# PARISH BULLETIN

# St Macartan's Catholic Parish



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# PARISH EVENTS

Sunday 21st October
World Mission Sunday

# **Monday 22nd October**

1pm Canasta Cards (CC)

#### **Tuesday 23rd October**

10am Minister Unto God Prayer Group (CC) 2pm Cenacle (CC)

4pm High Spirits (CC)

4pm-6pm St Vinnies Regional Meeting (SR)

#### Wednesday 24th October

10am Legion of Mary (CC)

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

7pm-9pm St Mac's Café (CC) 7:30pm The Wild Goose (PH)

#### **Thursday 25th October**

10am Gatherings (CC)

#### Friday 26th October

1pm Solo cards (CC)

9am-12pm St Mac Club General Meeting (CC) 2.30pm St Mac's School Mass

10-12pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

#### Saturday 27th October

7:30am Men's Breakfast

#### **Sunday 28th October**

Recently Deceased: Angelique Sassinis,

**Anniversaries:** Raymond John Ellis, Maria Pellegrino, Frances Riley **Pray for the sick and their Carers:** Kevin O'Brien, Bernadette Robertson, Elizabeth Brennan, Myna Barlow, Bob Barrett, Ally Roe, Col-

Mass Intentions

leen & Jim Husin, Maryanne Husin, Rodelia Pordeuix, Phyllis Harvey, Don Raynor, 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, 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 Is 53:10-11 A reading from the prophet Isaiah

The Lord has been pleased to crush his servant with suffering. If he offers his life in atonement, he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life and through him what the Lord wishes will be done. His soul's anguish over he shall see the light and be content. By his sufferings shall my servant justify many, taking their faults on himself. The Word of the Lord

#### Responsorial Psalm Ps 32:4-5. 18-20. 22. R. v.22

(R.) Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

The word of the Lord is faithful and all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love.

The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love. to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

Our soul is waiting for the Lord. The Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

(R.) Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

#### Second Reading Heb 4:14-16 A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

Since in Jesus, the Son of God, we have the supreme high priest who has gone through to the highest heaven, we must never let go of the faith that we have professed. For it is not as if we had a high priest who was incapable of feeling our weaknesses with us; but we have one who has been tempted in every way that we are, though he is without sin. Let us be confident, then, in approaching the throne of grace, that we shall have mercy from him and find grace when we are in need of help. *The Word of the Lord* 

#### **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia! The Son of Man came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for all. Alleluia!

#### Gospel Mk 10:35-45 A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached Jesus. 'Master,' they said to him, 'we want you to do us a favour.' He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' They said to him, 'Allow us to sit one at your right hand and the other at your left in your glory.' 'You do not know what you are asking' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptised with the baptism with which I must be baptised?' They replied, 'We can.' Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptised you shall be baptised, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.' When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to him and said to them: 'You

know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all. For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

The Gospel of the Lord

#### **Communion Antiphon**

The Son of Man has come to give his life as a ransom for many.

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



#### This weekend, we welcome...

Oscar Matthews, Jovanni Gysi and Miles Walpole into our Parish community as they receive 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)

This Sunday is WORLD MISSION SUNDAY — Please give generously. Envelopes can be found in both foyers.

SCHOOL MASS—Weekly school Mass this Friday 26th October @ 2.30pm in the School Hall (97 Bungower Road, Mornington), followed by a cuppa afterwards.

All parishioners are warmly welcomed to attend.



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.

## Australian Catholic Religious Against Trafficking in Humans — 2019 ACRATH CALENDAR



Pope Francis has told us what we already knew - "People are not for sale". Yet around the world, including in Australia, men, women and children are being used and abused by some who focus solely on money. ACRATH leads the fight for those who suffer this injustice. This is another social justice activity in which the Brigidine Sisters are deeply involved.

By purchasing an ACRATH 2019 calendar for \$10.00, each of us can join this fight. ACRATH will have more funds and each of us will be better informed by the stories and suggestions printed for every month. A copy of the calendar and a list asking you to order one are in each porch. We will have the calendars here on the second weekend in November.

—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!

#### **EVITA—THE MUSICAL!!!**

A gentle reminder that payment of \$69.95 pp is now due for those attending this wonderful stage production. Please contact Tricia on 5975 2613 if you have any questions..

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



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.

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

<u>HIGH SPIRITS:</u> 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.

<u>CHILDREN'S LITURGY</u>: 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

<u>PARISH CHOIR:</u> 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 28<sup>th</sup>, and October 12<sup>th</sup> & 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 10<sup>th</sup> 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 Pivon-



ka. 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.** 

#### 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

<u>PIETY STALL</u> - 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.



# BASP COLLECTION for NOVEMBER WE'RE STOCKING THEIR PANTRY FOR THOSE IN NEED.

Our first collection has all gone so it's back to cooking oil and tuna. Please, no oil in containers larger than 2 litres - our collections all have to be carried by those on foot. Many thanks.

—Social Justice Group



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



## Deepest Sympathy

We wish to pass on our sincere condolences to the Sassinis family on the recent passing of their loved one. Please remember them in your prayers.



<u>LITTLE MAC'S PLAYGROUP</u>—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 <u>littlemacsplaygroup@gmail.com</u> *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'.

# St Macartan's Youth Group

Bridie, our Youth Worker, has handed in her resignation and will no longer be working in our parish. There will be no further youth groups this year. However, we will be organising an end of year celebration for all our youth. Details to follow.

# **ROSTERS!**

Readers	20th-21st October	27th-28th October
6pm	J Raccanello, B Scantlebury	F Murphy, M Negri
9am	K Ronchi, K Morley	M Kesik, S Meier
11am	B Dakin, B McLean	I Hackett, C Holmes
5pm	G Failla, O&D Jolly	M&A Field, D Warmbrunn
Ex.Ministers	20th-21st October	27th-28th October
6pm	E McCluskey, B Peach, R Shaw	T Hird, A Redmond, M Turner
9am	P Girolami, T Thomas, J Thoppil	D Frank, M Kerr, Z Krause
11am	G Lane, M Lane, E Spaziani	B Ensil, J Seal, B Sexton
5pm	R Jolly	M Leitao
Music	20th-21st October	27th-28th October
6pm	Veronica & Justin	Chris & Co
9am	Carmen, Louise & Choir	Carmen, Louise & Choir
11am	Billie & Co	Graham, Bernadette & Co
5pm	Joe, Kiara & Emily	Joe, Kiara & Emily
AV Ops	20th-21st October	27th-28th October
6pm	T Ryan	T Matthews
9am	T&M Said	T&M Said
11am	B Handasyde	C Curtain
5pm	L Seal	L Seal
P'point Prs	20th-21st October	27th-28th October
6pm	Vron	Wendy
9am	Terry	Terry
11am	Vron	Graham M
5pm	Vron	Vron
Altar Svrs	20th-21st October	27th-28th October
6pm	Volunteers needed	L Demo
9am	Volunteers needed	S Passmore, T Donnelly, D Kiernan
11am	Volunteers needed	L Huynh, S Prabawo
5pm	C&C Surace	M Sayah, J Melhem, M Gonsalves
Count. Tm	22nd October	29th October
	J Azzopardi, B Murphy, M Andrew	A Azzopardi, T Walker
Cleaning	25th October	1st November
	S&C Nugent, J Thoppil	A Barnard, E George, J Hasler
Flowers	25th October-1st November	25th October-1st November
	C Scantlebury, A Nguyen	C Scantlebury, A Nguyen
Piety Stall	20th-21st October	27th-28th October
Sat 6pm	Volunteers Needed	A Doran
Sun 9am	T Thomas	D Wooding
Sun 11am		B Sexton
	M Lane, G Lane	
C Liturgy	21st October	28th October
		There will be no Children's Liturgy in term 4
C Liturgy Sun 9am	21st October	

### **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 <u>High Spirits Co-Ord.</u> Dorinnia Burns

Email: highspiritsmornington@gmail.com *Macartan Club* - Bep Mether 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

#### <u>September Church Caretaker</u>:

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 15<sup>th</sup> October

Canasta 1:00 pm – Contact: Betty 5975 8497

# Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October

Film Group in the Parish Hall at 1:00 pm - Con-

tact: John 5975 2160

Friday 19th October

Solo 1:00 pm - Contact: Elaine 5977 1334

#### Save the Dates:

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

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.