

SUNDAY MASS Saturday Vigil 6.00 pm Sunday 9 am, 11 am	The Sacrament of Reconciliation Is available 30 minutes before each Mass, between 9:30-10:30am Saturday morning, or by appointment.	HOLY ROSARY Tuesday to Friday 8:30am St Joseph's Church
WEEKDAY MASS Tuesday 9 am Wednesday 9 am Thursday 9 am Friday 9 am Saturday 9 am	Eucharist Adoration Half an hour before each weekday Mass St Joseph's Church	Wednesday 1pm St Joseph's Parish Centre 15 Decade-Rosary Mary Untier of Knots 

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SISTERS OF ST PAUL DE CHARTRES
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ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL
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St Joseph's Parish is committed to the Safeguarding of Children and Young People in all aspects of Parish life.

To subscribe to St Joseph's Parish email list please email chelsea@cam.org.au
The solemn obligation for baptised Catholics to attend regular Sunday Mass has been restored throughout the Archdiocese of Melbourne.



Please pray for:

Recently deceased
Mary Rodricks, Geoffrey Roberts

Prayers for the Sick
Marie Claire Aziz, Derick D'Costa, Margaret Dunne, Jamie Fleming, Bev Garing, Leonie Gilchrist, Rick Hayes, Jessie Jackson, Andrea Hazel Pereira, Juliette Ronald, Josephine Russell, Len Scott, Danielle Spencer, Toni (Marie) Wilton, Baby Area Maria (Cathy) Meehan's Great Granddaughter)

Anniversaries
Marjorie Cameron, Anthony Dalton, Helen, Bryan and Miriam Guest, Iung Song Lay, Kevin McNamara, Jude Myers, Primrose Nonis, Dr Julius and Franciska Sinka

Special Intentions
Birthday and Thanksgiving for Josephine Sanjorjo, Remembrance Wedding Anniversary Sylvester D'Silva

21st June; Ordinary 12 A
1st R: Jer 20:10-13
2nd R: Rom 5:12-15
Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33

28th June; Ordinary 13 A
1st R: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16
2nd Rom 6:3-4, 8-11
Gospel: Matthew 10:37-42

PARISH OF ST JOSEPH CHELSEA

12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

21ST JUNE 2026



Prayer for the Synod

Adsumus, Sancte Spiritus

We stand before You, Holy Spirit,
as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us,
make Yourself at home in our hearts;

Teach us the way we must go
and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful;
do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance
lead us down the wrong path
nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity
so that we may journey together
to eternal life

and not stray from the way of truth
and what is right.

All this we ask of You,
who are at work in every place and time,
in the communion of the Father and the Son,
forever and ever.

Amen.

Attributed to St Isidore of Seville (c. 560 – 4 April 636), this prayer been used at councils, synods and other Church gatherings for hundreds of years. Every session of the Second Vatican Council began with the Adsumus Sancte Spiritus prayer.

[Melbourne-Synod-resources-for-3rd-Sunday-Lent.docx](#)



Please do not attend Mass if you are unwell.
There are no numbers restrictions on attendees at church.
Face masks are no longer mandatory inside the church.
Please use the hand sanitiser provided.

PARISH CALENDAR

SATURDAY 20 JUNE

7:00am Men's Hour—PC

8:00am Men's BBQ Breakfast—Hall

4:30pm Junior Legion of Mary—PC

SUNDAY 21 JUNE

12:00pm Catholic Family Market - Our Lady of Lourdes Prahran

MONDAY 22 JUNE

10:00am Divine Mercy Prayer Group—PC

7:00pm Men's Focus Group—PC

TUESDAY 23 JUNE

10:00am Sacred Heart Prayer Group—PC

7:30pm KSC Exec Meeting

WEDNESDAY 24 JUNE

The Nativity of St John the Baptist

1:00pm 15 Decade Rosary—PC

6:30pm Legion of Mary—PC

THURSDAY 25 JUNE

4:30pm St Joseph's Junior Choir—Church

FRIDAY 26 JUNE

School Term 2 concludes



ST JOSEPH'S PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Pledge \$ 2,456

Weekly average \$ 2,343.34



St Vincent de Paul Society

Donations to Vinnies are gratefully accepted in the Blue Vinnie's Bin in the narthex.

Week 1 Breakfast Cereal, Longlife Milk, Jams and Spreads etc

Thank you for your generous support for the Vinnies Winter Appeal. There are envelopes in the Narthex if you haven't had the opportunity to donate as yet.



CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL, IN CONJUNCTION WITH CHARIS, INVITES YOU TO ATTEND

This Promise Is For You:
The Life Changing Work of the Holy Spirit

SACRED HEART OF JESUS
CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP CHELSEA
ST JOSEPH'S PARISH CENTRE
ARGYLE AVENUE, CHELSEA
(ENTRY THROUGH SCHOOL OFFICE GATE)



DATE : 04 AUGUST 2026 - 08 SEPTEMBER 2026

TUESDAYS. TIME: 10.00 AM - 12.00 PM

FELLOWSHIP FOLLOWING MEETINGS

6 WEEK SEMINARS

WEEK 1: THE CERTAINTY OF GOD'S LOVE

WEEK 2: FREEDOM IN JESUS

WEEK 3: THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

WEEK 4: THE SPIRITUAL GIFTS

WEEK 5: FULLNESS OF LIFE

WEEK 6: EMPOWERED TO SERVE

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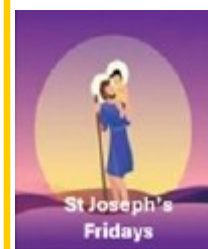


Junior Legion of Mary and St Joseph's Junior Choir will be on break over the school holiday period, resuming on Saturday 18th of July for Junior Legion of Mary and Thursday 23rd of July for the Junior Choir, both at 4:30pm.



Pope Leo XIV @Pontifex · 12 Jun

Fear, indifference, and the violence of those who trade in human life must not have the final word. The final word belongs to Christ, who identifies with the stranger, touches the wounds of humanity, and calls us to recognize Him in every brother and sister who needs to be welcomed, protected, supported, and integrated. Let us lift our gaze to Him, without turning away from those who suffer. Let us look to the Lord to learn to see our brothers and sisters through His eyes.



Please note St Joseph's Fridays is on winter break, returning on the 24th of July 2026

You are invited to be a part of a new exciting musical - The Man of Assisi - by the makers of COG theatre group. This year, the Catholic church is celebrating the life of St Francis & we want to stage a showcase towards end of this year and next year, the full musical! Expression of interest or any curiosity to be involved in some way please contact us on



cogtheatre.org. It's a great way to use and develop your gifts for serving the church and learn about theatre from professional trainers. Contact Geraldine [0413398528](tel:0413398528) or cogtheatregroup@gmail.com

The Men's Focus Group

meet every fortnight - next meeting will be

Monday 22nd of June at

7:00pm - at the parish

centre. All men are welcome to join us as we read the gospel for the day and share our reflections on this, and how we can bring a positive change in our own lives. Enquiries—Neville on 0469 341 463



12PM-3PM
OUR LADY OF LOURDES

armadaletoorak.org.au

Join Catholic families from around Melbourne for a fun, relaxing day to come together and connect with others. The afternoon will include market stalls, food, music, a jumping castle and an animal farm for the kids! 631 High Street Prahran

On the first Sunday of July each year, the Catholic Church in Australia celebrates Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday. On this day, we gather as one to honour and celebrate the rich cultural heritage and spirituality of our First Nations peoples, and the contributions they make to the life of the Church. The theme for this year's Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday is 'Walking together in Christ: 40 years on'. There will be a special mass celebrated at St Patrick's Cathedral on Sunday 5th July at 11am.



Save for a Greater Reward

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