



RESURRECTION CATHOLIC PARISH

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18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

4th August 2019

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm.
Closed for lunch between 12:30 pm and 1:30 pm.
Sunday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm.

RESURRECTION PRIMARY SCHOOL

Mr Desmond Noack - Principal – 8312 6312
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PARISH MEETING NIGHT

All Parish Groups meet monthly on the 1st Wednesday. We begin with prayer at 7.15pm; individual groups meet between 7.30pm and 8.30pm.

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of each month. Prior enrolment and preparation required.

BECOMING A CATHOLIC

Should you or somebody you know wish to become a Catholic, there is a great program called R.C.I.A.

Contact Pauline Debrincat or Fr. Gerard at the Parish Office.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome. Please collect your information package from the Welcome Desk or Parish Office.

PARISH FINANCE

The Parish is financially dependent on our Stewardship envelopes. Contact the Parish Office for details.

FACEBOOK ENQUIRIES

Questions and suggestions for our Facebook Page should be directed to resparish.ict@gmail.com. Alternatively, you can send a message directly to our Facebook page by clicking the “message” button. Either way, the Comms Team will respond.

RESURRECTION YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Are you a young adult? Does sharing a meal with new friends sound like something you'd enjoy?

If you answered ‘yes’ to any of these, the Resurrection Young Adults may be the group for you!
resoyouth@gmail.com



Mass Times

Saturday

6.00 pm

Sunday

9.00 am
10.30 am

Weekdays

Monday

6.00 pm

Tuesday

9.30 am

Thursday

7.00 pm

Friday

8.50 am

This Week at Resurrection

Monday 5th August 2019

6.00pm
7.00pm

Mass
RE Parent Confirmation Meeting

Tuesday 6th August 2019

9.30am

Mass

Wednesday 7th August 2019

9.30am
10.00am
7.15pm

Communion Service
Rosary
Parish Meeting Night

Thursday 8th August 2019

10.00am
4.00pm
7.00pm
7.30pm

Reso Men's Group
RE Level 3
Mass
Divine Mercy Devotion

Friday 9th August 2019

8.50am
4.00pm

Mass
RCIC

Saturday 10th August 2019

10.00am
6.00pm

Gospel Reflection

We pray in thanksgiving for Anthony Peter Corica, Colin Waters, Fr Peter Too Hey, Peter McNamara and all those who have died recently.

We pray for Maria Debrincat, Philip Cricchiola and all those whose anniversary occur at about this time.

Please also pray for Charlie Grima, Nella Donarelli and all those who are sick.

ST ANNE & JOACHIM: GRANDPARENTS OF JESUS

This saintly couple is parents to Mary and grandparents to Jesus. With such amazing offspring, Joachim and Anne must share an extraordinary love. They have long been held up as exemplars for married couples, and in fact, they are one of the few married couple saints canonised in the Catholic Church.

We know very few facts about Sts. Anne and Joachim, the only recorded stories of them are from an apocryphal gospel dating from the 4th Century AD called the Protoevangelium of James. The legend told in this document says that after years of childlessness, an angel appeared to tell Anne and Joachim that they would have a child. Whatever their names or the facts of their lives, we can assume that Mary was raised in a Jewish family home faithful to God and to the religious traditions of her day such that she was led to respond wholeheartedly to God's request with faith, "Let it be done to me as you will."

Talk about being blessed!

Not only did Joachim and Anne raise a sinless daughter, they also scored a perfect grandson! With such holiness among their offspring, they could be forgiven for having a spiritual inferiority complex. Yet, by all accounts, Joachim and Anne performed their parenting responsibilities with grace. Their feast day on July 26 is a day to honour them and all grandparents for their contribution to our lives.

Joachim and Anne were greatly honoured by God who gave them a daughter conceived without sin who was to become known as the Mother of God!

PARISH MEETING NIGHT

Our first Parish Meeting night for 2019-2020 will be held on 7th August. Following Mass there will be the opportunity for all groups to meet separately. Any parishioner who may not have made a commitment to one of our groups but might be curious to know what actually happens at a PMN or what a particular group does is welcome to come.



CHOIR PRACTICE

Joe Scicluna wishes to inform the Santa Maria choir, that there will be choir practice on Friday 9th August, at 7.00pm at Resurrection church, in preparation for the feast of the "Assumption".

55 PLUS

The 55 Plus group invites you to celebrate Mass at Ta Pinu in Bacchus Marsh on 14th August 2019 at 10.00am, meeting at Resurrection Parish.

Lunch will be followed at the Deer Park Club.

Cost \$30 - \$10 deposit is required when booking.

Please RSVP by 8th August to Elizabeth 0435 791 390 or the parish office.

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

The Feast of the Assumption (15th August) this year falls on a Thursday. There will be two Masses, whole school Mass at 9.15am and 7.00pm. The Feast of the Assumption is a Holy Day of Obligation in Australia.

MALTESE CELEBRATION

Our annual celebration "Tribute to May" will be held on 17th August at 6.00pm Mass. Following Mass parishioners are invited to bring a plate to share in the hall. Everyone is welcome.

MARIAN COLLEGE

Enrolments for Year 7 2021 close 23rd August 2019. The next morning tour is 6th August 2019 at 9.00am. To secure your place at our upcoming open morning, or to enrol call 03 9363 1711 or visit www.mariansw.catholic.edu.au for more information.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

The Divine Mercy is a devotion to Jesus Christ associated with the apparitions of Jesus to Faustina Kowalska. The venerated image under this Christological title refers to what Kowalska's diary describes as "God's loving mercy" towards all people, especially for sinners.

Commencing 8th August every Thursday after 7.00pm Mass, Resurrection Parish invites you to join them in the Divine Mercy.

Everyone is welcome.



10th & 11th August 2019
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

	6 P M	9 A M	10.30 A M
MASS OVERSEERS	Judith Makripoulas	Judy Leckie	Marissa Medilo
HOSPITALITY	Rachael Bonavia Anna Wright	Margaret Vella Mario Vella	Evelina Tumiauga Yvonne Utoasega Dolly Zipagan
DATA PROJECTOR	Isabella Portelli	Christian Dizon	Alicia Joseph
CAMERA OPERATOR	N/A	N/A	Calvin Alderson
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Judith Makripoulas Choir Henry Dunn Rianne Brizuela	Nicholas Attard Marc Dicconson Elizabeth Osegueda Paula Prosia	Daborah Agok Choir Mark Gatt Owen D'Cruze
COLLECTORS	Jacob Spiteri Jimmy Attard Joseph Thompson Michael Dutkowsky Neil Gonsalves Ollie Farrugia Rock Hughes Tony Zahra Tyrone Tallent	Frank Gatt Milton Young Raul Dizon Mary Do Rosemarie Balfour Teresita Kamarow	Angliss Lo Cristina Paulino Edmond Lo Franz Into Gerard Lali Jomar Into Marlena Ulugia- Sa'ena Rachita Antony Sacreana Ulugia- Sa'ena Vincent Alamo Andrew Morrison
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Blossom Tallent Carol Tedesco Emmanuelle Brizuela Karen Colaco Caroline Concessio Noel Oliver Doris Oliver Phu Thang Le Lina Sylvester	Fr Gerard Keith Michael Donnelly Gerald D'Silva Rosario Gaquit Rosario De Jesus Marc Dicconson Maryanne Psaila Pauline Debrincat Mauri Sendapperuma Kathy Wale	Fr Gerard Keith Naveen Andrade Fely Baltazar Dolly Zipagan Teresita Villar Margaret Vilardo Atalina Ulugia-Sa'Ena Evelina Tuimauga Lynette Pirotta Mary Rulla Angelita Ramat Kate Pedralvez
SACRISTY DUTY	Rianne Brizuela	Pauline Debrincat	Aurora Asuncion (A)
COFFEE MAKERS	Charlie Galea Anna Wright	Leon D'Souza Rosemarie Balfour	Wesley Yuan Nora Russo
COFFEE CLEAN-UP	Michelle Polidano Mirjana Dutkowsky	Bernadette Flores Oliver D'Souza Valerie Stockbridge	Zeny Vella Emelia Debono
CHURCH CLEANERS NO ROSTER			FLOWERS: Judith Makripoulas ALTAR LINEN: Spira Attard PARISH OFFICE CLEANING: Grace Eppingstall



Reading 1

WIS 18:6-9

The night of the passover was known beforehand to our fathers, that, with sure knowledge of the oaths in which they put their faith, they might have courage.

Your people awaited the salvation of the just and the destruction of their foes. For when you punished our adversaries, in this you glorified us whom you had summoned. For in secret the holy children of the good were offering sacrifice and putting into effect with one accord the divine institution.

Responsorial Psalm

PS 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22

R. (12b) Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

Reading 2

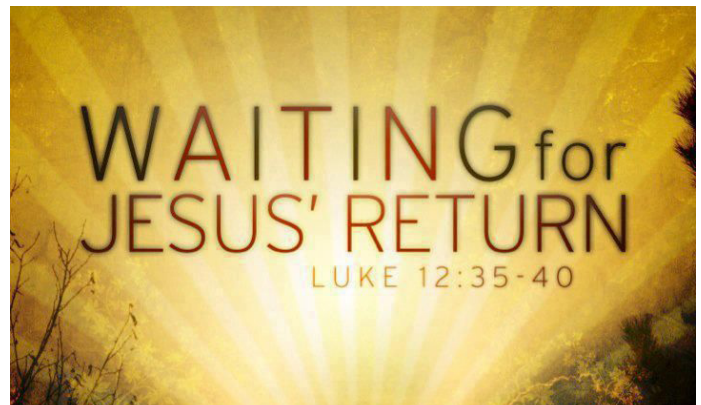
HEB 11:1-2, 8-12

Brothers and sisters: Faith is the realization of what is hoped for and evidence of things not seen. Because of it the ancients were well attested. By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to go out to a place that he was to receive as an inheritance; he went out, not knowing where he was to go. By faith he sojourned in the promised land as in a foreign country, dwelling in tents with Isaac and Jacob, heirs of the same promise; for he was looking forward to the city with foundations, whose architect and maker is God. By faith he received power to generate, even though he was past the normal age — and Sarah herself was sterile—for he thought that the one who had made the promise was trustworthy. So it was that there came forth from one man, himself as good as dead, descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and as countless as the sands on the seashore.

Gospel

LK 12:35-40

Jesus said to his disciples: “Gird your loins and light your lamps and be like servants who await their master’s return from a wedding, ready to open immediately when he comes and knocks. Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival. Amen, I say to you, he will gird himself, have the servants recline at table, and proceed to wait on them. And should he come in the second or third watch and find them prepared in this way, blessed are those servants. Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour when the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.”



Stewardship Reflection

“For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be.” (Luke 12:34)

Jesus encourages us to build up our treasure in heaven. The world encourages us to build up our treasure in real estate, investments, and material goods. How much time are you investing in building up a worldly treasure? How much time are you investing in building up a heavenly treasure? To invest more time in the things of heaven, you must let go of some of the things of this world.