

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: Ages: 12-25years old. Meets fortnightly at St Peter's College. For enquiries, please the 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
ST VINNIES PHONE ROOM – if you or someone you know needs assistance from St Vinnies, please call 5995 0211.

Mass Intentions

Saturday (30/7) 6.00pm: Departed souls of the Goh, Yong & Monteiro families
Sunday (31/7) 9.00am: Celine Tissera & Punci Menika (Remb)
 10.45am: Apolinario Gorne (Remb)

Monday (1/8): No Mass
Tuesday (2/8): No Mass
Wednesday (3/8): No Mass
Thursday (4/8): No Mass
Friday (5/8): For good health: Mary Gartland
Saturday (6/8): Ivor Peters (Death anniv)

Pray for the sick: Mary Gartland, Fr Bernard Buckley, Fr Brian Gleeson, Luicile Noel, Sue Dower, Salvador Guidos, Albert Hartung, Greg Recalde, Carol Vincenzi, Evelyn Camille, Emma Willrow, Fr John Speakman, Jared Te Pairi.

Recently deceased: Maree Velten (Paul Velten's mother), Peterson Pereira

Death Anniversary/Remembrance: Olga Mackay, Anthony Clarke, Marlene Fitzgerald

Parish Council Members:

Fr Denis, Vivian Crasto, Dezlene Orchard, Mick Ryan, Jonathan Rubite, Sandra Ignace, Jessica Paynter and Jerusha Thompson

Parish Finance

Members: Fr Denis, Sinclair Thomas, Patrick Ross, Helene Jayamaha, Peter Gomez, Heidi Keel, Ruwan Kumaraperu

Rosters	Roster (refer to list handed out)					
Open/lock-up Set-up/pack-up						
Outdoor Greeters						
Altar						
Lector						
Eucharistic Minister						
Registration						
Usher						
Powerpoint						
Cleaners						
Altar Linen						
Next week's readings:	Wi 18:6-9	He 11:1-2, 8-19	Lk 12:32-48			

New Parishioner Registration (to return, drop this form in the Parish Office Box at Church or the Parish Office):

Please complete this card so that we register you as a parishioner and send you a welcome letter

Please circle – Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss

CHRISTIAN NAME: _____ SURNAME: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ MOBILE: _____ EMAIL: _____

OCCUPATION: _____ RELIGION: _____

Please circle – Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss

CHRISTIAN NAME: _____ SURNAME: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ MOBILE: _____ EMAIL: _____

OCCUPATION: _____ RELIGION: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Would you like to join the Stewardship Program and support the parish financially? YES / NO

If Yes, please select one from the following: ENVELOPES / CREDIT CARD / DIRECT DEBIT

Weekly / Fortnightly (DD only) / Monthly / Other (please specify) _____

CHILDREN INFORMATION: (please attach paper for additional children)

FIRST NAME	SURNAME	GENDER	RELIGION	BIRTH DATE	OCCUPATION/SCHOOL NAME

St Thomas the Apostle

Catholic Parish, Clyde North



"My Lord and My God!"

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

Pastoral Associate: Sr Juliana Ogbole **Email:** clydenorth.pastoralassociate@cdsale.org.au

Parish Secretaries: Christine Salu **Email:** Clydenorth.Secretary1@cdsale.org.au

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

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

Email: Clydenorth.Safety@cdsale.org.au

WELCOME TO OUR MASS

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) – 31st July 2022

Masses & Reconciliation Times

Sunday Masses

St Peter's College Clyde North
 (entrance via Heather Gv) **Upper Level.**

Saturday Vigil: 6pm
 Sunday: 9am, 10.45am

Weekday Masses

(Prayer Room @ St Peter's College)

Mon – Thur : No Mass

Fri (5/8) – Sat (6/8): 9.30am

Baptism

Baptism Preparation 1st Sunday every month.
 Sacrament of Baptism most Sundays.

Reconciliation

Every Friday & 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

Ecc 1:2,2:21-23

Vanity of vanities; all is vanity

The Word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

R: *O Lord, you have been our refuge from one generation to the next.*

You turn men back to dust

and say: ‘Go back, sons of men.’

To your eyes a thousand years

are like yesterday, come and gone,

no more than a watch in the night. **R.**

You sweep men away like a dream,

like the grass which springs up in the morning.

In the morning it springs up and flowers:

by evening it withers and fades. **R.**

Make us know the shortness of our life

that we may gain wisdom of heart.

Lord, relent! Is your anger for ever?

Show pity to your servants. **R.**

In the morning, fill us with your love;

we shall exult and rejoice all our days.

Let the favour of the Lord be upon us:

give success to the work of our hands. **R.**

Second Reading

Col 3:1-5, 9-11

You must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is

The Word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Your word is truth, O Lord, consecrate us in the truth. **Alleluia!**

Gospel

Luke 12:13-21

Fool! This very night your soul will be demanded of you

A man in the crowd said to Jesus, ‘Master, tell my brother to give me a share of our inheritance.’ ‘My friend,’ he replied, ‘who appointed me your judge, or the arbitrator of your claims?’ Then he said to them, ‘Watch, and be on your guard against avarice of any kind, for a man’s life is not made secure by what he owns, even when he has more than he needs.’

Then he told them a parable: ‘There was once a rich man who, having had a good harvest from his land, thought to himself, “What am I to do? I have not enough room to store my crops.” Then he said, “This is what I will do: I will pull down my barns and build bigger ones, and store all my grain and my goods in them, and I will say to my soul: My soul, you have plenty of good things laid by for many years to come; take things easy, eat, drink, have a good time.” But God said to him, “Fool! This very night the demand will be made for your soul; and this hoard of yours, whose will it be then?” So it is when a man stores up treasure for himself in place of making himself rich in the sight of God.’

The Gospel of the Lord.

Memorial Acclamation

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

NOTICE

FR DENIS’S ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY – We are celebrating Fr Denis’s 43rd Ordination Anniversary on Sunday 14th Aug after the 9am Mass in appreciation of Fr Denis’s priesthood to our parish. Please take this opportunity to send Fr Denis your appreciation messages on the card that is placed on the table at the back of our worship space. We invite you to join us for morning tea and to bring a plate of finger food to share (pls list ingredients for display). If you can help with set-up and clean-up in the kitchen, please call the parish office.

MASS INTENTION ENVELOPES – please leave you contact number on the envelope when offering Mass Intentions as we may need to call you should the date you have requested for is not available. Please note that if we are unable to call you, we will allocate to you the next available date.

PALMS Australia - Once again Australian Catholics are being offered deep re-engagement with our sisters and brothers globally. Visit <https://palms.org.au/> or Ph: 0422 742 567 about a placement to engage your skills and register for a Webinar on Monday August 1st at 7:00 pm for the chance to talk directly with Palms’ partner communities abroad and two Australian program participants recently posted to work with them. The Diocese of Sale will provide support in various ways.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND - An opportunity to spend a weekend improving your communication. This experience gives you the tools to keep your passion alive in a gentle, nurturing environment, away from pressures and distractions of daily living. The weekend we offer is based around Catholic values but couples of all faiths are welcome. Please check our website www.wvme.org.au for more details.

We have two options: An on-line/virtual weekend: 19 -21 August 2022 in the comfort of your own home or a non-residential parish-based weekend: 22- 23 October 2022 in Niddrie. (Book early to avoid disappointment)

Information/Bookings: Phone Mercy & James 0409 183 676 or Email: vicbookings@wvme.org.au

CATECHIST FORMATION DAY: Tuesday 6th September 2022, 9am-3.30pm, at St Jarlath’s Hall Yarragon. \$10 p.p. RSVP BarbaraD@sale.catholic.org.au. Lunch included. Please bring morning tea to share.

JESUITS & IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY RETREATS – a variety of retreats to suit your spiritual needs. visit <https://jisa.org.au/retreat/>

RELIGIOUS SHOP: Holy Beginnings www.holybeginnings.com Mobile: 0450 782 558. Contact person Anita Hughes

NEW, RELOCATING or LEAVING THE PARISH?

New Parishioners – please register with us either on our website or fill-in the form in the bulletin.

Relocating or Leaving Parishioners – please call the parish office to update our records.

We would love to welcome our new parishioners at our Saturday 30th Jul 6pm Mass & Sunday 31st Jul 9am & 10.45am

CHURCH BUILDING DONATION

Please complete the Church Building Donation form or pick-up a donation envelope. Return via the collection plate or to the parish office or visit <https://stthomasap.org.au/donate/> Or contribute directly to **CDF PAY** <https://sale.cdfpay.org.au/> Write **CHBLD** in comment.

Thank you. *Donations are not tax deductible.*
Special monthly collection at Mass towards this purpose:
Next Church Building Donation:
20th / 21st August

SPECIAL COLLECTION

CatholicCare Sunday Appeal – Next weekend 6th/7th Aug. Donate at <https://www.catholiccarevic.org.au> or use the CatholicCare envelope at the back of our worship space. Return next weekend on the offering plate.

CatholicCare Victoria have been helping individuals, families and communities to access the care and support they need, when they need it most. Your donation will ensure mental health, parenting, employment, housing, and financial support continues to be available for families and individuals in need, now and into the future.



ANTI-TRAFFICKING PRAYER 30 July 2022 Saturday 30 July 2022 is the United Nations World Day Against Trafficking in Persons. Dr Sr Rose Duffy csb has provided the attached prayer for this important day.

God of freedom, beauty and truth, we believe that your deepest desire is that all creation might be treated with care, dignity and justice. We bring to mind in our prayer the women, men and children forced to work because of human violence and greed.

May those who are trafficked and exploited know compassion, healing and justice. May we continue to use our strength as consumers and investors to promote a just society that eliminates the incentives for human trafficking. Amen

VOLUNTEER @ Masses – if you would like to resume volunteering or would like to help out in our Parish. Please email: parish@stthomasap.org or call 5998 0947 during office hours.