



13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st and 2nd of July 2023

**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES
STRAITS ISLANDERS WEEKEND.**

OUR LADY OF THE PINES CHURCH
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PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS:

Tues: 9.00 am to 4.00 pm.

Wed: 9.00 am to 5.00 pm

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 car-
ing and supportive environment
within our parish. Visit our parish
website or contact our parish office
for our Child Safety Policy.

We pray for Better Health:

Brian Sullivan, Kath Potger,
Josephine Noli, Sharon Rodrigo,
Meredith Barnes, John Yates ,
David McDonald and Belinda Swan

**Anniversaries: Pasquale Calderone
on his 2nd anniversary.**

Farewelling Fr Jerald on the 16th of July 2023.

Fr Jerald's last mass with us as a community will be held on Sunday the 16th of July at our 9.30am Mass. There will be a formal presentation to Fr Jerald as a Thank You from us. This will be followed by a morning tea for the community. Please bring a plate to share.

Our collection to express our thanks, appreciate and love for Fr Jerald will continue until the 16th of July. There is a box in the Foyer where you will be able to put your contribution in anonymously. There will also be a of card available for parishioners to sign as well. This will be presented to Fr Jerald on his last Mass with us .

Thank You.

Final Call for Children's Liturgy Volunteers

We are in desperate need of volunteers to support our Children's Liturgy program. Without sufficient help, we may have to review the weekly delivery of this program. If you or anyone you know can assist, please reach out to Maria Carey at maria.carey@cam.org.au or call 0458 756 258. Your involvement will make a significant impact on the spiritual education of our children. Thank you for your consideration.



**“What if your mum, grandma
or sister became homeless?”**

St Vincent de Paul Society Winter Appeal

The Vinnies Donvale Conference thanks parishioners for contributing \$1085 to last weekend's Winter Appeal. We also thank the recent pilgrims who donated surplus funds of \$2500. Both donations will be used to help people in our community at risk of homelessness or who are otherwise needing a hand up. Thank you very much.

OLOP super draw

Win \$5,000

1st prize \$4,000

2nd prize \$300

3rd prize \$200

Only 100 numbers being sold!!

Drawn on Sunday 15th October ,2023 at our Italian Festa function

Purchase of a number also entitles you to win \$100 at each draw on the first Sunday of each month
- commencing the 4th of June

Got to be in it to win it!!

Numbers for sale after Masses

Or contact Stephen Kay on 0407392763 - skay@bigoin.net.au

David Sowersby on 0419311775—david@walshewhitelock.com.au

Or Parish office on 0473873479—Donvale @cam.org.au

AGM Query

At the AGM, a query was raised concerning why the net operating loss was reduced by the sum of debtors and creditors and why the debtors were not a minus. The following Statement of Cash Flow addresses this query.

OUR LADY OF THE PINES STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2022

	2022
	\$
Net Operating Surplus/(Loss)	(34,835)
Add: Debtors -prior year	
Being accrued revenue in 2021 received in 2022	7,727
Creditors – this year	
Being accrued expenses relating to 2022, Paid in 2023 and \$35,000 of Medjugorje funds Collected in 2022 and paid out in 2023	59,430
Less: Creditors – prior year	
Being accrued expenses relating to 2021, paid in 2022	(30,600)
Debtors – Current year	
Being accrued revenue in 2022 received in 2023	(6,543)
Net Cash Flow Surplus /(Deficit)	(4,821)
Being the reduction in the Cash at Ban	

Stewardship and Clergy Envelopes

The new set of Stewardship envelopes are now ready for collection in the foyer.

Please pick up your set of envelopes today. When filling in the envelopes please ensure that the date and the amounts are inserted in on the envelopes. Your envelope numbers are already prepopulated.

If you have any queries or are unable to find your envelope, please do not hesitate to get in touch with Liza in the Parish Office .

Meeting with our New Priest

On Wednesday the 28th of June , Our Parish Council members had the pleasure of meeting Fr Toan Nguyen who will be joining us as our Parish Administrator on the 9th of August.

It was a lovely evening getting acquainted with him and we look forward to welcoming Fr Toan in August.



**8th and 9th of July 2023 -
14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

HOSPITALITY TEAMS:

Mullane, Casey and Bonavia

READERS & COMMENTATORS:

Sat 5.00 pm: Maria Carey and Lorraine Chia

Sun 9.30 am: Natalie Chim and Mark Keating

ALTAR SERVERS:

5.00pm: Jerry, Alex and Emily

9.30am: Constance, Maya and Nick

CHILDRENS LITURGY: School Holidays—No Childrens Liturgy

MASS DRIVERS: Suzanne and Mark Keating

PROJECTOR OPERATORS:

Sat 5.00 pm: Ophelia Wong

Sun 9.30am: Leonard Healey

WELCOMING COMMITTEE:

5.00 pm: Oswald Mendonca

9.30 am: Chris Healy

MONEY COUNTING: GROUP 6—Marie Christensen, Chris Haswell and Joan McDonald

Piety Stall: 5.00pm : Mary Ann Payne

9.30am: Nan Perreau

PARISH PRIEST: Fr Jerald Mariadas 0473 873 479

Email: gerald.cecil@cam.org.au

CHAIR OF PASTORAL COUNCIL

Peter Given

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SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Brendan Keeling: 9842 2991

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Liza Jansz - Wed 9.00 am to 5.00 pm at OLOP

Mon and Thu 9-5 and Fri 9-4 at SSPP

Email: donvale@cam.org.au or

liza.jansz@cam.org.au

PASTORAL WORKER

Maria Carey

Tue, Wed and Fri: 8.30-am to 3.15pm

Email: maria.carey@cam.org.au

Tel : 0458756258

**Year A - 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9th July 2023**

Readings

First Reading Zec 9:9-10

See how humbly your king comes to you!

The Lord says this:

'Rejoice heart and soul, daughter of Zion!

Shout with gladness, daughter of Jerusalem!

See now, your king comes to you;

he is victorious, he is triumphant,

humble and riding on a donkey,

on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

He will banish chariots from Ephraim

and horses from Jerusalem;

the bow of war will be banished.

He will proclaim peace for the nations.

His empire shall stretch from sea to sea,

from the River to the ends of the earth.'

Gospel Reading Mt 11:25-30

Jesus exclaimed, 'I bless you, Father, Lord of heaven and of earth, for hiding these things from the learned and the clever and revealing them to mere children. Yes, Father, for that is what it pleased you to do. Everything has been entrusted to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, just as no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

'Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest. Shoulder my yoke and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. Yes, my yoke is easy and my burden light.'

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	9.00am Mass
Friday	9.00am Mass followed by Rosary	9.00am Communion Service
Saturday	5.00pm Mass	9.00am and 6.00pm Mass
Sunday	9.30am Mass followed by Rosary	8.00am and 11.15am Mass