

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.
MARRIAGES: At least 6 months' notice. Call the Parish Office
RCIA: For adults interested to join the Catholic Faith. Classes to begin soon. For enquiries, contact Ruth Marais on 0430 716 664.
SACRAMENT FOR SCHOOL AGED CHILDREN (1st Reconciliation, 1st Holy Communion & Confirmation) :
 Email parishofstthomasap@gmail.com
LITTLE FRIENDS OF JESUS – teaching of the catholic faith to children from Prep – Gr 6. Every Saturday (school term) 4pm email: friendsofjesusstap@gmail.com
YOUNG ADULT GROUP: Ages: 18-35 years. For enquiries, please contact the Parish Office.
ST VINNIES PHONE ROOM – if you or someone you know need assistance from St Vinnies, please call 5995 0211.
LEGION OF MARY PRAESIDIUM – For enquiries or to express your interest, please call Mary on 0432 166 850 or the Parish Office

Mass Intentions

Saturday (6/7) 6.00pm : People of the Parish
Sunday (7/7) 9.00am : Repose of the souls of Joseph & Rose Serrao
 10.45am : Repose of the soul of Theresa James (Anniv)
 5.00pm : Repose of the soul of Udari Mudalige (B'day remb)
Monday (8/7) : No Mass
Tuesday (9/7) : Special Intention
Wednesday (10/7) : Special Intention
Thursday (11/7) : Special Intention
Friday (12/7) : Repose of the soul of Russell Gallyot
Saturday (13/7) : Repose of the soul of Coral Concesso
Pray for the sick: : Bill Reymers, Rita Sciculna, Euphenia Noyahr, Fr. Andrew Wise, Jeyden Kamau, Shireen Chater, Caleb Ginger, Cesar Huezo, Merlyn Crocker, Rasanga Fernando (names more than 2 months in sick list will be removed)
Recently deceased : Fr Valerian Mendonca
Death Anniv/Remb : Rita Violet Tone, Vita Pereira, Hiran Adhihetty, Tirto Gerdiman, Yengky Kadaroesman & deceased clergy of the Diocese of Sale.

Parish Council

Members:
 Fr Denis, Dcn Michael, Jonathan Rubite, Sandra Ignace, Dezlene Orchard, Jerusha Benjamin,

Parish Finance

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

Next week's readings: Ams 7:12-15 Eph 1:3-14 Mk6:7-13

New Parishioner Registration

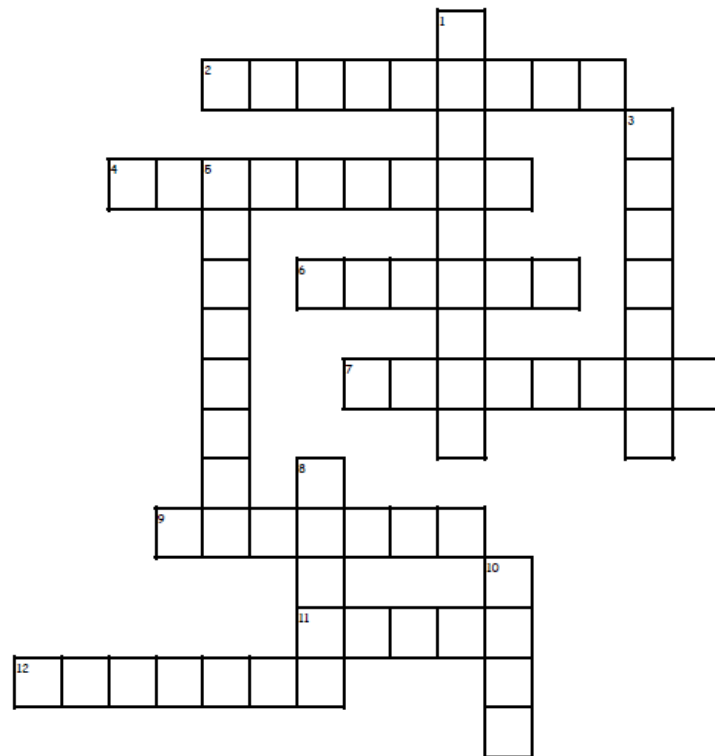
Please register online at <https://stthomasap.org.au/new-parishioner-registration/>
OR pick up a form from our worship space OR call the Parish Office

SUNDAY ACTIVITY (more activity sheets for children, teens and young adults available in the foyer)

CROSSWORD

I am sending you to speak in my name

Ez 2:2-5
 Ps 86:5-6, 15 & 16de. R. v.5a
 2 Cor 12:7-10
 Mk 6:1-6



Across

- 2: someone who makes things out of wood
 4: Jesus' closest friends and followers were called his _____
 6: you use your ears to do this
 7: Jesus could not work any _____ in his hometown
 9: the people felt this way about what Jesus was doing
 11: the number before four
 12: the sacred day of the week for Jewish people

Down

- 1: family members who lived a long time ago are called a _____
 3: someone who spreads the Lord's word
 5: someone who won't give in easily might be considered st _____
 8: the people of Jesus' hometown did not have _____ in him
 10: the opposite of strong

St Thomas the Apostle

Catholic Parish, Clyde North



"My Lord and My God!"

Church & Parish Office: 5 Fiorelli Blvd, Cranbourne East 3977

Mailing address: PO Box 6089, Clyde VIC 3978

Parish Priest: Fr Denis O'Bryan

Presbytery Phone: 5999 0059 (After office hours emergency)

Assistant Priest: Fr Jithin Anto

Deacon: Michael Manuel

Email: Michael.Manuel@cdsale.org.au

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: parish@stthomasap.org.au

Fiona Goh

Email: Clydenorth.Secretary2@cdsale.org.au

Parish Safeguarding Officer: Ann Rode (Wednesday 9.00am – 3.00pm)

Email: Clydenorth.Safety@cdsale.org.au

WELCOME TO OUR MASS

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B) – 7th July 2024

Masses & Reconciliation Times

MASS CELEBRATED AT
5 FIORELLI BLVD CRANBOURNE EAST

Sunday Masses

Saturday: 6pm
 Sunday: 9am, 10.45am & 5.00pm

Weekday Masses (week of 8th – 13th July)

Monday: No Mass
 Tuesday - Saturday: 9.30am

Solemnity (S), Feast (F) & Memorial (M)

11/7 – St Benedict, abbot (M)

Baptism

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

Reconciliation

Every Friday & Saturday after morning Mass & Saturday between 5.30pm to 5.45pm.

Blessed Sacrament

24hrs except 1 hr before every Mass. Obtain access code from the Parish Office.

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

St Josephine Bakhita Primary School (planned opening in 2025)
 40 Wild Goose Way, Clyde North.
 Enquiries for student places, visit:
<https://www.sjbcllydenorth.catholic.edu.au/>
 Principal: Mrs Kathryn Pepper

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

Eze 2:2-5

These rebels shall know that there is a prophet among them

The Word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 122(123)

R. Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy.

To you have I lifted up my eyes,
you who dwell in the heavens;
my eyes, like the eyes of slaves
on the hand of their lords. **R.**

Like the eyes of a servant
on the hand of her mistress,
so our eyes are on the Lord our God
till he show us his mercy. **R.**

Have mercy on us, Lord, have mercy.
We are filled with contempt.
Indeed all too full is our soul
with the scorn of the rich,
with the proud man's disdain. **R.**

Second Reading

2 Co 12:7-10

The Lord's power is at its best in weakness

The Word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! The Spirit of the Lord is upon me; he sent me to bring Good News to the poor. **Alleluia!**

Gospel

Mk 6:1-6

'A prophet is only despised in his own country'

Jesus went to his home town and his disciples accompanied him. With the coming of the sabbath he began teaching in the synagogue and most of them were astonished when they heard him. They said, 'Where did the man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been granted him, and these miracles that are worked through him? This is the carpenter, surely, the son of Mary, the brother of James and Joset and Jude and Simon? His sisters, too, are they not here with us?' And they would not accept him. And Jesus said to them, 'A prophet is only despised in his own country, among his own relations and in his own house'; and he could work no miracle there, though he cured a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of faith.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Memorial Acclamation

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

NEW, RELOCATING or LEAVING THE PARISH?

New Parishioners – please register @ <https://stthomasap.org.au/new-parishioner-registration/>
Relocating or Leaving Parishioners – please call the parish office

DONATIONS TO THE CHURCH – TAP POINT TERMINALS: these donations are NOT combined with the Planned Giving Stewardship donations. To join or donate to the Planned Giving Stewardship Program please contact the parish office.

SAFEGUARDING – Please always supervise your child/ren in the church and in the toilets. 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 Office, Ann Rode, can be contacted via email: clydenorth.safety@cdsale.org.au or call 5998 0947

We kindly ask that you keep the house of God clean. NO Food & Drinks in the Church and check that you have not left any belongings behind before leaving Church.

NOTICES

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP (YAG) for 18-35 YEARS: NEXT MEETING: 14th July 6.30pm



We are now on instagram [stthomasap.yag](https://www.instagram.com/stthomasap.yag) For further details, email parish@stthomasap.org.au. New young adults welcome.



YOUTH EVENT AGES 15 - 30: MADE IN HIS IMAGE - 'I praise you for I am fearfully and wonderfully made'

Psalm 139:14

In a world where our Self Image is often obscured by social media & peers, come and be empowered as you rediscover your identity, value & self-image in Christ! God has a unique plan and purpose for your life! You were made for so much more! Join the youth of St Thomas the Apostle Parish for a fun and thought-provoking day filled with Praise & Worship, Games, Inspiring Talks & Testimonies, FREE Food, Reflection, Prayer & Holy Mass! **Sunday 11th August 12noon- 6pm.** This is a *FREE event*; however gold coin donations are welcome. Register is a must. <https://www.trybooking.com/CTJTL> or use the QR code. For further enquiries contact the office parish@stthomasap.org.au or call 03 5998 0947

***** **FEAST OF ST THOMAS THE APOSTLE** *****

Join us on Sunday 7th July at 1pm for the luncheon celebration. The kitchen in the church will be ready to receive your delicious dishes after the 9am Mass.



DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY - The parish will be hosting the consultations for the Diocesan Assembly which will be held in February 2025. The consultations will be held in 2 phases, the first "THE REVIEW" in July 2024 and the second "LOOKING TO THE FUTURE" in September 2024. Your Church is listening! We are running the first phase session on Saturday 13th July 2 - 4 pm and Sunday 21st July 2 - 4pm. Register with QR code to attend either one of the sessions! Participant's minimum age is 18yo.

SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION ENROLMENTS ARE NOW OPEN!

Parent Formation Night: Tuesday 23rd OR 30th July, 6.45pm - 8:30pm at St Thomas the Apostle Church. Please enrol your child before coming to the Parent Formation Night. All enrolments & enquiries email parishofstthomasap@gmail.com

'BY HIS WOUNDS WE ARE HEALED' INNER HEALING RETREAT with Fr Roni George VC. Join us for an evening of Praise & Worship, Healing Holy Mass & Adoration.

Date: Friday 19th July Time: 6.30pm – 9.00pm Venue: St Thomas the Apostles Catholic Church. For more information, call Jay 0423 770 542 or Matty 0432 444 241.

WORKSHOP FOR ALL Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Please save this date on your calendar 7th Sept Saturday - Workshop for all Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, who have so far not attended any session last year and this year, and all new volunteers to this ministry. Any enquiries, please call Emma on 0418 918 787

STEWARDSHIP – there are some uncollected envelopes left and we are seeking volunteers who can help drop-off these envelopes to other parishioners as this would help save the church postage expenses. The envelopes are arranged in street order. We are very grateful for your time.

STEWARDSHIP ENV #71 – if you are giving stewardship with Envelope #71, please contact the parish office.

SPECIAL COLLECTION this weekend:

6/7th Jul – Peter's Pence Donations aid Pope Francis' mission in proclaiming the Gospel and promoting human development, education, and peace. The appeal supports charities worldwide, including recent efforts in Ukraine, Tanzania, and Haiti.

NATIONAL NAIDOC WEEK celebrations are held across Australia in the first week of July each year (Sunday to Sunday), to celebrate and recognise the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. NAIDOC Week is an opportunity for all Australians to learn about First Nations cultures and histories and participate in celebrations of the oldest, continuous living cultures on earth. You can support and get to know your local Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander communities through activities and events held across the country. For more information <https://www.natsicc.org.au/>

RELATIONSHIPS, INTIMACY AND HOLINESS: THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

Sunday, 14 July at 4:00pm , Our Lady Help of Christian Narre Warren Parish Centre

Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers is one of the most sought-after international speakers in the Church today. He is a powerful and passionate evangelist and preacher, whose no-nonsense approach to living and proclaiming the Catholic faith will challenge and inspire those who hear him.

Deacon Harold will explore how secular culture portrays human sexuality and provide the faith enriching tools that we all need to incorporate virtue and chastity into our everyday lived experience.

Deacon Harold holds a Master of Theological Studies Degree from the University of Dallas. Deacon Harold is a Benedictine Oblate of Mount Angel Abbey and a member of the Fellowship of Catholic Scholars.

Bring your family & friends along.