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7th & 8th July 2018

**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year B**

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading: Ezekiel 2:2-5

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 122

**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.

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

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

Second Reading: Corinthians 12:7-10

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

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

Gospel: Mark 6:1-6

General Intercessions

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

PARISH PRAYER LIST



Recently Deceased: Kerry Rikken

Anniversaries: Bradley Boerlage, Rod Vernon

Sick: Joan Keuken, Angela Del Guidice, Lynne Fleming, Jo Payne, Kim J, Cherie, Izaak, Anne-Maree Sullivan, Jim Reid, Peter & Aurelia Di Ciero, Tony Cunningham, Claudette & Gilbert, Florens, Luigi Mazzotti, Kate, Tim Lawson, John Hopper, Serene Amos, Cassandra, Mary and John Hamilton, Carmel O'Healy, Michelle, Pat Robb, Robert Taylor, Catherine Thompson, Vandersman Family, Nancy Leonard, Brian Walsh, Michael Paola, Barbara De Vincentiis, Jean Bernice Gotch, Wayne, Julian Monteiro, Mary Anne and Peter Lisle, Dolly Maher, Monica De Knecht, Salvacion Santos, Ricky, Eva Di Ciero, Giovanna Zammit, Barbara Jordan

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

1st Friday of the month before & after Mass
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
Office: 9739 5977
Emergencies: 0448 658 418

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

Monday mornings in Community Centre at 10am. Last Tuesday of month Holy hour in church

50+ SOCIAL GROUPS

Contacts,
Carole 9735 4595
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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 9.10am in meeting room below Presbytery.

ROSTERS

July 7/8

6.30pm Mass

Welcoming– C. Weinberg
Prayers of Intercession – D. Edwards

Readings– C. Cowan
Extraordinary Ministers – C. Wright, A. Burrows, G. Lim

Altar Servers – Keaton & Alex

10.30am Mass

Welcoming– M. Vanderhyde
Prayers of Intercession – D. Edwards
Readings– L. Fitinghoff

Extraordinary Ministers – B. De Losa, C. De Iulio, B. De Vincentis

Altar Servers – Lara & Tia

Children's Liturgy of the Word

School Holidays

Church Cleaning – Anita & Cailin

July 14/15

6.30pm Mass

Welcoming – C. Wright
Prayers of Intercession – A. Burrows
Readings – R. Belli

Extraordinary Ministers –D. Edwards, R. Morse-Gill, L. Franken

Altar Servers – Zoe & Safia

Children's Liturgy of the Word

School Holidays

10.30am Mass

Welcoming– J. Moroney
Prayers of Intercession – A. Del Mastro

Readings– J. Vandersman
Extraordinary Ministers –A. McCann, G. De Vincentiis, L. Massarotti

Altar Servers – Lara & Tia

Church Cleaning – Helen Rippon & carole Weinberg

Gardening

July – Gino & Kevin
August – Vic Di Ludovico

WEEKLY THANKSGIVING

Pledged Amount	\$1404.50
Thanksgiving received 30June/1July	
Thanksgiving Collection	\$ 1551.50
Presbytery	\$ 690.80
Restoration	\$ 265.20
Dinner Dance	\$ 3442.00



We are a child safe Parish

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



From Debbie's Desk

When the Lord was handing out talents, one of the ones that I failed to catch was the gift of being able to sing, (and actually sound good!). For anyone sitting near me during a hymn, you may have noticed that what comes out of my mouth on any given day is a bit pot luck. Sometimes, not too bad. Other times, I know that I aim for the right note, but what comes out is just not what I am working towards, to put it nicely. Yet I also know that it does not matter what note arrives when I am singing with others at Mass, as everyone else's voices always support my own feeble noises. Somehow, we draw together into harmony that almost always sounds like we are all experts, and for the most part, when we sing with others, we make beautiful noise together! Thank God! (That was a prayer from our neighbours!) There is a common expression, 'a chain is only as strong as its weakest link' and you may remember a quiz show on tv based on that premise, where the 'losers' of each round were dismissed with a label of being 'the weakest link'. The show degenerated into nasty proof that a community that singles out the weak, rather than carrying their frailty, cannot survive. There are many losers, and maybe only one winner, the strongest. In fact, no one wins, and the community slips away and evaporates. In my week as a Pastoral Worker, I encounter those who need a little nurturing at every turn. Sometimes these needs are temporary, and a little chance to pour out a sad story to a listening friend, and the offer of an empathetic shoulder to cry on, is all that is needed to renew strength and encourage persistence. At other times, the needs of our parish family are not so easily soothed. Some wounds run very, very deep, and no amount of emotional first aid is going to take away the pain. However, that does not mean that we stop trying. I am frustrated to think that I am only one person, with only 20 hours a week to spend on 'official parish business', in not one but in two parishes, and that my pastoral reach only stretches so far. I am also heartened, as I know that those who are struggling with all sorts of burdens can rely on our parish community to support them and to carry them through the dark times. As a parish family, we pick up our wounded brothers and sisters,

and help them to limp along in their need, and in doing so, we become strong together. We are as strong as our strongest members, not the other way round. My outreach is limited, but each and every one of us is part of the strength. Our vigilance for those who need a friendly smile matters, no matter how fragile we may feel ourselves. Each of us can make a difference, no matter who we are. When I visit people in nursing homes or those trapped in their own homes through illness or age, I often ask them to take on the responsibility for praying for those on our prayer list. They become support for others who may in fact be healthier and stronger than they themselves are. Together, we are a force with the power to move mountains!

The Holy Father Pope Francis has appointed Most Reverend Bishop Peter Andrew Comensoli of the Diocese of Broken Bay as the ninth Archbishop of Melbourne.

Archbishop-designate Comensoli (b.1964) grew up in the Illawarra region of New South Wales and was educated by the Good Samaritan Sisters and Marist Fathers. He studied commerce at the University of Wollongong and worked for a time in the banking sector. He entered the seminary in 1986 and was ordained in 1992. Following his ordination, Archbishop-designate Comensoli undertook postgraduate studies in moral theology in Rome and at the University of St Andrews in Scotland. After serving in a number of parishes in the Diocese of Wollongong, he was Diocesan Chancellor for six years prior to his appointment as Auxiliary Bishop to the Archdiocese of Sydney in 2011 and as Apostolic Administrator to the Archdiocese of Sydney in 2014. He has served as Bishop of Broken Bay for the past three-and-a-half years. Archbishop-designate Comensoli said he was deeply moved by the Holy Father's trust in making this appointment. 'The life of Christian discipleship is a precious gift, developed through hearing and responding to God's call. In accepting this call to be a new missionary among God's people of the Archdiocese of Melbourne, I readily acknowledge the great responsibility entrusted to me, along with the frailties I carry,' he said. 'To the good people of Melbourne, let me say that you are already in my prayers. As I come among you I

place my trust in the tender encouragement of Jesus. We are pilgrims together in the Lord's vineyard. As we take these first steps in friendship, may we anchor our lives to his Gospel.

'I look forward to getting to know you. And, as a northerner, I will need some guidance around that mysterious code of football called AFL!'

In announcing the appointment, Pope Francis also accepted Archbishop Denis Hart's resignation after 17 years as Archbishop of Melbourne. Archbishop Hart will serve as Apostolic Administrator of the Archdiocese until the installation of Archbishop-designate Comensoli on Wednesday 1 August. 'I extend my deep gratitude to Archbishop Denis Hart for his faithful leadership and strength of Christian character over the past 17 years. His welcome to me has been warm, generous and encouraging, and I wish him every blessing in his retirement,' said Archbishop-designate Comensoli.

At a national level, Archbishop-designate Comensoli is currently a member of the Bishops' Commission for Family, Youth and Life, and for Evangelisation. From November 2018 he will take up the appointment of Chair of the Bishops' Commission for Life, Family and Public Engagement, and membership of the Bishops' Commission for the Plenary Council.

The President of the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference, Archbishop Mark Coleridge, said Archbishop-designate Comensoli has the gifts and energies required for his new mission.

'He has a good mind, an engaging personality and the strong pastoral sense needed in our largest diocese,' said Archbishop Coleridge. 'He's a man who can listen and a man who can speak not only to Catholic people, but to the wider community as well.' Archbishop Hart described Archbishop-designate Comensoli as 'a deeply pastoral and faith-filled man'. 'He will bring many gifts to serve our people. I join the community in the Archdiocese of Melbourne in our prayerful and heartfelt welcome to him,' said Archbishop Hart.



Do you have any extra tea towels or baking trays taking up space in your

cupboard? If so please drop them into the office or leave at the back of the church. Thanks Sharon

Collections

1st – Planned thanksgiving & Presbytery
2nd – Restoration
3rd– Special Collection

Special Collection

This weekend there will be a special collection for Iganga Babies' home in Uganda, Sr Sarah's project. Your generosity is much appreciated and funds raised make a big difference.

**CAN
YOU
HELP?**

Care Group volunteers required

Our parish has a long tradition of caring for those who need us most

through our Care Group. Would you like to be involved? We are currently looking for new volunteers to help with visitation and with some of the catering that is required from time to time. Time commitment is only as much as you wish to give. For further information, please contact the office.9739 5977 or email lilydale@cam.org.au

2018 ANNIVERSARY MASS

Sunday 29 July, 11am, St Patrick's Cathedral, 1 Cathedral Place, East Melbourne

Are you celebrating your 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60th-70th wedding anniversary this year? The Life, Marriage and Family Office invites you and your families to join us at the 2018 annual Anniversary Mass. All couples registering will receive a commemorative pack and certificate. Register by Friday 13 July on 9287 5587 or lmf@cam.org.au or www.cam.org.au/lifemarriagefamily

HYMNS

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Entrance Hymn

**PRAISE GOD ALL THE EARTH
PROCLAIM THE LORD**

Antiphon:

***All the earth proclaim the Lord,
Sing your praise to God.***

Serve you the Lord,
Heart filled with gladness.
Come into God's presence
Singing for Joy!

Antiphon

Know that the Lord
Is our creator,
Yes, God is our Father
We are his own.

Antiphon

We are the sheep
Of the green pasture,
For we are God's people;
Chosen by God.

Antiphon

Come to the gates
Bringing thanksgiving,
O enter the courtyards
Singing in praise

Refrain

Our Lord is good,
With love enduring.
God,s word is abiding
Now with us all.
Refrain
Honour and praise
Be to the Father,
The Son, and the Spirit,
World without end.

Presentation of the Gifts

THE SUMMONS

Will you come and follow me, if I but call your name;

Will you go where you don't know and never be the same?

Will you let my love be shown,
Will you let my name be known,
Will you let my life be grown in you and you in me?

Will you leave yourself behind ,if I but call your name?

Will you care for cruel and kind and never be the same?

Will you risk the hostile stare,
Should your life attract or scare?

Will you let me answer pray'r in you and you in me?

Will you let the blinded see, if I but call your name?

Will you set the pris'ners free and never be the same?

Will you kiss the leper clean, and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean in you and you in me?

Will you love the 'you' you hide, if I but call your name?

Will you quell the fear inside and never be the same?

Will you use the faith you've found
To re-shape the world around,
Through my sight and touch and sound
in you and you in me?

Lord, your summons echoes true
when you but call my name.

Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.

In your company I'll go
where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grown in you
and you in me.

Communion

PRAYER OF ST FRANCIS (Sebastian Temple)

(MAKE ME A CHANNEL OF YOUR PEACE)

Make me a channel of your peace,
Where there is hatred, let me bring your love.
Where there is injury, your pardon, Lord,
And where there's doubt, true faith in you.

Make me a channel of your peace,
Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope.

Where there is darkness, only light,
And where there's sadness, ever joy.

O Master, grant that I may never seek
So much to be consoled as to console.

To be understood as to understand.
To be loved as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of your peace.
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
In giving of ourselves that we receive,
and in dying that we're born to eternal life-.

Communion Reflection

Amazing Grace

Amazing grace How sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found;
Was blind, but now I see.
'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed.
Through many dangers, toils and snares,
I have already come;
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.
The Lord has promised good to me,
His Word my hope secures;
He will my Shield and Portion be,
As long as life endures.
Yea, when this flesh and heart shall fail,
And mortal life shall cease,
I shall possess, within the veil,
A life of joy and peace.
The earth shall soon dissolve like snow,
The sun forbear to shine;
But God, who called me here below,
Will be forever mine.
When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we'd first begun.

Recessional Hymn WE WALK BY FAITH

We walk by faith and not by sight
No gracious words we hear
Of him who spoke as none e'er spoke
But we believe him near.
We may not touch his hands and side,
Nor follow where he trod
Yet in his promise we rejoice
And cry "My Lord and God"
Help then O Lord, our unbelief,
And may our faith abound
To call on you when you are near
And seek where you are found.
That when our life of faith is done
In realms of clearer light,
We may behold you as you are
In full and endless sight.

Humour

My neighbour knocked on my door at 2.30am this morning. Can you believe that, 2.30am! Luckily for him I was still up playing my bagpipes.