St. Jude the Apostle Parish-49 George St, Scoresby

"In a spirit of Pastoral outreach, we, the people of the Parish, are called to serve with joy. "

> Feast of Christ the King—Year B— 23rd and 24th of November 2024



Jubilee Year 2025—Pilgrims of Hope

Just as we mark significant milestones such as our 25th, 50th, 75th, or 100th birthdays or wedding anniversaries, the Church invites us to recognize every 25 or 50 years as a special year of grace, renewal, and spiritual growth.

The theme for the Jubilee Year 2025 is "Pilgrims of Hope." By choosing this theme, Pope Francis calls us to rediscover our vocation to be living signs of hope in the world. He reminds us that our journey toward eternity is a shared pilgrimage, where we must always trust in the Lord's infinite love and mercy, much like children.

The Jubilee Year 2025 will officially begin on Christmas Eve when Pope Francis will open the Holy Door at St. Peter's Basilica. In our Archdiocese, we will begin the Jubilee celebrations early, with a special inauguration this Sunday, November 24th, at the 11 a.m. Mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral, on the Feast of Christ the King. You are warmly invited to join in this sacred moment of grace and hope.

"Pilgrims of Hope"—What Does It Mean?

- Pilgrimage: Life itself is a journey. As "pilgrims," we are called to walk together in faith, trusting God and supporting one another as we move toward our ultimate destination: eternal life with Him.
- Hope: Hope is a vital virtue that inspires us to trust in God's promises, even amid challenges. It encourages us to look beyond difficulties and believe in a brighter future anchored in Christ.

Let us embark on this Jubilee Year as "Pilgrims of Hope," journeying together with faith and trust in God's promises. May it be a time of profound grace for each of us and for our parish community.

Let us prepare with joyful hearts!

Healing Mass Dec 4th, 6.30-8.00pm at St Jude's

Touch of Heaven,-Alan Ames Ministry

A unique faith filled experience of the healing power of our Lord.

There are flyers in the Foyer with full details on Alan's Ames Ministry, his background, his conversation and his healing ministry. Come and join us on what will be an amazing

Fr Jerald will be presiding at Mass at 6.30pm followed by a talk from Alan Ames and a healing service.

Please diarise this date, bring along those who you think could benefit from this special

Evergreens Christmas Lunch 65+ We look forward to your company on Tuesday, December 3rd at the Anointing Mass (11.00am) followed by our annual Christmas Lunch with entertainment by students from St Jude's To enjoy this lovely occasion, please add your name to the list in the church foyer further information contact Ann 0402 904 678 or Robyn 0407 324 117 **Bookings close Tuesday 26th November**

MASS TIMES:

Week Days:

Wed, Thu & Fri 9.15am

Weekends:

Sat 6pm, Sun 8.30 & 10.30am

OFFICE HOURS:

Tue—Fri 9am to 3.30pm

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SACREMENTS: RECONCILIATION

Contact Fr Jerald at the Parish office

Baptisms—1st SUN of the month- for application form contact the parish office

<u>SERVICES</u> Community Centre

Parish Office: 9763 7302

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St Jude's Primary Mr Tim McMullen 8761 9600

Holy Trinity Primary Mr Adrian Scutt 9801 8296

St Mary's College for the Deaf

Ms Amanda Purcell 98002733

First Reading: Daniel 7:13-14 A reading from the prophet Daniel

I gazed into the visions of the night. And I saw, coming on the clouds of heaven, one like a son of man. He came to the one of great age and was led into his presence. On him was conferred sovereignty, glory and kingship, and men of all peoples, nations and languages became his servants. His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty which shall never pass away, nor will his empire be destroyed.

Second Reading: Revelations 1:5-8

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the First-born from the dead, the Ruler of the kings of the earth. He loves us and has washed away our sins with his blood, and made us a line of kings, priests to serve his God and Father; to him, then, be glory and power for ever and ever. Amen. It is he who is coming on the clouds; everyone will see him, even those who pierced him, and all the races of the earth will mourn over him. This is the truth. Amen. 'I am the Alpha and the Omega' says the Lord God, who is, who was, and who is to come, the Almighty.

Gospel: John 18:33-37

'Are you the king of the Jews?' Pilate asked. Jesus replied, 'Do you ask this of your own accord, or have others spoken to you about me?' Pilate answered, 'Am I a Jew? It is your own people and the chief priests who have handed you over to me: what have you done?' Jesus replied, 'Mine is not a kingdom of this world; if my kingdom were of this world, my men would have fought to prevent my being surrendered to the Jews. But my kingdom is not of this kind.' 'So you are a king then?' said Pilate. 'It is you who say it' answered Jesus. 'Yes, I am a king. I was born for this, I came into the world for this: to bear witness to the truth; and all who are on the side of truth listen to my voice.'





Vinnies Christmas Appeal 2024

On the 30th of November and 1st December Scoresby St Vincent De Paul conference will be holding their annual Christmas Appeal.

There will be a speaker at all masses to advise you on how any money collected this Christmas will be spent.

We thank you for your support of St Vincent De Paul Society over the years and trust that you will continue

Ignatian Meditation and Reflection

To comfort those who mourn as Christmas Approached, Ignation Meditation and Reflection will be held on Wednesday the 11th of Dec from 7-8pm. This will be held in the Chapel at St Simon's Parish. The evening will be facilitated by Anita Davine and will be followed by a cuppa.

If you are interested in attending, please email St Simon's on Rowville@cam.org.au or call 9864 4058 to register.

VISIT TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

"Oh, what happiness would be Ours if all men, individuals, families, and nations, would but let themselves be governed by Christ."

- Pope Pius XI

We ask for the peace and grace of Eternal Life for those who have recently died and those whose memories are sacred to us at this time especially: Doreen F Johnson, Don Clement Michael, Peter Henry James, Brian Grace, Danie O'Donoghue, Harry Poey, Mary Fernandes, Silvio Baldan, Leopoldinha Coutinho, Robert Auld, Sean Doyle, John Martin, Andrew Prassinos, , Gail Fernandes, Barbara Ahse, Frederik Rowbottom (Snr).

Super Soul Saturday—Nov 30th , 10am to 12pm $\,$

We would like to invite you to a retreat entitled Hope in Troubled Times which will be facilitated by Fr Bernard Teo CCsR— who is a Moral Theologian lecturer at YTU. This retreat will be held at St Simon's Parish in Rowville.

"The light shines in the darkness and the darkness has not overcome it" John 1:5

Donations accepted.



COLUMBAN CALENDARS 2025 HAS ARRIVED \$12 EACH available at the piety store or call the parish office on (03) 9763 7703

Variety of rosaries now available as well. Come and have a look.

Parish Census

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to all those who have already completed and returned their Parish Census Cards. Your time and effort in helping us gather this important information are deeply appreciated.

For those who have not yet had the chance to complete the census, we kindly encourage you to do so as soon as possible. Your participation is vital in helping us better understand our parish community and plan effectively for the future needs of all our members.

By filling in the census, you are helping ensure that we can continue to serve you and the broader parish family in the best possible way. Rest assured, your privacy is very important to us, and all information provided will be treated with the utmost confidentiality.

Sunday 10.30am

Thank you for your support and cooperation. Together, we can build a stronger and more





We're getting crafty again!! Join us for a fun couple of hours creating Christmas Cards.



30th Nov and 1st Dec

Once more we are planning a Christmas Card making and shared lunch. Please join us from 10.00am on Wednesday 27th November in the Parish Centre when Carmel will again show us how to make some beautiful Christmas cards. Everything is supplied and ready to be assembled. There is something lovely about giving a card, made especially for a family member or dear friend. Join us even if you are not feeling crafty!!! Cost \$2 per person.

We look for to your company - please bring a plate to share at lunch. Contact Ann (0402 904 678) or Robyn (0407 324 117) for information.

St Jude's Parish community, is committed to the Victorian Child Safe Standards & acknowledge that child safeguarding is everyone's responsibility.

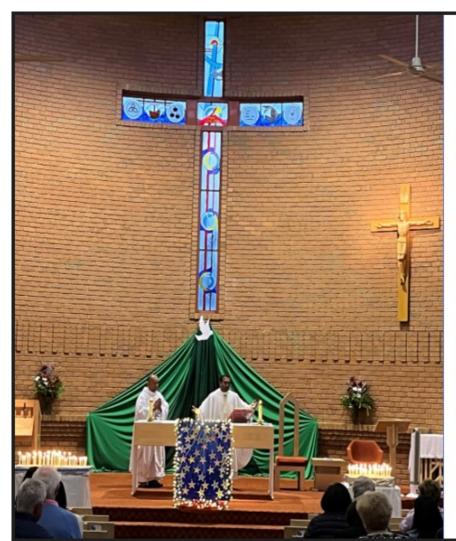
St Jude's Parish—Liturgy Roster 1st Sunday of Advent - Year C

Sunday 8.30am

First Reading Jeremiah 33:144-16 Second Reading 1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2 Gospel Luke 21:25-28,34-36

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Celebrant	Fr Yoris	Fr Jerald	Fr Jerald
Readers:	Alfred Saldanha,	Rosanna Kelaart	Mary King
	Ann Doyle	Prema Pinto	Nerina Marotta
Mass Projector	Adina Atmadja	Megan Pinto	Isabelle Raj
Childrens Liturgy	Jacklin and Molly		
Altar Society	Frankie Belda and Filippa Palumbieri		
Church Cleaners	Rosanna Jumonong	Juliet	

Saturday 6pm



MEMORIAL MASS

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the Memorial Mass to honor and pray for your loved ones. It was a deeply moving celebration where we gathered as one family in faith, remembering those who remain forever in our hearts. We hope you found comfort in the shared prayers and the peace of Christ.

As Jesus said, "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest" (Matthew 11:28). May His promise bring you strength and solace, and may you find comfort knowing that our loved ones now shine like stars in heaven, their light guiding and inspiring us from above.

A special and heartfelt thank you to all the volunteers whose dedication and effort made this Mass so meaningful. From the thoughtful planning to the smallest details, your contributions created a sacred space of reflection and connection for everyone present. We are truly blessed by your generosity and service.

"Let all that you do be done in love." May your hearts be filled with hope and your path illuminated by the love you have shared.

Thank you and God Bless!



The knitting group

will take place Wednesday 20th November at the Parish reception Centre 9.30—11:00am.

Join, knit and laugh with us!

Enquiries: Maureen 0417 634 600



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We are looking for Volunteers!

"We serve God by serving others"

We need projectionists for Sunday 8:30am & 10:30am mass. It is a very simple task and we provide training and supervision until you are comfortable to do the task on your own.

If you are interested, please contact:

Abigail on **0405725047**

Write Way—English for Students. English tuition at home. Call Francis on 0418 540 191