



ST. MONICA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Moonee Ponds



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2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

16th January 2022

We respectfully acknowledge the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin nation, as the traditional caretakers of the land which is the St. Monica's Catholic Parish. We acknowledge the Elders, past & present. May we, too, be good stewards of this land.

MASS TIMES

Saturday: 8 am (weekday Mass),
6 pm (Vigil for Sunday)

Sunday: 8.30 am (Italian & English),
10.30 am, 5.30 pm

Tue-Fri: 7 am, 9.15am

Reconciliation: Sat - 10am and 5.30pm
or by private appointment

BAPTISM ON SUNDAY

We welcome these children who will be baptised this Sunday and remember them and their families in our prayers. May God bless.

**Ella Nicole Mifsud
Lincoln John Sutherland Miller
Ariella Angelina Akech Mawn**

PARISH OFFICE RE-OPENS

Our parish office will re-open from next week
Monday 17th January.

WEDDING THIS WEEK

Andrea Murabito & Stephanie Ferace

*We pray for them as they begin their married life.
Many blessings and congratulations!*

SCRIPTURES REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

Friday Scripture Session with Fr Tony now resumes on Zoom. You are more than welcome to join.

Fridays at 7 pm

[Click here for Link](#)

Meeting ID: 914 0120 3888

Passcode: 93705035

FUNERALS THIS WEEK

- ✠ **Funeral Mass for Emmanuel Sciberra**
- Tuesday 18th January at 11 am
- ✠ **Funeral Mass for Patricia Theodoropolous**
- Wednesday 19th January at 11.45am
- ✠ **Funeral Mass for Sebastiana Vasile**
- Thursday 20th January at 12pm

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them.*

CHURCH VACUUMING

Saturday 22nd 8.30am
Team 3

CHURCH LINEN (January)

Maria Giardina

ONLINE MASS

St Patrick's Cathedral Live Streaming will be available at

<http://melbournecatholic.org.au/Mass>

Mon-Fri: 1 pm / Sat: 8 am / Sun: 11 am

SUNDAY LITURGY @ Home:

Please click on each link below to find guided reflection for the second Sunday in Ordinary Time

[For Adults:](#) [For Families with Young Children:](#)

WE PRAY FOR the elderly and the sick

Marius Fernando; Dantina Frederico; Stella Mammone; Gino Salvo; Rosa Di Pietro; Lucia Bordin; Justin Diviny; Stephanie Jouhari; Anna & Garry Henneken; Nicholas Gillman; Jillian Eolzella; Loretta Bastian; Sally O'Farrell; Caterina Timpano; Charlie Tiang; Lena Savoia; Anne Ryan; Margaret Whelan; Geraldine Macken; Giuseppina Mammone; John Morello Snr.

RECENTLY DECEASED

*We remember in prayer,
Patricia Theodoropolous
May she rest in peace.*

ANNIVERSARIES

*In Faith, Hope and Love,
let us pray for repose of the souls of
Alice Feeney, Gesualdo Farfalla*

FIRST READING (Is 62:1-5)

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

About Zion I will not be silent,
about Jerusalem I will not grow weary,
until her integrity shines out like the dawn
and her salvation flames like a torch.
The nations then will see your integrity,
all the kings your glory,
and you will be called by a new name,
one which the mouth of the Lord will confer.
You are to be a crown of splendour in the
hand of the Lord,
a princely diadem in the hand of your God;
no longer are you to be named 'Forsaken',
nor your land 'Abandoned',
but you shall be called 'My Delight'
and your land 'The Wedded';
for the Lord takes delight in you
and your land will have its wedding.
Like a young man marrying a virgin,
so will the one who built you wed you,
and as the bridegroom rejoices in his bride,
so will your God rejoice in you.

The word of the Lord. — *Thanks be to God.*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R. Proclaim his marvellous deeds to all the nations.

O sing a new song to the Lord,
sing to the Lord all the earth.
O sing to the Lord, bless his name. **(R.)**

Proclaim his help day by day,
tell among the nations his glory
and his wonders among all the peoples. **(R.)**

Give the Lord, you families of peoples,
give the Lord glory and power,
give the Lord the glory of his name. **(R.)**

Worship the Lord in his temple.
O earth, tremble before him.
Proclaim to the nations: 'God is king.'
He will judge the peoples in fairness. **(R.)**

SECOND READING (1 Cor 12:4-11)

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

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. One may have the gift

of preaching with wisdom given him by the Spirit;
another may have the gift of preaching instruction given
him by the same Spirit; and another the gift of faith given
by the same Spirit; another again the gift of healing,
through this one Spirit; one, the power of miracles;
another, prophecy; another the gift of recognising spirits;
another the gift of tongues and another the ability to
interpret them. All these are the work of one and the
same Spirit, who distributes different gifts to different
people just as he chooses.

The word of the Lord. — *Thanks be to God.*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
God has called us with the gospel
to share in the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL (Jn 2:1-11)

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee. The mother of
Jesus was there, and Jesus and his disciples had also been
invited. When they ran out of wine, since the wine
provided for the wedding was all finished, the mother of
Jesus said to him, 'They have no wine.' Jesus said,
'Woman, why turn to me? My hour has not come yet.' His
mother said to the servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.'
There were six stone water jars standing there, meant for
the ablutions that are customary among the Jews; each
could hold twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to the
servants, 'Fill the jars with water,' and they filled them to
the brim. 'Draw some out now' he told them, 'and take it
to the steward.' They did this; the steward tasted the
water, and it had turned into wine. Having no idea where
it came from – only the servants who had drawn the
water knew – the steward called the bridegroom and
said, 'People generally serve the best wine first, and keep
the cheaper sort till the guests have had plenty to drink,
but you have kept the best wine till now.'
This was the first of the signs given by Jesus: it was given
at Cana in Galilee. He let his glory be seen, and his
disciples believed in him.

The Gospel of the Lord. — *Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.*

