

14th—15th July 2018

15th Sunday of Ordinary Time - 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)

They went out and preached that people should repent



PARISH EVENTS

Monday 16th July

Term 3 commences for St Mac's Parish PS

1pm Canasta Cards (CC)

3:30pm St Vinnies' Conference

Tuesday 17th July

Term 3 commences for Padua College

10am Minister Unto God Prayer Group (CC)

2pm Cenacle (CC)

4pm High Spirits resumes—Term 3

Wednesday 18th July

9:45am—11:30am

Little Mac's Playgroup (CC)

10am Legion of Mary (CC)

10am—11am Social Justice Group (SR)

7pm-9pm St Mac's Café (CC)

PARISH EVENTS / Continued....

Thursday 19th July

1pm - 4pm Macartan Club Film Group (CC)

5:00pm Men's Social Group (CC)

Friday 20th July

1pm Solo cards (CC)

10am Macartan Club Executive Mtg (CC)

2:30pm St Macartan's Primary School Mass
(School Hall, Bungower Road)

5:30pm—7:30pm Connect Youth Group

Saturday 21st July

9:15am Communion Service (No Mass)

7:30am Men's Breakfast

Sunday 22nd July

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Recently Deceased: John Smyth, Carmel Lee (NZ)

Anniversaries: Hema Fonfeka, Catherine Kershaw,
Judith Liauw,

Pray for the sick and their Carers: Kevin O'Brien, Bernadette Robertson, Elizabeth Brennan, Myna Barlow, Bob Barrett, Ally Roe, Michael Renwick, Colleen & Jim Husin, Maryanne Husin, Leonie Purcell, Rodelia Pordeux, Phyllis Harvey, Baby Archie, Don Raynor, Laurie Whiting SM, Eileen Young, Stuart Poustie, Margot Marks, Peter Hingston, Dave Mortby, Lynne Anderson, Naomi Andrews, Peter Atkinson, Kevin Paganoni, John Pingiaro, Jeannie Fox, Richard Meech, Phyllis Molloy, Carly Coulter,

Mass Intentions

First Reading Am 7:12-15 A reading from the prophet Amos

Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, said to Amos, 'Go away, seer; get back to the land of Judah; earn your bread there, do your prophesying there. We want no more prophesying in Bethel; this is the royal sanctuary, the national temple.' 'I was no prophet, neither did I belong to any of the brotherhoods of prophets.' Amos replied to Amaziah, 'I was a shepherd, and looked after sycamores: but it was the Lord who took me from herding the flock, and the Lord who said, "Go, prophesy to my people Israel."' *The Word of The Lord*

Responsorial Psalm Ps 84:9-14. R. v.8

(R.) Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation.

1. I will hear what the Lord God has to say, a voice that speaks of peace, peace for his people. His help is near for those who fear him and his glory will dwell in our land.
2. Mercy and faithfulness have met; justice and peace have embraced. Faithfulness shall spring from the earth and justice look down from heaven.
3. The Lord will make us prosper and our earth shall yield its fruit. Justice shall march before him and peace shall follow his steps.

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Second Reading Eph 1:3-14 A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Ephesians

Blessed be God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with all the spiritual blessings of heaven in Christ. Before the world was made, he chose us, chose us in Christ, to be holy and spotless, and to live through love in his presence, determined that we should become his adopted sons, through Jesus Christ for his own kind purposes, to make us praise the glory of his race, his free gift to us in the Beloved in whom, through his blood, we gain our freedom, the forgiveness of our sins. Such is the richness of the grace which he has showered on us in all wisdom and insight. He has let us know the mystery of his purpose, the hidden plan he so kindly made in Christ from the beginning to act upon when the times had run their course to the end: that he would bring everything together under Christ, as head, everything in the heavens and everything on earth. And it is in him that we were claimed as God's own, chosen from the beginning, under the predetermined plan of the one who guides all things as he decides by his own will; chosen to be, for his greater glory, the people who would put their hopes in Christ before he came. Now you too, in him, have heard the message of the truth and the good news of your salvation, and have believed it: and you have been stamped with the seal of the Holy Spirit of the Promise, the pledge of our inheritance which brings freedom for those whom God has taken for his own, to make his glory praised. *The Word of the Lord*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called. Alleluia!

Gospel Mk 6:7-13 A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs giving them authority over the unclean spirits. And he instructed them to take nothing for the journey except a staff – no bread, no haversack, no coppers for their purses. They were to wear sandals, but, he added, ‘Do not take a spare tunic.’ And he said to them, ‘If you enter a house anywhere, stay there until you leave the district. And if any place does not welcome you and people refuse to listen to you, as you walk away shake off the dust from under your feet as a sign to them.’ So they set off to preach repentance; and they cast out many devils, and anointed many sick people with oil and cured them. *The Gospel of the Lord*

Communion Antiphon

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

DAILY MASS

**Fr Bill will be celebrate 9:15am Mass on
Tuesday 24th July 2018.**

THIS WEEKEND’S LEAVING COLLECTION is for Catholic Mission—Propagation of the Faith Appeal. This year, we are invited to help to heal a nation through education in Myanmar. Led by Cardinal Charles Maung Bo, the Church is developing an alternative system of quality education, with comprehensive teacher training programs and the establishment of new schools, especially in remote areas. It has been called an “education revolution” and the potential impact is far-reaching. Please give generously to this important work. You can become an integral part of this inspiring work by joining as a monthly giving partner. This regular contribution will directly support education in Myanmar.

Donation envelopes are available in both foyers.

Baptism celebration

This weekend, we welcome *Tristan Garetto, Ted Malane, Roman Morabito and Ellie Tzakopoulos*, into our Parish community, as they receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

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.



THANKSGIVING ENVELOPES... New Thanksgiving envelopes for the period 15th July—11th November 2018 have now been sent out in the post. If you

currently donate to Thanksgiving via the envelope system, please consider changing to the direct debit or credit card system. The envelope system is very expensive to maintain costing approximately \$3,500.00 annually. This is a consistent cost each year to only process the envelope contributions, and these costs need to be paid from the funds donated by generous Parishioners BEFORE the funds can be put to good use within the Parish. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Marie Mills in the Parish office on a Monday or Wednesday ...thank you.



In honour of Archbishop Denis Hart's service to the Archdiocese over 51 years and upon his retirement as Archbishop of Melbourne you are warmly invited to attend a

MASS OF THANKSGIVING

to be celebrated in St Patrick's Cathedral on Saturday 21 July at 11.00 am with refreshments to follow in Central Hall, 20 Brunswick Street, Fitzroy

RSVP: Please reply using TryBooking link

<https://www.trybooking.com/WXJV>

by Wednesday 18 July 2018.

The Archbishop would appreciate your prayers at this time.



Deepest Sympathy

We wish to pass on our sincere condolences to the Smyth and Lee families on the recent passing of their loved ones, John Smyth and Carmel Lee.

Please remember them in your prayers.



SCHOOL MASS—Our first school mass for term three will be held on Friday 20th July at 2:30pm in the School Hall (97 Bungower Road, Mornington), followed by a cuppa afterwards. Parents and family are welcome to attend.

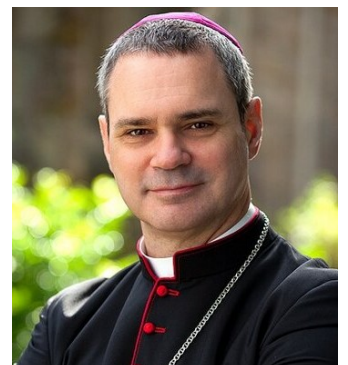


JULY PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

An open invitation is extended to all Parish Groups to attend the next Parish Pastoral Council meeting on Thursday 26th July 2018 at 7:30pm in the Parish Hall. An invitation has also been forwarded to the new Principal of St Macartan's Parish Primary School, Colleen McGreal, to attend the meeting providing an opportunity for everyone to meet.

POPE FRANCIS APPOINTS BISHOP COMENSOLI TO MELBOURNE ARCHDIOCESE

The Mass of Reception will take place in St Patrick's Cathedral on Wednesday 1st August 2018 at 7:00pm - all are invited. Following the Mass, hospitality is extended to all in Central Hall, Brunswick St, Fitzroy. Bishop Comensoli has uploaded a Youtube video to the people of Melbourne. To access, please Google... *Archbishop Comensoli message for the people of Melbourne* or go to **<https://youtu.be/Xd6vEKjljAo>** Printed copies of the message are available in both foyers.



THE PARISH IS IN URGENT NEED OF CHURCH CLEANERS.

If you are able to volunteer for a few hours each year on a rostered basis, please contact the Parish Office on 5975 2200. Also,

if you are currently on the cleaning roster and no longer wish to volunteer, please let the Parish Office know on 5975 2200 or email mornington@cam.org.au

THINK ABOUT IT.... Every stranger who knocks at our door is an opportunity for an encounter with Jesus Christ, who identifies with the welcomed and rejected strangers of every age." Pope Francis

Social Justice Group



MEN'S SOCIAL GROUP... The men of St Macartan's are invited to attend our next soiree on **Thursday 19th July at 5pm in the Community Centre.**

BYO and enjoy a relaxing evening.

Need transport?....Call Kerry 5976 2155 or Kevin 5977 2548

Weekly Activities

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

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:** July 27th, August 10th & 24th. **Cost:** your own cuppa!

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

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

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!!!



MARY'S IMMACULATE HEART PRAYERS CENACLE: Tuesdays 2pm—3pm in the Community Centre.

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.



New Children's Liturgy Co-ordinator — The parish would like to kindly thank Sonia Nugent for all of her hard work and dedication as she steps down from her role as our Children's Liturgy co-ordinator. We are now looking for someone to take over this very rewarding role. Please direct all enquiries to Lisa Chiezey at lisachiezey@hotmail.com



KNITTED SQUARES - Its that time of year again!

Request for knitted squares 10in x 10in or 25cm x 25cm , also beanies and scarves for children and adults. These will happily be given and gratefully received by the disadvantaged and refugees. **P.S.** The squares will be joined by a knitting group, please leave all items at the Parish Office. *Thank you.*





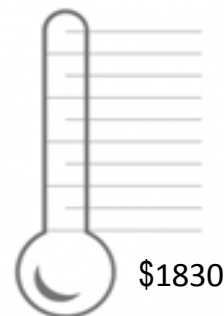
CHURCH SOUND SYSTEM

Thank you to those parishioners who have donated to the new sound system, however, we desperately need more donations to reach our goal of \$25,000—\$30,000. A new digital system will provide an improved and better sound quality throughout the church. When donating, please specify '**Capital Donation Sound System**'.

Please support this project with generosity.

Thank you.

Fundraising Goals



CONNECT YOUTH

All Grade 7 to 9 young people are Welcome!

When: NEXT Friday, 20th of July / Time: 5:30pm - 7:30pm /

Where: St. Macartan's Parish Hall

Dinner will be provided.



SLEEP IN YOUR CAR EVENT - SATURDAY 4TH AUGUST 2018

'Home is not just a building. It's connection, support and shared hope. Will you help us build it?'

On Saturday 4th August from 5:30pm - 10:00pm you're invited to join us at Mornington Park and begin to learn what it means to experience life as a young person without home.

Drop in for Dinner or stay the whole night - sleeping in your car!

HEAR, LEARN, ENGAGE & REFLECT

All money raised from the event goes towards Fusion Mornington Peninsula - an organisation focused on the wellbeing of young people struggling with homelessness on the Peninsula.

More information visit & register go to

:<http://siyc18mornington.gofundraise.com.au/cms/home>

OR contact Bridie Keily... bridie_keily@hotmail.com / 0413 992 436

Footy Tips Round 16... An interesting start to the round with the game between Sydney Swans and Geelong. Three quarters of the tippers favoured Sydney. As a result we had most had eight out of nine correct. Some who tipped Geelong had a loss in the Collingwood/Essendon game and others in Bulldogs/Hawthorn game. **15 Tippers scored 8.** Overall most winners were the favourites. Next weekend the games commence on Friday night instead of Thursday, a good idea for those who like to watch something other than Football. One Swan supporter commented after the game that they should change the rules... However there are a lot of supporters who think a reversal of some rules might be better. Another comment was "why do they list the teams as Backs. HB, Centres .HF. Forwards etc.? when no one plays in a position"

History. A century ago in 1918 with the worst of World War past, football returned almost to normal in 1918. Essendon and St. Kilda re-joined the League leaving only Melbourne an absentee. A tremendous downpour which flooded the MCG caused the postponement of the second semi-final, the first postponement of a final in VFL history. The final four was Collingwood, St. Kilda South Melbourne and Carlton. The winners of the semi finals were South Melbourne and Collingwood with **South Melbourne** winning the Premiership. **As Sth Melbourne were minor premiers if they had lost they had the right to challenge and have a replay.**



ROSTERS!

Readers	14th-15th July	21st-22nd July
6pm	G & E Gordon	J Raccanello, B Scantlebury
9am	J Azzopardi, S Meier	K Ronchi, D Ziino
11am	I Hackett PDuryea	J Clements, B Dakin
5pm	G Failla, O&D Jolly	M Field, A Field, D Warmbrunn
Ex.Ministers	14th-15th July	21st-22nd July
6pm	B Limpens, B Peach, A Redmond	A Fisher, J Holloway, K Raccanello
9am	M Azzopardi, F Crea, T Thomas	A Hancock, J Lewis, M Lewis
11am	G & M Lane, C Llopart	B Sexton, E Spaziani, J Spaziani
5pm	F Melhem	M Casamento
Music	14th-15th July	21st-22nd July
6pm	Vron & Co	Chris & Co
9am	Carmen & Choir	Billie & Co
11am	Billie & Co	Graham, Bernadette & Co
5pm	Kara & Emily	Kiara & Family
AV Ops	14th-15th July	21st-22nd July
6pm	T Ryan	J Barrett & Co
9am	T&M Said	B Handasyde
11am	B Handasyde	C Curtain
5pm	L Seal	L Seal
P'point Prs	14th-15th July	21st-22nd July
6pm	Vron	Wendy
9am	Terry	Vron
11am	Vron	Graham M
5pm	Vron	Vron
Altar Svrs	14th-15th July	21st-22nd July
6pm	C McNeice Harper, E Price	S Bath
9am	G Le Miere, O Cook, M Gibney	M&E Welsh
11am	U, C & A Chiezey	A&A Banks
5pm	L&E Kiernan, D, X and D Warmbrunn	L&O Jolly, A&T Jolly
Count. Tm	16th July	23rd July
	J Sumner, G Michel	K Kershaw, T&P Moore, K McNerney
Cleaning	19th July	26th July
	E Hallett, M Sarpa	B Butler, T Holt, T McKenzie, J Nguyen
Flowers	19th-26th July	19th-26th July
	C Scantlebury, A Nguyen	C Scantlebury, A Nguyen
Piety Stall	14th-15th July	21st-22nd July
Sat 6pm	A Anderson	A Gregg, G McDonagh
Sun 9am	T Thomas	D Wooding
Sun 11am	G&M Lane	B Sexton
C Liturgy	15th July	22nd July
Sun 9am Sun 11am	<i>Children's Liturgy will return in Term 3</i>	<i>Children's Liturgy will return soon</i>
Tea Trolley	15th July	22nd July
	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 new parishioner form (available in both foyers) and place in box provided; a member of our Welcome Committee will call and arrange to meet with 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

High Spirits Co-Ord. Dorinnia Burns

Email: highspiritsmornington@gmail.com

Macartan Club - Bep Methers 5976 4103

Youth Worker / Youth Groups

Bridie Keily 0413 992 436

Email: bridie_keily@hotmail.com

Children's Liturgy Co-Ordinator

TBA

Little Macs Playgroup

Email: littlemacsplaygroup@gmail.com

Justine 0448 679 461 / Sarah 0402 493 680

July 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 & events. *This week's events...*

Monday 16th July

Golf 12:30 pm – Contact: Dermot 5988 4076

Canasta 1:00 pm – Contact: Betty 5975 8497

Thursday 19th July

Film Group at Parish Community Centre 1 pm

Contact: John 5975 2160

Friday 20th July

Committee Meeting at 10:00 am

Golf 12:30 pm – Contact: Dermot 5988 4076

Solo 1:00 pm – Contact: Elaine 5977 1334

Reminder: Subscriptions for 2018/2019 are now due and can be paid at our next monthly meeting on Friday 27th July, or please contact John Sumner – 5975 2160.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

(2nd Collection) Weekly Pledge: \$5478

Average p/w: \$4003

PRESBYTERY COLLECTION:

(1st) Collection) Last Weekend: \$1530

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 1st August 2018

Weddings— By appointment only, please