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Sunday Masses:
Sun. 10 a.m.
Sun. 5:30 p.m.
Weekday Masses:
Mon. 9:15 a.m.
Wed. 9:15 a.m.
Fri. 9:15 a.m.
Confessions:
By arrangement

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

20 September 2026

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

RECENTLY DECEASED: Henry Kian Hee CHAN (d'ced 21 July 2026), Lina (Pasqualina) Gecchelin (d'ced 10 September 2026)

ANNIVERSARIES: Joyce Breheny, Marjorie Agnes Grace, Eileen Hyslop, Francis Paul Madden, Eileen Mazoletti, Marjorie Murphy, Eril Pidgeon, Noel Pidgeon, Maria Carmel Pinzone, Mary Siejka, Susie (Suzanne Bernadette) Tyson, Mary Margaret Theresa Young



Social Services Sunday:

This Sunday, 20th September 2026, we give thanks for the thousands of staff and volunteers across Catholic social services who accompany people experiencing poverty, disadvantage and marginalisation throughout Victoria.

As we celebrate Social Services Sunday, we recognise the need for encounter. Passion for connection and meeting others creates the kinship that is imperative in times of hardship and for building strong communities. Through these encounters, we recognise the dignity of every person and stand alongside those who may otherwise go unheard.

Catholic social services put this call into practice every day through accompaniment, advocacy, and practical support. This Social Services Sunday, we are invited not only to give thanks for this work, but to consider our own contribution: **Who is experiencing hardship around us? Who is already walking beside them? How might we strengthen and support that work?**

MEMORIAL SERVICE: Henry Kian Hee CHAN passed away on Tuesday 21st July at the age of 79. His body was cremated shortly afterwards. Yesterday – Saturday 19th September – his family and friends gathered at St Cecilia's in the presence of his remains for a Memorial Service. This was followed by refreshments in St Cecilia's Hall.

We offer our condolences to Henry's wife Gertrude, to his sons Jonathan, Jason and Julius, and to all his family including his five grandchildren.

REQUIEM MASS: Lina (Pasqualina) Gecchelin passed away Thursday 10th September at the age of 97½. Her Requiem Mass will be celebrated by Fr Kevin here at St Cecilia's at 11 am this Tuesday, 22nd September. She will be buried at the Box Hill Cemetery.

We offer our condolences to Lina's family. Please keep her and her family in your prayers.

WEEKDAY MASSES: We have weekday Masses at St Cecilia's this week at **9:15 am on Monday 21st September, Wednesday 23rd September, and Friday 25th September.** At St Michael's in Ashburton, there is a Liturgy of the Word with Communion at **10 am on Tuesday 22nd September, and Thursday 24th September.**