Groups and Meetings

BAPTISM PREPARATION: 1st Sunday of the month 2.00pm for more information or registration call the Parish Office or visit our website.

RCIA: For adults interested to join the Catholic Faith. Classes to begin soon. For enquiries, contact Joy Adriaanse on 5991 5669.

RCIC: For older children who have not completed their Sacraments. St Agatha's Providence House, Cranbourne. Enq. Fiona 5998 0947.

YOUTH GROUP: Meets twice a month at St Peter's College. For enquiries please contact Angelin Tom 0422 127 624, email: zionyouthgp@gmail.com FB: www.facebook.com/groups/zionyouthgrp/

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (R.E.): For children who are in non-catholic schools. Every Wednesday at St Agatha's Parish Hall, Cranbourne, 4.00pm - 5.00pm. Enq: Fiona 5998 0947

Mass Intentions

Saturday (24/4) 6.00pm: Linus Johnson (B'day remb)

Sunday (25/4) 9.00am: Deceased members of the Andolfatto & McHale families

Sunday (25/4) 10.45am: People of the Parish

Tuesday (27/4): Stenio Ross (4th Death Anniv)

Wednesday (28/4): Family & friends of the O'Keefe & Kearns families

Thursday (29/4): Elizabeth & Jim O'Brien for good health

Friday (30/4): Antanas Laugalis (1st Anniv)

Saturday (1/5): Pray for Good Health (private)

Pray for the sick: Fr Bernard Buckley, Fr Brian Gleeson, Luicile Noel, Sue Dower, Michael Garoni, Salvador

Guidos, Deidre Thomson & Albert Hartung, Greg Recalde

Recently deceased: Salvatore (Sam) Limoli, Telesia Tafaoiali'i, Les De La Haye

Death anniversary/Remembrance: Fr Maurice Hoyne, Fr Timothy O'Brien, Fr Francis Moore, Samuel Joyce

Parish Council Members:

Fr Denis, Vivian Crasto, Dezlene Orchard, Mick Rvan, Jonathan Rubite, Shiran Jayamaha, Tom Joseph and Sandra Ignace.

Parish Finance

Members: Fr Denis,

Sinclair Thomas, Patrick

Ross, Helene Jayamaha,

Peter Gomez.

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Eucharistic Minister								
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St Thomas the Apostle

Catholic Parish, Clyde North



Church: St Peter's College, 55 MacKillop Way, Cnr Heather Grove, Clyde North

Parish Priest: Fr Denis O'Bryan

Parish Office: 50 Heather Grove, Cranbourne East (PO Box 6089, Clyde VIC 3978)

Parish Office Hours: Tuesday – Friday 9.00am – 3.00pm

Parish Office Phone: 5998 0947

Email: parish@stthomasap.org.au

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> Email: Clydenorth.Secretary2@cdsale.org.au Fiona Goh

Parish Safeguarding Officer: Corralee Floyd (Wednesday 9.00am – 3.00pm)

Email: Clydenorth.Safety@cdsale.org.au

"My Lord and My God!"

Website: www.stthomasap.org.au www.facebook.com/stthomasap

Email: Clydenorth.Secretary1@cdsale.org.au

WELCOME TO OUR MASS

4th Sunday of Easter (Year B) – 25th April 2021

Masses & Reconciliation Times

Sunday Mass

(entrance via Heather Grove, St Peter's College

Clyde Campus) May Booking

https://www.trybooking.com/BQSXT

Vigil Saturday Mass: 6.00pm

Sunday 9.00am (streamed live) & 10.45am

Weekday Masses

entrance via St Peter's College Reception

April weekday Mass Booking

https://www.trybooking.com/BQABO

May weekday Mass Booking

https://www.trybooking.com/BQUBT

Tues (27/4), Fri (30/4), Sat (1/5): 9.15am

NO MASS on Wed (28/4) & Thur (29/4)

Baptism

Baptism Preparation 1st Sunday every month. Sacrament of Baptism

most Sundays.

Reconciliation

Every Saturday after morning Mass at the Parish Office.

Every Saturday 5.30pm to 5.45pm.

Or by appointment.

Parish Schools

St Thomas the Apostle Primary School

5 Fiorelli Boulevard, Cranbourne

East

Phone: 5998 9293

Principal: Mrs Kate Dourley

St Peter's Secondary College (Clyde North Campus)

55 MacKillop Way, Clyde North Phone: 5990 7777

Principal: Mr Chris Black

Prayer of Saint Thomas the Apostle

Glorious Saint Thomas, Your love for Jesus, and faith in Him as your Lord and God, are an inspiration for all who seek Jesus. You gave up your life for Him as an Apostle, and as a missionary. You encourage us to be courageous in giving witness to our faith and in proclaiming the Gospel. You lead us to be missionary in our endeavours. As our patron, pray for us as we build a new Catholic Church in Clyde North. We ask your intercession that we may spend ourselves in the service of Jesus and His mission. Under your watchful care may we grow in faith, and generously use our talents, gifts and vision in the service of Christ Jesus, and in love for our neighbour. St Thomas the Apostle Pray For Us

First Reading

Acts 4:8-12

The name of Jesus Christ is the only name in which we can be saved

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 117:1,8-9,21-23,26,28-29

R: The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,

for his love has no end.

It is better to take refuge in the Lord

than to trust in men;

it is better to take refuge in the Lord

than to trust in princes. R.

I will thank you for you have answered and you are my saviour.

The stone which the builders rejected

has become the corner stone.

This is the work of the Lord,

a marvel in our eyes. **R.**

Blessed in the name of the Lord is he who comes.

We bless you from the house of the Lord;

You are my God, I thank you.

My God, I praise you.

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good;

for his love has no end. R.

Second Reading

1 John 3:1-2

John 10:11-18

We shall be like God because we shall see him as he really is

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me. Alleluia!

Gospel

The good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep

'I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep. The hired man, since he is not the shepherd and the sheep do not belong to him, abandons the sheep and runs away as soon as he sees a wolf coming, and then the wolf attacks and scatters the sheep; this is because he is only a hired man

and has no concern for the sheep. 'I am the good shepherd; I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for my sheep. And there are other sheep I have that are not of this fold, and these I have to lead as well. They too will listen to my voice, and there will be only one flock, and one shepherd. 'The Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me; I lay it down of my own free will, and as it is in my power to lay it down, so it is in my power to take it up again; and this is the command I have been given by my Father.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Memorial Acclamation

Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.

NOTICE

GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY - This Sunday is also known as Good Shepherd Sunday. It is also the national commemoration of ANZAC Day. Sunday in Easter takes precedence over this commemoration.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE PARISH – We are so grateful and thankful for your ongoing support. Your contribution has helped the parish perform the regular work as well as prepare for the building of our new church. Please call the Parish Office if you would like to support by Cash, Credit Card or through Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT). Or you can contribute directly to **CDF PAY** with this **NEW link.https://sale.cdfpay.org.au/**

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: There will be a <u>Parent Formation Meeting at St Thomas the Apostle Primary School on Tuesday 27th April at 7pm or on Tuesday 4th May at 7pm for all children who wish to make the Sacrament of Confirmation with the parish this year. <u>Attendance at one of the meetings in obligatory.</u></u>

COMBINED CATHOLIC PARISH RAFFLE: All new Suzuki Baleno to be won and up to 20 prizes! To enter tickets can be purchased after Masses each weekend for \$2 each. You are also welcome to take booklets with you to sell at \$20 each. Please take only one booklet at a time. Raffle drawn June 5th 2021.



Ticket sales close 7th May 2021 and all booklets to be returned to the parish office by 8th May 2021.

Victorian Commission for Gambling Regulation Permit No -10110/21

ANZAC DAY COMMEMORATION & MORNING TEA: Monday 26th April. ANZAC Ceremony from 10.30am-11am, Morning Tea from 11.11am – 11.40am. St Peter's College Clyde Nth. RSVP to pwoodbridge@stpeters.vic.edu.au

ZION YOUTH GROUP OPEN NIGHT 2021: The group will be gathering for the first meeting of 2021! All age groups from 11-25 are welcome! The group will be split into 3 groups based on age. Come and experience the joy & excitement of a faith filled life with peers your own age! We are a group that focuses on how Jesus is relevant to you as a young person in this crazy world we live in today! It will be a space where we can explore what we believe, in the context of the Church, in a way that is exciting, relevant, fun, creative and new!! And let's not forget that there will also be great opportunities for future outings, retreats and camps! PLEASE JOIN US!!



Friday 30th April 6.30pm - 8.30pm. St Peter's College, Clyde Nth.

TOPIC: Personal Encounter. FREE Mystery Dinner Box Provided!!. For further enquiries contact 5998 0947.

** BOOKING REQUIRED https://www.trybooking.com/BQRRY**

NEW VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR OUR PARISH MASSES: Please contact the roster team coordinators for each of those masses: Saturday 6pm - Rita: 0418568548 Email: luna18545@bigpond.com. Sunday 9 am - Sonia: 0458 252 938 Email: soniamilagroruiz@hotmail.com Sunday 10.45am - Peter: 0428670777 Email: emmapet@hotmail.com.

LECTOR & EUCHARISTIC MINISTER WORKSHOP – for new & existing volunteers. Saturday 8th May 11am at St Peter's College **FORMED.ORG** is an app that has thousands of books, movies, audio & programs for children and adults that answers questions or increase your knowledge about the Catholic Faith. Get this app for FREE! Call the Parish Office for your code today!! Recommended video: Glorious Mysteries-The Resurrection.

NAPCAN - In preparation for National Child Protection Week, this year's Children's Art Activity for encourages children and young people to create artworks about what they think is important in their neighbourhoods. This ties in with the theme for 2021 that *'Every child, in every community, needs a fair go'* because 'To treat all of Australia's children fairly, we need to make sure every family and community has what kids need to thrive and be healthy'. Ideally, NAPCAN are looking for collaborative artworks, but individual entries will also be most welcome. Entries received before 4 May will go in the running for a range of small prizes. For more information: https://www.napcan.org.au/

PIETY STALL – Purchase your religious items here. For enquiries, call Rick & Anita on 0450 782 558 or visit their website http://holybeginnings.com/

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Good Shepherd Sunday (this weekend 25/4) – Your (tax deductable) donation will support the living arrangements and education for the Corpus Christi College seminarians. Following the ordination of three priests for our Diocese in December, we only have one now in formation at our provincial seminary, Corpus Christi College in Carlton. He is Mark Hughes of Cranbourne. We welcome Mark Hughes who will be speaking at all our Masses this weekend. Donate via https://ctc.edu.au/community/good-shepherd-sunday-appeal/.

Trinity Families May 2021 Appeal next weekend

Bishop Greg urges everyone to give generously to the May 2021 Appeal by donating. Trinity Families runs program in the Diocese of Sale to assist families in need like counselling services, support for cancer patients & combatting drug & alcohol addiction. **Those wanting a receipt for Taxation purposes are asked to use the envelopes available in the church.**

YEAR OF ST JOSEPH

On 1 May the Catholic Church celebrates the feast of St Joseph the Worker. Each year the Australian Catholic Bishops take this opportunity to reflect on issues concerning the world of work. Their letters have addressed unemployment, underemployment, insecure and casualised work, the meaning of work, the quest for decent work and much more. Thus they have developed a body of teaching on work. Furthermore, their annual Pastoral Letters for this occasion offer a uniquely Australian contribution to Catholic Social Teaching.

Watch this year's brief video and read the 2021 Pastoral Letter by Bishop Vincent Long http://bit.ly/stjosephtheworker2021

Prayer to St Joseph By Pope Francis

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man. Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage, and defend us from every evil. Amen.

Prayer for ANZAC Day:

Gracious and loving God, the cross of Christ is the sign of your desire for justice and peace for all. Open our minds to your vision as we remember all who suffered through Australia and New Zealand's involvement in wars, conflicts and peacekeeping operations. Grant all servicepersons who sacrificed health and life for the good of all, the gift of your deep peace. May we who inherit the freedom for which they fought become instruments of your peace in our homes, workplaces and world. We ask this prayer through Christ our Lord, Amen.

SAFEGUARDING - Our Parish is committed to providing a safe and supportive environment for all people with special concern for children, young people and adults at risk. Our Safeguarding Officer, Corralee Floyd, can be contacted via email Clydenorth.safety@cdsale.org.au or 5998 0947. **Toilet safety - For safety and security reasons, we strongly recommend that all children, under 12 years of age, be accompanied by their parent/guardian.**