



OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY, DOUBLEVIEW PARISH

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OFFICE HOURS

Tues - Friday: 9.30am to 12.00pm

MASS TIMES

Monday-Friday 9am
Saturday 8am (Convent)
6pm
Sunday 8am, 10am
5:30pm

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesday 8am

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 8.30-8.50
Saturday 5.00-5.45pm

**Thirtieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Year B**

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PARISH SCHOOL

Holy Rosary Primary
Ph: 9203 4500
Principal: Mark de Kluyver

Seeing With The Heart

Many are familiar with the saying, *"There are none so blind as those who will not see."* Few may know that it goes on to say: *"The most deluded people are those who choose to ignore what they already know"*. It seems to have appeared in 1546, but its origins may well go back to the prophet Jeremiah who said: *"Hear this, O foolish and senseless people, who have eyes, but do not see, who have ears but do not hear"* (5:21) This would make it a very ancient proverb indeed.

We could turn the saying on its head and declare that there are none so insightful as those who have been deprived of sight. This is certainly the case with the blind beggar of today's gospel, Bartimaeus, and his unnamed counterpart in the gospel of John (chapter 9). Each of these blind men is blessed with insight into the true nature of Jesus, while the sighted people around them failed to see who Jesus really was. In the end such insight is a gift of God, but we can prepare ourselves for it by reading the word of God, reflecting on it, and praying with it.

Be warned: seeing with the heart can open up a path of discipleship that may be more than we've bargained for!

**Youth Mass
this Sunday at 5.30pm**

FIRST RECONCILIATION



Congratulations to all the children of our Parish who are receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation this weekend.

ALL SAINTS & ALL SOULS DAYS MASS TIMES

Thursday November 1 — **All Saints Day**
Mass at 9am & 7pm

Friday November 2 — **All Souls Day**
Mass at 9am & 7pm

Mass Offering envelopes are on the tables at the back of the church and in the foyer.



**You are warmly invited to enjoy
morning tea after the 10am
Mass this weekend.**

What's On

Oct 28 Youth Mass — 5.30
Nov 1 All Saints Day — Mass 9am & 7pm
2 Parkland Villas Mass - 3 pm
All Souls Day Mass at 9am & 7pm
3 Wine & cheese — after 6pm Mass
15 Healing Mass — 10am
18 Morning tea — after 8am Mass

A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MARK

As Jesus left Jericho with his disciples and a large crowd, Bartimaeus (that is, the son of Timaeus) a blind beggar, was sitting at the side of the road. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout and to say, 'Son of David, Jesus, have pity on me.' Jesus stopped and said, 'Call him here.' So they called the blind man, 'Courage,' they said, 'get up,; he is calling you.' So throwing off his cloak, he jumped up and went to Jesus. 'Rabbuni' the blind man said to him, 'Master, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has saved you.' And immediately his sight returned and he followed him along the road.

COMMENTARY ON THE GOSPEL

In last Sunday's gospel, when approached by James and John for a favour, Jesus asks them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' They make the mistake of asking for positions of power and glory, and are rebuffed. When Bartimaeus fronts up to him, Jesus asks the same question. When the beggar replies, "Master, let me see again," Jesus immediately affirms him and answers his plea.

The stark contrast between the two brothers and the blind beggar is shown earlier in the story. Not only is Bartimaeus ready to cast off his most precious possession — his cloak — in order to come to Jesus, but once he has received back the sight that restored his social respectability, he chooses to follow Jesus. Whereas James and John recklessly claim they can suffer with Jesus, Bartimaeus makes the bold decision to follow him just as his way of the cross is about to commence.

HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL – STRATEGIC PLANNING SURVEY

Our Parish school, Holy Rosary, is currently seeking feedback as it undertakes its strategic planning process. Your views, via the link below, would be appreciated. Alternatively, email jonathon@woolfrey.com.au (School Board chair) if you wish to share any thoughts.

ROSARY CARE

Do You Need Help?

Brochure available on notice board.
Phone: Catherine – 0410 019 556



PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH/ MISSION APPEAL

“...The blind man said to him (Jesus), 'Master, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go: your faith has saved you...'” Your generous donation to the **Propagation of the Faith/Mission Appeal** next weekend is your gift to the poor. Sight does not ensure insight and sometimes can be a hindrance to true vision. Our missionaries, in being the bearers of God's healing word, made real through their love and deed, become the bearers of an inner peace and well-being brought only by Christ.

SPECIAL FEAST DAYS

November 1: All Saints' Day



This feast began in the East to commemorate all martyrs and progressively spread to the West. It was first celebrated on this day in the eighth century and was soon widely observed. Honoured on this day now, are all holy men and women in glory with Christ, known or unknown, mighty or lowly, all whose lives were modelled on the Beatitudes and on the great commandment of love.

November 2: The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed



This day of commemoration began early in the Middle Ages with annual prayers for the dead in monastic communities. Fixed on this day, it spread more widely after the tenth century and now ranks with the principal feast days in the liturgical calendar. Commonly known as All Souls, it expresses Christian faith in the common of saints and our need to pray for one another in the Church, especially those souls in purgatory "who have been buried in their human imperfection".

"HAPPY ANNIVERSARY"

Congratulations to **Jim & Mary Kenny** who celebrated 64 years of marriage on 23rd October.

FREE CONCERT & LAUNCH OF CARMEL CHARLTON'S CD

**This Sunday 28 October
2-5pm at the Irish Club**

61 Townsend Road, Subiaco
For more info call Carmel - 0412 777 061

CROSS WORK NEARS COMPLETION

Parishioner and choir member Garry Capolinga has cemented his place in parish history by leading the installation work on the new cross destined for our Rosary Community Garden.

Garry recommended carpenter Nick Del Riccio to construct the giant cross and has now spearheaded work on securing it in prime position in the garden. This involves burying a strong steel brace in a big lump of concrete poured by Garry and other helpers.

When the cement is cured, the 3.6 metre timber cross will be bolted to the footing and stand entirely above ground at the head of the garden's main path.

Meanwhile the restoration of Our Lady's statue is complete and plans are being devised to install it in the new garden in the coming weeks.



SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN

Parishioners who have a Working With Children card and are involved in parish activities are now required by the Archdiocese to sign a **Safeguarding Children Declaration**. Please collect your envelope (which contains the declaration) from the back of the church, read and sign the declaration and return it to Kaye as soon as possible. Thank you.

"ROSARY COMMUNITY CENTRE PRESENTS"

Our Lady of the Rosary Foundation hosted the second talk in the "*Rosary Community Centre Presents*" series on Wednesday 17 October. A group of 40 people shared morning tea, before listening to an entertaining talk on healthy ageing by Emeritus Professor Bob Ziegler. A Peer Educator for COTA, Bob particularly focused on the importance of resistance exercise and healthy nutrition. He also spoke about the benefits of participating in exercise activities such as the COTA Living Longer Living Stronger program.

The final presentation in this series will be "Planning for the Future", presented by the Office of the Public Advocate on Wednesday 21 November. More details coming soon.



WELCOME to our PARISH

We extend a very warm welcome to visitors and new parishioners to our Parish. Please introduce yourself to Fr Peter or Fr Chinh after Mass.

If you are joining our Parish, please complete a Parishioner Information Form available on the table at the front of the church.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Barbara Antonetti, Chloe Birtles, Aiden Blechynden, Justin & Katrina Boylan, Leith Bowman, Kerry Capelli, Fr Kevin Condon, Megan Garner, Lisa Hanley, Barbara Hickey, Terry Hopson, Jim Kenny, Noelene le Couteur, Rosemary Ledger, Benjamin Lopez, Roscco Malm, Sophie Martin, Fr Bernie Maxwell OP, Joan Meade, Henry Porter, Mary Pusey, Anthony Samy, Peter Scales, Lisa Skrolys, Bob Stidwell, Anne Tan, Julie-Anne Taylor, Di Watts, Greg Titterton, Hauxley Wood, Bro. Marius Woulfe, Jenny Zorich

TO BE REMEMBERED

Jeremy Beasley, Wong Chai Lan, Judith Graham, Gwen Green, Neil Harrison, Jack & Mary Hickman, Lee Houlihan, Ninette Jude, Susan Ribar, Dan Ryan, Matthew Simich, John White, Leigh Windsor, Kate, John & Aiden Woulfe,

May they rest in eternal peace.



PARISH
Christmas
Sundowner

Sunday 2nd December
5 pm - 8 pm
Sausages & buns provided
BYO drinks & salads



Roster	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time 27/28 October	31st Sunday in Ordinary Time 3/4 November
Readers Saturday 6 pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am	Tony Curry Miranda & Steve Hickey Sr Myrtle & Colleen Harland	Liz Crowe / Ray Teakle Mike Berry Peter Whyte & Dorothy Johnston
Acolytes: Saturday 6 pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am	Allan Dwyer Brian Gotts Gordon Kendall, Laurie Smith	Gordon Kendall Allan Dwyer Brian Gotts, Pat Kirwan
EMoHC: Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am	Libby Dimmer, Lina Vinci, Tony Wong Peta Berry, Cathy Bostock, Anne Taylor Claudette De Silva, John Hayes	Libby Dimmer, Lina Vinci, Tony Wong Peta Berry, Elizabeth Re, Paul Slyth Cathy Bostock, Claudette De Silva
Power Point: Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10 am	Sr Imelda Doris Zambonetti Simon Wong	Sr Imelda Margaret Lobo Susanne Whyte
Music: Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10 am	Andy Sambuaga Choir	Carmel Charlton Giuliano Vinci Choir
Counters:	(7) Terry Lark, Frank McCabes	(1) Johnston Family
Altar Society:	(2) Doris & Lucy Zambonetti (2 November)	(3) Trish Burns, Helen Murray, Julie Prior (9 November)
Pilgrim Statue:	Edda & John Aston	Valerie & Tom Rosser
Children's Liturgy:	Monica & Amy	Jayne & Yen