



# PARA HILLS MODBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

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## HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

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PARA HILLS 5096

## ST JOHN XXIII CHURCH

50 RESERVOIR RD,  
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**CHILDREN'S LITURGY  
CELEBRATED AT  
10AM MASS**

### BAPTISMS

BOOKINGS TO BE MADE  
THROUGH THE PARISH OFFICE.

### 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

## PARISH CHILD PROTECTION OFFICER

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21st March 2021  
5th Sunday of Lent, Year B - Violet/Rose

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**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

Monday 9.15am  
Tuesday 9.15am  
Thursday 9.15am  
Saturday 6pm  
Sunday 8am



### 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**

Due to COVID-19 restrictions we are currently limited to  
150 people at St John XXIII and at  
Holy Trinity 100 people in the Church and 50 people in the hall,  
where the Mass will be live streamed. Communion will be brought to those in the hall.  
Everyone attending Mass is required to provide their full name and a contact phone  
number or email address for the purpose of contact tracing.  
COVID-SAFE check in using a QR code is available at all Masses.

## MASS BOOKINGS FOR EASTER LITURGIES

Please be aware that we will NOT be using the permanent booking lists  
for services during Holy Week.

Booking sheets can be found at the back of each church  
or you can make your booking through the Parish Office.

**Please note that Holy Thursday Mass is now fully booked.**

As space is limited please book only for yourself or family members  
who you are certain will be attending.

## EASTER TRIDUUM

### Holy Thursday

7.30pm at Holy Trinity  
No 9.15am Mass at St John XXIII

### Good Friday

10am Stations of the Cross at Holy Trinity  
11am Stations of the Cross at St John XXIII  
3pm Celebration of the Passion of the Lord at BOTH Churches

## EASTER MASSES

### Easter Vigil

8.30pm at St John XXIII

### Easter Sunday

8am at St John XXIII  
10am at Holy Trinity Church



### In this Year of St Joseph

We celebrated the feast of St Joseph; spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary on March 19<sup>th</sup> and this year is declared as the year of St Joseph by the Holy Father. In this year it is good that we give some thought to the teachings we have received through the person of St Joseph. "With a father's heart", that is how Joseph loved Jesus, whom all four Gospels refer to as "the son of Joseph" Matthew and Luke, the two Evangelists who speak most of Joseph, tell us very little, yet enough for us to appreciate what sort of father he was, and the mission entrusted to him by God's providence. We know that Joseph was a lowly carpenter (Mt 13:55), betrothed to Mary (Mt 1:18; Lk 1:27). He was a "just man" (Mt 1:19), ever ready to carry out God's will as revealed to him in the Law (Lk 2:22, 27, 39) and through four dreams (Mt 1:20; 2:13, 19 and 22). After a long and tiring journey from Nazareth to Bethlehem, he beheld the birth of the Messiah in a stable, since "there was no place for them" elsewhere (Lk 2:7). He witnessed the adoration of the shepherds (Lk 2:8-20) and the Magi (Mt 2:1-12), who represented respectively the people of Israel and the pagan peoples.

Joseph had the courage to become the legal father of Jesus, to whom he gave the name revealed by the angel: "You shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins" (Mt 1:21). As we know, for ancient peoples, to give a name to a person or to a thing, as Adam did in the account in the Book of Genesis (cf. 2:19-20), was to establish a relationship. In the Temple, forty days after Jesus' birth, Joseph and Mary offered their child to the Lord and listened with amazement to Simeon's prophecy concerning Jesus and his Mother (cf. Lk 2:22-35). To protect Jesus from Herod, Joseph dwelt as a foreigner in Egypt (cf. Mt 2:13-18). After returning to his own country, he led a hidden life in the tiny and obscure village of Nazareth in Galilee, far from Bethlehem, his ancestral town, and from Jerusalem and the Temple. Of Nazareth it was said, "No prophet is to rise" (cf. Jn 7:52) and indeed, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" (cf. Jn 1:46). When, during a pilgrimage to Jerusalem, Joseph and Mary lost track of the twelve-year-old Jesus, they anxiously sought him out and they found him in the Temple, in discussion with the doctors of the Law (cf. Lk 2:41-50).

After Mary, the Mother of God, no saint is mentioned more frequently in the papal magisterium than Joseph, her spouse. These reflections on the message contained in the limited information handed down by the Gospels were done in order to appreciate more fully his central role in the history of salvation. Pope Pius IX declared him "Patron of the Catholic Church", Pius XII

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proposed him as "Patron of Workers" and Pope John Paul II as "Guardian of the Redeemer". Saint Joseph is universally invoked as the "patron of a happy death". Now, one hundred and fifty years after the proclamation as Patron of the Catholic Church by Pope Pius IX (8 December 1870), when we celebrate the year of St Joseph as directed by Pope Francis, we need to give more thought to this extraordinary figure, so close to our own human experience. For, as Jesus says, "out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks" (Mt 12:34). During these months of pandemic, when we experienced, amid the crisis, how our lives are woven together and sustained by ordinary people, people often overlooked. People who do not appear in newspaper and magazine headlines, or on the latest television show, yet in these very days are surely shaping the decisive events of our history. Doctors, nurses, storekeepers and supermarket workers, cleaning personnel, caregivers, transport workers, men and women working to provide essential services and public safety, volunteers, priests, men and women religious, and so very many others. Each of us can discover in Joseph, the man who goes unnoticed, a daily, discreet and hidden presence, an intercessor, a support and a guide in times of trouble. Saint Joseph reminds us that those who appear hidden or in the shadows can play an incomparable role in the history of salvation. A word of recognition and of gratitude is due to them all.

The greatness of Saint Joseph is that he was the spouse of Mary and the father of Jesus. In this way, he placed himself, in the words of Saint John Chrysostom, "at the service of the entire plan of salvation." Saint Paul VI pointed out that Joseph concretely expressed his fatherhood "by making his life a sacrificial service to the mystery of the incarnation and its redemptive purpose. Thanks to his role in salvation history, Saint Joseph has always been venerated as a father by the Christian people. This is shown by the countless churches dedicated to him worldwide, the numerous religious Institutes, Confraternities and ecclesial groups inspired by his spirituality and bearing his name, and the many traditional expressions of piety in his honour. Popular trust in Saint Joseph is seen in the expression "Go to Joseph", which evokes the famine in Egypt, when the Egyptians begged Pharaoh for bread. He in turn replied: "Go to Joseph; what he says to you, do" (Gen 41:55). Pharaoh was referring to Joseph the son of Jacob, who was sold into slavery because of the jealousy of his brothers (cf. Gen 37:11-28) and who – according to the biblical account – subsequently became viceroy of Egypt (cf. Gen 41:41-44). As a descendant of David (cf. Mt 1:16-20), from whose stock Jesus was to spring according to the promise made to David by the prophet Nathan (cf. 2 Sam 7), and as the spouse of Mary of Nazareth, Saint Joseph stands at the crossroads between the Old and New Testaments.

(to be continued...)

*Janulumbidramalako*

### Readings for next Sunday, 28th March 2021

1st Reading Is 50:4 - 7  
2nd Reading Ph 2:6-11  
Gospel Mk 14:1 - 15:47

### Saints/Feast Days Of the Week

23rd Mar St Turibius of Mogrovejo  
25th Mar The Annunciation of the Lord

### 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:**

Maria Trotta, Darryl McManus, Sandra Dini, Joan Walmsley, Ursula Moore, Lil Buckley, Jason Mittiga, Pat Collins, Ruby Brokensha, Anne Van Der Arend, Margaret Pitt, Patricia Kopf, Darcy Ridley, Paul Holmes, Jayden Lee, Father Peter Milburn, Maria Hand, Emma Gammon, Asher Caudle, David North, Elijah Neri, Wayne Collins, Marg Dolman, Sean Molloy, Antoinette Pascale, Charlotte Fussell, Phyllis Anthony, Reta Lockyer, John MacGrath, Ken Robinson, Graham Armstrong, Mary Redmond, Graham Speed, Marlen Piineda, David Truman, Bruce McAndie, Rosa Maria Santos, Betty Roper, Imperia De Ionno, Julie Reimann, Jim Marlow, Gerry Canavan, Kay Kennedy, Marie Boulton, Gary Lockyer, Yvonne Summers, Rita Robinson, Sr. Marleen Dewar OLSH

### Recently Deceased

Roger Knowles

### 1st Anniversary of the Passing of Dudley Dolman



This Sunday, 21st March 10am Mass at Holy Trinity will be offered for Dudley Dolman to commemorate the 1st anniversary of his passing. Dudley was a long term and very active member of our Parish and is greatly missed.

### SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

We are looking for volunteers who are passionate about teaching our children the sacraments of our Catholic Church.

We have a number of workshops held from September through to June when the children will receive their sacraments.

Anyone who feels they could bring something positive to this very worthy cause please contact Tash at the office any Tuesday or Wednesday.

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

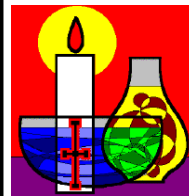
There were four requests for assistance, predominantly food, this last week, putting a bit of strain on the pantry stocks.

This time last year we were switching to our COVID-safe mode of visiting. There are more requests for bill assistance as the COVID financial supplement decreases.

We would greatly appreciate any donations of Rice (small), Coffee, Peanut Butter and Margarine.

If you're accumulating the plastic shopping bags, we're getting into short supply and could put them into good use on calls, thanks.

### Anointing of the Sick



We will have the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick on the following dates:

**Tuesday 23rd March at  
St John XXIII Mass at 9.15am.**

**Wednesday 24th March at  
Holy Trinity Church Mass at 7pm**

*If there are people at home who require anointing and are unable to attend, please call the office to arrange a visit from Fr Manu.*

### Rebuild My Church

Lenten Evening Prayer 2021

**Rebuild My Church Evening Prayer  
will be held on Wednesday evenings at**

**Holy Trinity at 6.30pm  
immediately prior to the 7pm Mass**

**&**

**St John XXIII at 7pm**



### Friendly Reminder

**We encourage you to arrive  
at least 10 minutes before Mass begins.  
This will allow time for you to check in  
and be seated so Mass can commence  
on time and with minimal disruption.**

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

**If you serve me, follow me, says the Lord; and where I am, my servant will also be.**

## PRAYER MEETINGS

<b>Tue</b>	<b>23rd Mar</b>	Legion of Mary	12.30pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>24th Mar</b>	Lenten Evening Prayer	6.30pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>24th Mar</b>	Lenten Evening Prayer	7pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>26th Mar</b>	Stations of the Cross	7pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

<b>Mon</b>	<b>22nd Mar</b>	Parish Finance Council	7.30pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Mon</b>	<b>22nd Mar</b>	Bowls Group	1pm - 3.30pm	<b>St John XXIII</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>24th Mar</b>	Holy Trinity Seniors	1pm	<b>Holy Trinity</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>26th Mar</b>	Craft Group	9.30am - 12noon	<b>St John XXIII</b>



### DEVELOPMENT FUND 2021

Congratulations to our winner  
No 47, Jen Sherlock  
Drawn by Anna Juricin

If you would like to be included in the draw  
Please contact: Barbara Mathews 8258 8806



### STATIONS of the CROSS

**on Friday Nights during Lent  
at HOLY TRINITY 7-00pm**

### **Parish Keys**

We currently have no keys available to issue for St John XXIII and are unable to have more cut due to insurance requirements.

We ask all Parishioners who have had keys issued to carefully consider if they still need them.

If you no longer need a key to access the Mass centres due to commitments as ministers or group activities we ask that you please return your keys to the Parish Office.

We also take this opportunity to remind everyone that any keys issued must not be loaned to others or used to make copies.



SA Council of Churches and Churches Together SA invites your community to join in the

**Palm Sunday Peace Walk  
on Sunday March 28 2021.**

The Palm Sunday March is held in the heart of the city, and has been reflecting South Australia's voice on matters of Justice and Peace for nearly 40 years.

We have named it as a **PEACE WALK**, as we recognise the sorrow, pain and continuing injustice that arises across many areas of our community. We also acknowledge the prayerful presence and active living out of values within our communities that can make a difference to our wider world.

For more information and to register visit  
SACC Churches Together SA website  
[churchestogethersa.org.au](http://churchestogethersa.org.au)

May we continue to be bringers of peace and active justice and live grace-filled lives.

### **PROJECT COMPASSION BE MORE**



Halima is raising her two children in a refugee camp in Bangladesh while caring for her mother, who has a disability. Widowed at 21, Halima fled violence in Myanmar's Rakhine State and arrived at the camp with nothing.

Caritas Australia, through Caritas Bangladesh, helped Halima out with a shelter, cooking equipment, hygiene and sanitation training. She took on the role of community trainer herself, organising the cleaning of washrooms, wells and toilets.

Halima aspired to 'Be More'. She is proud that she is now able to earn a small income while maintaining the health of her family and the cleanliness of the camp community.

**Please donate to Project Compassion 2021 so this transformational program can continue to empower vulnerable women, men and children, and strengthen the communities around them.**

You can donate through Parish boxes and envelopes, by visiting [www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion](http://www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion) or phoning 1800 024 413.

**Please return your Project compassion boxes next weekend so they can be symbolically presented at the Mass on Holy Thursday.**

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY MARCH BABIES**

22nd Mar	Sean Ford
26th Mar	Ken Randell
27th Mar	Robert Javier

