

19th—20th May 2018

Pentecost Sunday - Year B

PARISH BULLETIN

St Macartan's Catholic Parish



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Parish Priest: Fr Minh Tran SJ

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(9am-3:30pm Monday to Friday)

As the Father sent me, so am I sending you



PARISH EVENTS

Monday 21st May

9:15am Communion Service

1pm Canasta Cards (CC)

3.30pm St Vinnies Conference (CC)

Tuesday 22nd May

10am-12 noon Prayer Group (CC)

4pm High Spirits

4pm St Vinnies Regional Meeting (PH)

Wednesday 23rd May

9.45am-11.30am Little Mac's Playgroup (CC)

10am Legion of Mary (CC)

11am Meeting with Parish Groups (PH)

7pm-9pm St Mac's Café (CC)

PARISH EVENTS / Continued.....

Thursday 24th May

10am Gatherings (CC)

7.30pm PPC Meeting (CC)

Friday 25th May

10am Macartan Club Executive Meeting (CC)

9am-12noon Macartan Club General Meeting (CC)

1pm Solo cards (CC)

7pm Confirmations at St Patrick's Cathedral

Saturday 26th May

7:30am Men's Breakfast

Sunday 27th May

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Recently Deceased: Margaret Pingiaro

Anniversaries: Greg Higgins, Len Winters, Vincenzo Filippone. **Pray for the sick and their Carers:** Kevin

O'Brien, Bernadette Robertson, Elizabeth Brennan, Myna Barlow, Bob Barrett, Tony Maynard, Ally Roe, Michael Renwick, Colleen & Jim Husin, Maryanne Husin, Leonie Purcell, Rodelia Pordeux, Phyllis Harvey, Barry Vernon, Joan Watts, Baby Archie, Pat Warne, Don Raynor, Laurie Whiting SM, Eileen Young, Stuart Poustie, Margot Marks, Peter Hingston, Dave Mortby, Lynne Anderson, Naomi Andrews, Peter Atkinson,

Mass Intentions

First Reading Acts 2:1-11 A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech. Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome - Jews and proselytes alike - Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.' *The Word of the Lord*

Responsorial Psalm Ps 103:1. 24. 29-31. 34. R. v.30

(R.) Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

1. Bless the Lord, my soul! Lord God, how great you are, How many are your works, O Lord! The earth is full of your riches. **(R.)**
2. You take back your spirit, they die, returning to the dust from which they came. You send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the earth. **(R.)**
3. May the glory of the Lord last for ever! May the Lord rejoice in his works! May my thoughts be pleasing to him. I find my joy in the Lord. **(R.)**

Second Reading 1 Cor 12:3-7, 12-13 A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

No one can say, 'Jesus is Lord' unless he is under the influence of the Holy Spirit.

There is a variety of gifts but always the same Spirit; there are all sorts of service to be done, but always to the same Lord; working in all sorts of different ways in different people, it is the same God who is working in all of them. The particular way in which the Spirit is given to each person is for a good purpose. Just as a human body, though it is made up of many parts, is a single unit because all these parts, though many, make one body, so it is with Christ. In the one Spirit we were all baptised, Jews as well as Greeks, slaves as well as citizens, and one Spirit was given to us all to drink. *The Word of the Lord*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

Gospel In 20:19-23 A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

In the evening of the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you,' and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, 'Peace be with you. 'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you.' After saying this he breathed on them and said: 'Receive the Holy Spirit. For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain, they are retained.' *The Gospel of the Lord*

Communion Antiphon

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.

Fr Minh—Short Term Absence from the Parish

Following the passing of Fr Minh's aunt in America, Fr Minh travelled to Orlando on Friday to officiate at her funeral and will return to Melbourne this Tuesday 22nd May.

In his absence, Fr Bill will celebrate 9:15am Mass on Friday 18th, Saturday 19th and Tuesday 22nd May. A Communion Service will be held on Monday 21st May.

Fr Brendan Byrne will celebrate all the weekend Masses and the five Baptisms on Sunday.



This weekend, we welcome into our Parish community *Jasmine Becker, Bailey Becker, Georgia Weekly, Amari De Vera, Isla Stiegler* as they receive the Sacrament of Baptism.



MINIMAL GLUTEN WAFER

We now offer 'minimal gluten' hosts at all Masses. If you require one, please approach the Sacristan before Mass.

Last weekend's leaving collection for Pregnancy Assistance Frankston (PAF)
raised \$936.00.

Thank you.

THIS WEEKEND'S LEAVING COLLECTION IS FOR CHAPLAINCY SUNDAY. Our focus for 2018 is Prison Chaplaincy. The relationship and collaboration between prisoners and Chaplains whilst they are in prison is vital to restoring them back onto the road again to re-join society with dignity, self-respect, hope, a sense of personal power and control over their own life and responsibility for new pathways with new skill sets and options. Donations are also directed towards supporting Chaplains who work with prisoners, juveniles in youth justice facilities, patients and their families in public hospitals, people living with HIV/AIDS, and Seafarers. **Further information: Office of Philanthropy 9926 5731 or www.cam.org.au/chaplaincy**
DONATION ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE IN BOTH FOYERS.



RCIA

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIA PROGRAM 2018 / 2019

If any adult is interested in taking part in our RCIA Program, please contact the Parish Office on 5975 2200 to register your interest. This program will prepare you for Baptism at Easter next year.



PARISH INFORMATION SESSIONS FOR FOUNDATION 2019 PARENTS

As part of the application to St Macartan's Parish Primary School, parents and children are required to attend one Parish Information Session here at St Macartan's Church. The sessions will be held on the following dates in the church:

Tuesday 29th May at 6pm

Thursday 7th June at 6pm

Sunday 10th June at 3pm.

If you have submitted an application to St Macartan's Parish Primary School and require more information about these sessions, please contact the Parish Office on 5975 2200 or email mornington@cam.org.au.

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE: You are required to book your attendance at one of the above sessions, if you have not already done so.

Weekly Activities

HIGH SPIRITS: Every Tuesday during school term in the Community Centre from 4pm—5pm (come early for refreshments). It is aimed at all parish children who do not attend Catholic schools. It teaches Faith Development and prepares children for the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation when appropriate. If you know of anyone who would like to join us, please spread the word.



Enq: Email: highspiritsmornington@gmail.com / Dorinnia on 0428 872 393.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 9am and 11am MASSES for all children up to Grade 3 (not during school holiday). **Volunteers needed!** Please call Parish Office 5975 2200.

LITTLE MAC'S PLAYGROUP: for pre-school children and their carers. 9:45-11:30am Wednesdays in the Community Centre during school term time Gold Coin donation. Further details: Email: littlemacsplaygroup@gmail.com

MINISTER UNTO GOD PRAYER GROUP: Tuesdays at 10am in Community Centre.

FRIENDSHIP CUPPA 10:30am at Manhattan Restaurant and café 55 Barkly St. Entrance via Barrett Lane. Come and join us for a chat and a laugh. **Dates:** May 25th. **Cost:** your own cuppa!

ST MAC'S CAFÉ: Open 7pm—9pm in the Community Centre. FREE cuppa and food, good music and great company. OPEN TO EVERYONE! We look forward to seeing you there!

FREE MEN'S BREAKFAST EVERY Saturday at 7:30am in Community Centre. Open to men of all ages. Bring nothing except your appetite!!!



MUSICIANS WANTED - The St Macartan's Band play every Sunday at 5pm Mass. We need more musicians; singers, guitarists, keys players, percussionists and string instruments - all skill levels welcome! Please contact Joe Melhem on 0420 499 230 or at joemelhem97@gmail.com



MEETING WITH PARISH GROUPS

A meeting has been arranged for 11am this Wednesday 23rd May with the following groups: Liturgy Committee, Music, Divine Mercy, Baptism Prep, Legion of Mary, Children's Lit, High Spirits, Prayer Group, Daily Rosary Group, Grief & Loss, RCIA, Alpha, Pastoral Worker, Sacristans.

If the co-ordinators of the groups are unable to attend, please send a representative. Please RSVP to the Parish Office 5975 2200. *Thank you.*

THINK ABOUT IT.....

"The Beatitudes are a Christian's identity card". (Pope Francis) Am I proud to carry my card? *Social Justice Group*

CHURCH SOUND SYSTEM

Fr Minh is looking at replacing the sound system with a new digital system to provide an improved and better sound quality throughout the church.

Estimated budget: \$25,000—\$30,000.

All donations please specify **'Capital Donation Sound System'**.

Please support this project with generosity. *Thank you.*



MACARTAN CLUB

Club members are reminded to attend the club's Annual General Meeting on Friday 25th May after the 9.15am Mass. The meeting will include a report on 2017/2018 activities and election of Office Bearers for the next 12 months.

LOST AND FOUND - A bible was recently found in the Community Centre (Legion of Mary room). If you think it is yours, please contact the Parish Office on 5975 2200.

WOMEN'S RETREAT - Friday 22nd - Sunday 24th June 2018

"Finding God in the Ordinary of our Lives"

The retreat will be held again at Pallotti College, Millgrove and will be facilitated by Mary Cameron. Mary is a Pastoral Associate within the Archdiocese of Melbourne. She has worked in Parish Ministry for over 30 years and has worked at Padua College for the past 17 years. Cost is \$215 (including meals and bedding). We now require a \$50 deposit to secure your place. Please pay at the Parish Office OR you can electronically transfer the money to...

BSB: 083-347 / Acc No: 54737 3281

Acc Name: St Macartan's Parish Church / Reference: RETREAT - *your surname*

Any queries, please contact Lisa Chiezey [0433 110 202](tel:0433110202) / lisachiezey@hotmail.com or the Parish Office on 5957 2200.



WE'RE STOCKING THEIR PANTRY FOR THOSE IN NEED.



Brigidine Asylum Seekers Project

As we continue supporting the Brigidine Asylum Seekers Project, on the first Sunday of June (2nd/3rd) we will be collecting...

COOKING OIL - rice bran, canola, vegetable, peanut.

Thanks. *Social Justice Group*

ST MACARTAN'S PARISH—FAMILY GROUPS

Family Groups have been running in our Parish for many years. The aim of these groups is to get to know other members of the parish, to support each other, sharing each others joys and sorrows and so building the Christian community. A Family Group usually has 12-15 families – often ranging in age, ie. couples with young children, singles, older people. These groups often become great supports for one another. This is a wonderful way for new people to 'fit in' and for established parishioners to form new friendships. Groups meet monthly and share social occasions; each Group organising their own timetable/diary. All parishioners are welcome to join these groups. For further information, please call the Parish Office on 5975 2200 or contact Lisa Chiezey at lisachiezey@hotmail.com



ENCOUNTER YOUTH - All Grade 4 to 6 young people are Welcome!

When: Friday, 1st June 2018 / **Time:** 4:00 to 5:30pm

Where: St. Macartan's Parish Hall. Snacks will be provided.

'MORNINGTON YOUTH' FACEBOOK PAGE

Please 'like' us on facebook to keep updated on all things Youth in our community!

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE INVOLVED WITH THE PARISH YOUTH GROUPS!?

If you are 16 years old or older and are interested in serving the young people within our parish through our youth groups - please don't hesitate to contact Bridie Keily bridie_keily@hotmail.com



Parish Footy Tipping Round 7... By the end of games on Saturday only one tipper, Di Walsh, was in line for a nine. However, instead of going for the favourites Di (alias Danger) had other ideas and apparently thought that a kangaroo could defeat a Tiger. Not a bad thought but not a good one from a football point of view in 2018. However, at times during the game it looked like her judgement was to be proved correct. The contest for the top ten is warming up and it is getting very crowded at the top. Once again we had a couple trying to prove choosing the away teams is best by not putting in their selections. Congratulations to all the Carlton supporters. There was a very smiling face in the Parish Office. This lady is always smiling but after Carlton's demise of Essendon Marie's smile was even greater. Well done Marie and to all Carlton supporters It was a long time between drinks (wins) Having had their worst start for over a hundred and twenty years they won a game. The Essendon supporters were not so happy that they provided the win. **History.** Trish Wallace is one of our top tippers and a previous winner. So it is time to see what Wallace played AFL/VFL football. The first Wallace mentioned in the Encyclopaedia was Alec 2 games with St Kilda then saw action in the Boer War then joined South Melbourne for two games. Donald, 2g, (Footscray), Ian, 2g (Foots), John 2g (Melb), Leonard, 61g (Ess), Leslie (1g)(Melb), Trevor 13g (North). The most famous was Terry Plough Wallace who played Hawks (174games), Richmond (11g) Footscray (69g). He wore No 16 at each Club.



ROSTERS!

Readers	19th-20th May	26th-27th May
6pm	F Murphy, A Winter	J Capan, B Scantlebury
9am	J Azzopardi, S Meier	P Girolami, D Ziino
11am	I Hackett, C Holmes	J Clements, B Dakin
5pm	G Failla, O Jolly, D Jolly	M Field, A Field, D Warmbrunn
Ex.Ministers	19th-20th May	26th-27th May
6pm	J Holloway, E McCluskey, A Redmond	R Shaw, M Turner, C Williams
9am	M Azzopardi, Z Krause, P Thomas, F Crea	P Girolami, J Lewis, M Lewis, F Crea
11am	G Lane, M Lane	B Sexton, E Spaziani, J Spaziani
5pm	F Melhem	M Casamento
Music	19th-20th May	26th-27th May
6pm	Veronica & Justin	Veronica & Co
9am	Carmen & Choir	Carmen & Choir
11am	Billie & Singers	Chris & Singers
5pm	Joe Melhem & Co	Joe Melhem & Co
AV Ops	19th-20th May	26th-27th May
6pm	G Michel	J Barrett & Co
9am	M&T Said	M&T Said
11am	T Matthews	B Handasyde
5pm	Peter	Peter
P'point Prs	19th-20th May	26th-27th May
6pm	Vron	Vron
9am	Terry	Terry
11am	Vron	Wendy
5pm	Vron	Vron
Altar Svrs	19th-20th May	26th-27th May
6pm	S Bath	L Demo
9am	Volunteers Required	S Passmore, T Donnelly
11am	A&A Banks, K Pancha	L Huynh, S Prabawo
5pm	O Jolly, K Nugent	M Sayah, J Melhem
Count. Tm	21st May	28th May
	B Shannon, J Wallace, N Houniet, D Frank	A Burr, K Martin
Cleaning	24th May	31st May
	B Butler, T Holt, T McKenzie, J Nguyen	M Bryan, C Whelan, J Schultz
Flowers	24th May	31st May
	A Gregg , G McDonagh	A Gregg , G McDonagh
Piety Stall	19th-20th May	26th-27th May
Sat 6pm	A Gregg, G McDonagh	A Doran
Sun 9am	T Thomas	D Wooding
Sun 11am	M Lane, G Lane	B Sexton
C Liturgy	20th May	27th May
Sun 9am Sun 11am	No Liturgy Pentecost Sunday	M Kiernan, J Ward L Renshaw
Tea Trolley	20th May	27th May
	C Donovan, B Scantlebury, R&C Scantlebury	J Chandler, M McDonnell

NEW PARISHIONERS

The St Macartan's community would like to welcome all new parishioners. Please fill in a slip (available in both foyers) and place in box provided; a member of the Welcome Committee will call and see you.



PARISH INFORMATION

St Macartan's Primary School Ph: 5979 9200

Padua College Ph: 5976 0100

Parish Pastoral Council Lisa Chiezey
Email: lisachiezey@hotmail.com

Pastoral Worker Damiana Alvares
damianalvares@yahoo.com.au

High Spirits Co-Ord. Dorinnia Burns
Email: highspiritsmornington@gmail.com

Macartan Club - John Azzopardi (5975 2289)

Youth Worker / Youth Groups
Bridie Keily 0413 992 436
Email: bridie_keily@hotmail.com

Children's Liturgy Co-Ordinator
Sonia Nugent (0418 949 806)
Email: sonianugent@live.com.au

Little Macs Playgroup
Email: littlemacsplaygroup@gmail.com
Justine 0448 679 461 / Sarah 0402 493 680

May Church Caretaker :
John Spaziani (0419) 598 911

Parish Care Contacts
Parish Office (5975 2200)

Music Co-Ordinator-
Veronica Ryan (5975 6981/ 0418 358 213)

Finance Committee
Frank Crea (0417 104 041)

MACARTAN CLUB...

A Club for Retirees and Senior Parishioners. General Meeting held on the 4th Friday of each month after 9:15am Mass in the Community Centre. Parishioners and potential new members always welcome to attend meetings and events.

EVENTS THIS WEEK.....

Monday 21st May

Walkers: 9:00am Mornington Park

Canasta: 1:00pm – Contact: Betty 5975 8497

Friday 25th May

10.00am ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Golf: 12.30pm Contact Dermot 5988 4076

Solo: 1:00pm – Contact: Elaine 5977 1334

Nominations for election of Office Bearers for the 2018/2019 Club Year must be handed to Maureen Nugent by 24th May. Nomination Forms Contact John Azzopardi 59752289 or John Sumner 5975 2160. Special Reminder Thursday 7th June Music Appreciation at 1.00pm at the Community Centre.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

(2nd Collection) Weekly Pledge: \$5478

Average p/w: \$4003

PRESBYTERY COLLECTION:

(1st) Collection) Last Weekend: \$1825

WEEKLY MASS TIMES

Saturday: Vigil 6pm.

Sunday: 9am , 11am & 5pm

Weekdays: Mon-Sat :9:15am

1st Sunday of the Month: 3:30pm Filipino Mass.

RECONCILIATION: After 9:15am Mass Mondays to Saturdays

(Our Lady's Novena during 9.15am Sat. Mass)

BAPTISMS : After 11am Mass on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month.

Please contact Parish Office

Next Baptismal Meeting—

8pm Wednesday 6th June 2018

Weddings— By appointment only, please contact the Parish Office.