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27th & 28th August 2016

22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Entrance Procession

Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

O Lord, you are good and forgiving,
full of mercy to all who call to you.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Sirach 3:17-20. 28-29

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 67:4-7. 10-11

God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor.

The just shall rejoice at the presence of God,
they shall exult and dance for joy.

O sing to the Lord, make music to his name;
rejoice in the Lord, exult at his presence. R.

Father of the orphan, defender of the widow,
such is God in his holy place.

God gives the lonely a home to live in;
he leads the prisoners forth into freedom. R

You poured down, O God, a generous rain:
when your people were starved you gave them new life.
It was there that your people found a home,
prepared in your goodness, O God, for the poor. R.

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Second Reading: Hebrews 12:18-19. 22-24

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Take my yoke upon you;

learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart.

Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 14:1. 7-14

General Intercessions

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Communion Antiphon

How great is the goodness, Lord,
that you keep for those who fear you.



PARISH PRAYER LIST

Please pray for:

Recently Deceased:

Anniversaries: Dominic Scardamaglia, Pasqualino & Antonietta Villani

Sick Joan Keuken, Angela Del Guidice, Eileen Ramage, Lynne Fleming, Tony Arena, Jo Payne, Kim J, Cherie, Izaak, Anne-Maree Sullivan, Jim Reid, Indy Dawes, Peter Di Ciero, Evie Gleeson, Tony Cunningham, Claudette Florens, Luigi Mazzotti, Kate, Lyn Aquino, Rachel (NZ), Tim Lawson, John Hopper, Serene Amos, Cassandra, John Wright, Mary Hamilton, John Hamilton Carmel O'Healy, Robyn Morse-Gill, Michelle, Jacinta, Pat Robb, Catherine Thompson, Vandersman Family, Nancy Leonard

The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial
with the Father;

Through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate
of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.

For our sake he was crucified
under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
is adored and glorified,

who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic,
and apostolic Church.

I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection
of the dead and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil: 6.30pm

Sunday 10.30am

Healesville 8.30am

Weekdays

Tuesday 7.00pm

Wed & Fri. 9.10am

No Mass Saturday morning

RECONCILIATION

Saturday – 10am or by appointment

Marriages: Please give at least six month's notice.

Baptism: Please contact parish office for details.

PARISH OFFICE

Wednesday: 9.00am - 3.30pm

Friday : 9.00am – 3.30pm

PASTORAL WORKER

Wednesday 10.00am- 3.00pm

Thursday 10.00am- 4.00pm

Friday 10.00am – 3.00pm

COMMUNITY CENTRE BOOKINGS

Phone Parish Office on
9739 5977

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

If assistance is required please contact the Lilydale Centre on
1300 305 330

Mon-Fri 10.00am – 4.00pm

CARE GROUP

Ann McCann, Debbie Edwards,
Sharon Jacob,

Contact Parish Office 9739 5977

ROSARY GROUP

Rosary Group meets on Wednesday after 9.10am Mass, with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

ITALIAN PRAYER GROUP

Tuesday evenings in Community Centre. Last Tuesday of month Holy hour in church

VINE & BRANCHES PRAYER GROUP

Meet each second Thursday of each month in the church 7.30 to 8.30pm for Exposition & each fourth Thursday at 7.30pm in the community centre

50+ SOCIAL GROUPS

Contacts,
Sandra 9726 5627
Barbara 9735 1233
Carole 9735 4595
Henny 9735 2124
Judy 9735 0545

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesday 9.30am 2nd Thursday of each month 7.30 to 8.30pm.

Every 1st Friday of the month after 9.10am Mass followed by Benediction

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP

Meets every Saturday morning at 9.00am in meeting room below presbytery.

ROSTERS

Aug 27/28

6.30pm Mass

Welcoming – K. Dawes

Prayers of Intercession – C. Cowan

Readings – P. Bennett

Extraordinary Ministers – E. Massarotti
J. Layton

Altar Servers – Emma & Danya

10.30am Mass

Welcoming – M & J De Knecht

Prayers of Intercession – L. Fitinghoff

Readings – J. Vandersman

Extraordinary Ministers –

Paul Commerford, Anne-Marie Italiano

Altar Servers – Eloise

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Taarita & Anny Van Duuren

Church Cleaning – Maria & Eric DePaoli

Flowers – Anne-Marie Italiano & Sue Wakeham

Sep 3-4 CONFIRMATION

6.30pm Mass

Welcoming –

Prayers of Intercession –

Readings –

Extraordinary Ministers

R. Morse-Gill, L. Franken

Altar Servers – Danya & Michael

Children's Liturgy of the Word

No Children's Liturgy

10.30am Mass –

Welcoming – J. De Vincentis

Prayers of Intercession – S. Wakeham

Readings – L. Fitinghoff

Extraordinary Ministers –

John DeLosa, J. Flannery

Altar Servers -

Church Cleaning – Sandra D'Alosio & Dee Leach

Flowers - Joan Flannery & Brenda DeLosa

Gardening

August – Rob Belli

September – Amico & Mario

WEEKLY THANKSGIVING

Pledged Amount **\$2,272.88**

Thanksgiving received 20/21 August

Collection \$ 1718.00

Presbytery \$ 720.45

Restoration \$ 383.40

There will be no Morning Cuppa 4th September (Fathers Day) and no Cuppa on the 11th September due to the Festa

PARISH VISION STATEMENT

St Patrick's Parish, Lilydale aspires to be a unified, Eucharistic community.

This is reflected in the challenge to provide a welcoming community that values the diversity of its members. We encourage compassion, charity and understanding.

As a parish we will strive to live our lives as Christ did -

Worshipping God

Valuing personal dignity

Reaching out to others
Being responsible for our environment

Prayer for Child Protection

Lord,

You asked that the little children be allowed to come to you; for it is such as these that the kingdom of God belongs.

You entrust them to the care and protection of our communities of faith.

Guide us as we strive to ensure that our catholic communities provide a safe environment for each child.

We pray especially for all those who have been harmed in their childhood. Give them courage in facing the past and lead them to your healing protection. Amen

Gospel & Life Group will be held every 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month in the meeting room after 9.10am Mass. All Welcome



From Debbie's Desk

Did you have a favourite moment from the Olympics? I sat up late on one or two nights enjoying sport I don't normally get to see, like Table Tennis, and Kayaking, and I have to admit that it was interesting to watch the concentration and effort that international competitors invested into trying to physically achieve 'the best' the world can manage, in all sorts of ways. 206 countries from all around the world have pulled together as a single community, in a united effort that has come in to focus in the past months, in preparation for a single gathering of goodwill and human excellence. This is remarkable in itself. And the peace and friendship generated was respected by the major organisations throughout the world that could have destroyed this co-operation. There were no major safety issues, or statements of power by any single interest group. Thank God. This Year of Mercy, as declared by Pope Francis, also unites people from around our globe in a single purpose. Together we pray for mercy, and we give mercy. We acknowledge that mercy has been shown to us, and we pass it on. We are commissioned to be 'our best', by showing mercy to ourselves and to others. This mercy may start with our own Catholic family, as it is our 'leader', Pope Francis, who has called us to unite in a single purpose, bringing mercy to our thirsty, hungry, captive world. Please God, the ripple effects will move out to touch all who are capable of hearing the call to be merciful, no matter what religious beliefs they may hold. The world unites for sporting achievement, and the result is a two week burst of co-operation. If the world were to truly unite for a year of mercy, imagine the peace that could flow. Mercy begins with each individual, cherishing the mercy that has been shown to us, and showing mercy to others. We could replace the word 'mercy' with other words: compassion, empathy, forgiveness, understanding, love... the list goes on and on. Perhaps this is a chance to use the old concept: 'you don't spell it, you just do it'. This week, how can you start a ripple?

Fathers Day Raffle

1st Prize – Whipper Snipper
 2nd prize – Manual Lawn Mower
 3rd Prize - \$50 Bunnings voucher
 Ticket prices 1 for \$2 or 3 for \$5
 Tickets on sale before and after weekend Masses.

Pope Francis' Prayer for the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father, and have told us that whoever sees you sees Him. Show us your face and we will be saved. Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with its anointing, so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord, and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed, and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy, you who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit forever and ever. Amen.

Confirmation Mass

On Saturday September 3, 2016, Confirmation will take place at 7:00 pm Mass in Lilydale Church due to the availability of the Episcopal Vicar of the Eastern Region. Hence there is no 6:30 pm Mass. Please do take note it will be a big Confirmation gathering. The Sunday 10:30 am Mass remains the same.

2016

Dates for your Diary

August

30th - Talk on Divine Mercy

September

11th – Feast of Our Lady

October

15th – Shopping Tour – St Patricks School

26th – Anointing Mass 10.30am in Community Centre

St Patrick's Weekday Timetable

Aug 23 – 7pm Communion Service

Aug 24 – 9.10am Mass

Aug 26 9.10 – Communion Service

Reconciliation resumes September 3rd

Priests Retirement Fund Special Collection 3rd-4th September



Please keep the following children in your prayers as they prepare for confirmation.

Darcy Allen
 Millie barker
 Harrison David
 Cormac Flight
 Safia Gill
 Samuel Hayes
 Lewis Hipfel
 Evie Hirst
 Ellie Inglese
 Emma Jacob
 Virgilio Parrella
 Keaton Read
 Jake Rowntree
 Tayla Schubert
 Daniel Spinks
 Lachlan Story
 Paris Saunders
 Toby Waghorn
 Jack Harlen
 Richelle Imperiel
 Orla Murray
 Chantelle Pavey
 Riley Smith
 Isabella Missen
 Lachlan Missen

St Patrick's Primary School Annual Shopping Tour

Saturday 15th October 2016

Cost of Tickets \$45 each

Flyer at back of church with further details

Public talk on Divine Mercy

30 August 2016

St Patrick's Church Lilydale 7.30pm. In this one hour witness, international speaker on Divine Mercy, John Canavan, will talk in detail on the message of Divine Mercy as revealed to St Faustina Kowalska, with special emphasis on Pope Francis' Jubilee Year of Mercy. John is Director of Divine Mercy Publications in Australia.



NATIVITA DELLA BEATA VERGINE MARIA

Vi invita a partecipare la fest della Nativita Della Beata Vergine Maria, 12noon, Domenica 11 Settembre 16 Celebrata

da Padre Vito Pegolo.

Programma della Missione durante la settimana in preparazione per la festa: Mercoledì 7 Settembre: 7pm – Messa e riflessione
 Venerdì 9 Settembre: 7pm – Messa e riflessione

***Confessione ogni sera alla 6.30 pm
 Domenica 11 Settembre 2016: 12noon – Messa solenne in Italiano, E inglese,

Predica, e Processione, Caffè e Te
Torta, E Musica, BBQ at community
centre.

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Parishioners and friends are invited to
join in the celebrations for the Nativity of
the Blessed Virgin Mary at 12noon,
Sunday 11th September 2016

Programme (in Italian) in preparation for
the feast is as follows:

Wednesday, 7th September: 7pm Mass
and Reflection

Friday, 9th September: 7pm Mass
and Reflection

There will be Confession in Italian every
evening at 6.30 pm.

Sunday 11th September: 12 noon –
Mass in Italian & English followed by
procession around the grounds.

Refreshments, entertainment and food
at the community Centre will at the
conclusion of the religious ceremonies.
All welcome. Please see Flyer for more
Information.

Jubilee Year of Mercy

Corporal Work of Mercy: Bury the Dead. Pray for the Living and the Dead.

A significant corporal work of mercy, a
work of our bodies, is that of prayer and
presence. In the very act of praying for
our world each and every day we can
carry in our hearts and minds the
requests, concerns and needs of the
world. If we ask ourselves "how do we
move closer to the people we love?",
the answer would involve such
essentials things as listening, talking,
laughing, and just *being together*. We
are blessed as Catholics to have a
tradition that is rich in understanding
the need to honour this connection with
those who have died.

Prayer draws us into the larger life of
God - a life of love and compassion, but
also a sharing in suffering. Loving people
and praying for them opens us up and
unites us to their suffering. Jesus's
death on the cross demonstrates an
ultimate act of love and being open to
the world. He loved us to his death, and
prayed with his last breath. Christ's
resurrection gives everyone hope in the
possibility of being eternally loved.
Together with prayer is the *ministry of
presence* where we stand alongside
those in need. Being present with those
who are in need or suffering is
foundational to an ecosystem of mercy.
"God's gracious and compassionate
Mercy is the wellspring, the source of
never failing supply, for all those who
cherish and seek to live out the gift of
Mercy" (Mercy Int. Assoc. Vision
Statement). This quote reminds us that
mercy is a gift of God that works in us,
and through us.

HMNS SUNDAY 10.30am

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Entrance

SEEK, O SEEK THE LORD (GA211) GATHER US IN

Here in this place, new light is streaming,
Now is the darkness, vanished away,
See, in this space, our fears and our
dreamings,

Brought here to you in the light of this
day

Gather us in, the lost and forsaken;

Gather us in, the blind and the lame;

Call to us now, and we shall awaken,

We shall arise at the sound of your name

We are the young, our lives are a
myst'ry;

We are the old, who yearn for your face.

We have been sung throughout all of
hist'ry,

Called to be light to the whole human
race

Gather us in, the rich and the haughty;

Gather us in, the proud and the strong;

Give us a heart so meek and so lowly;

Give us the courage to enter the song.

Here we will take the wine and the water,
Here we will take the bread of new birth,
Here you shall call your sons and your
daughters,

Call us anew to be salt of the earth.

Give us to drink the wine of compassion,

Give us to eat, the bread that is you;

Nourish us well and teach us to fashion

Lives that are holy and hearts that are

true.

Presentation of the Gifts

Service

We are made for service to care for each
other

We are made to love each sister and
brother

With love that will last through sorrow
and pain

A love that will never die with strain.

God sent his son to show us the way,
One who shared his love ev'ry minute of
the day

One who gave his life that we might live

And his spirit to help us through the

years.

Life can be so lonely when nobody cares
Life can be so empty when nobody
shares

But if we give ourselves both time and
again

The happiness of Christ will live within.

Communion

CITY OF GOD (GA498)

Awake from your slumber! Arise
from your sleep!

A new day is dawning for all those
who weep.

The people in darkness have seen a
great light.

The Lord of our longing has
conquered the night.

Refrain

Let us build the City of God.

***May our tears be turned into
dancing!***

***For the Lord, our light and our
love,***

Has turned the night into day!

We are sons of the morning; we are
daughters of day.

The One who has loved us has
brightened our way.

The Lord of all kindness has called
us to be

A light for his people to set their
hearts free.

Refrain

God is light; in Him there is no
darkness.

Let us walk in his light, his children
one and all.

O comfort my people; make gentle
your words.

Proclaim to my city the day of her
birth.

Refrain

O city of gladness, now lift up your
voice.

Proclaim the good tidings that all
may rejoice!

Reflection

MICAH'S THEME

Here then what Jesus asks of you;

To live justly, to love tenderly,

And to walk humbly with your God.

I have come that you may have life

And have it to the full.

Ask that you shall receive;

Knock and it shall be yours.

Father, your kingdom come,

May your will be done.

Take up your cross and follow me,

You shall share my life.

I am with you always,

Till the end of time.

Recessional

TAKE THE WORD OF GOD WITH YOU

Take the word of God with you as you
go.

Take the seeds of God's word and make
them grow.

Chorus:

Go in peace to serve the world,

In peace to serve the world

take the love of God,

the love of God with you as you go.

Take the peace of God with you as you
go.

Take the seeds of God's peace and
make them grow.

Chorus

Take the joy of God with you as you go.

Take the seeds of God's joy and make
them grow.

Chorus

Take the love of God with you as you go.

Take the seeds of God's love and make
them grow.

Chorus