STALL**

There will be a stall at John XXIII this weekend  
after the Saturday 6pm and Sunday 8am masses  
to support the important work of the Christian  
Pastoral Support Workers in schools.

There will be jams, cups, gift boxes  
and small craft items for sale.

Please support this worthy cause. .



**Church Flowers**

We would like to thank all the parishioners who  
donate towards the flowers for the church.  
If you would like to make a contribution there are  
donation boxes at the back of the Church.

**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

**Entertainment Books – all sold!**

Thank you to everyone who supported this  
important fundraiser for Maliana diocese,  
East Timor. \$455 was raised from the sale of the  
books. Enjoy your book filled with discounts and  
vouchers for cafes, restaurants, entertainment for  
adults and children, dry cleaning etc.

Our next fundraiser is the popular Quiz Night so  
don't forget to book a table and we would  
appreciate any donations for our raffle.

God bless and thank you

Para Hills Modbury parish East Timor committee

**Super Saturday Soup Special**

**Homemade Cup of Soup plus Bread Roll\$1.00**

**Proceeds towards the Roof Fund.**



**CHUCKLE CORNER**

Hospital regulations require a  
wheelchair for patients being  
discharged. However, while working  
as a student nurse, I found one  
elderly gentleman, already dressed  
and sitting on the bed with a  
suitcase at his feet, who insisted he didn't need my  
help to leave the hospital. After a chat about rules  
being rules, he reluctantly let me wheel him to the  
elevator, on the way down I asked him if his wife was  
meeting him.



"I don't know he said. "She's still upstairs in the  
bathroom changing out of her hospital gown."

**THE SOUTHERN CROSS**

The June addition of the Sothern Cross  
is now available. Only \$2.

