



# Ss Peter and Paul's Catholic Parish

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## Our Vision

We are a Catholic Community who profess, celebrate and witness that Jesus lives, and to whom the Father sends His Spirit. We express that belief by living out and spreading the message of the Gospel.

## Child Safety Policy

Ss Peter and Paul's is committed to upholding the safety and dignity of each child and young person, ensuring they are able to grow and develop in a caring and supportive environment within our parish. Visit our parish website or contact our parish office for our child-safe policy."

## Acknowledgement to Country

In the spirit of reconciliation, Ss Peter and Paul's parish acknowledges the Wurundjeri people as the traditional custodians of the land we all now share. For thousands of years they raised their families, maintained their culture and sustainably managed this sacred land. We pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging.

## Combined Catholic Parishes Raffle

Thank you to all those who participated in the raffle this year. The winning tickets were drawn last weekend and the winning tickets numbers are below. Congratulations to the winners, especially the winner from Our Lady of the Pines. A huge thank you to Loraine Lednar and Jim Higgins who helped sell the tickets for the Parish. Thank you.

Prize No	Prize	Ticket No:	Parish
1	Suzuki Baleno	032770	Good Shepherd, Mulgrave
2	Suzuki Baleno	095457	St Patrick's, Lilydale
3	Suzuki Baleno	049753	Our Lady of the Pines, Donvale
4	\$1,000 Gift Card	083496	Our Holy Redeemer, Surrey Hills
5	\$1,000 Gift Card	011368	Clairvaux Primary School, Belmonth
6	\$1,000 Gift Card	024215	Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Dromana

For the full list of winners, please have a look at our website. Congratulations to everyone.

## 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time 10th and 11th of October 2020 Year A

### All Souls' Day Mass 2nd Nov 2020

As we may not be able to gather as a community to celebrate All Souls' Day this year, a recorded mass is being planned. **You are invited to send us a photo of your deceased loved ones that will be included in the recorded video mass.** All photos are to be emailed to doncastereast@cam.org.au by Fri 23rd Oct.

### Bingo Afternoon, Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Oct, 3pm on Zoom

Following on the success of our first virtual parish social gathering, we will be holding a virtual Bingo Afternoon on Zoom. Bring your cuppa, and come have some fun. Catch up with fellow parishioners at the same time, and you may well be a bingo winner of our prizes up for grabs! Register your participation via email to [cheryl.tay@cam.org.au](mailto:cheryl.tay@cam.org.au) by Sun 11 Oct. Bingo cards and Zoom link will be sent upon registration.

### Leading a Missionary Parish

In July and August, Fr. Jerald and Cheryl attended a series of talks by international speakers (clergy & lay) on Leading a Missionary Parish, that was organized by the Archdiocese of Melbourne. These talks have now been made available online, and can be viewed at [https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLP4Pb34ThQ35ciPQg\\_DpTsP1JoN6HZ\\_AC](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLP4Pb34ThQ35ciPQg_DpTsP1JoN6HZ_AC). We encourage you to watch these videos as it provides some renewed ways of thinking about how parishes can bring people to encounter Jesus and proclaim the Gospel. We would love to get some parish conversations going on how our parish can grow to become a missionary parish, and how each of you can be an integral part of that growth. We also encourage you to sign up for two upcoming talks organized by the Archdiocese on "Growing missionary disciples in your parish" and "Making missionary disciples in our parish". See the flyer in the newsletter for registration details.

### **Resumption of Baptisms**

With the easing of restrictions announced on Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Sep, our parish will now be resuming the Sacrament of Baptism, subject to the limit of 5 attendees at the ceremony that will take place outside the church. If you would like to have your child baptised during this time, please contact our pastoral worker at [cheryl.tay@cam.org.au](mailto:cheryl.tay@cam.org.au).

### **Design & Win: Postcard of Hope**

Calling all budding artists and designers, draw or design a postcard of hope and stand to win a gift voucher of your choice! Entries are open to all ages and close on Sun 25<sup>th</sup> Oct 2020. Go to <https://www.sspp.org.au/competitions> for full competition details.

## **Parish Spiritual Offerings**

### **Unite in Prayer Every Tues at 8pm**

Fr Jerald would like you to join us in prayer every Tuesday at 8.00pm, where together as a community we can bring forth our intentions for the resolution to this Covid pandemic and for the resumption of our public masses. The Lord said "Whenever two of you on earth agree about anything you pray for, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven." [Matt 18: 19]

You are welcome to pray in any of the following ways:

- Join with others in a 30min Zoom online prayer session by clicking on the link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82880786051?pwd=c1ppOHRQSXJIWWpTZG55b0czd0JwUT09> or entering Meeting ID: 828 8078 6051 and Password: 3rAVW0 on your device.
- pray with family members or friend over the phone
- pray on your own

You can use the suggested prayer which is on our website and the link to this prayer will also be included in our Mailchimp mailout at the weekend.

### **Rosary every Friday Night at 8.00pm**

Every Friday Night we will be holding a Rosary on Zoom at 8.00pm , This will continue every Friday for our own intentions and for the end to this Covid Pandemic and for all of our Brothers and Sisters who have been effected in some way. The Zoom link is below and we look forward to you joining us.

**Friday Rosary Link Friday 8.00pm <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2597564312?pwd=NGpkK2RsQTN1WkszdEdTTW5KSnl0Zz09> Or Meeting ID: 259 756 4312 - Online passcode: 689922 on your Zoom App.**

### **Online Petition**

Dear people of faith, an online petition has been created to address the inequality towards places of worship and people of faith in the Victorian government's 'Roadmap for Reopening'. The petition can be found on: <https://www.equalityforfaith.com.au/>

We are not asking for special treatment - just equal treatment. We ask you to please sign and distribute the petition to people you know and encourage them to do the same.

Thank you – Your support on this important issue is needed to make a change!

## Summary of Parish Zoom Events

The following is a summary of the Zoom links for our daily mass and other events. Those without the Zoom software can now join in [with audio inputs only] by dialling 7018 2005 on your telephone, and then following the audio prompts to enter the relevant meeting ID and dial-in passcode using the phone key pad.

### **Weekday Mass, Tues – Sat, 9am**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2597564312?pwd=NGpkK2RsQTNlWkszdEdTTW5KSnl0Zz09>

Meeting ID: 259 756 4312

Online passcode: 689922

Dial-in passcode: 689922

### **Unite in Prayer session, Tuesdays at 8.00pm**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82880786051?pwd=c1ppOHRQSXJlWWpTZG55b0czd0JwUT09>

Meeting ID: 828 8078 6051

Online passcode: 3rAVW0

Dial-in passcode: 064570

### **Friday Night Rosary, Fridays, 8.00pm**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2597564312?pwd=NGpkK2RsQTNlWkszdEdTTW5KSnl0Zz09>

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## Parish Census

As part of our parish's ongoing efforts to maintain an up-to-date database to facilitate timely communications, and in light of the current restrictions, we invite you to fill in our online parish census form at <https://www.sspp.org.au/parish-census/> if:

- You are new to the parish, or
- Have been attending our parish but not filled in a census in the last 2 year, or
- Some personal details have changes since last filling in your census form, or
- Are leaving the parish.

Thank you

## Prayers of the Community :

**Our Prayers are asked for those who died recently Agnes Tan and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time** Francesco Antonio Scuruchi, Lia Messina, Des Cameron, Toni Larossa, Allen Maraviglia-Crivelli, Natalie Chandler, Joe Lepre, Grazie Zarb, Janice Gatt, Grazia and Antonello Corta, Betsy Wong, Konie Strong Luigi Mariani, Antonio Rigoni, Enzo Salvatore, George Venuto, Lima Silvio, Salvatore Lima, Peter Stocco, Mark Edward Murray, Rose Chia, Luke Robin **For those who are sick:** Emily Patrikis, Madeline Gilmore, Dan McMahan, Teresita Leung, June Webster, Joel Pemberton, Angela Selva, Anthoula Miras, Danny and Alice Zanon, Margaret Jansen, Teresa Talia, Mary Ritus, Salaka Hewamaduma, Priyanthi Perera, Josh Davis, Maree Spinks, Joyce Foo, Peter Wilkinson, Tai Thomas, Pat Carty, Khok Hong Tan, Choi Yeng Chew, Glorietta Ioannou, Marie Simpson, Ann Weerappah, Bronwyn Burke, Filomena Fusco, Carmenza Cruz, Alicia Nivia, Frank Prendergast, Joan O'Hanrahan, Mary Tancredi, Irma Ciccotelli, Jovina Ebell, Gina Giracona, Dr Hong Nguyen, Cesare Iozzi, Ian Stuart, Sharon Rodrigo, Susan Higgins, Rose Paynting, Judith Clark, Tai Thomas, Ann Weerappah, Pietro Ciccotelli

# LEADING A *Missionary Parish*

Inspiring voices from  
the universal Church

Missionary parishes transform lives and yield a growing army of disciples for whom worship and sacraments come to life and whose ministry and service flourishes.

You are invited to this continuation of the series of interactive sessions with global leaders in missionary parish renewal.

From the comfort of your home, be inspired by a hope-filled vision for your parish and discuss practical ideas with fellow leaders.

The final two sessions:

**Thursday 15 October, 7.30-9.30pm**

**Growing missionary disciples in your parish**  
with Sherry Weddell

**Thursday 29 October, 7.30-9.30pm**

**Making missionary disciples in our parish**  
with Fr Mauro Conte and Vanessa Comminos

**VENUE** Zoom  
Link sent upon registration

**REGISTER** [www.trybooking.com/BKDAZ](http://www.trybooking.com/BKDAZ)  
Sessions are free



**Sherry Weddell**

*Catherine of Siena Institute, Colorado Springs CO*

The author of "Forming Intentional Disciples: The path to knowing and following Jesus", Sherry has developed numerous unique formation resources that are used around the world. Sherry created the first charism discernment process specifically designed for Catholics in 1993. She co-founded and serves as co-director of the Catherine of Siena Institute, an affiliated international ministry of the USA Western Dominican Province. When not hanging around airports, Sherry enjoys tending her high-altitude Tuscan garden in the Colorado Rockies.



**Fr Mauro Conte and Vanessa Comminos**

*Our Lady of the Southern Cross Parish, Springfield QLD*

Parish priest, Fr Mauro and evangelisation coordinator and young mum, Vanessa, belong to a young, outer-suburban Brisbane parish. Since early 2017, Fr Mauro and Vanessa have been part of a team leading an intentional missionary renewal, focussed on making and growing passionate disciples who bring their family, friends and neighbours to Jesus. Hear their story of leading missionary renewal, and the joys and struggles of their continuing journey.

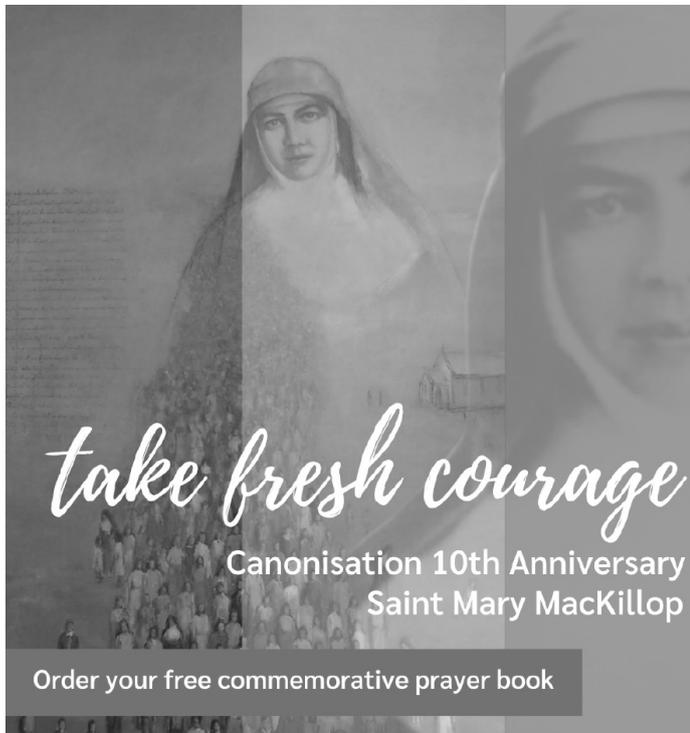
#### For further information

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*today*

**Archbishops message this week.**

**Exploring Pope Francis' new encyclical, Fratelli tutti:  
On Fraternity and Social Friendship**

Pope Francis has written his third encyclical entitled Fratelli tutti (On Fraternity and Social Friendship), which he addresses to all people of goodwill and offers as a proposal for a way of life 'marked by the flavour of the Gospel'. Following the release of the new encyclical, Archbishop Peter A Comensoli encouraged the faithful to read the pope's words: 'Situated as we are in the latter stages of this Pandemic, Fratelli tutti offers much that we might embrace as we determine who we are as people of God in Melbourne, and how we might emerge from this time of exile to go on mission into the world with the beating heart of Jesus. I urge everyone to read it, and to then return to it with time and space to draw more deeply into the riches within.'

The link to the article is : [http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/encyclicals/documents/papa-francesco\\_20201003\\_enciclica-fratelli-tutti.html](http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/encyclicals/documents/papa-francesco_20201003_enciclica-fratelli-tutti.html)



## Support of our Parish

During the COVID19 period where our congregation cannot celebrate Mass, we would ask you to assist if you are able, towards the financial support of the Parish by ensuring your pledged support or your regular weekly contribution is received. You are now able to go to our website, and on the home page is a link to CDF Pay. You will be able to make your weekly/monthly donation this way. Please however remember to put your envelope no. or full name down so that we can trace your donation.

Contact the Parish Office for further advice on how.

## A Coronavirus Prayer

Jesus Christ, you travelled through towns and villages "curing every disease and illness." At your command, the sick were made well. Come to our aid now, in the midst of the global spread of the coronavirus, that we may experience your healing love.

Heal those who are sick with the virus. May they regain their strength and health through quality medical care.

Heal us from our fear, which prevents nations from working together and neighbours from helping one another.

Heal us from our pride, which can make us claim invulnerability to a disease that knows no borders. Jesus Christ, healer of all, stay by our side in this time of uncertainty and sorrow.

Be with those who have died from the virus. May they be at rest with you in your eternal peace.

Be with the families of those who are sick or have died. As they worry and grieve, defend them from illness and despair. May they know your peace. Be with the doctors, nurses, researchers and all medical professionals who seek to heal and help those affected and who put themselves at risk in the process. May they know your protection and peace.

Be with the leaders of all nations. Give them the foresight to act with charity and for concern for the well being of the people they are meant to serve. Give them the wisdom to invest in long term solutions that will help prepare for or prevent future outbreaks. May they know your peace, as they work together to achieve it on earth.

Whether we are home or abroad, surrounded by many people suffering from this illness or only a few, Jesus Christ, stay with us as we endure and mourn, persist and prepare. In place of our anxiety, give us peace.

Jesus Christ, Heal us.

