

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time 7th and 8th Oct 2023— YEAR A

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PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS: TUES—FRI 8:30AM—3:00PM

We may also be contacted at Ss Peter and Paul Parish, on 9842 1480 on Tuesday—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.

We pray for Better Health:

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

Important Notice— Dance Comp May Affect Parking on 14th and 15th OCTOBER

Please be advised that an upcoming dance competition at the PEACE Centre may affect parking arrangements during Saturday mass. To ensure you have a parking spot for mass, please note the following

- The lower level carparks will be reserved for Parishioners.
- The upper carparks will be allocated to dance competitors.
- Sunday mass attendees should not be impacted, however please be aware.
 To secure a parking spot for mass, we kindly suggest arriving a bit earlier than usual.

OCT—ROSARY MONTH

Since October is dedicated to the Rosary, we will gather each Sunday morning in October before the 9:30am mass to recite the Rosary at 9:10am.



OLOP CHRISTMAS HAMPER MASS

Our annual Christmas Hamper Mass is on Sunday 3rd December, 2023. Hampers can also be left at the 5pm Mass on Saturday, 2nd December. OLOP has an exceptional history of supporting families in need at this important time of the year - families who will not be able to provide for and experience Christmas to the full. For new parishioners, this charity effort provides Christmas fare (with a few indulgences) plus a small gift for each family member. On Sunday 3rd December, the charity will collect the hampers and distribute.

The usual value of a hamper is \$100 - \$120. Perishable goods, alcohol or cigarettes must not be included. All contents must be "shop bought", in date and appropriately labelled. No "homemade" content please. This year Catholic Care will be providing the particulars of 50 families. This list will be in the foyer of The Worship Centre. It will indicate the number in the family, ages, and first names.

We would ask those who can support, to place your particulars next to a family and prepare a hamper for the Hamper Masses.

With the cost of living increasing, we are recommending, certainly for the larger families on the list, that you combine with another/other parishioners to not only ease the burden of cost, but also to allow that combined extra to ensure the larger families receive an appropriate hamper to share. Thank You for your support.

Healing Ministry

With Fr. Jose Maria Caritas, CSE and Sisters of Daughters of Carmel

Healing Service

Sunday, 08 October 2023 at 6.00PM

St Peter and Paul's Church

23 Leeds St, Doncaster East

Info: Bernadeth 0407 007 708

Adi 0424 800 804

LAY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Formation & Training

Learn at YOUR pace, at times that suit YOU!



Course Benefits:

- Learn about liturgy & ministry at home.
- Explore the role of your ministry & how it contributes to the whole liturgy.
 - Study at your pace, in your time.



Topics include:

- Introduction to liturgy & ministry
 - Structure of the Mass
- Lay liturgical ministry & the Mass
- **Communion Ministers specific training**

2.5 hours on -line
Short engaging

videos

Downloadable notes

Certificate upon completion

Please contact the Parish office on Tel: 0473 873 479 or email

donvale@cam.org.au if you are interested.

Reminder:

Bible Study: A Journey through the Gospel of

Mark!

WHEN: Every Wednesday at 7:00PM - 8:00PM

WHERE: The Parish 'Meeting Place'

NO HOMEWORK - Simply turn up and share

All Souls Day 2 Nov - Special Mass Times:

Embrace the sacred spirit of All Souls' Day on November 2nd as we gather to honor our departed loved ones. Join us in prayerful reflection and unity during these special Masses:

9:00 AM at Our Lady of Peace (OLOP)

7:30 PM at Saints Peter and Paul's (Ss. Peter and Paul's)

As we come together, let us find solace and hope in the eternal bond that connects us with those who have gone before us.





OLOP Super Draw

To be drawn at the Pleasant Sunday Afternoon gathering next Sunday, 15th October.

Win \$5,000

1st prize \$4,000

2nd prize \$300

3rd prize \$200

Last chance for tickets, on sale after mass or contact Stephen Kay on 0407392763 - skay@bigoind.net.au

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

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

When: Sun 15th Oct

Where: OLOP

Cost: \$30 per person

Enjoy great music and pleasant company.

Relax with 'AUSTRALIAN IDOL'

star Rocky Loprevite. He has performed with great artists like John

Farnham and Guy Sebastian.

BYO food and nibblies.
Beer, wine and spirit on sale. You must be 18 years or older.

BOOK NOW

David Sowersby 0419311775

Roy Tavernor 0439668803

Super Draw Monthly Winner

Congratulations goes to Clare Davis, the \$100 monthly winner drawn last Sunday 1st October

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HOSPITALITY TEAMS:

Christensen, Nolan, McDonald

READERS & COMMENTATORS:

Sat 5.00 pm: Margaret Hughes and Vanessa White

Sun 9.30 am: Anna Basa and Leonard Healy

ALTAR SERVERS:

5.00pm: Alex, Tiana and Jeremy

9.30am: Jasmine, Constance and Meagan

CHILDRENS LITURGY: Vena Pena and Suzanne Keating

MASS DRIVERS: Jill Howell

AUDIO VISUAL OPERATORS Sat 5.00 pm: Lisa

Sun 9.30am: Bruce Stewart

WELCOMING COMMITTEE:
5.00 pm: Rita Latimour

9.30 am: Joan McDonald & Luzanne Argaet

MONEY COUNTING: GRP2— Peter Johnstone, Bob O'Halloran,

Monica Luttick, Jill Howell

Piety Stall: 5.00pm: Mary Anne Payne 9.30am: Mirella Drago

PARISH PRIEST: Fr Toan Nguyen
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Maria Carey

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Gospel

Matthew 21:33-43

He leased his vineyard to other farmers.

Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people, 'Listen to another parable. There was a man, a landowner, who planted a vineyard; he fenced it round, dug a winepress in it and built a tower; then he leased it to tenants and went abroad. When vintage time drew near he sent his servants to the tenants to collect his produce. But the tenants seized his servants, thrashed one, killed another and stoned a third. Next he sent some more servants, this time a larger number, and they dealt with them in the same way. Finally he sent his son to them. "They will respect my son," he said. But when the tenants saw the son, they said to each other, "This is the heir. Come on, let us kill him and take over his inheritance." So they seized him and threw him out of the vineyard and killed him. Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?' They answered, 'He will bring those wretches to a wretched end and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will deliver the produce to him when the season arrives.' Jesus said to them, 'Have you never read in the scriptures: It was the stone rejected by the builders that became the keystone. This was the Lord's doing and it is wonderful to see?

'I tell you, then, that the kingdom of God will be taken from you and given to a people who will produce its fruit.'

Next Weekend Readings: Year A - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Isaiah 25:6-10

Second Reading: Philippians 4:12-14. 19-20

Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14

Whomsoever you find invite to the wedding.

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	9.00am Mass
Wednesday	9.00am 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 Mass and 6.00pm Mass
Sunday	9.30am Mass followed by Rosary	8.00am and 11.15am Mass