



CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF SANDHURST

ST JOSEPH'S ✠ ST MONICA'S SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL

CLUSTER OF PARISHES

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We gather, pray, and celebrate on the traditional land
of the Dja Dja Wurrung people.

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

Our parishes are committed to child safety. All children and young people who come to our parishes have a right to feel and be safe. The welfare of the children and young people in our care will always be our first priority and we have a zero tolerance of child abuse.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR B : 5TH MAY 2024

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Mr Andrew Howe



Friendship With Jesus

BENDIGO CHAMBER CHOIR

Beautiful music in beautiful spaces.
5pm Saturday May 11th - Sacred Heart Cathedral
Todd - Jazz Missa Brevis
Haydn - Nelson Mass
Barber — - Agnus Dei

For more details, see flyer in Cathedral.

MASS CANCELLATION

St Monica's 10th May - 9.30am Mass

ANOINTING MASS

At St Joseph's, Quarry Hill Thursday 9th May, 9am.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN (RCIC)

Most of us are baptized into the Catholic Church as infants or small children.

For a number of reasons, other families wait for presenting their child for baptism.

RCIC is a program of baptism preparation for children between the ages of 7-18 years.

We accept that children reach the age of reason at 7-8 years.

RCIC is a program designed for a person's emerging sense of independence and choice.

The new dates for children/families who are interested are as follows: Tuesdays: 23rd April, 30th April, 7th May, 21st May and 28th May at 4pm. These will be held in the Presbytery 66 Short Street, Bendigo.

Materials will be handed out at every session.

For enquiries contact the Parish Office on 5443 4400 or email Fr DJ dj.suguitan@sandhurst.catholic.org.au

PART-TIME UNIT OF CLINICAL PASTORAL EDUCATION (CPE) IN BENDIGO 2024

A part-time Unit of CPE will be conducted in Bendigo in the second semester of 2024, from Wed. 10th July to Thurs. 28th November. The course will be conducted by the North-east Victoria CPE Centre.

It will be supervised by Anne Wieczorek, a Spiritual Care Practitioner at Bendigo Health, who is an accredited Provisional Clinical Pastoral Educator, and Louise Ross, a Pastoral Carer at Wharparilla Lodge Echuca Community for the Aged, and a Provisional Clinical Pastoral Supervisor.

It will be conducted in meeting rooms at Bendigo Baptist Church, 757 Mclvor Hwy, Junortoun.

The program will be conducted on Wednesdays from 9:00 am – 4.00 pm, with attendance on 3 Thursdays also required (11th July 26th September, and 28th November).

A further one and a half days each week is required for the delivery of spiritual/pastoral care in an approved placement and further time is also needed for writing reports on spiritual/pastoral encounters, so participants need to be able to devote at least 3 days each week for the 21 weeks of the program.

Prospective applicants should contact the Course Coordinator, Anne Wieczorek, at annewz@westnet.com.au or on 0401 979 417, for further information and to request an application form.



LAUDATO SI' WEEK 19th – 26th May is a global celebration where we remember Pope Francis urging us in his encyclical *Laudato Si'* to hear the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor and to humbly place ourselves in communion with our common home. Significantly, Pope Francis promulgated *Laudato si'* in 2015 on the Feast of Pentecost. As a Catholic Earthcare Parish we celebrate our part in the great progress the whole Church is making on its journey towards the seven *Laudato Si'* Goals set before us by Pope Francis to achieve ecological conversion.

BENDIGO WINTER NIGHT SHELTER 2024:

BWNS commences June 1 until August 31st. This is a program coordinated by churches in Bendigo, providing 'shelter, food and dignity' for homeless individuals in our area. Please google bwns.org.au for more information on this program and ways individuals can help.

St Kilian's parish will again be 'host' for this every second Wednesday at the designated venue.

Each year our parishioners have volunteered their time and talents to support this 'outreach' program in many different ways: cooking, kitchen hands, shift workers. My role, as venue coordinator for St Kilian's, is to organise meals for our nights. In the past we have provided soup, a main meal and dessert. I usually pick up the meals and deliver to the venue. I am asking for parishioners to consider how they may be able to help, particularly with meals.

You may be great at making desserts, or love making soups, or pretty good with pasta.

I try to roster three or four people each time so no one person is expected to provide a whole meal.

I would love to hear from anyone interested in providing food for the dinners.

Please email me at b60carr@gmail.com or call me 0403955457

MONTHLY HOLY HOUR

"Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. 29 Take my yoke up on you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls." (Mt 11:28-29)

Join us as we bring ourselves to encounter and adore Jesus Christ, in the Most Blessed Sacrament at Sacred Heart Cathedral, commencing on Friday, 10 May 2024, 5:30PM and the first Fridays of the months thereafter (7 June, 5 July, 3 August, 6 September, 4 October, 1 November).

What have you to bring? What in you needs the healing of our Lord? In stillness, we come into and rest in the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Christ really present in the Most Blessed Sacrament, who is always forgiving, always merciful, always compassionate, always loving.

**SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL CLUSTER—
SOCIAL LUNCHEON**

Thursday 16th May 2024 at 12 Noon at Bendigo
Stadium - All Welcome!
For bookings call Suzanne 0435 836 812

Fr Mike Pullar in Retirement.

Those Kangaroo Flat/Golden Square parishioners
who would like to contact Fr Mike Pullar as the
previous Parish Priest can contact the parish office
on 5443 4400 for details.

SERRA CLUB

We are called to pray for priestly vocations. Please take a bookmark provided by the Bendigo Serra Club with a prayer for vocations and a prayer for priests. The primary work of the Serra Club is to pray for and promote vocations in the Church. We have a Holy Hour every 2nd Thursday of the month at St Kilian's Church from 11am, followed by Mass and then a cuppa and meeting. All are welcome to join. Please continue to pray for priests and for more vocations!

	CATHEDRAL— 12TH MAY 2024		ST MONICA'S— 11th/12th MAY 2024		ST JOSEPH'S 11TH MAY
	8.30AM	11.00AM	SAT 6PM	SUN 9AM	SAT 6PM
COMMENTATOR			Volunteer Please	D McMahon	C Williams
READER 1	M Flynn	V Novabos	P Adams	J Merckel	L Wright
READER 2	M O'Brien	J Freeman			
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	J Parker	B Lougoon	A Clancey	J Ritchie	M Goggin
	Y Laventure	A Wood			
OFFERTORY	M Murphy	R Gabriel	B & M Cockerall	D & R Buchanan	
ALTAR SOCIETY	May 10th Team 1 (Names on roster)		May 11th/12th - M Wilson, C Conforti		

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL IN OUR PARISHES WHO ARE SICK OR UNDERGOING MEDICAL PROCEDURES AND TREATMENTS

Tess Dockter, Gary Muller, Carmel Moon, Mary Mooney, Gerald Kavanagh, Glenda Waddington, Mathew Craine, John Mangan, Bruno Zausa, Theresa Cain, Maureen O'Keefe, Elaine Kelly, Rose Capicchiano, Audrey Drechsler, John Whelan, Kath Munari, April Twyford, Ben Castles, Kay Ross, Audrey Hope, Brendan Drechsler, Pat Fitzpatrick, Pat Bonham, Bob Hayden, Lauren Horton, Malcolm Connolly.

RECENTLY DECEASED: PAUL BURNS

ANNIVERSARIES OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Peter Verbeek, Dollie Thomas, Val Dean, Eileen Tuohy, Ruth Bedgood, Rosina Guidice, Joshua Maher, Ian Hall, Matthew Kelly, Jack Dullard, Maureen Considine, Terry Gallagher, Manuel DeAraugo, Nerissa Hafenden — Alan Hauser, Anne Casey, Eileen O'Brien, Hanna Kiely, Patricia Bryant, Mary Louise Lyon, Denise Clifford, Doreen Barry, Carmel Gleeson, Frances Whalen, Alex Wilson, Jill Halloran, Donna Tickell, Michael Kennedy - Bridget Abberton, Peta Comerford, Anton Berketa, John Drechsler, William Murdoch, Claire Fogarty, Walter Griffiths, Frederick Donohue, Alby Wilson, Eileen Linehan.

MUSIC FOR SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL

References below refer to *Catholic Worship Book II*
Please collect CWBII from trolleys at the entrances.

Entrance - CWB 371 This is the Feast of Victory

Mass Setting - 8.30am CWB 27 *Mass Shalom*(1977,2010) by Colin Smith, CFC (1928-2005)

11am Kyrie and Agnus from *Mass for Three Voices* (c. 1593) by William Byrd (1540-1623)

Gloria and Eucharistic Acclamations from *Mass for the City* (1991,2010) by Richard Proulx (1937-2010)

Prep. Of Gifts - 8.30am CWB 626 This is My Will (alt tune: SUANTRAI)

11am Choir *This Joyful Easter Time (Dutch Carol)* by G.R. Woodward (1848-1934) arr. Charles Wood (1866-1926)

Communion - CWThe Strife is O'er (Tune: Victory) Refrain: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

11am Choir If Ye Love Me (1565) by Thomas Tallis (c.1505-1585)

Recessional - CWB 385 Filled with the Spirit's Power (cf. IR)

Postlude - 8.30am Toccata in G—Theodore Dubois (1837–1924)

FIRST READING

Acts of the Apostles 10:25-26. 34-35. 44-48

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

As Peter reached the house Cornelius went out to meet him, knelt at his feet and prostrated himself. But Peter helped him up. 'Stand up,' he said, 'I am only a man after all!'

Then Peter addressed them: 'The truth I have now come to realise' he said, 'is that God does not have favourites, but that anybody of any nationality who fears God and does what is right is acceptable to him.'

While Peter was still speaking the Holy Spirit came down on all the listeners. Jewish believers who had accompanied Peter were all astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit should be poured out on the pagans too, since they could hear them speaking strange languages and proclaiming the greatness of God. Peter himself then said, 'Could anyone refuse the water of baptism to these people, now they have received the Holy Spirit just as much as we have?' He then gave orders for them to be baptised in the name of Jesus Christ. Afterwards they begged him to stay on for some days.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 97:1-4. R. cf v. 2

R. The Lord has revealed to the nations, revealed his saving power.

SECOND READING

1 John 4:7-10

A reading from the first letter of St John

My dear people, let us love one another since love comes from God and everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God.

Anyone who fails to love can never have known God, because God is love.

God's love for us was revealed when God sent into the world his only Son so that we could have life through him; this is the love I mean: not our love for God, but God's love for us when he sent his Son to be the sacrifice that takes our sins away.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

John 14:23

Alleluia, alleluia!

All who love me will keep my words,
and my Father will love them and we will come to them.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 15:9-17

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

Jesus said to his disciples: 'As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you.

Remain in my love.

If you keep my commandments you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love.

I have told you this so that my own joy may be in you and your joy be complete.

This is my commandment: love one another, as I have loved you.

A man can have no greater love than to lay down his life for his friends.

You are my friends, if you do what I command you, I shall not call you servants any more, because a servant does not know

his master's business; I call you friends, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father.

You did not choose me, no, I chose you; and I commissioned you to go out and to bear fruit, fruit that will last; and then the Father will give you anything you ask him in my name.

What I command you is to love one another.'

NEXT SUNDAYS READINGS:

ACTS 1:1-11

EPH 1:17-23

MARK 16:15-20