



Feast of Christ the King 20th and 21st of November 2021—Year B

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PARISH, ON 9842 1480 ON MON, THURS AND FRI.

Our Lady of the Pines Parish is a welcoming, inclusive community that aims to live our Christian faith by example in our daily lives.

Our Lady of the Pines Parish is committed to upholding the safety and dignity of each child and young person, ensuring they are able to grow and develop in a caring and supportive environment within our parish. Visit our parish website or contact our parish office for our child-safe policy."

Advent Reflection Program

To prepare our hearts and minds for Christ's arrival at Christmas, we will be holding an Advent Reflection Program together with Our Lady of the Pines Parish. This weekly program begins Tues 23 Nov at 1015am in the SSPP church foyer. All materials will be provided. For those who are unable to make it during the day, a repeat session will be held on Wed 24th Nov at 7.30pm over Zoom. Please contact Trish at the parish office on trish.keley@cam.org.au to register your interest for either session to assist with planning.

Update to General Liturgical Guidelines

Following yesterdays announcement, we are pleased to advised the following

- **Face covering** is no longer required within our Church setting , although it is recommended that face covering be worn if you can't physically distance, or if you are with people who may be vulnerable to COVID 19. If you feel more comfortable to continue wearing your face mask, we encourage you to do so.
- **Fully Vaccinated 12 years + 2 months and over:** Places of worship may open for all celebrations for the fully vaccinated with no capacity or density limits.
- **Unknown Vaccination Status:** For all of our unvaccinated masses , the mass is restricted to one person per 4sqm up to a maximum of 50 parishioners.
- **Community (Parish) Facilities:** Is limited to the fully vaccinated only and no limits will apply .

The 21st of November will be our last Sunday Zoom Mass.
Weekday zoom masses will continue for the time being.

Weekday Masses (Wed and Friday 9.00am) Up to 50 people may attend, Vaccinations is not required. Bookings are not required.

Weekend Masses (Sat 5.00pm and Sunday 9.30am) No limits apply . All attendees aged 12+ must be fully vaccinated. Bookings are not required. Please arrive early to allow time to check-in and show your Vaccination Certificate to the Covid Marshall.

We pray for Better Health: :

Brian Sullivan, Kath Potger, Alden Ong, Lisa Dallow, Josephine Noli, Teresa Talia, Sharon Rodrigo, Laurel Wood ,John Goold , Meredith Barnes, Judith Frood, Deborah Jansz and Kathy Given.

Anniversary: Pasquale Calderone0

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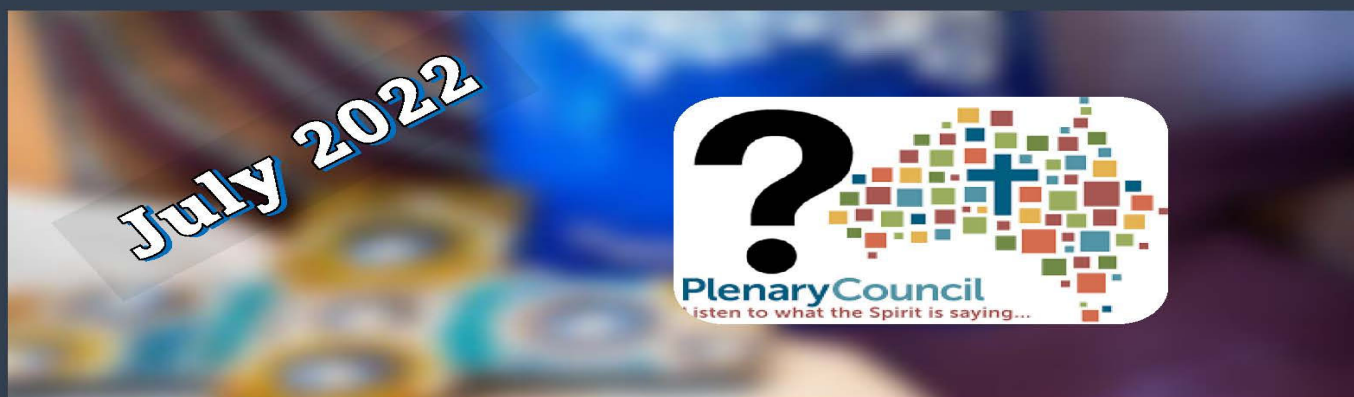
5pm Sunday Mass at Ss Peter and Paul's Church for those not fully vaccinated. If you have had only one dose of the vaccine or prefer to remain unvaccinated, there will be an extra Mass each Sunday at 5.00pm at Ss Peter and Paul's Church for both SSPP and OLOP parishioners only. 50 people are permitted. Bookings are essential through trybooking. Bookings will close at 5.00pm on the Saturday prior. **The trybooking link is <https://www.trybooking.com/BVRGI>.** This is the last weekend that you will need to book for this mass via trybooking.

CHECK IN REQUIREMENTS: Please ensure you check in on arrival using the Service Victoria App. For all weekend masses except for the Sunday 5.00pm mass at SSPP, you will also need to show Proof of Vaccinate to the Covid Marshall.

The First Assembly of the Plenary Council **"Can the Plenary Council achieve real change?"**



One Down, One to Go!



What Now? **Where to Next?**

December 1st, 2021

7.30 to 9pm

St Kevin's Parish
26-44 Herlihy's Road,
Templestowe

stkevinsparish.org.au

Join us for a Q & A evening with guest presenters:



Rev. Dr Kevin Lenehan is Master of the Catholic Theological College in Melbourne & part of the Plenary Council 'Instrumentum Laboris' Team



Dr Nimmi Candappa is a Melbourne writer, Plenary Council member and academic.

www.trybooking.com/BVTHF



Take the way of the Gospel

As we approach the season of advent, may we rejoice in the ability to gather once again in our parish communities as we prepare to celebrate the mystery of the incarnation. Thank you for your support and dialogue -Take the Way of the Gospel—throughout 2021. We look forward to exploring further the way forward in a mission parish as we begin to explore opportunities for collaboration and partnership with adjacent parish and faith communities.

Fr Joe Caddy
Vicar General

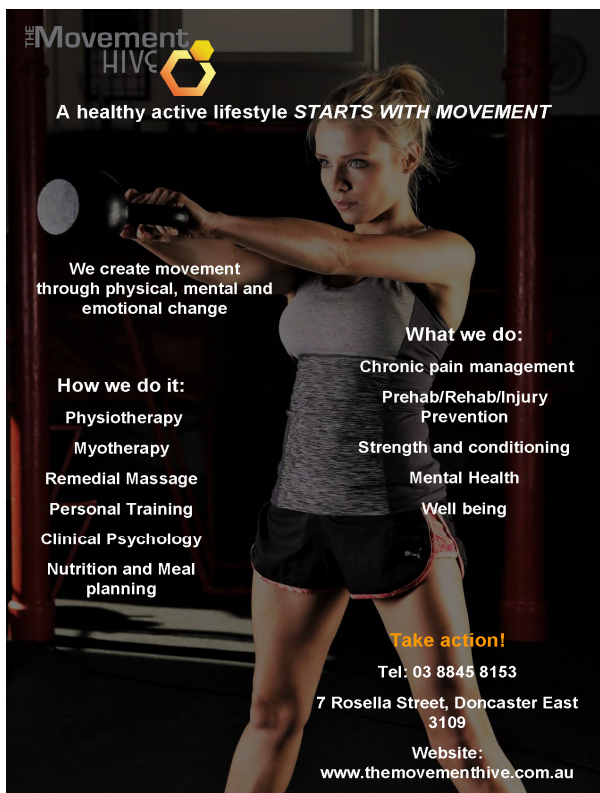
The full extract of Fr Joe Caddy's letter on Take the way of the Gospel is available in the foyer for anyone who would like to read this.

LIGHTING A VIRTUAL CANDLE FOR YOUR LOVED ONE

We would like to remind you of the opportunity to light a virtual candle for your loved one on our website. If you would like to dedicate a special prayer or light a candle in honour of someone that you have lost , just go to <https://sspp.org.au/candle/>

Parish Business Directory

Our Parish Business Directory has been started to help and support businesses of Parishioners . This is a free advertising resource for Parishioners. If you would like to have your business advertised please send an email to busdirectory23@gmail.com. The community are asked in turn to support the businesses advertised should they need this service



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ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND**1st Sunday of Advent**

HOSPITALITY TEAMS— Davis , Lazzari , smith and Oakley

READERS & COMMENTATORS

Sat 5.00 pm: Mary Ann Payne and Ophelia Wong

Sun 9.30 am: Kathy Stewart and Geoff Mullane

PROJECTOR OPERATORS

Sat 5.00pm : Gabrielle Collins

Sun 9.30am : Joseph Chim

Covid Captain:

5.00pm : Oswald Mendonca

9.30am : Mary Farnay and Lyn Wise

Money Counting Roster:

Group 3 : Keith Delzoppo, Arthur Williams, Janet Goodwin and Noranda Lai

Parish Priest : Fr Jerald Mariadas—98418354

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Year B –1st Sunday of Advent

28th of November 2021

GOSPEL

‘GOSPEL Jerusalem Bible © 1966 by Darton, Longman & Todd Ltd and Doubleday & Company Inc. Jesus said to his disciples: ‘There will be signs in the sun and moon and stars; on earth nations in agony, bewildered by the clamour of the ocean and its waves; men dying of fear as they await what menaces the world, for the powers of heaven will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. When these things begin to take place, stand erect, hold your heads high, because your liberation is near at hand. ‘Watch yourselves, or your hearts will be coarsened with debauchery and drunkenness and the cares of life, and that day will be sprung on you suddenly, like a trap. For it will come down on every living man on the face of the earth. Stay awake, praying at all times for the strength to survive all that is going to happen, and to stand with confidence before the Son of Man.’ (Luke 21:25–28, 34–36)

DID YOU KNOW?

Points of interest and Catholic lore

- Advent is the beginning of the Church's liturgical year.
- The Advent period is concerned with 'waiting' for the coming of the Christ child.
- A recurring theme in the gospels read during Advent is looking towards the end times, when Christ will come again

Extract from "The Summit" Online

MASS TIMES for partner Parishes of Our Lady of The Pines, Donvale & Ss Peter & Paul's, Doncaster East

	OLOP	SSPP
Monday	No Mass	9.00am Communion Service
Tuesday	No Mass	9.00am In person Mass
Wednesday	9.00am in person Mass—	9.00am Communion Service
Thursday	No Mass	9.00am in person Mass
Friday	9.00am in person Mass—	9.00am Communion Service
Saturday	5.00pm Vigil Mass	9.00am Mass and 6.00pm Vigil Mass
Sunday	9.30am Morning Mass— Rosary after mass	8.00 and 11.15am Morning Mass