



HOLY EUCHARIST & ST. MARY'S MALVERN EAST
ST. JOSEPH'S MALVERN
ST. ROCH'S GLEN IRIS

THE TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
13 September 2026

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Sirach 36:18

Give peace, O God, to those who wait for you, that your prophets be found true. Hear the prayers of your servant, and of your people Israel.

GREETING

P. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

R. Amen.

P. The Lord be with you.

R. And with your spirit.

PENITENTIAL ACT

I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and
sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I
have failed to do,
And, striking their breast, they say:
through my fault,
through my fault,
through my most grievous fault;
therefore I ask blessed Mary
ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our
God.

P. May almighty God have mercy
on us, forgive us our sins,
and bring us to everlasting life.

R. Amen.

P. Lord, have mercy.

R. Lord, have mercy.

P. Christ, have mercy.

R. Christ, have mercy.

P. Lord, have mercy.

R. Lord, have mercy.

GLORIA

**Glory to God in the highest, and on
earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we
adore you, we glorify you, we give
you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God,
almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ,
Only Begotten Son, Lord God,
Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the
world, have mercy on us; you take
away the sins of the world, receive
our prayer; you are seated at the
right hand of the Father, have
mercy on us. For you alone are the
Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in
the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Ecclesiasticus 27:33-28:9

*Forgive your neighbour the hurt he
does you; and when you pray, your
sins will be forgiven*

Resentment and anger, these are
foul things, and both are found with
the sinner. He who exacts
vengeance will experience the
vengeance of the Lord, who keeps
strict account of sin. Forgive your
neighbour the hurt he does you,
and when you pray, your sins will be
forgiven. If a man nurses anger
against another, can he then
demand compassion from the
Lord? Showing no pity for a man
like himself, can he then plead for
his own sins? Mere creature of
flesh, he cherishes resentment;
who will forgive him his sins?
Remember the last things, and stop
hating, remember dissolution and
death, and live by the
commandments. Remember the
commandments, and do not bear
your neighbour ill-will; remember
the covenant of the Most High, and
overlook the offence.

The word of the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

MMEGI MASS TIMETABLE		
Day	Time	Location
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	St. Roch's
	11:00 a.m.	St. Joseph's
	5:00 p.m.	St. Mary's
Monday	5:30 p.m.	St. Roch's
Tuesday	5:30 p.m.	St. Joseph's
Wednesday (Exposition until 7p.m.)	5:30 p.m.	St. Roch's
Thursday	12:00 p.m.	Cabrini
	5:30 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
Friday	5:30 p.m.	St. Mary's
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	St. Joseph's

MASS INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK:			
Date	Time	Location	Intention
Sat 12 Sep	5:00 pm	Holy Eucharist	<i>Pro Popolo</i>
Sun 13 Sep	9:00 am	St. Roch's	Karla Muirhead, for her anniversary
	11:00 am	St. Joseph's	David Way, for his anniversary of death
	5:00 pm	St. Mary's	Tom Kelly, for the repose of his soul on his anniversary
Mon 14 Sep	5:30 pm	St. Roch's	Venkateswara Rao, for the repose of his soul
Tue 15 Sep	5:30 pm	St. Joseph's	Private Intention
Wed 16 Sep	5:30 pm	St. Roch's	Dawn Weeraratne, for the repose of her soul on her birthday
Thu 17 Sep	5:30 pm	Holy Eucharist	For vocations to the priesthood & religious life
Fri 18 Sep	5:30 pm	St. Mary's	Anne McIver, for the repose of her soul for her first anniversary
Sat 19 Sep	9:00 am	St. Joseph's	Private Intention

CONFESSIONS:		
Monday	6:00 pm – 6:30 pm	St Roch's
Tuesday	6:00 pm – 6:30 pm	St Joseph's
Wednesday	6:00 pm – 6:30 pm	St Roch's
Thursday	6:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Holy Eucharist
Friday	6:00 pm – 6:30 pm	St Mary's
Saturday	9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	St Joseph's

ST JOSEPH'S PRESBYTERY RESTORATION

A generous parishioner has already started our restoration with gifts in kind, allowing us to develop a masterplan and begin works on the bedrooms for the clergy and seminarians of the Oratory community. As those works are undertaken, we wish to work on other rooms of the house, one at a time. Parishioners have asked how they might be able to contribute financially to this restoration and we have now established that way. Please follow this link for more information:

<https://www.mmegi.org.au/s-projects-basic>

REQUEST FOR VOLUNTEERS TO SING IN OUR CHOIRS

We are looking for volunteers to join any of the three choirs that operate across our Family of Parishes. Music for the liturgy is vital for the worthy praise of God; we thank you in advance for your generosity in offering your skills to the Lord by assisting in this way. Please contact seminarian Anthony Wright for further details: anthony.wright@cam.org.au.

FUNERAL NOTICE FOR ANTONY CALABRO

The Requiem Mass for the Late Antony Calabro will be celebrated at **11:00 am on Monday 14th September** at **St Mary's Church, Malvern East**. Before Mass, a Rosary will be said at 10:30am.

May he rest in peace.

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE:

CURRENTLY SICK: Finley , Andy Basa, Beatrice Bastomsky, Sam Bernardo, Maureen Carter, Chris Connaughton, Peter Conroy, Frances Cushing, Rosa D'Masa, John Dals, Tony Davenport, Delfina Di Pasquale, Iris Dumenden, Bernadette Falckh, Linette Falckh, Karl Falckh, Primo Giudici, Margaret Gladstone, Mark Kelley, Renee Lawrence, Colleen Lloyd, Arlette Lobo, Mal Logan, Gemma Lopes, Mary Maconochie, Audrey Marden, Margaret Marriott, Keith McDougall, Martin McQueen, Simon Middleton, Olga Morocho, Teresa Pagliaro, Laila Petrie, Monique Poussin, Danuta Przekwas, Johanna Pulte, Elizabeth Rusden, Mercedes Sanabria, Adjelka Tabain, Robert Tait, Frances Trainor, Sr Dr Mary Treacy LCM, Marie Tyrer, Margaret Wheelahan, Leigh Wingate, Susena Zeiden.

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Antony Calabro, Bartolo (Bob) Fonti

ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME:

Helena Mary Adamsons, Salvatore Barnao, Gertrude Brennan, Margaret Brown, Leo Browne, Hazel Buntine, Francoise Cassou-Dessus, Elizabeth Cassou-Dessus, Joan Ann Clancy, Helen Clancy, Clorinda Dingli, Bernard John Frawley, Classina Griffieon, Samuel Griffith, Elizabeth Hannan, Lily Jones, Edward Mackie, William McKertich, Marjorie Murphy, Sarah Murphy, Charles Pasquale Nigro, Elizabeth Roberts, Francis John Robertson, Michael Smith, Bertille Templeton, Leo Thomas Tobin, Michael Walsh, Sidney White, Alan John Wood.

BISHOP STUART HALL

Parish Mass of Thanksgiving

Holy Eucharist Church

5:00pm, Saturday 19th September

Followed by light supper in the meeting room.

All welcome.



♦ COME CLOSER TO
JESUS THIS YEAR ♦

SCHOOL OF *Adoration*

- * Talk
- * Adoration
- * Supper

TUESDAY 15
SEPTEMBER
7:45 PM – 9:30 PM

ST ROCH'S CHURCH, GLEN IRIS

Event run by the Emmanuel Community

26th ANNUAL ARCHBISHOP'S DINNER

You are invited to join Fr Gallacher on a MMEGI Family of Parishes table at the

26th Annual Knights of the Southern Cross Archbishop's Dinner

The Archbishop's Dinner is held each year to raise money for the Priests Support and Education Fund. This fund was established by the Knights of the Southern Cross to assist in the funding and education of Seminarians and the post-ordination education of priests.

Whilst the principal purpose of the evening is to raise funds, there is a deeper and broader reason for holding these dinners and why we encourage as many members of the community as possible to attend. This is an opportunity to demonstrate, in a tangible way, our support for the Archbishop, the Bishops of Victoria, the Clergy and Seminarians.

7pm Friday 16th October 2026

Guest Speaker: Peta Credlin

If you wish to join the parish table, please let us know by email or phone to the parish office **by Thursday 17th September** and we will make the booking.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 103:1–2, 3–4, 9–10, 11–12

The Lord is kind and merciful, slow to anger and rich in compassion

SECOND READING

Romans 14:7-9

Alive or dead, we belong to the Lord

The life and death of each of us has its influence on others; if we live, we live for the Lord; and if we die, we die for the Lord, so that alive or dead we belong to the Lord. This explains why Christ both died and came to life: it was so that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the living.

The word of the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

2 Corinthians 5:19

Alleluia, alleluia!

I give you a new commandment: love one another as I have loved you.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Matthew 18:21-35

To be forgiven, you must forgive

Peter went up to Jesus and said, 'Lord, how often must I forgive my brother if he wrongs me? As often as seven times?' Jesus answered, 'Not seven, I tell you, but seventy-seven times.'

'And so the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who decided to settle his accounts with his servants. When the reckoning began, they brought him a man who owed ten thousand talents; but he had no means of paying, so his master gave orders that he should be sold, together with his wife and children and all his possessions, to meet the debt. At this, the servant threw himself down at his master's feet. "Give me time" he said "and I will pay the whole sum." And the servant's master felt so sorry for

him that he let him go and cancelled the debt. Now as this servant went out, he happened to meet a fellow servant who owed him one hundred denarii; and he seized him by the throat and began to throttle him. "Pay what you owe me" he said. His fellow servant fell at his feet and implored him, saying, "Give me time and I will pay you." But the other would not agree; on the contrary, he had him thrown into prison till he should pay the debt. His fellow servants were deeply distressed when they saw what had happened, and they went to their master and reported the whole affair to him. Then the master sent for him. "You wicked servant," he said "I cancelled all that debt of yours when you appealed to me. Were you not bound, then, to have pity on your fellow servant just as I had pity on you?" And in his anger the master handed him over to the torturers till he should pay all his debt. And that is how my heavenly Father will deal with you unless you each forgive your brother from your heart.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial
with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was
incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.
For our sake he was crucified
under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,

and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand
of the Father.

He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord,
the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and
the Son, who with the Father and
the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the
prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and
apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the
forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the
resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Psalm 36 [35]:8

How precious is your mercy, O God!
The children of men see shelter in
the shadow of your wings.

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