

St Cecilia's Catholic Church
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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

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

23 June 2024

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

ANNIVERSARIES: Bill (John William) Agnew, Mary T. Bainbridge, Pauline Bride, Harry Coldrey, Bob (Robert Anthony Joseph) Fitzwilliam, Sr Raymund Howley RSJ, Denise Margaret Johnston, Josie Liggiardo, Astrid Renehan, Elsie Steinfort, Margie (Margaret Patricia) Young

COMMITMENT FOR CONFIRMATION: At both our 10 am and 5:30 pm Masses today, we welcome the girls and boys who are preparing to receive the sacrament of Confirmation and their families. At these Masses, the girls and boys will make a formal commitment to prepare well for Confirmation by learning about this sacrament; taking more responsibility at home and in the Church and community; taking time to pray; and using their talents to serve others. Girls and boys, you are in our prayers as you prepare for this significant step in your journey of faith.

This year, the sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated for the children of St Cecilia's at St Patrick's Cathedral in East Melbourne at 7 pm on Friday 26th July.

WEEKDAY MASSES: This week, we have weekday Mass at 9:15 am on Monday 24th June, Wednesday 26th June, and Friday 28th June.

PALMS AUSTRALIA OVERSEAS MISSION: Have you been considering whether an overseas professional placement with Palms is for you? Would you like to share your skills to develop self-reliance and sustainable solutions while living authentically in another culture? To find out more, go to Palms' Discovery information session at Altona on 11th July. You'll meet Palms Executive Director Soraya and returned Palms participants to discover more about Assignments Aboard.

This information session is at Mary Help of Christians Church Hall at 97 Railway Street N, Altona VIC 3018 on Thursday 11th July 2024, from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm. For more information or to register your attendance, please contact Palms Australia by email at palms@palms.org.au, or by phone on 0422 472 567.

VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT RETREAT: The Vocations Office of the Archdiocese of Melbourne invites men who are discerning a vocation to a One Day Retreat. The day will include talks on the Priesthood and discernment as well as time for prayer and reflection. It will be held at the Carmelite Monastery in Kew on Saturday 6th July from 10 am to 4 pm. For more information or to register your attendance, please contact the Vocations Office by Wednesday 3rd July by email at vocations@cam.org.au.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is for those who are living with serious illness (including significant mental health challenges) or the frailty of old age. It can also be received before significant surgery, or when a person is in danger of death. This anointing with oil blessed by our Bishop heals and strengthens us. It gives us the courage and peace that we need in times of challenge or crisis. It also helps us resist the temptation to feel discouraged, anxious or afraid when we face serious health issues. The Anointing of the Sick can be received at Mass or in a small, private prayer service. Several people have recently received this sacrament before surgery or because of various health problems. If you would like to receive this sacrament, please speak with Fr Kevin.

CASHLESS DONATION POINT: As we move towards a cashless society, we have installed a cashless donation point in the narthex or foyer of St Cecilia's Church. It's on a small shelf just inside the entrance, near the table for the parish bulletins. You're able to donate \$5, \$10, \$20, or \$50. Thank you for supporting our parish.