

St Peter Apostle Mission Parish

38 Guinane Avenue, Hoppers Crossing 3029
Archdiocese of Melbourne

Committed to the safety, well-being and dignity of children and vulnerable adults



14 October 2018
28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year B



DEVOTIONAL PRAYER FOR OCTOBER

For Migrants & Refugees

Lord Jesus, today you call us to welcome the members of God's family who come to our land to escape oppression, poverty, persecution, violence and war.

Lord Jesus, help us by your grace:

To banish fear from our hearts, that we may embrace each of your children as our own brother and sister;

To welcome migrants and refugees with joy and generosity, while responding to their many needs;

To give witness to your love for all people, as we celebrate the many gifts they bring.

We praise you and give you thanks for the family you have called together from so many people. We make this prayer through Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Amen

Entrance
Antiphon

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?
But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.

1st 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

Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

2nd Reading
Heb 4:12-13

A reading from the letter of St. Paul 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!**

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OFFICE HOURS

Mon to Fri: 9:00am – 3:30pm

CONTACT DETAILS

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Charles English

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WEEKEND MASSES

Sat: 6:00pm

Sun: 8:30am, 10:30am, 5:00pm

Filipino – 4th Sun at 12:00 noon

Polish – 1st Sun at 3:30pm

Spanish – 1st & 3rd Sun at 1:15pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri: 8:30am

Wed: 8:30am & 7:00pm

Sat: 9:15am

CONFESSIONS

Wed: After 7:00pm Mass

Sat: After 9:15am Mass

DEVOTIONS

First Friday: 7:00pm to 10:00pm

Morning Prayer

Mon to Fri 8:00am

Sat 9:00am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Fri 9:00am & Divine Mercy Chaplet

Sat 2:30pm

Next Healing Mass

3 November 18, 1:30 to 4:30pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Novena

Wed after 7:00pm Mass

Rosary

Mon to Fri 8:10am

Sat 8:40am

Sun 8:10am

BAPTISMS

1st & 3rd Sundays at 12 noon

Baptism Preparation Meeting

1st Monday of the month, 7:00pm

WEDDINGS

By Appointment

ANOINTING OF THE SICK, HOUSE BLESSINGS & VISITS

Call Parish Office on 9749 4300

ALL QUERIES

Parish Office 9749 4300

Gospel
Mk 10:17-30

A reading from the holy Gospel according to St. 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.' Peter took this up. 'What about us?' he asked him. 'We have left everything and followed you.' Jesus said, 'I tell you solemnly, there is no one who has left house, brothers, sisters, father, children or land for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not be repaid a hundred times over, houses, brothers, sisters, mothers, children and land – not without persecutions – now in this present time and, in the world to come, eternal life.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Communion The rich suffer want and go hungry, but those
Antiphon who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

Next week's **Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45**
Readings

Feasts of the **St. Teresa of Jesus** **Mon, 15 Oct**
Week **St. Ignatius of Antioch** **Sat, 17 Oct**
St. Luke **Thu, 18 Oct**

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READERS AND COMMUNION MINISTERS

Can we please request Readers and Communion Ministers to return their Christmas / New Year Availability forms in the next couple of weeks so we are able to start on the new roster. Thank you.

ROSTERS

Money Counters – 21 October 18

Pravin Albuquerque / Clarence D'Souza / Grace Sharman

Readers – 20/21 October 18

6:00pm	Wilfred D'Cruz
8:30am	Kitty Stuttard
10:30am	Youth Mass
5:00pm	Indika Fernando

**Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
20/21 October 18**

6:00pm	Josie T. / E. Mills / A. D'Lima / S. Martis
8:30am	S. Gomez / K. Fernandes / G. Siccita / C. Coelho
10:30am	Youth Mass
5:00pm	A. Etienne / J. Phan Lai / C. Skinner / Volunteer

Music Ministry – 20/21 October 18

6:00pm	Mater Dolorosa
8:30am	Shirley & Group
10:30am	FilOz
5:00pm	AHFI

PARISH NEWS

PARISH REFURBISHMENT

Dear Parishioners. Most major church refurbishment works as originally planned have now been completed. Final lane line markings will be undertaken next weekend. The car park refurbishment is expected to be undertaken in January 2019 during school holidays. Thank you to each one of you for your patience during this difficult time of refurbishment. God Bless you all. Fr Vincent John CMI.

YOUTH MASS

Our next Youth Mass is on October 21st at 10:30am. Please put this date in your calendar so that we can have all the youth in our parish attend this mass and make it a truly youth celebration. If any youth of our parish want to join in the prayers or reading, please call Rhea on 0419 046 809. There will be a special blessing by Fr. Vincent over all youth that attend. There will also be morning tea after mass. Please bring a plate to share.

PALMS AUSTRALIA invites you to Explore A New Horizon. Catholic communities overseas seek help from qualified and experienced Australians in a variety of professions to lift their people out of poverty. Tap into 1 to 2 year assignments in Asia, Africa or the Pacific. Recent field trips to Timor Leste, Papua New Guinea and Myanmar reinforce the value of the mission. There is an opportunity to attend a Palms Australia Info Night on 16 October at 5:30pm at Ross House, Jenny Florence Room, 247 Flinders Lane, Melbourne.. Tel. (03) 9560 5333.

THE MULTICULTURAL MASS will be held on **Sunday, 28th October 2018 at 10:30am**. All communities are requested to participate in this annual celebration of our cultural diversity and the sharing of traditional food.

Please note that there will be a Rehearsal on **Saturday, 27th October 2018 at 10:00am in the church**. All those who are actively participating in the liturgical celebration, including flag bearers, are required to attend.

LIFE, MARRIAGE & FAMILY SUNDAY – 14TH OCTOBER

Father will give a special blessing for pregnant mums and their unborn babies at the conclusion of all Masses this weekend

To coincide with Life, Marriage & Family Sunday, copies of *Living Icons: Mothers, Fathers and the Gospel of the Family* - the 2018 Life, Marriage & Family Sunday publication are available in the Church foyer.

CHAIRS

The parish will be selling the old white plastic chairs which were used in the foyer for the Easter and Christmas Masses for \$2 a chair. If you would like to purchase some, the sheds in the school yard will be open after all Masses next weekend, 20/21 October 18.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

A 3rd collection will be taken up on the Weekend of 20/21 October for World Mission Sunday. We thank you for your support.

PROMISED WEEKLY AMOUNT:	\$4236.00
ENVELOPES/CR CARD/BANK CR:	\$3361.07
CHURCH A/C:	\$1293.15
PRESBYTERY A/C:	\$1138.10
CHAPLAINCY	\$ 162.65

REOPENING OF THE PIETY STORE !!

Thank you to Fr. Vincent and the Building Projects Team for the refurbishment. Come and browse. Divine Mercy and Columban Wall Calendars for 2019 are on sale for \$9 each. Pocket calendars for \$7 (Limited number). Christmas Cards \$3 per packet of 8 cards. Nativity sets etc. See our catalogue. Orders can be taken. Plus our usual array of pious goods.

MARIAN COLLEGE, SUNSHINE WEST

Enrolments for Year 7 2020 onwards are now being accepted. Limited places available for Years 8 to 12, 2019. Book your open morning tour of the school today! Visit www.mariansw.catholic.edu.au or call 9363 1711.

SAUSAGE SIZZLE & LADIES AUXILIARY SCONE STALL

This weekend, there will be a Sausage Sizzle after all Masses and St. Peters Ladies Aux. will be holding a Scone Stall. So, buy a sausage from Margaret and then purchase some scones for dessert please. The money made helps the Ladies Aux. provide Special Occasion Flowers etc. for our Church. Margaret Craigie is looking for people to help her with the sausage sizzle, so if you are able to give her a hand, please see Margaret before Mass.

ST. JAMES FETE

You are invited to the St James community fete at 336 Derrimut Road, Hoppers Crossing North on Saturday 20 October from 10:00am to 4:00pm. There will be rides, entertainment, food, fairy floss, show bags, face painting, white elephant, spinning wheel, cake stall and much more. Come along and join in the fun that a fete offers.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

"Come and See"

What the St. Vincent de Paul Society actually is. Where do the huge money donations go ?

How you might help.

Saturday 27th October at St. Peter's Community Centre, 8:45am to 11:00am

Free Morning Tea

RSVP before Tues 23rd October to Leo Wandersmith on 9734 7978 / 0404 146 603

RECENTLY DECEASED: We pray for Ambrose Aranha, Glacobe Huynh Van Quy, Robert Wells, Jose Austria, Christine Holt, Stella Gonsalves and all those who passed away recently.

DEATH ANNIVERSARIES: We pray for Thomas Smith, William Milroy, Gabriel Lovisatto, Noel Noronha, Camilo Ferrer Sr., Eduardo Cahoy Snr., Gordon Arney, Dorothy Macedo, Edward Macedo, Clement Thomas and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: We pray for Leo & Shirley Linehan, Lydia (Aleida) Van Susteren, Gary Spotswood, Stan Walkden, Sean Donaldson, Liam Parr, Edith Street, Irene Jones, Bob Meehan, Rita Dubowik, Thais Long, Sr. Eileen Jones, Lucy Ballan, Cynthia Middleton, Fran Kisielewski, Josie Walsh, Emmanuel Bernardo, Ewa Polanska, Lorraine Brooks, Aiden Welsford, Anne Binesh, Anne Kelly, Penny Heywood, Beatrice Morgan and all who are ill in our Parish.