

13th-14th October 2018

28th Sunday of Ordinary Time - Year B

PARISH BULLETIN

St Macartan's Catholic Parish



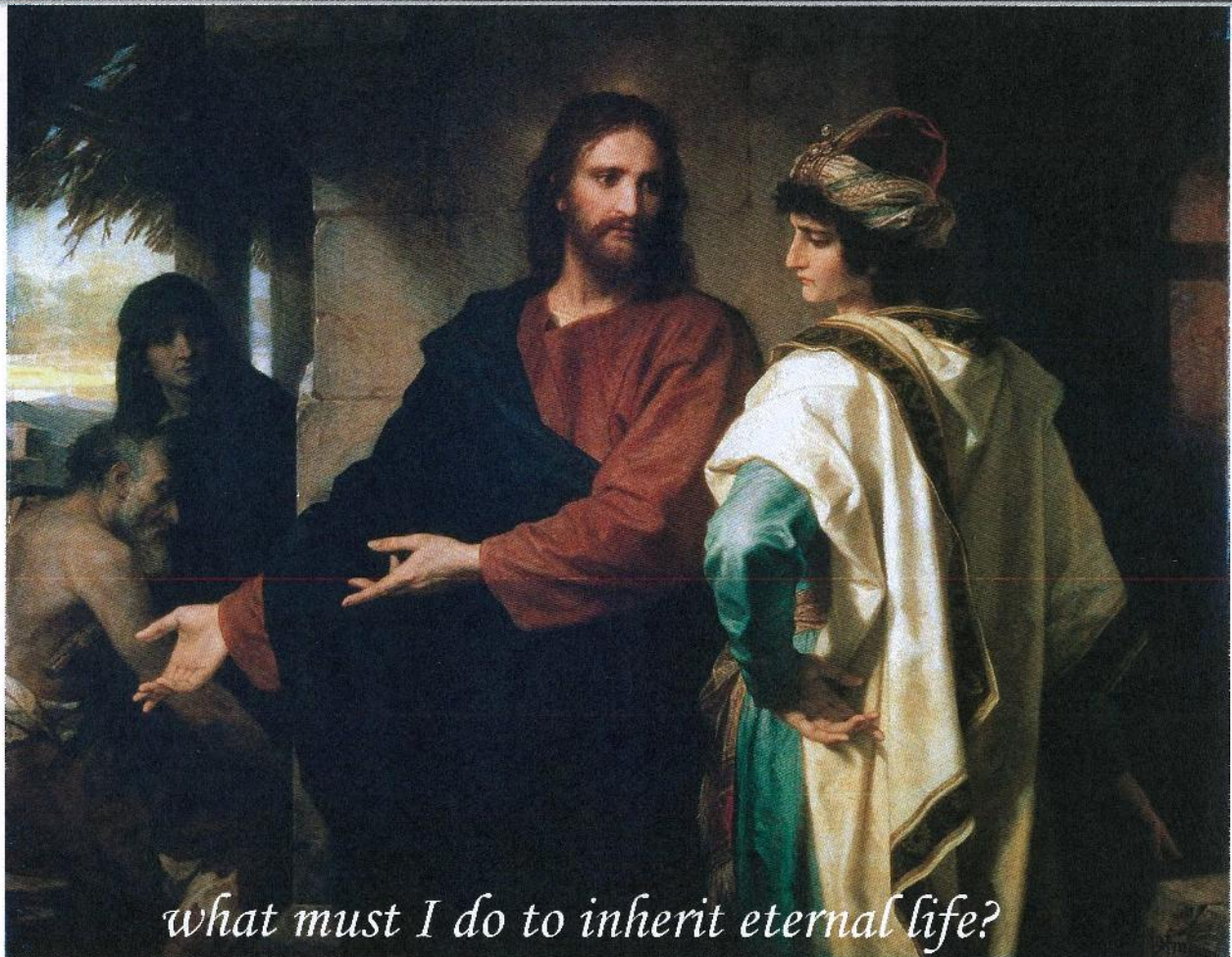
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what must I do to inherit eternal life?

PARISH EVENTS

Monday 15th October

1pm Canasta Cards (CC)

3.30pm-6pm St Vinnies Conference (CC)

Tuesday 16th October

10am Minister Unto God Prayer Group (CC)

2pm Cenacle (CC)

4pm High Spirits returns for Term 4 (CC)

Wednesday 17th October

10am Legion of Mary (CC)

10-11am Social Justice Group (SR)

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

7pm-9pm St Mac's Café (CC)

7:30pm The Wild Goose (PH)

Thursday 18th October

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

5pm-6pm Men's Social Group (CC)

Friday 19th October

1pm Solo cards (CC)

10am Macartan Club Executive Meeting (CC)

2.30pm St Mac's School Mass

5.30pm-7.30pm CONNECT Youth Group
(Grades 7-9) (PH)

Saturday 20th October

7:30am Men's Breakfast

Sunday 21st October

Recently Deceased: Fr. Geoff Schneider SJ, Christopher Ellawala, Angelique Sassinis, Brendan Dooley

Mass Intentions

Anniversaries: John (J.P.A.) Deighton, Chris & Tony Ahern, Mary Herbert

Pray for the sick and their Carers: Kevin O'Brien, Bernadette Robertson, Elizabeth Brennan, Myna Barlow, Bob Barrett, Ally Roe, Colleen & Jim Husin, Maryanne Husin, Rodelia Pordeux, Phyllis Harvey, Don Raynor, Eileen Young, Stuart Poustie, Margot Marks, Peter Hingston, Dave Mortby, Lynne Anderson, Naomi Andrews, Peter Atkinson, Kevin Paganoni, John Pingiaro, Jeanie Fox, Richard Meech, Phyllis Molloy, Carly Coulter, Anne Wilson, Terry Lyons, Renee Barker, Courtney Stevens, Lyn McGain, Mary Cattermole, Stuart O'Connell SM, Joseph Aquilina, Cinzia Caboche, John Flood, Helen & Denis Chambers, Pauline Achermann

First Reading Wis 7:7-11 A reading from the book of Wisdom

I prayed, and understanding was given me; I entreated, and the spirit of Wisdom came to me. I esteemed her more than sceptres and thrones; compared with her, I held riches as nothing. I reckoned no priceless stone to be her peer, for compared with her, all gold is a pinch of sand, and beside her silver ranks as mud. I loved her more than health or beauty, preferred her to the light, since her radiance never sleeps. In her company all good things came to me, at her hands riches not to be numbered. *The Word of the Lord*

Responsorial Psalm Ps 89:12-17. R. v.14

(R.) Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Make us know the shortness of our life that we may gain wisdom of heart. Lord, relent! Is your anger forever? Show pity to your servants.

In the morning, fill us with your love; we shall exult and rejoice all our days. Give us joy to balance our affliction for the years when we knew misfortune.

Show forth your work to your servants; let your glory shine on their children. Let the favour of the Lord be upon us: give success to the work of our hands.

(R.) Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Second Reading Heb 4:12-13 A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

The word of God is something alive and active; it cuts like any double-edged sword but more finely: it can slip through the place where the soul is divided from the spirit, or joints from the marrow; it can judge the secret emotions and thoughts. No created thing can hide from him; everything is uncovered and open to the eyes of the one to whom we must give account of ourselves. *The Word of the Lord*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs! Alleluia!

Gospel Mk 10:17-27 A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

Jesus was setting out on a journey when a man ran up, knelt before him and put this question to him, 'Good master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: You must not kill; You must not commit adultery; You must not steal; You must not bring false witness; You must not defraud; Honour your father and mother.' And he said to him, 'Master, I have kept all these from my earliest days.' Jesus looked steadily at him and loved him, and he said, 'There is one thing you lack. Go and sell everything you own and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' But his face fell at these words and he went away

sad, for he was a man of great wealth. Jesus looked round and said to his disciples, 'How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God!' The disciples were astounded by these words, but Jesus insisted, 'My children,' he said to them, 'how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God.' They were more astonished than ever. 'In that case' they said to one another, 'who can be saved?' Jesus gazed at them. 'For men' he said, 'it is impossible, but not for God: because everything is possible for God.' *The Gospel of the Lord*

Communion Antiphon

When the Lord appears, we shall be like him, for we shall see him as he is.

Baptism
Celebration

This weekend, we welcome...

Charlotte Ryan into our Parish community as she receives the Sacrament of Baptism.

UPCOMING NOVEMBER MASS TIMES

ALL SAINTS DAY — Thurs 1st November at 9:15am

ALL SOULS DAY — Friday 2nd November at 9:15am (Memorial Wall) and 7pm

ANNIVERSARY MASS FOR SR GEN — Thursday 29th November at 7pm (Fr Bill)

SCHOOL MASS—Weekly school Mass this Friday 19th October @ 2.30pm in the School Hall (97 Bungower Road, Mornington), followed by a cuppa afterwards.

All parishioners are warmly welcomed to attend.



Applications are invited from suitably qualified and experienced people for the position of Pastoral Worker here at St Macartan's Parish, Mornington.

Further details can be found on the Archdiocese website at:

<http://www.cam.org.au/Jobs.aspx>

Plenary Council 2020—Listen to what the Spirit is saying - "Listening and Dialogue"

What do you think God is asking of you at this time?

What do you think God is asking of us at St Macartan's, Mornington Parish at this time? What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?



REFLECT: In silence, reflect on your personal experience of faith up to this point in your life. Faith journey is about one's own experience of the Holy Spirit guiding and nurturing one's life in the community or one's life and (or in) the Church. How has the Gospel, the Church's teaching, ministry in which you are involved, influenced your faith? (You might want to choose a gospel passage to pray with). You may want to write your thoughts down.

SHARE AND LISTEN: Tell a story of my experience in this area. Take turns to share aloud with each other your personal experience of faith, life and the Church. When others are speaking, remember to listen with an open and humble heart.

RECOLLECTING: How has another perspective influenced my own? After each person has shared, in silence, reflect on how stories shared by other people have influenced your own perspective. You may want to write your thoughts down, or simply sit quietly with your thoughts.

SHARING: I would like to encourage group and public sharing, which means, you can represent your group to share at mass, or you can share your own faith journey at Mass. I am open to suggestions.

BASP COLLECTION — Thanks to all for a wonderful response.



THINK ABOUT IT— There seems to be an international day for something every week, always to correct some injustice or avert some tragedy. The kids of San Benito, Peru, had a wonderfully positive idea -“Let’s celebrate an international day of play”! (with thanks to The Far East)

- **Social Justice Group**



SOCIAL GROUP!!! OAK’S DAY LUNCH

WHEN: Thursday 8th November

WHERE: Safety Beach Sailing Club

COST: \$50.00 pp **TIME:** 12 Noon for 12:30pm

BOOK: Tables of 10 or smaller groups.

Please call Denise 0432 498 051 or Tricia 5975 2613

We are looking forward to your company!

Wonderful Memorabilia for Sale—Where are they? Richmond Supporters?

They say they have the most AFL members and apparently they do not live on the Mornington Peninsula. Our Tippers are offering a 2018 signed Richmond jumper and no Richmond supporter has come forward. The money received goes to charity which means a tax refund on the money donated. We have a reserve of \$650.00 and our initial offer of \$700 has been withdrawn. Perhaps supporters might like to share and have it a month a time.

That is good value. All players who played in the 1917 Grand Final have their signature on the jumper. Come on Tigers let us get a Roar!! Please call Geoffrey on 975 1707 or leave a message with the Parish Office.



Men’s Night—“The above Penultimate event of the year will commence at 5pm on Thursday 18th October. Not to be missed! Guest Speaker “The Man from Ironbark” whose talk will be “Rat eradication in Canberra” (Not for the squeamish)

BYO and enjoy finger lickin’ food. All for \$2.00. Need transport? Call Kerry 59 76 21 55 Kevin 59 77 25 48 Michael 0400 151 300

MACARTAN CLUB— After 9:15am mass on Friday, 26th October, there will be a guest speaker presenting **“Introduction to Aged Care”** which will cover the services and care that are available, including Home Support, Residential Respite Care and Residential Permanent Care. This will take place in the Parish Community Centre, all parishioners and friends are more than welcome to attend.



MEMORIAL GARDEN PRAYERS

On Friday 2nd November, after 9:15am mass, prayers will take place in the Memorial Garden for our dearly departed and those whose ashes are interred.



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.

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



CHILDREN'S LITURGY: EVERY SUNDAY AT 9am and 11am MASSES for all children in Grades 2-6 (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

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

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.

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.

FRIENDSHIP CUPPA: 10:30am at Manhatten Restaurant and Cafee, 55 Barkly St (entrance via Barrett Lane). Come and join us for a chat and a laugh. **Dates:** Fridays—September 28th, and October 12th & 26th. **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 the Community Centre. Open to men of all ages. Bring nothing except your appetite!!!



Continuing at St Macartan's Community Centre this Wednesday 10th October - 7.30 to 8.30pm. This is a 14 part series that deals with different experiences of the Holy Spirit presented by Fr. Dave Pivonka. Each DVD is separate and not in any order so join us whenever you are free. The first segment is 'God's love poured out'. For further details contact Patrick Guest 0425 163 713 or Jacinta Jolly – 0400 79 1971. **EVERYBODY IS WELCOME.**

THE MINISTRY OF
THE WILD GOOSE

Dear Friends from St Macartan's Parish,

About this time each year for the past 6 years (2012 – 2017), the HOPE logo has appeared in the Parish Bulletin, asking for a finance contribution for the HOPE Foundation. The HOPE Foundation helps the less fortunate people in Vietnam. This year, even though I am no longer with you at Mornington, the HOPE Foundation is still supporting charitable works in Vietnam. I appeal to you on the same cause of supporting HOPE's works in Vietnam. You can assist HOPE by donating at a leaving collection on one weekend or directly deposit your donation to the HOPE account:

HOPE – AVHWA BSB: 013 481— A/C: 48769 5237 Donation over \$2 is tax deductible. I thank you for your ongoing support to the HOPE Foundation. Fr. Joe Bui Duc Tien



PIETY STALL - Christmas Stock is now in the Piety Stall. For those early shoppers who want to get ahead of the crowds and not be disappointed, we have Nativity sets in varying sizes and price range, plus beautiful decorations to add to the festive season and bring a truly meaningful Christmas atmosphere to the home.



Majellan Christmas Cards - packs of 10 for \$10.00

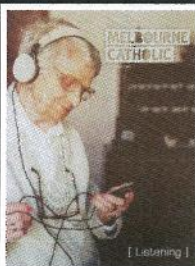


Just arrived - Artisan jewellery - Handcrafted imaginative designs of pressed flowers in sterling silver surrounds either necklaces or large and small crosses, plus Virgin Mary Rings and pendants. All come with gift pouches for gift giving.

Come and visit the Piety Stall for Christmas gift giving ideas.



"One Million Children Praying the Rosary" — On 18th October 2018 the church is asking for one million children around the world to join together and pray the rosary for peace and unity within families. St Padre Pio once said *"When a million children pray the Rosary, then the world will change."* We would like to invite all parishioners especially children, to join us on Thursday 18th October in praying the rosary. We will meet at church at 3.45pm to pray together. Any queries please contact Lisa on 0433 110 202



October edition of Melbourne Catholic Magazine is now available. \$4 a copy



Deepest Sympathy

We wish to pass on our sincere condolences to the Ellawala, Sassinis, Dooley and Schneider families on the recent passing of their loved ones. Please remember them in your prayers.



LITTLE MAC'S PLAYGROUP—We are looking for two or more people to help run our energetic Playgroup in 2019. If you are interested or know someone who might be, please email littlemacsplaygroup@gmail.com

A current Working with Children Check is essential.

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'.



Fundraising Goals



CONNECT YOUTH GROUP (Grades 7—9) WORLD YOUTH DAY—Panama 2019.

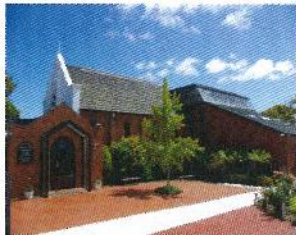
The Archdiocese Office of Youth have just announced they will be taking a group of young people to Panama for WYD. They are offering huge subsidies (over \$5000) for this one of a kind experience! For more information visit: <http://www.cam.org.au/wyd/Panama-Pilgrimage/Application> or feel free to email Bridie at bridie_keily@hotmail.com

ROSTERS!

Readers	13th-14th October	20th-21st October
6pm	K Duyvestyn, J Raccanello	J Raccanello, B Scantlebury
9am	M Kerr, D Ziino	K Ronchi, K Morley
11am	C&U Chiezey	B Dakin, B McLean
5pm	T Jolly, A&M Field	G Failla, O&D Jolly
Ex.Ministers	13th-14th October	20th-21st October
6pm	M Duyvestyn, K Raccanello, C Williams	E McCluskey, B Peach, R Shaw
9am	F Crea, J Lewis, M Lewis	P Girolami, T Thomas, J Thoppil
11am	S Barrett, A Flood, S Goddard	G Lane, M Lane, E Spaziani
5pm	R Jolly	R Jolly
Music	13th-14th October	20th-21st October
6pm	Chris & Co	Veronica & Justin
9am	Veronica & Co	Carmen, Louise & Choir
11am	Carmen, Louise & Choir	Billie & Co
5pm	Joe, Kiara and Emily	Joe, Kiara & Emily
AV Ops	13th-14th October	20th-21st October
6pm	T Matthews	T Ryan
9am	T Ryan	T&M Said
11am	M&T SAid	B Handasyde
5pm	L Seal	L Seal
P'point Prs	13th-14th October	20th-21st October
6pm	Wendy	Vron
9am	Vron	Terry
11am	Terry	Vron
5pm	Vron	Vron
Altar Svrs	13th-14th October	20th-21st October
6pm	S Bath	<i>Volunteers needed</i>
9am	M&E Welsh	<i>Volunteers needed</i>
11am	A&A Banks, K Pancha	<i>Volunteers needed</i>
5pm	L,O,A&T Jolly	<i>Volunteers needed</i>
Count. Tm	15th October	22nd October
	K Kershaw, T&P Moore, K McInerney	J Azzopardi, B Murphy, M Andrew
Cleaning	18th October	25th October
	A Skoljarev	S&C Nugent, J Thoppil
Flowers	11th-18th October	25th October-1st November
	A Redmond	C Scantlebury, A Nguyen
Piety Stall	13th-14th October	20th-21st October
Sat 6pm	A Anderson	Volunteers Needed
Sun 9am	A McKenna	T Thomas
Sun 11am	A Wilson, S Goddard	M Lane, G Lane
C Liturgy	14th October	21st October
Sun 9am Sun 11am	<i>To be advised</i>	<i>To be advised</i>
Tea Trolley	14th October	21st October
	C&K McLean	C Donovan, B Scantlebury, R&C Scantlebury

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.



MINIMAL GLUTEN WAFER

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

SACRIFICIAL GIVING

(2nd Collection) Weekly Pledge: \$5478

Average p/w: \$4003

PRESBYTERY COLLECTION:

(1st) Collection) Last Weekend: \$1760

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 Methner 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

September 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. *This week's events...*

Monday 15th October

Canasta 1:00 pm – Contact: Betty 5975 8497

Thursday 18th October

Film Group in the Parish Hall at 1:00 pm – Contact: John 5975 2160

Friday 19th October

Solo 1:00 pm – Contact: Elaine 5977 1334

Save the Dates:

Monday 5th November (Cup Eve) - BBQ in Mornington Park. More details later.

Monday 3rd December – Macartan Club Christmas Lunch at Norwood House, Nepean Hwy, Mornington. Bookings at the October meeting or phone John Sumner 5975 2160.

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.



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 7th November 2018

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