



Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish Ringwood

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Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)

9 June 2024

Parish Information

Parish Priest

Fr Dispin John

Assisted by

Fr Michael Kelly CSsR

Fr Len Size (retired)

Parish Catechist

Trish Chaston

Pastoral Care Worker

Loredana Iacobucci

Parish Secretary

Janine Meades

Office hours

Mon, Tues, Fri 9:30-2:30

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Week Day Masses

Tuesday 6:00p.m. Mass and Novena

Thursday 9:15 a.m.

First Thursday—Healing Mass

Confessions

Thursday 9:45 a.m.

Baptism

Please contact the office.

Weddings

Please contact the office.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help School

Principal: Jenny Rohan

admin@olringwood.catholic.edu.au

2 Wilana Street, Ringwood

98707227

Gospel Reading: Mark 3:20–35

Family Connection

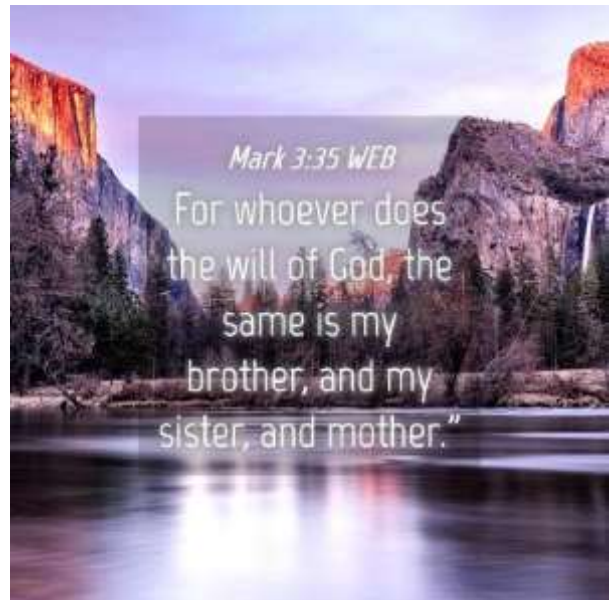
Families are places of beginnings. Within our family, we first learn what it means to be part of a community. We share a closeness and experience mutual understanding and support. We learn how to love one another, how to ask for and receive forgiveness, and how to apply all these lessons to the world outside our homes.

As you gather as a family, talk about what makes your family special. Share some of the lessons you have learned together about love, forgiveness, and understanding.

In today's Gospel, Jesus wants us to understand that by doing God's will, we are part of a bigger family. Choosing to follow Jesus, being his disciple, means we

must treat one another with kindness and mercy. We must become a family. Conclude by asking God to bless your family and to help you do God's will by seeing all his people with the same kind of love and compassion. Pray together the Lord's Prayer and the Hail Mary.

Source: <https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/>



Please pray...

For those who are sick or suffering serious illness, their families and loved ones who care for them: Peter Harris,

For those who have died recently:

For those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Audrey Moylan

Readings next Week

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ezek 17:22-24

Ps 91:2-3, 13-16

2 Cor 5:6-10

Mk 4:26-34

The Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Ringwood is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

Parish Ministries

June 8/9

Saturday 5:00

Lectors: Carla Jansen, Christian Gunawan

Eucharist: Carmel Risson, Frances Cassidy,
Amelia Mitchell

Laptop: Royal Castellino

Sunday 9:30

Lectors: Evelyn Randrup, Kathy Munro

Eucharist: Peter & Breeda Cleary, Shiny Kurian

Music: Our Lady's Singers

Laptop: Bob Munro

Children's Liturgy: Tess Repalust

Morning Tea: Team 2

June 15/16

Saturday 5:00

Lectors: Amelia Mitchell, Frances Cassidy

Eucharist: Margaret Roper, Kate & Andy Coombs

Laptop: Joshua Berketa

Sunday 9:30

Lectors: Angela Lacey, Kerry Peterson

Eucharist: Paula & Jim Corcoran, Sean Peterson

Music: Rohan Smith—guitar

Laptop: Jos Vandersman

Children's Liturgy: Jennifer Tolcher

Morning Tea: Team 3

Flowers

Week 1 & 3—Polish Community

Week 2 & 4—Zomi Community

Week 5—

Linen:

Link for Readings of the Day

<https://universalis.com/>

australia.melbourne/20240301/mass.htm

Children's Liturgy—Sunday 9:30am Mass

Each Sunday during the school term. All school age children are welcome to attend.

Please note: 2nd Sunday of the Month—June 9

Polish Mass 8:00am

4th Sunday of the Month—June 23

Zomi Community Mass 2:00pm

Filipino Mass 5:00pm

Parish Sacramental Program

For those not attending the Parish School, email trish.chaston@cam.org.au

2024 Parish First Reconciliation Classes



Preparation classes for the sacrament of Reconciliation will begin on Thursday 18th July 2024 for students who do not attend a Catholic school. These classes are conducted at Our Lady's Church Ringwood, Thursday afternoons 4:00 – 5:00pm.

For further information or to enrol your child contact Trish Chaston via email. trish.chaston@cam.org.au

Morning Tea Servers Needed

We need new people to help provide morning tea after 9.30 Mass. It would involve staying after 9.30 Mass once a month. It all helps to keep us a welcoming Parish. Please call the Parish office if you can help.

SVDP Recruiting!

The Ringwood Conference of St Vincent de Paul's Society are currently looking for new members. If you have recently retired and are looking for a fulfilling way to spend a little of your spare time, we would love to have you join us. We have a small team of dedicated members, and we operate in a spirit of friendship, kindness, care and respect for those we serve and amongst ourselves. Importantly, we believe in a non-judgemental approach. We meet once a month, and have a home visitation service that aims to assist vulnerable members of our local community. This service usually takes 2-3 hours per week, and is always conducted in pairs. Support & guidance will be available initially, and whenever needed, from team members. Training is essential and will be provided, some of which can be done on-line if you prefer. Police Checks and Working with Children Checks are required, assistance will be provided to obtain these. For more information please contact Rosemary on 0438-123 041, Lois on 0448-295 540 or Bridget on 9879 1710.

Our Lady's Fete Saturday 26th October.

Save the date! Our Parish representative on the Fete Committee is Dean Scott. Contact: dean_ingrid@yahoo.com (0490 384314) for any questions, suggestions, offers of help etc. You can help:

- * Raise/grow plants to donate to the Plant Stall
- * Volunteer to work on a stall
- * Provide donations for the Silent Auction
- * Sponsor the fete; check out packages available for advertisers.

Caritas Australia's Papua New Guinea Landslide Disaster

Thousands are feared dead and many more are displaced after a devastating landslide struck a remote village in Papua New Guinea. Your urgent support is needed now. Donate at www.caritas.org.au/png

Catholic Mission Collection Next Weekend

Envelopes are available to take home and return next week.

Our Lady's Table Tennis

Although a public Holiday—we'll still be playing table tennis on Monday! Feel like a game of table tennis? Come along by yourself or bring a friend or two and join in the fun on Monday 10-12 in the Parish Hall. Wear appropriate footwear. We provide equipment and a cuppa. You give us \$3 and energy. New players welcome.

Working With Children Check

Janine is happy to assist with the online application or to renew. Call the office to arrange a time.

Teachers please go online and record your volunteer work with VIT, the parish is then formally notified thus keeping our records up to date.

Renovation Fundraising Update

Donations are still trickling in with **\$69794.90** raised. (Contribute by Direct Debit to our **Repair and Maintenance Account: BSB 083 347 Account 534233044** use your surname in reference line OR Envelopes are available if you would like to contribute by cash/cheque.

Kid's Corner

Toys are available for children to play with in the "crying room" or the Narthex, located in the Narthex near the front door. Children should be supervised by an adult.

Child Safety

The Child Safety Officers (in high-vis vests) should be a first point of contact for any concerns regarding child safety. Remember we ask that children be accompanied by a parent or older sibling when they leave the church to go to the toilet in the Narthex

Catholic Theological College

Online Information Session Monday 17 June at 7.30pm (AEST)

Register via our website: ctc.edu.au/information-session

For more information contact: Dr Maureen Saclot
ctc@ctc.edu.au

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY @ OUR LADY'S

"Pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people."

Ephesians 6:18

"Pray for one another, that you may be healed" James 5:16

For prayer requests, please call Loredana 0423 313 336 or contact the Parish Office.

The Lord is my rock and my fortress and
my Saviour,

My God, my rock, in whom I take refuge;

My shield and the horn of my salvation,
my stronghold.

I call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be praised,
And I am saved from my enemies.

[Psalm 18:2-3](#)



**GO AND INVITE
EVERYONE**
to the banquet

In Mongolia, Chuluunbaatar suffered a life-altering injury while trying to rescue a submerged vehicle, leaving him unable to work and reliant on scarce support services for basic needs. Without shelter and food, Chuluunbaatar faces the real risk of freezing to death.

Resources are limited, but the Church in Mongolia is working hard to provide essential services to people in need.

This World Mission Month, we invite you to extend your generosity to help enhance these vital services. Your support can make a significant difference to the lives of many, offering hope and tangible assistance to individuals like Chuluunbaatar.



Freecall: 1800 257 296
catholicmission.org.au/mongolia



Stewardship Corner

"If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand."- Mark 3:24

Within your parish community, do your ministries collaborate with each other or do they compete against each other? Do your parish ministries work for the greater glory of God or do they work for the glory of the people running them? The primary goal of parish ministry is not to increase Mass attendance, increase the number of volunteers or increase offertory. The primary goal is to be one Body of Christ that helps people take one step closer to Jesus. If it's not doing that, it's not worth doing.

Supporting the Parish

Through the Stewardship Program, parishioners are asked to pledge a weekly/monthly amount to the upkeep of the parish. This allows the parish to pay utility bills, insurance premiums, Archdiocese levies, purchase church supplies and pay staff wages. This amount is given as the "Thanksgiving Offering" and placed in the appropriate envelope or given as a direct debit. Any loose cash contributes to the support of the Parish Priest. A percentage of the Presbytery collection is also required to be sent quarterly to the Archdiocese. Become part of the Stewardship Program, please contact the office for further information on how this can be done or click the link below to take you to the 'donate' page on the parish website and choose how you wish to support the parish.

to support our parish click [HERE](#).
Please chose where you wish your
support to go.

Parish Meetings

Parish Pastoral Council: First Wednesday of Month
Parish Finance Council:
Safeguarding Committee: 7:30pm June 19
Time Out : Third Wednesday of Month 12 noon

St Vincent de Paul Piety Stall

CASH ONLY—Sorry.

The piety stall has available items for Sacraments:

stoles, cards, gifts. Opened: After 5:00pm Mass

Saturday and 9:30 am Mass Sunday. For welfare

enquiries please call Vinnies on 1800 305 330 Mon-Fri 10am –3pm

Sharing from St. John's Parish Mitcham

Phone: 03 9401 6366 or 0402 330 128

Email: Mitcham@cam.org.au

Website: www.stjohnsmitcham.com.au

Weekday Masses

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 10:00a.m.

Weekend Mass Times

Sat Vigil 6pm, Sun 8:30am, 9:45am, 11:15am, 5pm

Venue hire— St Johns

Call Manuela at St John's Parish Office for more information.

<https://stjohnsmitcham.com.au/venue-hire>

St John's Friendship Group

26 June

Join us for morning tea. Time: 10:30am to 11:30am

Venue: St John's Mitcham Parish office

Journey through loss—June 12

When we lose a loved one, the emotions can be overwhelming, grieving can take many forms. Our friendly and informal gathering gives an opportunity to support each other as we journey through grief and loss. Please join us: Every second Wednesday of the month at 10:30am St John's Parish Office. Gold coin donation welcome.

Christian Meditation 7:30

We meditate fortnightly. You are most welcome to join us. Lockdown can sorely test our endurance and spirits. If you are interested in deepening your spirituality, or want to know what God wants of you at present, you must try this.

To indicate your interest or for any enquiries: Chris Ryan at the Parish Office, 9401 6366. Or simply turn up on the night. Looking forward to seeing you! No experience or Biblical knowledge needed.

House of Books

Finished your 'to be read pile'! Looking for a good book to read? Visit the House of Books, located at 508 Whitehorse Rd, Mitcham, next to St. John's Church.

All books, CD's and DVD's have been donated and there are books for every taste, including fiction and non-fiction and an extensive children's section. Prices generally range from \$1-\$5. The Bookshop is open from 10am to 4pm Monday to Friday and 10am to 1pm on Saturdays.