



# St Agatha's Parish Cranbourne

12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Year B  
20<sup>th</sup> June 2021

## ST. AGATHA'S PARISH INFORMATION

**Church:** 129 Sladen Street, Cranbourne

**Presbytery:** 131 Sladen Street, Cranbourne

**Parish Office:** 1 Scott Street, PO Box 95,  
Cranbourne 3977

**Office Hours: Monday 1.00pm to 3.00pm**

**Tuesday to Friday 8.30am to 3.00pm**

[Closed for lunch 12.30pm - 1.00pm]

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**Email:** [parishoffice@stagathas.org.au](mailto:parishoffice@stagathas.org.au)

**Website:** [www.stagathas.org.au](http://www.stagathas.org.au)

**Parish Priest:** Rev. Fr Joseph Abutu

**Assistant Priest:** Rev. Fr Stanly Devasia

**Sisters of the Nativity:** Sr. Mary Olofu,

Sr. Faustina Ede & Sr. Victoria Orinya

Sr. Julie Ogbale [St Thomas the Apostle Parish]

### Parish Safe Guarding Officers:

Leonard Foo & Loretta Chin ☎ 5996 1985

**Email:** [cranbourne.safety@cdsale.org.au](mailto:cranbourne.safety@cdsale.org.au)

**Parish Secretary:** Mrs Tina Dam

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### St Agatha's Primary School

3 Scott Street, Cranbourne

☎ 5996 2724

**Principal:** Mr Terry Cahill

### St Therese's Primary School

131 Endeavour Drive

Cranbourne North

☎ 5996 7525

**Principal:** Mrs Michelle Bruitzman

### St Peter's Secondary College

Cranbourne Campus - Navarre Drive Cranbourne West

Clyde North Campus - 55 MacKillop Way Clyde Nth

☎ 5990 7777

**Principal:** Mr Chris Black

## ST. AGATHA'S PARISH MASS TIMES

**Saturday:** 6.00pm

**Sunday:** 7.30am, 9.00am, 10.45am & 6.00pm

**Livestreamed Sunday 9.00am**

**Monday to Saturday: 9.30am**

*Please search YouTube: St Agatha's Parish, Cranbourne*

*Facebook Live: <https://www.facebook.com/StAgathasCP/>*

### Weekday Mass Times

**Monday:** 9.30am - Live Streamed

**Tuesday:** 9.30am - Live Streamed

**Wednesday:** 9.30am - Live Streamed

**Thursday:** 9.30am - Live Streamed & 7.00pm

**Friday:** 9.30am - Live Streamed & 7.00pm

**Saturday:** 9.30am - Live Streamed

### Reconciliation/Confession

Friday: 10.00am

Saturday: 10.00am

### Mass for Vocations

Saturdays 9.30am - Live Streamed

### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday: 10.00am - 11.00am - Live Streamed

Saturday: 10.00am - 11.00am - Live Streamed

Tuesday to Saturday: 8.00am - 9.00am followed by

**Divine Office:** Morning prayer 9.00am - 9.15am

**Adoration Chapel:** 24/7 Entry to the Chapel is via a PIN code, obtained through Parish Office.

### Healing Mass Suspended

### First Saturday Mass at 9.30am

In Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

**First Friday Mass 7.00pm** followed by a spiritual teaching and Adoration till 10.00pm

**Mass for the Unborn:** 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month 9.30am

**Holy Hour for the Unborn -** 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month  
7.30pm-8.30pm in the Adoration Chapel

### Baptisms

Sundays at 12.30pm by appointment.

Baptism Information Session held First Sunday of the Month 3.00pm in the Parish Hall. [Bookings may be made through the parish website or contacting the parish office]

**Marriages** 6 months' notice requested

**DEAR PARISHIONERS**, new dates for Confirmation have been scheduled for Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> July at 4.30pm and 6.30pm and Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July at 4.30pm and 6.30pm. Online bookings for Confirmation Masses will be open in the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of July via our parish website. Due to restrictions 5 slots per family have been allocated in the Church. Candidate, sponsor plus 3 family members. Due to restrictions. we thank you for your understanding and patience. May God Bless you, Fr Joseph.

**WE WELCOME AS CHILDREN OF GOD:** Myra Fernando, child of Shehan & Stalanie, Amira Dagombay, child of Ralph & Anne, Austin Solomons, child of Andrew & Michelle, Aiden Jorgensen, child of Blair & Francel and Avie Noceda, child of Jimro & Anne.

**THE PARISH OFFICE** has a new phone voice message system, please listen carefully to the options available when contacting the office.

**CONFIRMATION PRAYER CARDS:** Parishioners are invited to pray for a child preparing to make their Confirmation.

**RCIA INQUIRY NIGHT 2021:** An inquiry night will be held for those who may be considering becoming Catholic or for Adult Baptised Catholics who have not received the Sacraments of First Communion or Confirmation on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July at 7.30pm Parish Hall face to face or via ZOOM depending of restrictions. For more info please contact the Parish Office on 5996 1985.

**JUNIOR RCIA:** For older children who have not completed their Sacraments. Classes begin midyear till Easter 2022. To register your interest, contact Sr Faustina on 5996 1985.

**RE CLASSES:** Wednesday 4.00pm – 5.00pm Contact Sr Faustina for more information on 5996 1985

**COVID SAFETY:** In line with current government restrictions capacity limits 75 in attendance for Mass.

**MASS ATTENDANCE:** Is strictly by booking online via the parish website link at <https://stagathas.org.au/online-booking-holy-mass.html> for weekday and weekends.

Online bookings act as your reservation. Please arrive early to Mass as the Church doors will be locked 15 minutes before Mass, to get your name checked off the booking list and check in on arrival using the Victorian Government QR code provided at the entrance and the Church foyer. Please note: if you choose to come to a weekend Mass without a booking and the Church is at capacity you will NOT be able to remain. **For parishioners who are unable to register a QR code, an iPad stand self-check in, has been set up in the foyer for you to check in. Please ask someone to teach you to how check yourself in.**

**ADORATION CHAPEL** is open for private prayer. You are required to sign in and out in the book provided in the chapel and check in with the QR code. A maximum of **three** attendees from different families can pray together at a time. If you are all members of one family the 3-person limit does not apply. For everyone's safety please abide by the rules posted on the door, thank you.

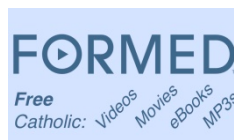
**GROUP LEADERS:** Parish groups meeting face-to-face leaders are required to keep a record of all those attending the meeting for 28 days for COVID tracing purposes please ensure your members check in with the QR code set up for your meeting space, masks are compulsory and keep to the 4 sqm rule thank you.

**SOCIAL DISTANCING:** The pews in the Church have been moved for your safety. Please do not move the pews in the Church for your own safety and it causes damage to the carpet.

**ST PETER'S COLLEGE MUSICAL PRODUCTION PRIMARY SCHOOL PERFORMANCE:** 'Closing Time' George Jenkins Theatre, Monash University Frankston. Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> August, 11.40am for 12 noon start. It is expected to finish between 1.30 and 2pm. St. Peter's College will organise NO CHARGE tickets.

**ST VINCENT PALLOTTI SCHOLARSHIP TRUST** offers scholarships to enable lay people to further their understanding and skills in leadership/ministry or a specialised activity, such as promoting faith enhancement, social justice and pastoral care. More information and Applications Forms are available on our website <https://pallottine.org.au/scholarships/st-vincent-pallotti-scholarship-for-lay-ministry.html> Closing Date 30 July 2021

**THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC MEN'S GATHERING FOR 2021** will be launched online on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> July. Join a diocesan group with your Bishop, or with your Men's Ministry/Parish group or individually. Three sessions will be provided online, along with reflection questions for group discussion or individual reflection. The aim is to inspire and encourage all Catholic men with a vision for personal discipleship, service and mission in the family, parish/diocese and the world. Cost: FREE Registration: [www.catholicmensgathering.com.au](http://www.catholicmensgathering.com.au) Program available from Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> July.



Netflix for Catholics, free for all parishioners! Go to our parish website at

<https://stagathas.org.au/item/21-formed-gift-subscription.html> on how

to join and logon with the parish code: **2QKKNB** Every week - Formed highlight different content.

**This week: The faithful traveller in the USA**

<https://watch.formed.org/the-faithful-traveler-in-the-United-states-east-coast-shrines>

**FIRST COMMUNION CEREMONIES** for children who have completed their preparation for First Communion in 2020. Please contact the parish office to book your child's ceremony date on 5996 1985. Ceremonies held every weekend until August 2021. **Up to 5** Candidates per Weekend Masses Saturday 6.00pm, Sunday 7.30am, 9.00am, 10.45am & 6.00pm. For family members and guests wishing to attend the ceremony online Mass attendance bookings are required, bookings can be made via our parish website. **Parents and children are encouraged to attend Reconciliation prior to the ceremony.**

**DIVINE AUSTRALIA KIDS PRESENTS:** 'A Bible Quest from the Bible Chest' For all children aged between 5 – 13, Every alternate Saturdays 5:30 PM - 6:45 PM (AEST) Via Zoom. Our next Bible Quest is on 3<sup>rd</sup> July. Parents, to request an enrolment form for your child please contact: [divinekidsministry@gmail.com](mailto:divinekidsministry@gmail.com)

**PLENARY COUNCIL PRAYER CAMPAIGN:** Fan the Flame Towards Plenary Assembly One October 2021. 'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith?' Mark 4:35-41 As people of faith, we believe that, through the gift of his Church, the Lord has equipped us, and continues to equip us, to recognise the needs of our time and set ourselves to doing something about them. (Instrumentum Laboris #193) [www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fanthefflame/](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fanthefflame/)

**SAFEGUARDING:** Our Parish is committed to providing a safe and supportive environment for all people with special concern for children, young people and adults at risk. Our Safeguarding Officers are Leonard Foo & Loretta Chin who can be contacted the Parish Office on 03 5996 1985 or email [Cranbourne.safety@cdsale.org.au](mailto:Cranbourne.safety@cdsale.org.au) If a person is in immediate danger of physical or sexual abuse: **Call 000**



**The Recently Deceased:** Les Booth, Nina Barake, Diego Giovanni Da-Pra, Feroz Burah, Crimsie Siwardena, Diego Giovanni Da-Pra, Sr Marie Bastian, Sr Jacintha Morris, Giovanna Bellinvia, Mr Narayanasamy

**Those whose anniversary or remembrance occurs at this time:** Maria & Gino Vesco, Pierangelo & Antonio Gava, Manfred Hamilton, Jennifer Periera, Jason David, Maria Bastian, Domingo Loyaga, Thomas Moore, Margaret Nowden, Sadanadan David, Fr Denis O'Callaghan, Fr Frank Carroll, Fr Frank O'Regan

**Those who are sick:** Arlette Lalouette, Stanley Jacobs, Catherine Williams, Lorenzo, Ignazia Carcangio, Glen Lippert, Edgar Lalouette, Nella Raffa, France Bernon, Janet Elliott, Margaret Fry, George Kelaart, Odilia Schreurs, Baby Noah, Norma Clapperton, Rosa Visalli, Teresa & Mario Marinelli, Annarosa & Ignazia Zucca, Otto Harris, Josie Hagen, Kay Martini

*With respect for the privacy of the person who is ill, we can only accept requests from the ill person or their immediate family. Please advise the Parish Secretary if you wish to be taken off the sick list.*

*If you would like a Mass Offered for a loved one, special occasion or other intention please contact the Parish Office at least a week prior to the date requested.*

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY – 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ezek 17:22-24; Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

19-20 June 2021	Lector	Extraordinary Ministers
Sat Vigil 6.00pm	R Sutherland	
7.30am	D Abraham	
9.00am	H Guerra	
10.45am	Youth Group	
6.00pm	T Hummel	
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Suspended	
CHURCH COUNTERS		C D'Lima, L Cresswell, D Barker
CHURCH CLEANERS		S & A De Silva, R Weinman
26-27 June 2021	Lector	Extraordinary Ministers
Sat Vigil 6.00pm	Children's Choir	R Trevisan, D Krella, P Hunt
7.30am	P Martin	M Soni, L Jean Louis
9.00am	L Adikari	A Malia Ulu, G Nelson, R Alejandro
10.45am	A D'Mello	R Holsinger, C Tyminski, T Nyerenyere
6.00pm	Y Prasetyo	A Quintal, C Joseph, J Connell
CHILDREN'S LITURGY	Suspended	
CHURCH COUNTERS		Afaese Family
CHURCH CLEANERS		P & T Dam, J McLean

ST AGATHA'S VOICE FOR LIFE



**MASS FOR THE UNBORN – 9.30am Mass**

1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month

**HOLY HOUR OF ADORATION, 7.30pm**

1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month – at our Adoration chapel

**Next meeting**

“The human person is a unique composite – a unity of spirit and body, fashioned in the image of God and destined to live forever. Every human life is sacred, because every human person is sacred.”- Pope John Paul II, 1987

## GROUPS & MEETINGS

**RCIA:** [For Adults interested in becoming Catholic] Enquiries: Tina 5996 1985.

**RCIC:** For children aged 4 years and above preparing for Baptism. Sr Faustina 5996 1985.

**CATECHETICS [R.E.] CLASSES:** Each Wed at 4pm in the Hall during School Terms. Enquiries: Sr. Faustina 5996 1985

**AFRICAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY:** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Month after 10.45am Mass in the Hall. Enq: Sisters

**THE BRIGADIERS OF LOURDES:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the Month 2.30pm–4pm. Enq: Lorraine Dunkley 5996 8771

**DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:** Weekdays after morning Mass & Rosary in the Church.

**SAMOAN DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP:** Tuesday 6.30pm to 8.30pm in the Church. Enq: Petelo 0435 118 132

**CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP:** Mon 10.30am Parish Hall Ph: Jacinta 0426 973 026

**PARISH CELLS COMMUNITY:** For further information contact Parish Office.

**SPIRITUAL DIRECTION:** Providence House, 135 Sladen Street. 1 hour by appointment only. Enq: Ruth 0477 800 161

**YOUTH GROUPS INVIGORATE [Age 12-14]** Meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month 12noon to 3.00pm after 10.45am

**AGAPE [Age 18+]:** Meet 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month 12noon to 3.00pm after 10.45am Youth Mass. Enq: Sr Mary 5996 1985

**VOICE FOR LIFE GROUP:** Enquiries: Maria Nieuwesteeg 0409 563 864 or email [voiceforlife@hotmail.com](mailto:voiceforlife@hotmail.com)

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL:** Vinnies Shop- 218 High Street Cranbourne. Phone: 5996 3926, **Vinnies Help Line: 1300 305 330**

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the Month in the Hall; Rosary 7.00pm; Meeting 7.15pm.

**CATHOLIC CARE GIPPSLAND:** For Family & Relationship Counselling phone 5941 4100 for appointments.

**GODSTART:** Post-Baptism follow-up Program. For further information contact Sr Victoria 5996 1985

**PLAYGROUP:** For safety reasons, suspended until further notice. Contact Sr Victoria 5996 1985

**FAMILY ROSARY GROUP:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the Month in the Parish Hall. Enquiries: Anita 5995 5545

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL** Parish Pastoral Council members are a means of communication for perceived needs in the Parish, ideas, suggestions & feedback.

**LIVE STREAMING MASSES:** Saturday 6.00pm & Sunday 9.00am Mass, Masses 9.30am weekday are Live Streamed, for those parishioners who are home bound and unable to attend Mass. <https://www.youtube.com/StAgathasParishCranbourne>



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**PARISH APP:** The parish has an APP that

is available from the 'APP STORE' and the 'GOOGLE PLAY STORE'. It contains Mass Times, Parish Calendar, Weekly Bulletin and much more! Simply search for St Agathas and download the APP to your mobile device.

**12<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, 20<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2021**

**FIRST READING**

*Job 3:1.8-11*

From the heart of tempest the Lord gave Job his answer. He said: Who pent up the sea behind closed doors when it leapt tumultuous out of the womb, when I wrapped it in a robe of mist and made black clouds its swaddling bands; when I marked the bounds it was not to cross and made it fast with a bolted gate? Come thus far, I said, and no farther: here your proud waves shall break.

The word of the Lord.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

***R. Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.***

Some sailed to the sea in ships to trade on the mighty waters. These men have seen the Lord's deeds, the wonders he does in the deep. **R.**

For he spoke; he summoned the gale, tossing the waves of the sea up to heaven and back into the deep; their soul melted away in their distress. **R.**

Then they cried to the Lord in their need and he rescued them from their distress. He stilled the storm to a whisper: all the waves of the sea were hushed. **R.**

They rejoiced because of the calm and he led them to the haven they desired. Let them thank the Lord for his love, the wonders he does for men. **R.**

**SECOND READING**

*2 Cor 5:14-17*

The love of Christ overwhelms us when we reflect that if one man has died for all, then all men should be dead; and the reason he died for all was so that living men should live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised to life for them. From now onwards, therefore, we do not judge anyone by the standards of the flesh. Even if we did once know Christ in the flesh, that is not how we know him now. And for anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old creation has gone, and now the new one is here.

The word of the Lord.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

***Alleluia, alleluia! A great prophet has appeared among us; God has visited his people. Alleluia!***

**GOSPEL**

*Mark 4:35-41*

With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, "Let us cross over to the other side." And leaving the crowd behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion, asleep. They woke him and said to him, "Master, do you not care? We are going down!" And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Quiet now! Be calm!" And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. Then he said to them, "Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith?" They were filled with awe and said to one another, "Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him."

The Gospel of the Lord.

**MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION**

When we eat this Bread... ..



**COMMUNION REFLECTION:**

One minute our lives are free and easy. Next minute we are cast down. All it takes is a piece of bad news

or some disappointment, and suddenly for us the whole world becomes dark and sombre. Waves of discouragement, fear, and despair rise up all around us,

threatening to engulf us.

In such moments who will save us from drowning and help us to keep the barque of our lives on course?

Christ our Brother will. He who is our companion on the voyage to the eternal shore. All we have to do is awaken ourselves to a sense of his presence, an call out to him in our distress, as the apostle did. Then we will hear his gentle voice saying to us: "Fear not, for I am with you".

And the Waves of fear will subside,  
and the sun of hope will shine for us again.