



# PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

7th August 2016

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year C Green

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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

**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  
MASS THURSDAY 11am**

**HOLY TRINITY  
Para Hills**

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

## INQUIRY NIGHTS FOR SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM 2017

For any children in Grade Three onwards who are ready to receive  
Reconciliation, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist, Sacraments Information night  
will be held at:

**St John XXIII on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September at 7 p.m.**

**Holy Trinity on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September at 7 p.m.**

Please contact the Parish Office on:

08 8264 7590 or email: [paramodcath@adam.com.au](mailto:paramodcath@adam.com.au)



## CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF ADELAIDE

Applications are called for the position of  
**PASTORAL ASSOCIATE**  
Para Hills/Modbury Parish

The Pastoral Associate will be responsible to the Parish Priest and will work collaboratively  
with him, the Parish Team, and the Parish Pastoral Council. The Pastoral Associate will  
provide support and assistance for new and existing parishioners in all aspects of the  
parish community.

The successful applicant will have an active spiritual life which is expressed through pray-  
er, religious practice and commitment to living a Christian life according to the precepts,  
teachings and practices of the Catholic Church.

The position is offered on a part time basis (18 hours per week)

The successful applicant will have completed the Certificate in Ministry awarded through  
the Ministry Formation Program or have Graduate Studies in Theology or be willing to  
undertake the required study to meet the accreditation requisites for Pastoral Associates.

For further information and a position description please contact Sindi Kinloch on  
(08) 82647590 or by email at [paramodcath@adam.com.au](mailto:paramodcath@adam.com.au)

Please submit a written application, including the names of 3 referees to:

Fr. Manu Kumbidiyamackal, Parish Priest  
Para Hills/Modbury Parish

50 Reservoir Road Hope Valley SA 5090

Applications close on Monday, August 15, 2016

Employment with the Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide is conditional upon a successful  
police clearance.

The Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide is an Equal Opportunity Employer and a Child Safe  
Organization.

## Be Vigilant Christians

Today's Gospel invites us to remain faithful as we wait for the return of the Lord. Jesus uses two parables to make the point: First there is "The Parable of the Watchful Servants," where Jesus encourages his disciples to be vigilant and ready for action as they wait for the coming of the Master. In the second parable, "The Parable of the Faithful or Unfaithful Servant," Jesus reiterates the lesson of the first parable under the heading of faithfulness. He portrays two different attitudes of disciples in the absence of the Master. The wise disciple remains steadfast at his duty post even in the master's absence. The foolish disciple takes to a complacent lifestyle and takes the law into his own hands. The day of reckoning comes with the master's return. The faithful servant receives a promotion; the unfaithful one is lost for eternity. The Gospel completes this teaching in Jesus' words to be ready at all times for the end, and to live each day as if it was the last. Yes, to be a disciple of Jesus is to be fundamentally a person of faith, someone who trusts completely in God throughout all the 'ups and downs' of life, someone who desires to do what God wants him or her to do. It's the desire that's important. Therefore, when Jesus challenged his disciples, he prefaced his teaching with a counsel against fear. Faith, not fear, was to be the guiding force in the lives of Jesus' disciples. Faith would enable them to set their hearts on treasure that would last, faith would empower them to live in a constant attitude of preparedness, ready to recognise and welcome Jesus, who promised to return for them at a time and in a manner they would least expect. Faith would keep them aware of and attentive to their responsibilities; faith would prompt them toward the mutual love and support of their brothers and sisters. As Christians, we have been given a great deal; a lot of it on trust. Our faith is given to us as a treasure for heaven. We know that our lives, our gifts, our families are all treasures. Do we always give them the respect and love they deserve? One day, we will be called in to account for how we have looked after what we have been given. Today's gospel urges us to be awake and on the watch like servants awaiting the master's return home from a wedding banquet. Watchfulness means living in such a consistently moral and obedient way that we are always ready to give an account to God of how we have lived. The Lord comes unexpectedly into our lives everyday through events and people we meet. We should be watchful to recognise the Lord and be prepared to meet him in the little unexpected opportunities of everyday life. This is the best way to prepare for the ultimate encounter with the Lord at the hour of death.

*Fr Manu Kumbidiyamackal*

## Happy Birthday August Babies

9th John Caruana



Readings for 14th August 2016  
1st Reading :Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10  
2nd Reading :Hebrews 12:1-4  
Gospel :Luke 12:49-53

## Saints/Feast Days Of the Week

8th St Mary of the Cross  
9th St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross  
10th St Lawrence  
11th St Clare  
12th St Jane Frances de Chantal  
13th St Pontian, St Hippolytus

## 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:

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 Feutrill, Paul Holmes, Michael Lochhead, Margaret Scott.

## Recently Deceased

Kevin Harriott, Michael Mc Cormack, John Gomez, Emile Mathews, Marco Trotta.

## FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION



THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL MASS CELEBRATED ON MONDAY 15TH AUGUST AT HOLY TRINITY CHURCH AT 7PM FOR THE FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE VIRGIN MARY.

## SPECIAL COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

A Special Collection will be taken up this weekend for Vocations. Through this appeal you will be contributing to the formation and training of Priests and Deacons for service in the Archdiocese.

## PLEASE NOTE SECURITY UPGRADE

We will be upgrading our Security at Holy Trinity. Initially if anyone has keys to the Holy Trinity R.E. Room / Photocopier Room in the Hall please come and see me in the Parish Office anytime on Thursday or Friday between 9am—2pm or phone: 8264 7590 before 12th August to register your key. **THANK YOU**

*Jill Brokensha Secretary*

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.**



**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**



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*

Six calls last week with 14 Adults and 10 Children all requiring help with Food, some also needing warm Clothing and 1 also needing Furniture. Each client that we visit has a different reason for requiring help, each one we visit is treated with Respect and Dignity and we try to assist them in all their areas of need.

Our Pantry needs this week at St John XXIII are:  
 Coffee, Peanut Butter, & Tinned Spaghetti

Thank You and God Bless

**REACH OUT GROUP**

Tuesday, 9th August, 2016  
 9.15am Mass at St John XXIII

Reader: Jos  
 Offertory: Cathy & Anne H  
 Communion: Margaret E & Maureen K  
 Altar Server: Raphael

**All Welcome**

**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



**DEVELOPMENT FUND 2016**

Congratulations Margaret Giebel  
 No 15

Drawn by Sindi Kinloch for Greg Woofe  
 Contact: Marg Dolman 8264 1317  
 to be included in the draw.

**St Vincent De Paul: Para Hills Conference**



During the months of May, June and July this year St Vincent De Paul Para Hills Conference has made 26 visits and provided support to 43 adults and 56 children 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.

New members are always welcomed, so if you have some time to offer please join us at our next meeting:

When: Monday 8<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm  
 (Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month)

Where: Para Hills church hall Supper is provided.

God Bless

**MASS FOR ANNIVERSARIES**

The annual Diocesan Mass for Clergy, Married Couples and Religious Sisters and Brothers who are celebrating significant years of ordination, professed life or marriage in 2016, will be held on

**Sunday, September 11th**  
**at 2.30pm in St Patrick's Church,**  
**Grote Street, Adelaide.**

The Archbishop invites everyone celebrating 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40 or more years of ordination, profession or marriage in 2016 to attend this Mass.

**The Archbishop would also like to welcome young married couples, so if they are celebrating their first or fifth wedding anniversary this year, they are very welcome to attend.**

If you are interested in celebrating your milestone in this way please contact the Parish Office on 8264 7590 no later than **Friday August 19th**, giving your name, address and significant year of marriage.

**Clergy, religious and married couples are welcome to invite members of their family to this celebration.**

The Mass will be followed by hospitality and photo opportunities to commemorate this special event.

**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>8th August</b>	Legion of Mary (Jnr) & R.E.	4pm—5 pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>9th August</b>	Legion of Mary	12.30pm - 2pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Thur</b>	<b>11th August</b>	Christian Meditation	2pm - 3pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>12th August</b>	Holy Hour	3pm - 4pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Sun</b>	<b>14th August</b>	Prayer Circle	2pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>

**OTHER ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK**

<b>Mon</b>	<b>8th August</b>	Bowls	1pm - 3.30pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>9th August</b>	Reach Out	9.45am	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>10th August</b>	Seniors' Social Club	1pm - 3pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>12th August</b>	Craft Group	9.30am	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Sat</b>	<b>13th August</b>	Treasure Market	8am - 12pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>

*Legion of Mary*

From 12th August the weekly Holy hour will be specially offered up for the Souls in Purgatory, starting with the prayer for the Souls and the Divine Mercy chaplet, 20 minutes of quiet time, Prayer of the Church, quiet time, CD hymn and closing prayer for Souls in Purgatory. Please come along and spend an hour away from the busy world. We have loved them in life, let us not forget them in death.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Be watchful and ready: you know not when the Son of Man is coming.**



### TREASURE MARKET

Second Saturday of each month  
8am to 12noon

Next: 13th August 2016

St John XXIII Centre

Sellers \$10—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 ST 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.

### AUSTRALIAN CHRISTIAN MEDITATION COMMUNITY DAY

"The Cloud of Unknowing" unpacking one of the Church's devotional classics (a book of the 14th Century), a chance for Christians of the 21st Century to learn about how followers of Jesus in those troubled times spent their quiet times with God. Please accept this personal invitation (in our world's troubled times) by joining us, as the presenter Bishop Greg Pfeiffer (W.A. District) unpacks "The Cloud of Unknowing", at the Lutheran Church Hall,  
139 Archer Street, North Adelaide  
Saturday 13th August 2016 11am—3pm.  
Donation \$15.

### THE JOURNEY CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM – AIRS 14 AUGUST 2016

This week *The Journey* Catholic Radio program Fr Richard Healey will bring you this week's Gospel reflection and you will hear great music and challenging inputs from the likes of Dr Byron and Francine Pirola, Fr Dave Callaghan MGL, Trish McCarthy, Pete Gilmore and Sam Clear. Go to [www.jcr.org.au](http://www.jcr.org.au) or [www.itunes.jcr.org.au](http://www.itunes.jcr.org.au) where you can listen anytime and subscribe to weekly shows by email.

### HEARTS ON FIRE: LITURGY & PARISH LIFE

Celebrating vibrant, welcoming and inclusive liturgy must be one of the prime concerns of every parish. Michael Mangan will lead us to reflect on some key aspects to consider when preparing our parish liturgy, will address the role of liturgical music and the importance of consciously making our liturgical celebrations child and family-friendly.

When: Saturday, August 13th, 2016

Where: Room S1, Adelaide College of Divinity,  
34 Lipsett Terrace, Brooklyn Park

Time: 8.00am—1.00pm.

**RSVP** essential by: Wednesday 10th August  
Susan Viecele phone: 8152 7807  
or email: [sviecele@mfp.adelaide.catholic.org.au](mailto:sviecele@mfp.adelaide.catholic.org.au)

### STAFF AVAILABILITY

Sindi Kinloch — Tuesday & Wednesday

Pauline Lai — Thursday

Jill Brokensha — Thursday & Friday

### OLSH COLLEGE TOURS

9:30am - 17 August, 24 October

5:30pm - 14 September, 24 October

Individual tours welcome, phone 8269 8800 to book.

OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART COLLEGE  
496 Regency Road, Enfield Phone: 8269 8800 Web:  
[olsh.catholic.edu.au](http://olsh.catholic.edu.au)

## THANK YOU

I wish to say a Heartfelt Thank You to Father Manu, Father Peter and Father Jack for their prayers and caring in concelebrating my late husband, Marco's funeral Mass. I wish to also thank Grace and all the parish office staff for their help and kindness during this sad time. To friends and fellow parishioners, for phone calls and cards and expressions of sympathy extended in many ways, I say thank you and God Bless you all. With much love from  
Maria Trotta and Family

### ALBERTON SUPPER CLUB

Everyone is invited to attend our Birthday evening on the 15<sup>th</sup> August. We will not have a guest speaker at the event but we will enjoy each other's company, have some great food and have a few surprises along the way.

We would love to have you join us to celebrate this very important date.

Judy Hoffman on 8261 1603.

To book a table please phone the hotel on:  
84471069



Dear children we are very precious to God and our parents.  
Dear Lord Jesus Christ send us forth from this place with the Word of God in our hearts, minds and soul.

We pray that the grace of Jesus is present in all our lives we can live as he did, giving and caring openly with each other.

We ask for Jesus' help in our everyday lives, until he comes again.

