

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

18th and 19th of June

2022—Year C

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PARISH OFFICE OPENING
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We may also be contacted at
Ss Peter and Paul Parish, on
9842 1480 on Monday, Thursday and Friday.

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 Safety Policy.

Parish AGM

OLOP's AGM is on this Sunday the 19th of June directly after the 9.30am mass. We invite all parishioners to attend our Annual Parish Meeting (AGM). This will be a great opportunity to hear about the happenings in our Parish and to pose any questions you might have.

The 2021 AGM reports, which includes a portion of 2022 reports, is now available in the Foyer for collection.

Please take a copy home today.

SAVE THE DATE

Our next parish Fundraising event—a pleasant Sunday afternoon is being held on the 26th of June. Don't forget to get your tickets as soon as possible.

FIRST COMMUNION FOR CHILDREN FROM NON-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Registrations are now open for students from non-catholic schools who are in Grade 4 and above who have completed their sacrament of Reconciliation and who wish to make the sacrament of First Communion at Our Lady of the Pines Parish.

Catechist classes commence on Thursday, 14th July and run for 10 weeks. To obtain a registration form please email trish.keley@cam.org.au or

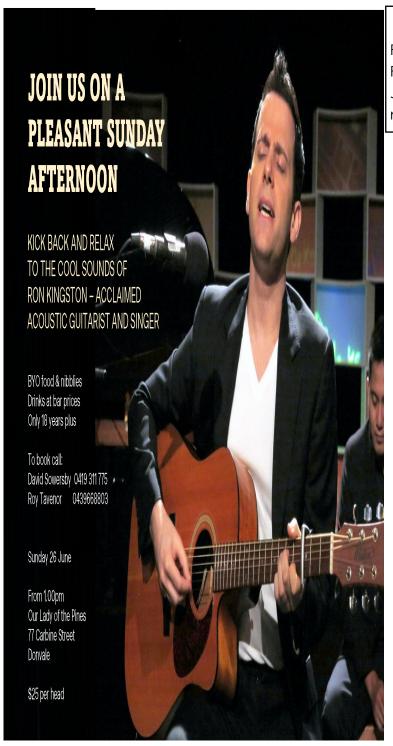
visit https://www.ourladyofthepineschurch.org/sacramental-programme-for-children/ Registrations close on Thursday, 7th July.

PIETY STALL/LIBRARY - HELPERS NEEDED DESPERATELY!!!

Upon the retirement of Barbara Johnson, Sue Keating has kindly offered to take on the role of co-ordinator of our Library & Piety Stall.

Sue would like to set up a roster of volunteers to run these after each Mass and we are desperately in need of people to help.

If you are able to assist, please phone Sue on 0421 270 517 or email her at keatingsm@bigpond.com.



We pray for Better Health:

Brian Sullivan, Kath Potger, Alden Ong, Lisa Dallow, Josephine Noli, Sharon Rodrigo, Meredith Barnes, John Yates ,Teresa Danker, Fiona Faulkner, Melvin Rodrigo

Recent Death: Angie Ng Lai Yoong

Parish Office at Ss Peter and Paul's

Please note, the parish office at Ss Peter and Paul's will be closed on Monday the 20th of June. It will reopen on Tuesday the 21st as normal. Thank you.



Unfortunately our Children's Liturgy program was paused due to COVID-19 but we are ready to re-commence this important ministry from Sunday, 17th July!

SUNDAY 17TH JULY

It will be held during the 9.30 am Mass every Sunday (except during school holidays). If you have children or grandchildren from kinder through to Year 6, we encourage you to send them along. Children's liturgy helps the children to learn the gospel at their own level and makes attending Mass more meaningful for them. There will be two adults supervising every lesson.

Lessons have been prepared - we still need a few more people to help run the classes. If you would like to be involved, but don't feel comfortable leading a lesson, you may join the team as an assistant, which means helping the children with their activity. If you are able to help in any way, or would just like to know more, please phone Trish Keley on 0431 835 626 or email trish.keley@cam.org. au.

Refugee Week

Catholics across Australia are being invited to participate in a special Refugee Week prayer service, which will be streamed online on the evening of Monday 20 June.

The prayer service is being jointly hosted by the Australian Catholic Migrant and Refugee Office (ACMRO) and the Office for Justice, Ecology and Peace (OJEP)—both agencies of the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference.

The theme for Refugee Week 2022 is healing. As the Refugee Council of Australia explains, 'healing can occur through storytelling, through community and also through realisation of our intrinsic interconnectedness as individuals.'

According to ACMRO Director Fr Khalid Marogi:

The online prayer service will engage these elements by gathering the Catholic community, telling stories through the medium of video and praying together as sisters and brothers in Christ.

Bishop Vincent Long OFMConv, Chair of the Bishops Commission for Social Justice, Mission and Service, will lead the online prayer service. The service will be recorded and the video made available for further use.

A number of resources have been created to mark Refugee Week in a Catholic context, including prayers, an explanation of Church teaching on refugees and asylum-seekers, and details about the Church's advocacy in this area.

Videos featuring the stories of people on different sides of the asylum-seeker journey—one who sought asylum and one who advocates for and welcomes asylum-seekers—have also been prepared.

'They help us to get behind the headlines to understand the human experiences that are often masked by fear-driven policy debates,' OJEP Director Sandie Cornish says. 'Both stories are stories of faith and family.'

To find out more, please go to

https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/2022/05/23/refugee-week-prayer-service/

Extracted from www.melbournecatholic.org

Synod Report Synthesis 2022 - Catholic Archdiocese of Melbourne

Our local Church in Melbourne has brought together this Report in response to Pope Francis' invitation for the universal Church to reflect upon: For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission; the theme of the 16th Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops which will take place on October 2023.

The Report will now take its part in a combined national report, which will be sent to the General Secretariat for the Synod of Bishops to be considered alongside contributions from other parts of the Church around the world. For the full report please visit our website ourladyofthepineschurch.org

25th and 26th of June 2022 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time -HOSPITALITY TEAMS

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Haswell, Sowersby and Smith

READERS & COMMENTATORS

Sat 5.00 pm: James Beckford and Mary Wynack Sun 9.30 am: Natalie Chim and Mark Keating

Altar Servers:

Sat 5.00pm: Jose, Jeanelle and Raffael Sun 9.30am: Ryan, Chris and Jerry

Mass Drivers Roster
Sunday: Jill Howell
PROJECTOR OPERATORS
Sat 5.00 pm: Gabrielle

Sun 9.30am: Lukas Catanchin

Welcoming Committee

5.00 pm: Rose and Richard Chapman9.30 am: Janet and Pat Goodwin

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Year C - 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time —26th of June 2022

Gospel

As the time drew near for him to be taken up to heaven, Jesus resolutely took the road for Jerusalem and sent messengers ahead of him. These set out, and they went into a Samaritan village to make preparations for him, but the people would not receive him because he was making for Jerusalem. Seeing this, the disciples James and John said, 'Lord, do you want us to call down fire from heaven to burn them up?' But he turned and rebuked them, and they went off to another village. As they travelled along they met a man on the road who said to him, 'I will follow you wherever you go.' Jesus answered, 'Foxes have holes and the birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.'

Another to whom he said, 'Follow me', replied, 'Let me go and bury my father first.' But he answered, 'Leave the dead to bury their dead; your duty is to go and spread the news of the kingdom of God.'

Another said, 'I will follow you, sir, but first let me go and say goodbye to my people at home.' Jesus said to him, 'Once the hand is laid on the plough, no one who looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.' (Luke 9:51–62)

Did you know?

Points of interest and Catholic lore

- A very central theme in Luke's writings is that of journey. In Luke's Gospel, Jesus' journey to Jerusalem is the vehicle for his preaching and for the formation of the disciples in what it means to be a follower of Christ.
- Luke's second volume is the Acts of the Apostles. In this book, the journey continues with the message of Jesus being taken by the Church outward from Jerusalem to the ends of the earth..

Extract from "The Summit" Online.

MASS TIMES FOR THE PARTNERED PARISHES OF OUR LADY OF THE PINES & Ss PETER & PAUL'S, DONCASTER EAST

	OLOP	SsPP
Monday	No Mass	9.00 am Communion Service
Tuesday	No Mass	9.00 am Mass
Wednesday	9.00 am Mass followed by Rosary	9.00 am Communion Service
Thursday	No Mass	9.00 am Mass
Friday	9.00 am Mass followed by Rosary	11.30am Feast of the Sacred Heart
Saturday	5.00pm Mass	9.00am and 6.00pm Mass
Sunday	9.30am Mass followed by Rosary	8.00am and 11.15am Mass