

5th—6th May 2018

Sixth Sunday of Easter - Year B

PARISH BULLETIN

St Macartan's Catholic Parish



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Parish Priest: Fr Minh Tran SJ

*Secretaries: Francesca McLoughlin, Marie Mills, Catherine Larken
(9am-3:30pm Monday to Friday)*

PARISH EVENTS

Monday 30th April

1pm Canasta Cards (CC)

Tuesday 1st May

10am Minister Unto God Prayer Group (CC)

4pm High Spirits (CC)

Wednesday 2nd May

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

10am Social Justice Group (CC)

7pm-9pm St Mac's Café (CC)

Thursday 3rd May

1pm-3.30pm Macartan Club (CC)

Friday 4th May

1pm Solo Cards (CC)

Saturday 5th May

7:30am Men's Breakfast

Sunday 6th May

9am Confirmation Pres Mass—St Mac's PS

3.30pm Filipino Mass

Recently Deceased:

Anniversaries:

Pray for the sick and their Carers: Kevin O'Brien, Bernadette Rob-

ertson, 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

Mass Intentions

EUCHARIST UNDER BOTH SPECIES - COMMENCING NEXT WEEKEND 5th/6th MAY



At every Sunday Mass, three Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist are rostered. At present, we are trialling Eucharist under both species. Including the Priest, each Mass requires 7 Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist. We will continue to only roster 3, but request any Communion Minister attending the Mass to approach the Mass Co-ordinator or the Altar at the appropriate time.

We understand that some people do not enjoy regular roster duty but are always willing to assist when attending Mass. To you, we offer our thanks and ask for your continued assistance. Our Parish is blessed to be able to receive the Eucharist under both species and we will be grateful if the organisation of this process will be achieved smoothly. We would like to commence this trial next weekend, 5th/6th May at 6pm, 9am and 11am Masses.

PASTORAL VISITS

If any parishioners have family members, relatives and friends who are sick and are either housebound, in hospital or in palliative care and would like a pastoral visit and communion, please contact the Parish Office 5975 2200 or call Damiana directly on 0422 404 467.

If you would like to volunteer your talents and help within the Parish, please call our Pastoral Worker, Damiana, at the Parish Office on 5975 2200 or email: damianalvares@yahoo.com.au

ST MAC'S CAFÉ

Dear beloved parishioners, we are well down on weekly food supplies for the Café. We would be grateful if you couple please help us with donations of prepared food such as pasta bake, spaghetti Bolognese, etc.
Please call Bernard on 0419 427 408

OUR LADY OF FATIMA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, ROSEBUD - CELEBRATION OF PARISH PATRONESS' FEAST DAY

Solemn Mass on Saturday 12th May at 5:30pm
Followed by Annual Parish & Friends Dinner



EVERYONE WELCOME!

For more details, please contact
Rosebud Parish Office on 5986
1470 (Tuesday—Thursday). RSVP
by 3/5/18



MINIMAL GLUTEN WAFER

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

WOMEN'S RETREAT

Friday 22nd - Sunday
24th June 2018



This will again take place at Pallotti College, Millgrove.

Cost \$200 approx. More details to follow

Contact Lisa 0433 110 202 /

lisachiezey@hotmail.com or leave your name at the Parish Office

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.

THINK ABOUT IT... The conditions for asylum seekers have been changed often. Each time some inevitably seem to "fall between the cracks". The causes are complicated, but the result is often distressingly simple - the number of hungry and homeless increases. Can we just sit and watch? **LET'S DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT....** The Brigidine Asylum Seekers Project often runs short of food. Beginning next weekend, 5th & 6th May, we will collect specific goods for distribution to those in need. More details next weekend, but in the meantime.....



PLEASE BRING A PACK OF TEA OR COFFEE TO

MASS NEXT WEEKEND. The style or brand of tea/coffee does not matter - just as large as you can manage, and one that you'd enjoy drinking!

Thank you. Social Justice Group



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.

THE LEGION OF MARY: Meets every Wednesday after Mass in the Community Centre. Please ring Ron Fitzgerald on 5974 2130.



MARY'S IMMACULATE HEART PRAYERS CENACLE: Tuesdays 2pm—3pm in Church.

PARISH CHOIR: We practice every Thursday in the church after 9:15am Mass. New Members of all ages are always welcome. Enquiries: Louise 5975 2773

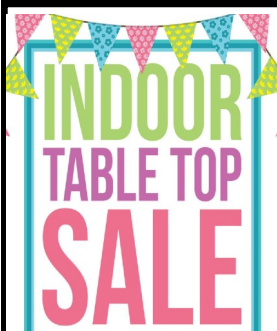
SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP: Meets on 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of each month at 10am in the Sacristy Room. Please call Wally 5975 1159 for further details.

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 11th & 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!!!



A VARIETY OF GOODS SALE in St Macartan's Parish Hall on
Saturday 26th May : 9am - 2pm and Sunday 27th May : 10am - 2pm
All welcome - please come and support us . All proceeds are being donated to a local family in need. *FOR SALE...* As new and new adults and children clothing, shoes, handbags, household items, toys, etc.

Prices from \$2 - \$5 or donation.

All enquiries: Geraldine 0425 738 998 / Anne 0403 025 697

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.



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 6...



ROSTERS!

Readers	5th-6th May	
6pm	T Dakin, K Duyvestyn	
9am	M Kesik, P McKenzie-McHarg	
11am	B Butler, B McLean	
5pm	Z Warmbrunn, D Warmbrunn, G Failla	
Ex.Ministers	5th-6th May	
6pm	M Duyvestyn, A Fisher, L Thorpe	
9am	M Azzopardi, Z Krause, P Thomas, F Crea	
11am	S Goddard, A Hancock, T Roberts	
5pm	J Sayah, M Sayah	
Music	5th-6th May	
6pm	Veronica & Co	
9am	Carmen & Choir	
11am	Chris & Singers	
5pm	J Melehem & Co	
AV Ops	5th-6th May	
6pm	J Barrett & Co	
9am	M&T Said	
11am	B Handasyde	
5pm	P Toohey	
P'point Prs	5th-6th May	
6pm	Vron	
9am	Terry S	
11am	Wendy	
5pm	Peter T	
Altar Svrs	5th-6th May	
6pm	L Luppino	
9am	C&J Strawbridge, C Surace	
11am	S Cheevers	
5pm	W Nugent, A Rosbrook	
Count. Tm	7th May	
	J Azzopardi, B Murphy, M Andrew	
Cleaning	10th May	
	M Kiernan, J Ward	
Flowers	10th-17th May	
	A Redmond	
Piety Stall	5th-6th May	
Sat 6pm	L Thorpe	
Sun 9am	M Picton, R D'Silva	
Sun 11am	P Harper, S Taylor	
C Liturgy	6th May	
Sun 9am Sun 11am	<i>No liturgy due to Confirmation Candidate Presentation</i>	
Tea Trolley	6th May	
	R Mahony	

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

(2nd Collection) Weekly Pledge: \$5478

Average p/w: \$4003

PRESBYTERY COLLECTION:

(1st) Collection) Last Weekend: \$2620

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. The Parish Welcome Group is currently looking for new members to assist this small team; support is provided. If you are interested, please call

the Parish
Office on 5975
2200



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

April 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.....

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.

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 THIS Wednesday 2nd May 2018

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