

PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

Parish Team Fr Manu Kumbidiyamackal MSFS	24th November 2019 Our Lord Jesus Christ The King Of The Universe-Year C White Issue 44
(Parish Priest) Jen Sherlock (Pastoral Associate)	We acknowledge the Kaurna people as the custodians of this region. Let us share and learn together for reconciliation and justice.
SINDI KINLOCH (Parish Assistant) PAULINE LAI (Finance Officer) Parish Admin Office 50 Reservoir Rd, Hope Valley 5090 Ph: 8264 7590 or 8264 7093	ST JOHN XXIII Hope ValleyMASS TIMESHOLY TRINITY Para HillsMonday 9.15am Tuesday 9.15am Saturday 6pm Sunday 8amMODBURY HOSPITAL Thursday Mass 11amWednesday 7pm Friday 9.15am (Adoration Before Friday Mass commencing 8.30am) Saturday 9.15am Sunday 10am
Email: office@paramodcath.com.au bulletin@paramodcath.com.au	Reconciliation (Confession) Saturdays after 9.15am Mass at Holy Trinity And 5.30pm at St John XXIII
Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday: 9am-2pm Holy Trinity Church 171 Kesters Road, Para Hills 5096 St John XXIII Church 50 Reservoir Rd, Hope Valley 5090 CHILDREN'S LITURGY	PRAYER MEETINGS AND DEVOTIONSMon25th NovReligious Education for Children5pm - 6pmHoly TrinityTue26th NovLegion of Mary12.30pmHoly TrinityThur28th NovLegion of Mary7.30pmMother of Christ Praesidium (6 Metcalfe Ave Modbury Heights)Fri29th NovMemorial Mass7pmSt John XXIII
CELEBRATED AT 6PM & 10AM MASSES. BAPTISMS Celebrated <u>EITHER</u> during the 6pm, 8am & 10 am Masses on the 2nd Sun of the month <u>OR</u> 11.30am at Holy Trinity 12noon at St John XXIII	OTHER ACTIVITIES DURING THE WEEK.Mon25th NovBowls1pm - 3.30pmSt John XXIIIMon25th NovParish Finance Council7.30pmSt John XXIIITue26th NovReach Out9.45amSt John XXIIIWed27th NovSenior Social Club1pmHoly TrinityFri29th NovCraft Group9.30am - 12noonSt John XXIIISat30th NovPlenary Council Meeting7pmSt John XXIII
(Alternately on 4th Sun) Bookings to be made through the Parish Office, OR ON OUR WEBSITE <u>MARRIAGES</u> By appointment only <u>REGIONAL CATHOLIC</u> <u>SCHOOLS</u>	Image: Section of the section of th
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 Parish Child Protection Officer Therese Meyers 0421 533 761	There will be a BBQ on Sunday 24th November from 5pm at Holy Trinity Church Hall. All Masses on the weekend of the 24th/25th November will be dedicated to our Volunteers
Protection Officer Therese Meyers 0421 533 761 Tash Souter 0422 270 655	

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We Thank God for You...



Something that struck me while browsing through the internet yesterday was this: "Most people just share quotes about kindness and generosity on Facebook. Thanks for walking the talk." In the day and age where greed is making everyone focus on getting

and receiving, few angels like you are still committed to giving and helping. As we are celebrating the volunteers' weekend once again, looking back on 2019, I am left amazed beyond words at what God has done through the ministries of our parish community. If there's one thing I don't want to get lost in all of this, it is that very little could happen without the collective efforts of all our volunteers. In this modern world some people are trying to do everything they can to be recognized as different, but few are doing everything they can to make a difference. Volunteers like you are doing a great deal in our parish community to make a real difference.

First of all, I want to acknowledge all of you who are volunteering in the parish community in different ways, and thank you all for the same.

For some people, volunteering is about giving. But for the likes of you, it is a way of living. Today I want to give that special attention on all the works done in the parish by all our volunteers and thank each of you for what you are for this parish. I would like to mention the works done by our volunteers in the office, for pastoral ministry as readers, ushers, special ministers of the Eucharist, in music ministry, in children's liturgy, in the RE program and RCIA program, ministry to the sick and the sacristans. I would like remember with gratitude all the hard work done by those who help out in cleaning, gardening, and maintenance. This is an occasion also to thank all of you in the Parish Pastoral Council and Parish Finance Council and many who were involved in the different events that we organised in the parish. I would like to mention the great works done by all of you during the year especially when we had the Parish Pastoral Visitation, Annual Parish Craft Market and other celebrations. I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks and appreciation to all of you for a job well done. Yes, you were so wonderful with all the positive energy spreading around you, giving that example of servant leadership and giving in the church. Thank you very much for all the efforts that you put in to make our parish very lively and active. Your willingness to use your gifts and abilities has strengthened the mission and ministry of this parish. For all your time, effort, hard work, and prayers, please accept the thanks and appreciation of this parish, its leaders, staff, and me. Thanks for being so caring, thanks for being so loving. Thanks for being so helpful, thanks for being so thoughtful. Thanks for being so selfless, thanks for volunteering... your actions are priceless. You have truly been a blessing to this congregation! We want you to know how appreciated you are, not just today, but the whole year through. Volunteers like you prove that the only right way to live, is to constantly sacrifice and give. Cont....

Readings for next Sunday, 1st Dec 2019 1st Reading ls 2:1-5 2nd Reading Rom 13:11-14 24:37-44 Gospel Mat

Saints/Feast Days Of the Week

25th Nov 30th

St Catherine of Alexandria St Andrew, Apostle

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:

Margaret Pitt, Patricia Kopf, Darcy Ridley, Paul Holmes, Dudley Dolman, Father Peter Milburn, Maria Hand, Emma Gammon, Asher Caudle, David North, Elijah Neri, Wayne Collins, Antoinette Pascale, Marg Dolman, Charlotte Fussell, Selena (Rose) Quinn, Phyllis Anthony, Reta Lockyer, John MacGrath, Ken Robinson, Graham Armstrong, Mary Redmond, Graham Speed, Marlen Piineda, David Truman, Bruce McAndie, Rosa Maria Santos, Sean Molloy, Betty Roper, Imperia De Ionno, Julie Reimann, Imelda Schulz, Maddison Calleja, Janice Forrester, Jim Marlow, Gerry Canavan, Jayden Lee, Audrey Athayde, Marie Boulton, Sr. Marleen Dewar OLSH, Kay Kennedy, Rita Robinson, Eileen Ryan, Gary Lockyer, Yvonne Summers.

Recently Deceased Patricia Mary Carey, Sharyn Francese

Thank you for being our hand; you just simply made our loads lighter and smoother. I want you to know that I appreciate your kind-heart just to help us. Your commitment and hard work are the reason we are able to do well in all that we undertake as a parish community. Thanks for volunteering. Thank you for all you do to make our Community such a great place to be a part of. Your excellence guides our success. Thanks, and God bless!

Janu Bumbidramalaka

Memorial Mass Ø aaaaaaaaaaaaa On Friday the 29th November 2019 at St John XXIII we will be holding our **Annual Memorial Mass** at 7pm,followed by a shared supper All Parishioners Welcome

PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL

The next meeting for the Parish Finance Council is on the 25th November in the St John XXIII Meeting Room at 7.30pm.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

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





St Vincent de Paul **Modbury Conference**

Lord your timeless lesson sings out in the voice of constant waves, in the wind through the trees and in the harmonies of life. Wash clean our ears to hear you, make us

listen now, for we need your great wisdom to assist us in our life. Amen.

Calls continue to come to us at about 4 to 5 a week, and we're compiling the list for Christmas hampers as well. The same applies at Holy Trinity

Now that the Giving Tree is in place, we ask that you continue your support of the provision of assistance by taking a tag from the tree and returning the tag and food item to go into the hampers.

Your generous giving through the year has greatly reduced the amount of shopping that we've had to do to keep the pantry stocked.

St Francis Xavier School is also conducting a Christmas food appeal that should greatly help in filling the hampers.

The Christmas Appeal donation envelopes will continue to be available at the rear of the church and can be returned on the second collection plate.

Thank you and God Bless

REACH OUT GROUP

Tuesday 26th November 2019 9.15am Mass at St John XXIII Followed by a cuppa. All Welcome

Reader: Offertory:

Rafael Melegh Pat Collins & Margaret Emery Communion: Pat Harvey & Jos Hensing Altar Server: Leo North

For information about Reach Out please call Maureen Kenny Ph: 8396 7682 or M: 0418 821 859



DEVELOPMENT FUND 2019

Congratulations Alex Balayance No. 22

Drawn by Anna Mervart

Contact: Barbara Mathews 8258 8806 to be included in the draw.

STAY FOR A CUPPA



Thanks to some of our wonderful volunteers, we will be having a cuppa after all Masses this Weekend

Please join us.

Carols Night 2019

Hosted by ParaMod Youth

Friday 13th December 6.30pm St John XXIII Over 8 groups performing + Surprise Guest Christmas Raffle and light refreshments will be available on the night. Come join us for a free and fun filled evening





Plenary Council 2020 'Listen to what the Spirit is saying ...' Rev 2:7

What's next in our parish?

We will convene two sessions where parishioners will be able to join a discussion group on one of the Listening and Discernment themes. There will be tea, coffee and finger food available. You will be able to choose either or both (should you want to discuss more than one of the themes) of the following sessions:

30th November at St John XXIII following 6pm Mass

8th December at Holy Trinity following 10am Mass. Each Discernment session is expected to result in a response that we can summarise and submit via the Plenary Council website. The Australia wide responses will be used to 'flesh out' the agenda for discussion at the Plenary Council in October 2020

CHILDREN'S PRAYER



Loving God of all creation, thank you for sending your son to us. He showed us how important it is to you that people help each other whenever they can. Remind us we should be generous in helping others. Amen

HAPPY BIRTHDAY NOVEMBER BABIES

25th Nov 28th Nov 29th Nov Rocco Marafioti, David Marafioti **Christine Healey** Judy Rogers



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Alleluia!

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.

During November Fr Manu will pray and offer intentions for the beloved deceased family and friends of:

David Forster, Patrick & Fiona Rato, Mattner & Patterson Families, Gatzler Family, Sophie Ozga, Ivanka Ivancic, Kathleen McEvoy, Doug Tilley

"It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be freed from their sins." 11 Machabees 12:46

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

If you do not have a pack of envelopes there are spare envelopes in both fovers to use for November Masses.



DIVINE MERCY AT HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

The next Divine Mercy Eucharistic Adoration will be on Sunday, 24th November at 3pm at Holy Trinity Church,

171 Kesters Rd, Para Hills.

JOY OF THE GOSPEL

DAILY REFLECTIONS FOR 2020

AVAILABLE FROM THE PARISH OFFICE FOR ONLY \$10

St Francis Xavier's School 4 Carignane St, Wynn Vale

St Francis Xavier's School warmly invites you to celebrate the following occasions with us next term. This is an opportunity for all in our parish community to pray and participate in our celebrations together. Please sign in at the front office and you will be guided to the hall ready for our Masses and liturgies.

Week 8 - Tuesday 3rd December St Francis Xavier's

Day Liturgy at 9:15am Xavier Hall Hosted by Year 5

Wednesday 11th December

End of Year Mass at 9:15am in Xavier Hall

The Novem¹ The November edition of the Southern Cross is now available. Only \$2

Please Support Your Catholic Newspaper

Notice to all Parish Groups

Please submit your Diary Dates for 2020 as soon as possible so they can be placed in the Parish Diary. All dates must be submitted in writing either by email at bulletin@paramodcath.com.au snail mail or dropped off to the Parish Office. Thank you

***** PLEASE NOTE

There will be no flowers during Advent, all donations will go towards the Christmas arrangements. We take this opportunity to thank those who donated towards the flowers during the year to beautify our church.



FIDELIS CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION 2019

You are invited to our Fidelis Christmas Celebration Thursday, 28th November 2019, 7:30pm Saint Ignatius' College, Junior School Holy Family Building, Queen Street, Norwood Mass followed by cocktail food, champagne and wine.

A donation of non-perishable food items for our St Vincent de Paul Society gift box is most welcome. These will be distributed to needy families at Christmas.

Members of St Ignatius Norwood Parish will have gifts and raffle tickets available to purchase. Money raised will support Jesuit Missions. Please feel free to bring along friends who would like the chance to renew friendships.

> RSVP: 26th November 2019 Monica Klingberg - 0403 508 904 or Mary Connelly - 8333 0492 fidelis@ignatius.sa.edu.au

Notices following Mass Notices following Mass should be kept to a minimum. Commentators will only read those notices placed by the parish office. Any other requests for notices **must** be approved by the celebrant before being read.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: TUESDAY 3PM Email Address for Bulletin Notices: bulletin@paramodcath.com.au