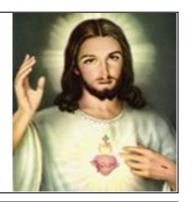


Sacred Heart Parish Preston

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21.9.2022)

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Peter Constable (Chair) Ph: 0425 779 831

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Parish Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses:

Saturday: 6:00pm Sunday: 9:00am (Italian), 10:30 am, 6:00 pm Weekday Masses:

Monday to Friday: 9.10am

Healing Mass: 1st Thursday of the month

at 1.30pm

Next Healing Mass: Thursday 7 July 14 July Devotional Practices:

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Thursdays 7:30pm

Holy Rosary: Thursday (English) after

the 9:10am Mass Reconciliation:

30 minutes before Mass or by

appointment

Baptisms & Weddings: By appointment only

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time (year C) Sunday 3 July 2022

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday "Peace to this Home and all who dwell within"

The Fifty days of Paschal feasting over, we have honoured the two great realities in which our faith is grounded – The Most Holy Trinity and the Body and Blood of Christ. We now enter into what is called Ordinary Time. But there is nothing 'ordinary' in the sense of "mundane' about it. Ordinary time is about focusing on Living our faith, day to day according to the mind, teaching and practice of Jesus. The kingdom of God is not something to look to in some distant future. Jesus says in the Gospel today "The kingdom of God is very near you!"- This is what we address during Ordinary time. It is a time of ongoing life, growth and Oneness with God, the human family and with the whole of Creation.

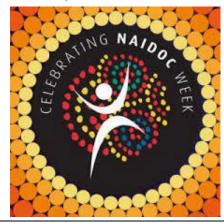
In the Gospel of today we hear of Jesus sending out seventy- two disciples. Luke's story evokes the experience of ancient Israel. Just as Moses chose seventy-two elders to go out to all tribes of the known world, so Jesus chooses seventy-two for his mission of bringing God's reign to all. He sends the seventy—two ahead of him 'two by two' to preach and heal in places where he is yet to visit

Whatever house they go to their first words must be, "Peace to this house!" They are to be reliant, respectful and accept the hospitality offered. They are to be bearers of peace, respecting the culture and goodness of those who have come before. And receive them.

This gift of peace goes beyond respecting differences. It is God's peace and abundance of life that they invoke and wish for others. In their living they are to proclaim Jesus, the incarnation of God's peace and reconciliation offered to all people. To be a people of such peace is to do away with any sense of superiority, bitterness, rivalry, fear or distrust. It is to celebrate each other, acknowledge past hurts then to walk together towards a better future, a 'new creation' as sons and daughters of a loving, merciful God who provides for and enfolds all in his parental loving care.

Today we celebrate the beginning of NAIDOC Week. It is a significant celebration in our Church's calendar. We are invited by our Bishops all around Australia to join with them not only to acknowledge our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander brothers and sisters but unite through our prayers and Eucharist as one in God's love and care. We are encouraged to walk alongside our First Nation's peoples on a shared journey of Reconciliation, Justice and Oneness in

At the end of each of our weekend Masses we might, before leaving the Church – our sacred gathering space - take a moment to look at the backdrop behind our Sacred Heart Statue and observe two distinct yet similar figures walking from Uluru, the heart of our Common Home, to face life's challenges together. But wait! There is a third who walks with them which serves as a reminder, as we journey on, of the promise of Jesus. "I am with you always".



Sacred Heart Parish Prayer

Loving God, we honour the heart of Jesus, your beloved Son. We remember how he opened his heart in love to all people. Open our own heart to receive the gifts that continue to flow so richly from the heart of Christ, who lives with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen.

	Saturday 6:00PM Mass - Readers	Saturday 6:00PM Mass - Ministers of Communion
25-Jun-22	Teresa Dang Terry Murphy	Charlotte Bainy
02-Jul-22	Celia Lemos Mary Harb	Peter Bourke
09-Jul-22	Rohan Lemos Renato Tonini	Terry Murphy
	Sunday 10:30AM Mass - Readers	Sunday 10:30AM Mass Ministers of Communion
26-Jun-22	Ivana Lo Bello Marilene Fortuna	Giovanna D' Intino
03-Jul-22	Jessica Suppiah Ophelia Swai	Tony Eley
10-Jul-22	Jessy Thambiraj Eileen Stevens	Ivana Lo Bello
	Sunday 6:00PM Mass - Readers	Sunday 6:00PM Mass Ministers of Communion
26-Jun-22	Carolina Constable Peter Constable	Robert Dullard
03-Jul-22	Damian Casamento Volunteer	Margaret Bannan
10-Jul-22	Marijana Jurjevic Tim Rankin	Margaret Rankin



Cleaning Roster:

Volunteers

Thank you for your hard work



WE PRAY FOR:

The elderly and the sick

Our parishioners, family members and friends, that they may be blessed with constant care, attention and respect.

Those who have died recently:

Filipina Molinaro (RIP 17/6, Funeral: Tues 5/7 at 10:30am) Paul Jackson (RIP 28/6, Funeral: Mon 4/7 at 1:30pm)

Trudi Wijewardene Cornelia van Dijk Antonio Nardella Santo Massara

We Commemorate:

Matteo Angelo Failla (1month)

Edna Eley (10th Anniv.)

Pasquale Troeano (2nd Anniv.), Anna Tropeano (5th Anniv.)

John, Alfonso, Dino & Natalina Bernardini,

Isa, Mario, Orfeo & Rino Bergamin,

Teresina & Valter De Stefani,

Carlo, Duilio, Livio, Pasqua & Beppi Trentin and all deceased members of the

Ottaviano Bertoncello & Carlo Trentin families.

Rosina Vita, Antonio Nicola, Teresa Sammartino,

Rocco Di Marco

Montagnese Quattrone, Carmela Montagnese,

Sam Crispo;

Rita and Giovanni Scapin

Fr. Joseph Tran,

Fr. Gerald Dullard

O Lord, may perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace. Amen.



THOUGHTS FROM POPE FRANCIS



Dependence increases with illness, with old age, and we are no longer self-sufficient like we were before. Faith also matures here. Jesus is also with us here. Here, the wealth of our faith lived well during our journey through life also springs forth.

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8 Welcome before Baptism

Dear Parents, as you prepare for your child's Baptism, the people of Sacred Heart rejoice that you have chosen to baptize your child and we pray that in the coming years you and your family will continue to know and grow in the love of God, that is everlasting.

> The Parish introduces to the Sacred Heart community

Jack Pow

in preparation for his Baptism on 3 July and Fynn & Levi Wilksch, Harper & Chloe Greer and Emilio Kakou

in preparation for their Baptisms on 9 & 10 July

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Baptism Congratulations Baptism Congratulations

The community of Sacred Heart Parish congratulates

Jack Pow for his Baptism on 3 July. 888





Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati: a Saint for Our Times at **Theology at the Pub**

Come and learn more about the life of Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati, an Italian saint for our times, who sought to bring the healing presence of Christ to those in need.

Pier Giorgio lived in Italy in the 1900s and was an active member of both the St Vincent Society and the Popular Party. His activism as a young Catholic man led him to engage in diligent action and develop a strong spirit of service, humility and sacrifice.

Pope John Paul II said about Pier Giorgio on the day of his Beatification (20 May 1990):

Faith and charity, the true driving forces of his existence, made him active and diligent in the milieu in which he lived, in his family, in the university and society; they transformed him into a joyful apostle of Christ, a passionate follower of his message and charity.'

VENUE: European Bier Cafe,

120 Exhibition Street, Melbourne

Monday, 4 July 2022. 6:00pm – 9:00pm

Doors open: 6 pm Talk starts: 7:30 pm



Solemnities / Feasts / Memorials of the week:

Monday 4 July St Elizabeth of Portugal Tuesday 5 July St Anthony Mary Zaccaria, Priest Wednesday 6 July St Maria Goretti, Virgin Martyr Blessed Peter To Rot Thursday 7 July

Saturday 9 July St Augustine Zhao Rong and his companions, Martyrs

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Last Week's Collection: 26/6/2

1st Collection for our Church: \$835 2nd Collection for support of clergy: \$475

Peter's Pence: \$225

Thank you for your kind generosity!



DATES TO REMEMBER

This Weekend 2/3 July there will be a <u>special collection</u> for Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday (proceeds will be for Open Door Foundation)



PLEASE NOTE: The healing Mass for July will be on

Thursday 14 July at 1:30pm (not 7 July).

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.



Anniversary Mass for Couples at St Patrick's Cathedral

Are you celebrating 25, 40, 50, or 60-70 years of marriage this year? Or did you celebrate one of those milestones in the last two years of lockdown?

You and your family are invited to join the Anniversary Mass at St Patrick's Cathedral. Sunday, 17 July, 2022, 11:00am – 12:00pm



Couples who register will receive a commemorative certificate. For any queries, please email: proclaim@cam.org.au or call (03) 9926 5761.

RSVP: Registrations close Friday 8 July, 2022.

Volunteers needed for Piety stall

Adult volunteers are needed to operate the Piety stall especially for the 10:30am and 6:00pm Sunday Masses.

Those who are interested please phone parish office on 9480 3398 and leave a message.

All volunteers are required to hold a current Working with Children Check that is linked to Sacred Heart Church. Thank you.



Projectionists wanted: Do you have time to donate your computer skills as a projectionist at our Sunday 6pm Mass If so, please contact: Stephen Costello on 0432 405 417 to discuss.

† † † GROWING GOOD MEN

The upcoming **Growing Good Men Weekend** will be taking place at Forest Edge in Neerim East on 12-14 August. This is a great opportunity for Dads and their teenage sons to grow their relationship and for Dad's to be able to affirm their sons as they move out of adolescence into adult life and into men of courage, conviction and generosity. This is a proven program used by menALIVE for over 15 years in all states in Australia.

For more details refer to brochure in the church foyer or

contact: emma@cycministries.org.au
or https://cycministries.org.au/





Sacred Heart Primary School 2023 Enrolments

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Enrolments for the 2023 school year are now open and officially close on the 20th June. For a school tour, please contact the school principal on 9487 1001 or via the school website

http://www.shpreston.catholic.edu.au

At Sacred Heart School, our students are at the heart of every decision we make. Every day is Open Day and prospective students and their families are warmly invited to tour our school.

LAUDATO SI': ON CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME





ECOLOGICAL CONVERSION STEP 2:

Repentance and turning to the Creator

"The conversion to the Creator in a humble and genuine spirit of repentance is fundamental, if we are to heal our land and ourselves," writes Fr. Kureethadam in *The Ten Green Commandments of Laudato Si'*. **How?** Praying, receiving the sacrament of penance, restitution, reading and meditating on Scripture.

21. Sign a petition to care for creation

The <u>Healthy Planet, Healthy People petition</u> saw more than 130,000 Catholics from all over the world come together to encourage world governments to set ambitious targets at the United Nations 26th Climate Change Conference in Glasgow. Join a similar effort in your community or online. Advocate for creation today!

22. Commit to prayer

Together we ask the Lord to make us artisans of peace and for world leaders to prioritize caring for our common home so that we can restore our damaged ecosystems and care for the most vulnerable species among us. Join the Creation Care Prayer Network.

23. Examine your health

This week, discuss with your family, at various meals and dinners, your food choices, habits, vices, and changes that could be made so that you're becoming who God wants to be in every area of your life.

During NAIDOC week we remember the First Nations peoples of Australia and thank them for their loving care of this great land over many thousands of years.



Joke Corner

Rising floodwaters were threatening a local town. While most people were quick to evacuate, one man was a solitary figure standing on a box at the edge of town.

He yelled to other townsfolk, "I'm staying. God will save me!" The water started getting higher and a boat came by and he was urged to get in.

"No" said the man, "God will save me!"

As the waters kept rising the man climbed onto a nearby roof. A helicopter zoomed in and offered to rescue the man.

"No," he repeated with conviction. "God will save me."

Eventually the water was over the man's head and he drowned. At the Pearly Gates he expressed disappointment to God. "Why didn't you save me? My faith was strong."

God said, "For goodness sake, child! I sent a boat and a helicopter. What more did you want?"

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.

PENITENTIAL ACT

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,

And, striking their breast, they say: through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, / and on earth peace to people of good will. / We praise you, / we bless you, / we adore you, / we glorify you, / we give you thanks for your great glory, / Lord God, heavenly King, / O God, almighty Father. / Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, / you take away the sins of the world, / have mercy on us; / you take away the sins of the world, / receive our prayer; / you are seated at the right hand of the Father, / have mercy on us. / For you alone are the Holy One, / you alone are the Lord, / you alone are the Most High, / Jesus Christ, / with the Holy Spirit, / in the glory of God the Father. / Amen.

FIRST READING

Isaiah 66:10-14 Rejoice, Jerusalem, be glad for her, all you who love her! Rejoice, rejoice for her, all you who mourned her! That you may be suckled, filled, from her consoling breast, that you may savour with delight her glorious breasts. For thus says the Lord: Now towards her I send flowing peace, like a river, and like a stream in spate the glory of the nations. At her breast will her nurslings be carried and fondled in her lap.

And by Jerusalem you will be comforted. At the sight your heart will rejoice, and your bones flourish like the grass. To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand

Like a son comforted by his mother

The Word of the Lord

will I comfort you.

All: Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Psalm 65(66):1-7,16,20

The Response Is:

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy. Cry out with joy to God all the earth, O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise. Say to God: 'How tremendous your deeds! Let all the earth cry out to God with joy. 'Before you all the earth shall bow; shall sing to you, sing to your name!' Come and see the works of God, tremendous his deeds among men.

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy. He turned the sea into dry land, they passed through the river dry-shod. Let our joy then be in him;

he rules for ever by his might.

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy. Come and hear, all who fear God. I will tell what he did for my soul: Blessed be God who did not reject my prayer nor withhold his love from me.

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

SECOND READING

Galatians 6:14-18

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God.

I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. Amen.

The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.

Please stand for Gospel the Acclamation.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, and the fullness of his message live within you.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Luke 10:1-12,17-20

The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he himself was to visit. He said to them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest. Start off now, but remember, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals. Salute no one on the road.

'Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer deserves his wages; do not move from house to house.

'Whenever you go into a town where they make you welcome, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you." But whenever you enter a town and they do not make you welcome, go out into its streets and say, "We wipe off the very dust of your town that clings to our feet, and leave it with you. Yet be sure of this: the kingdom of God is very near." I tell you, on that day it will not go as hard with Sodom as with that town.'

The seventy-two came back rejoicing. 'Lord,' they said 'even the devils submit to us when we use your name.' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall like lightning from heaven. Yes, I have given you power to tread underfoot serpents and scorpions and the whole strength of the enemy; nothing shall ever hurt you. Yet do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you; rejoice rather that your names are written in heaven.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, / the Father almighty, / Creator of heaven and earth, / and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our lord, / who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, / born of the Virgin Mary, / suffered under Pontius Pilate, / was crucified, died and was buried; / he descended into hell; / on the third day he rose again from the dead; / he ascended into heaven, / and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; / from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. / I believe in the Holy Spirit, / the holy catholic Church, / the communion of saints, / the forgiveness of sins, / the resurrection of the body, / and life everlasting. Amen.

RESPONSE TO PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL: Lord, hear our prayer.

THE MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

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

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.

