

# BRUNSWICK AND MORELAND CATHOLIC MISSION

## Weekly Newsletter



St Joseph



St Fidelis



Our Lady help of  
Christians



St Ambrose

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

13 November 2022

### MASS TIME

#### Our Lady's

Friday 10:00 am  
Saturday 5:00 pm  
Sunday 9:00 am

Communion Service

Wednesday 10:00 am  
Sacrament of Reconciliation

First Saturday:  
10:30am – 11:00am

#### St Ambrose's

Thursday 10:00 am  
Sunday 10:30 am

Communion Service

Tuesday 10:00 am  
Sacrament of Reconciliation

Second Saturday:  
10:30am – 11:00am

#### St Joseph's

Wednesday 10:00 am  
Saturday 6:30 pm

(First Saturday only)

Sunday 9:00 am & 5:00 pm

Italian Mass:

2nd & 4th Sunday at 10:30am

Communion Service

Tuesday 10:00 am  
Sacrament of Reconciliation

Third Saturday:  
10:30am – 11:00am

#### St Fidelis'

Tuesday 9:15 am  
Friday 9:15 am  
Saturday 6:00 pm  
Sunday 11:00 am

Italian Mass:

1st & 3rd Sunday at 9:30am  
Sacrament of Reconciliation

Fourth Saturday:  
10:30am – 11:00am

### ORDINATION MASS AT PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL

Saturday 19 November, 2022

10:00am – 11:30am

### MELBOURNE CATHOLIC PROFESSIONALS: LUNCHEON

Tuesday 22 November, 2022

12:00pm – 2:00pm

The Catholic Archdiocese is holding its inaugural Melbourne Catholic Professionals networking luncheon on 22 November.

This invitation is for all business and community leaders in parishes. It will be an opportunity for community leaders to connect and build a stronger network with the wider Catholic community.

The lunch will include a brief address from Archbishop Comensoli followed by our guest speaker Mr Allan Myers AC KC, leading Australian barrister. Individual and table bookings are available.

Bookings can be made via this link:

<https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing?embed&eid=961781>

For all inquiries contact [events@cam.org.au](mailto:events@cam.org.au).



### WORKING BEE AT ST JOSEPH

St Joseph's Church  
26 November at 10am  
Light Lunch provided.  
All Welcome!!

### RED WEDNESDAY PRAYER VIGIL

7.30pm, Wednesday 23 November 2022

St. Patrick's Cathedral, 1 Cathedral Place, East Melbourne

Joining many other cathedrals and churches around the world, St Patrick's Cathedral will be floodlit in red on this night.

## First Reading

Malachi 3:19-20

The day is coming now, burning like a furnace; and all the arrogant and the evil-doers will be like stubble. The day that is coming is going to burn them up, says the Lord of hosts, leaving them neither root nor stalk. But for you who fear my name, the sun of righteousness will shine out with healing in its rays.

## Responsorial Psalm

**(R.) The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.**

1. Sing psalms to the Lord with the harp with the sound of music.  
With trumpets and the sound of the horn acclaim the King, the Lord. **(R.)**
2. Let the sea and all within it, thunder; the world, and all its peoples.  
Let the rivers clap their hands and the hills ring out their joy at the presence of the Lord. **(R.)**
3. For the Lord comes,  
he comes to rule the earth.  
He will rule the world with justice and the peoples with fairness. **(R.)**

## Second Reading

2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

You know how you are supposed to imitate us: now we were not idle when we were with you, nor did we ever have our meals at anyone's table without paying for them; no, we worked night and day, slaving and straining, so as not to be a burden on any of you. This was not because we had no right to be, but in order to make ourselves an example for you to follow.

We gave you a rule when we were with you: not to let anyone have any food if he refused to do any work. Now we hear that there are some of you who are living in idleness, doing no work themselves but interfering with everyone else's. In the Lord Jesus Christ, we order and call on people of this kind to go on quietly working and earning the food that they eat.

## Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Lift up your heads and see;  
your redemption is near at hand.

**Alleluia!**

## Gospel

Luke 21:5-19

When some were talking about the Temple, remarking how it was adorned with fine stonework and votive offerings, Jesus said, 'All these things you are staring at now - the time will come when not a single stone will be left on another: everything will be destroyed.' And they put to him this question: 'Master,' they said, 'when will this happen, then, and what sign will there be that this is about to take place?'

'Take care not to be deceived,' he said, 'because many will come using my name and saying, "I am he" and, "The time is near at hand." Refuse to join them. And when you hear of wars and revolutions, do not be frightened, for this is something that must happen but the end is not soon.' Then he said to them, 'Nation will fight against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be great earthquakes and plagues and famines here and there; there will be fearful sights and great signs from heaven.

'But before all this happens, men will seize you and persecute you; they will hand you over to the synagogues and to imprisonment, and bring you before kings and governors because of my name - and that will be your opportunity to bear witness. Keep this carefully in mind: you are not to prepare your defence, because I myself shall give you an eloquence and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to resist or contradict. You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, relations and friends; and some of you will be put to death. You will be hated by all men on account of my name, but not a hair of your head will be lost. Your endurance will win you your lives.'

## PRAYERS OF INTENTION:

### For the Sick:

*Maria Richichi, Leila Khattar, Giuseppe Mazza, Doug Bracken, Lewis Calleja, Joyce Chong, Amy Lynch, Cynthia D'Souza, Patricia Belli, Jenny Gustin and Ingvar Larsson.*

### Recently Deceased:

*Mary Ciantar (mother of Marie Dundas), Salvatore Morello, Con Hagi, Tony Schipano.*

**Anniversaries:**

*Donato e Carmine Vicendese, Charlie, Rosa & Emilio Borrelli, Assunta & Domenico Testa, Vilma & Umberto Sansico, Terrence Sheehan, Domenico & Rosa Cutrupi, Alfonso Liberti, Teresa Iaria, Grace Mammone, Giovanna Sieminski, Stanislaw Sieminski, Marysia & Kateryna Sieminski, Orazia Sivillica, Costanza Melone, Darcy Families, Duggan Families, Vincenza Morabito, Frank Morabito, Frank Cugnetto, Leonardo, Antoniella and Michael Cursio, Tommaso Mastrantuono (6 years), Deceased members of Grosso and Griello Families, Giuseppe, Bruno and Maria Rosa Vinci, Francesco Grosso, Nunziata Caso.*

**REFLECTION:** by Dianne Bergant CSA

The Day of the Lord was believed to be the time when God would come in majesty and power to set all things right. We must remember that the descriptions in today's readings are metaphoric or symbolic in nature. As with all metaphors or symbols, we miss something of their profound meaning if we merely understand them literally. It is not helpful to relate elements of the description with particular aspects of the contemporary world. Belief in the Day of the Lord is a way of testifying to our faith in the righteousness of God.

Although the narrative readings for today concentrate on the disruptions that will accompany the coming of God, they also contain hints of the salvation that will finally arrive. Malachi speaks of the sun of justice that comes with healing rays; Luke promises that the faithful disciples will escape without a hair of their heads being destroyed. Just as the descriptions of the upheavals should not be understood literally, neither should these descriptions.

It may be that the faithful followers of Jesus will suffer terrible agonies. The point here is that even in the midst of their pain, they will be protected. The healing rays of justice and the rescue of the lives of the upright are references to salvation. God does not come at the end to condemn, but to save. Furthermore, the suffering that precedes the end is intended for purification and refinement, not punishment. Christians are exhorted to live in this end time with patient endurance of difficulties.

**HIGH TEA**

All senior parishioners are invited to join St Fidelis to celebrate the annual afternoon tea with Holy Hour and Anointing of the sick.

**Where:** St Fidelis Parish Church and Hall

**When:** Sunday 20th November

**3pm:** Holy Hour and Anointing of the sick

**4pm:** Afternoon Tea

For catering purposes please RSVP to St Fidelis Parish Office by phone 93861224 or email: [moreland@cam.org.au](mailto:moreland@cam.org.au) by: 14th November 2022.

**2022 ADVENT MCKINNEY LECTURE:**

**'AN INDIGENOUS VOICE'**

Tuesday, November 22, 2022

7:30 - 8:30

*Venue: St George's Anglican Church,  
46 Warncliffe Road, Ivanhoe East*

Banyule Churches Together is featuring Fr Frank Brennan, SJ AO, a Jesuit priest and Rector of Newman College at the University of Melbourne, to discuss 'An Indigenous Voice' in the context of the 2022 Advent McKinney lecture. Fr Frank is a distinguished fellow of the PM Glynn Institute at Australian Catholic University, an adjunct professor at the Thomas More Law School at ACU and research professor at the Australian Centre for Christianity and Culture. Fr Frank serves on the boards of Jesuit Social Services and the National Apology Foundation for Indigenous Australians and on the Advisory Council of the Global Foundation. Cost \$5 Tea and coffee will be provided For all enquiries, email [ivanhoe@cam.org.au](mailto:ivanhoe@cam.org.au) or call (03 9926 2310).

**ECUMENICAL SERVICE: 'HOLDING THE LIGHT'**

**Sunday, November 27, 2022**

2:30pm - 3:30pm

*Venue: St Peter's Eastern Hill, 15 Gisborne Street,  
Melbourne*

St Peter's Eastern Hill will be hosting an ecumenical service to remember the victims and survivors of family domestic violence. The focus this year will be on how family violence has impacted male survivors and perpetrators. Jesuit Social Services will speak about their work with men and adolescents.

For all enquiries, email Kate Stilwell at [office@css.org.au](mailto:office@css.org.au).

## SACRAMENTAL LIFE:

The Moreland and Brunswick Catholic Mission welcome with joy through the sacrament of Baptism, this weekend.

*Olivia Rose Yousif and Florence Newton  
Jordan Micheli and Leila Micheli*



## SCRIPTURE REFLECTION AND COMMUNION SERVICE

**TUESDAY at ST JOSEPH'S  
at 10.00am**

*"Look, I am standing at the door, knocking. If one of  
you hears me calling and opens the door, I will come  
in to share your meal, side by side with you."*

*Rev 3: 21*

**EVERYONE WELCOME!**

## ST AMBROSE AND OUR LADY'S

**Tuesday 10:00am – 11:00am at St Ambrose Church, Communion  
Service and Rosary. Prayer for peace in Ukraine.**

**Wednesday 10:00am – 11:00am at Our Lady's Community Room,  
Communion Service and Gospel Reflection in Italian.  
"Cura di se con la Bibbia". All welcome!**

## ST VINCENT DE PAUL'S FLOOD APPEAL

This appeal is to help those who have been effected by the  
devastating floods particularly in the north of the State.

Contributions can be made by:

1. Calling 13 18 12 2.
2. visit [https://donate.vinnies.org.au/  
appealsvic/vinnies-vic-flood-appeal-2022](https://donate.vinnies.org.au/appealsvic/vinnies-vic-flood-appeal-2022).
3. making a monetary donation through  
any Vinnies Shops at point of purchase;  
or
4. via your local IGA where the purchase of  
a token supports the recovery of  
Victorians devastated by these recent  
floods.

## COLUMBAN CALENDARS 2023

The 2023 Columban Calendar is available to purchase at all  
Churches for \$10 each.

## Contact

### Parish Priests

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Fr Greg Bourke

**After Hours or Emergency please call  
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### Safety of Children and All Vulnerable People

We hold the care, safety and  
wellbeing of children and all  
vulnerable people, as a central and  
fundamental responsibility, of our  
parishes. The Parish Statement of  
Commitment and the Reporting  
Process, are on display in all  
churches, and all Parish Policies are  
available, on the website:  
[bmcatholicmission.org.au](http://bmcatholicmission.org.au)