

OUR MASS TIMES

Wed, Thurs: 9:15am Mass
Fri: 9:15am: Communion Service
Sat: 6:00pm Vigil Mass
Sun: 8:30am and 10:30am
**Sun: 5:00pm Charismatic Youth Mass
at St Simon's**

RECONCILIATION

Sat: 5:30pm - 5:50pm

OFFICE HOURS

Tue - Fri: 9am - 3.30pm

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DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN NOTICES

Wednesday 4.00pm



Mass Times



Website

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St Jude the Apostle Parish

In a spirit of Pastoral outreach, we, the people of the Parish, are called to serve the Lord with joy
49 George St, SCORESBY VIC 3179 | www.melbatholic.org/s/scoresby



13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

27/28 JUNE 2026 | Year A

Matthew 10:40 | *Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me; and those who welcome me welcome the one who sent me.*

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus reminds us that discipleship is more than simply believing in Him—it is about placing Him at the centre of our lives. His words may seem challenging at first, yet they invite us to reflect on what truly matters and where our priorities lie.

Jesus calls His disciples to follow Him with trust, even when the path requires sacrifice. Taking up our cross does not necessarily mean carrying great burdens; often it means choosing love over self-interest, forgiveness over resentment, patience over frustration, and service over comfort. It is found in the ordinary decisions we make each day as we seek to live the Gospel faithfully.

The Gospel also speaks of welcome and hospitality. Jesus tells us that whoever welcomes another in His name welcomes Him. This reminds us that every act of kindness, generosity, and encouragement has value in the eyes of God. Even something as simple as offering a cup of cold water is seen, treasured, and rewarded by the Lord.

Jesus also challenges us to consider where we place our deepest loyalties. The call to put Him first is not a rejection of those we love, but an invitation to love others through Him and with His heart. When Christ becomes the foundation of our lives, our relationships are strengthened by compassion, humility, and self-giving love. The more we allow His presence to shape our hearts, the more we become instruments of His peace and hope in the world.

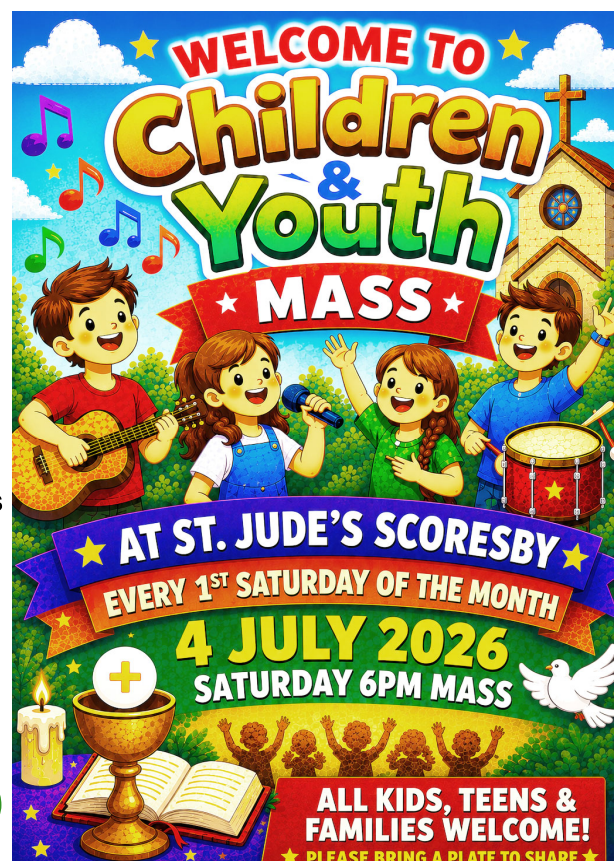
In a world that can often encourage us to focus on ourselves, Christ



invites us to look outward—to recognise His presence in others and to respond with compassion and generosity. The smallest acts of love, offered sincerely, can become powerful signs of God's presence and grace.

May we continue to recognise Christ in those we meet, serve Him through our daily actions, and respond generously to His invitation to follow Him.

In Christ,
Fr Jerald



*Where is Jesus
calling you to step
forward?*

EVENTS UPDATE

The Knitting Group

takes place every first and third Wednesday each month.

Our next meetup is Wednesday, 1 July from 9.30—11am at the Parish reception center.

Contact Maureen
0417 634 600



Social Gathering

Please join us after 6pm Mass on **Saturday 4 July** for a Social Gathering.

Stay and enjoy this opportunity to catch up with friends and to get to know some of our younger parishioners as they take part in the second Children and Youth Mass. Please bring a small plate of food to share for a light supper.

Tea, coffee, soft drinks and wine will be provided.

We look forward to your company.

First Saturday Devotion to Our Lady on 4 July

Rosary and Benediction: 8:45am

Holy Mass: 9:15am

Place: St Jude's Parish Church,
George St Scoresby



Sacraments for children attending Non-Catholic Schools (at least one parent to attend)



Confirmation Classes:

Sundays at 9.30am at St Jude's
19 July, 26 July, 2 August, 9 August

Parent Workshops

23 July and 6 August at 6.30pm to 7.30pm

Commitment Masses

1 August at 6pm or 2 August at 10.30am

Sacrament of Confirmation

St Jude's Church, 21 August 6pm to 7.30pm

To register your child,
please contact Ida at the parish
office on 9763 7302
or email: Ida.Lancuba@cam.org.au
or SCAN the QR code

An Evening with the Missionaries of God's Love Brothers

Come and experience the love, presence and power of God.

An uplifting evening of:

- Praise & Worship • Personal Testimony • Inspiring Teaching
- Prayer Ministry for Healing & Renewal

ENCOUNTER

Whether you are seeking encouragement, healing, a deeper relationship with Christ, or simply a place to pray and connect with others, this is an evening of prayer, worship and renewal.

All are warmly invited.

Bring your family and friends and encounter God's love in a welcoming and faith-filled community.

Following the evening of prayer, worship and renewal, we will gather for supper in the Parish Centre, as we continue the spirit of fellowship and community.

Please bring a plate to share.

**Friday, 3 July
6.00pm – 8.00pm
St Simon's Parish,
Rowville**

VISIT TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

There is one Road and one only, well secured against all possibility of going astray and, this Road is provided by One, Who is Himself both God and Man.

- St Augustine



Overseas Catholic Weddings

Parishioners planning to celebrate their Catholic wedding overseas are kindly advised to begin the necessary paperwork at least three months prior to the wedding date.

All documentation must be prepared in consultation with the local parish priest and forwarded through the Archdiocese of Melbourne to the parish where the wedding will take place.

To ensure a smooth and timely process, please start early and seek guidance from the parish office.

WE PRAY FOR

Our Prayers are asked for those who have died recently and those whose memories are sacred to us at this time: Anton Matchado, Madeline Moirt, Mary Hibbert, Sheila A McKay, Catherine Jessie Blain, Edgardo Benio, Dorothy Hartley, Giovanni Baron, Bill Purchase, Danny Vickers, David Finlayson, Frank Smith, Janette Lewis, Lena Giorgio, Mary De Vaus, Catherine Casey, Fred Italiano, Harry Callander, Patrick A Small, Margaret Bibby, Ruth Hawkins, Patrick Thornycroft, Felicia Weerasinghe, Sister Mary Leo, Tecla Weerasinghe

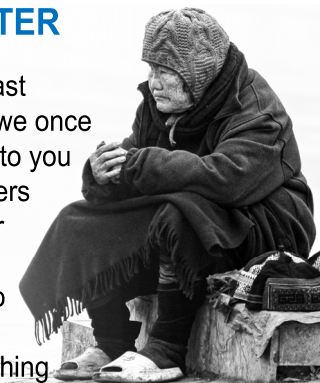
SHARING CHRIST'S LOVE THIS WINTER

As winter is fast approaching we once again appeal to you our parishioners to support our winter appeal enabling us to provide food parcels & clothing to the needy among us. During the winter months and beyond many individuals and families make a choice between heating, medication or a meal but with your help we are able to bring comfort and dignity by making the choice easier.

We thank our many generous parishioners and school communities, including those who continue to support us throughout the year, making a meaningful difference to the lives of others.

Envelopes are available in the pews and in the foyer along with our basket for canned and dry foods.

With gratitude,
St Vincent de Paul Team



WORLD YOUTH DAY (WYD) SEOUL 2027 EXPRESSION OF INTEREST



For more details, contact:
Dinelle 0416 810 541
Denise 0435 742 838
Kim 0403 323 353

AGES 18+

We are starting to plan for WYD 2027 in Seoul (3/8/27 - 8/8/27)

We are now seeking expression of interest to gauge numbers and begin planning.

PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE TO FILL IN THE EOI FORM*

*This does not mean you are confirmed to attend; there will be an application form sent out once details are finalised

SCORESBY CONFERENCE



St Vincent de Paul Society



St Vincent de Paul Society
VICTORIA
good works

"Dare to Pause"

The Salesian Sisters invite you to A day for young people - 18 -30yo

Take time out of your busy life to discover your

Pearl of Great Price

And to engage in reflection & conversation
On the beautiful words of Mary
to the servants at the wedding at Cana



A day for Youth 18 – 30 yo

Take time out of your busy life
Spend time in personal prayer, reflection, sharing with like-minded youth, adoration and celebration of mass.



Discover your *Pearl of Great Price*, as you seek to do *"Do Whatever Jesus tells You"* to fulfill *God's Dream* in your life



When: Saturday 11th July 2026
Where: 43 George St. Scoresby
Time: 10.00 am – 3.30 pm.
Cost: Free -- bring a friend

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RSVP: 4th July

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First Reading: 2 Kings 4:8-11. 14-16

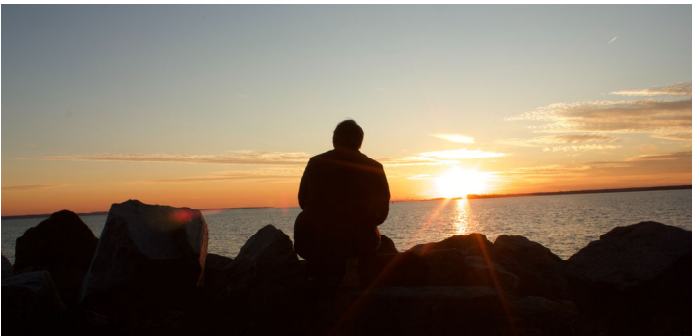
One day as Elisha was on his way to Shunem, a woman of rank who lived there pressed him to stay and eat there. After this he always broke his journey for a meal when he passed that way. She said to her husband, ‘Look, I am sure the man who is constantly passing our way must be a holy man of God. Let us build him a small room on the roof, and put him a bed in it, and a table and chair and lamp; whenever he comes to us he can rest there.’

One day when he came, he retired to the upper room and lay down. ‘What can be done for her?’ he asked. Gehazi (his servant) answered, ‘Well, she has no son and her husband is old.’ Elisha said, ‘Call her.’ The servant called her and she stood at the door. ‘This

time next year,’ Elisha said ‘you will hold a son in your arms.’

Responsorial Psalm 88
Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

Second Reading: Romans 6:3-4. 8-11
When we were baptised in Christ Jesus we were baptised in his death; in other words, when we were baptised we went into the tomb with him and joined him in death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the Father’s glory, we too might live a new life.



But we believe that having died with Christ we shall return to life with him: Christ, as we know, having been raised from the dead will never die again. Death has no power over him any more. When he died, he died, once for all, to sin, so his life now is life with God; and in that way, you too must consider yourselves to be dead to sin but alive for God in Christ Jesus.

Gospel Acclamation:
Alleluia, Alleluia! You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy people. Praise God who called you out of darkness and into his marvellous light. Alleluia!

Gospel: Matthew 10:37-42

Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: ‘Anyone who prefers father or mother to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who prefers son or daughter to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who does not take his cross and follow in my footsteps is not worthy of me. Anyone who finds his life will lose it; anyone who loses his life for my sake will find it.

‘Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me; and those who welcome me welcome the one who sent me.

‘Anyone who welcomes a prophet because he is a prophet will have a prophet’s reward; and anyone who welcomes a holy man because he is a holy man will have a holy man’s reward.

‘If anyone gives so much as a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is a disciple, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.’

7.30PM SATURDAY 4TH JULY @ ST JUDE'S

MIRACLE at MANCHESTER
BASED ON THE INCREDIBLE TRUE STORY

7.30PM SATURDAY 11TH JULY @ ST SIMON'S

KAROL
A MAN WHO BECAME POPE
BASED ON THE POWERFUL TRUE STORY OF JOHN PAUL II

WORLD YOUTH DAY FUNDRAISER

MOVIE NIGHT @

ST SIMON & ST JUDE CINEMAS

TICKETS: \$10 Adults | \$5 Kids

SCAN OR TO BOOK

PAY AT THE DOOR

PIZZA | POPCORN | SNACKS | DRINKS

ENJOY A GOOD CHRISTIAN MOVIE & HELP SUPPORT YOUR YOUTH ATTEND WYD27 IN SEOUL STH KOREA

NEXT WEEKEND ROSTER		14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME — 4/5 JULY 2026 Zechariah 9:9-10, Romans 8:9.11-13, Matthew 11:25-30	
MASS TIMES	4 JULY, SATURDAY 6.00PM	5 JULY, SUNDAY 8.30AM	5 JULY, SUNDAY 10.30AM
Celebrant	Fr Jerald	Fr Jerald	Fr Jerald
Commentator	Anastasia	Tony McCumstie	Nerina Marotta
Reader	Nicholas & Natalie	Millicent Miranda	Mary King
Communion Ministers	Daniel Vrsecky	Bernard Dias	Louise Cooper
	Jerome Hew	Steve Rule	Judy Gan
	Don Uberti	Yvonne Rule	Stephanie Smyth
Projectionist	Anishya/Sayeshke	Megan Pinto	Tino Vijendra
Children's Liturgy			No Children's Liturgy
Altar Society	Cora Lijnders	Church Cleaners	Filomena Uberti & Lucille Everetts

St Jude's Parish Community is committed to the Victorian Child Safe Standards and acknowledges that child safe guarding is everyone's responsibility.