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The MOST HOLY TRINITY, Year C 11 - 12 June 2022

An invitation to Bible Study: journeying together through the WORD

Today, my heart is drawn to the unity of the Trinity in the economy of our salvation. This unity is highlighted in the words of the second person of the Trinity in the Gospel text this day (John 16:12-15). Jesus has a lot to say to the disciples (John 16:12), words that are actually the Father's (John 14:21), but they would be too much for the disciples to comprehend at the time. It is the third person of the Trinity who will do the job of guiding the disciples to a fuller understanding (John 16:13). In this way, the Holy Spirit gives glory to Jesus and so leads the disciples to give glory to Jesus and the Father (John 16:14). My interest today, however, is not in the mystery of how this unity works; it is in the lesson for us to journey together as a community (synodality). This has prompted me to project this invitation, today, from the depth of my heart.

I have this beautiful dream of every one of us coming together to study the word of God in a relaxed, exciting, inviting and reverential atmosphere—where everyone is able and happy to speak, ask questions, laugh, sing, share, pray, and listen to our loving God, and to one another. Understanding Scripture, which Pope Francis calls a love letter from God, is very important for understanding, nurturing and sustaining our faith. One of the final acts of the risen Jesus before his ascension was to open the minds and hearts of the disciples to understand the Scriptures (Luke 24:45). This understanding, cum the recognition of the risen Jesus at the breaking of bread, transformed the once fearful and hopeless disciples into becoming instant fearless and joy-filled missionaries charging back to Jerusalem to relay their joyful hope. This is our call too. Understanding Scripture gives meaning to our belief, strengthens faith, amplifies hope, and revitalises enthusiasm for mission and discipleship, and above all, restores the joy of believing.

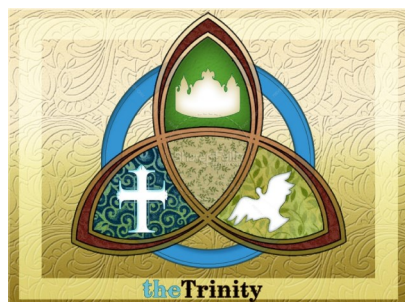
St Jerome is widely quoted as saying: "Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ." Pope Francis admonishes us saying: "Without the Scriptures, the events of the mission of Jesus and of his church in this world would remain incomprehensible." Very true, isn't it? The good news is that we already have a good background to Scriptures. We hear it proclaimed every day, and every Sunday. Some have other occasions (both privately and in group) of studying the word. But the truth is, there is much more to what is proclaimed than is explained.

This is why I am inviting you to please come let's journey and learn together, in the spirit of the unity of the Trinity. It is going to be an interesting and joyful journey for us. The train is about to take off. It is open to all. Please come on board. Pope Francis "urges all of us to walk together, to journey with each other to create a more 'synodal' People of God that listen and accompany each other in faith and life."

For the purpose of resources and communication, I would love anyone interested to please contact the parish office and put down your name and contact number. We are hoping to make a start soon. As we walk on, we share insight and inspiration with one another, and learn together. Therein lies the joy of being family. Isn't it?

May the unity of the Trinity be our strength and vision. Amen! Alleluia!!

Fr Francis Otopo



PARISH CALENDAR

Thurs 16 June: Mary's Kitchen 12-1pm

Sat 18 & Sun 19 June: First Communion Commitment Masses

Tues 21 June: Parish Group Leaders Meeting 7pm

SACRAMENTS:

FIRST COMMUNION commitment Masses will be held on the weekend of **Saturday 18 and Sunday 19 June** in our parish Churches.

MARY'S SOUP KITCHEN will be opening next on **Thursday 16 June** from **12.00 - 1.00pm** in the Chapter House.

PARISH GROUP LEADERS MEETING

Fr Francis invites all Parish Group Leaders to meet with him in the Chapter House at **7pm on Tuesday 21 June**. Please RSVP to Clare on 5144 4100 if you are attending or sending a group member in your place.

WALKING IN THE SPIRIT: National Prayer Pilgrimage for the Plenary Council People across the country are invited to participate in a national prayer pilgrimage as the Catholic Church in Australia prepares for the Second Assembly of the 5th Plenary Council of Australia in Sydney from 3-9 July. We pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance and grace for the Members who will gather and also for ourselves and the Church, that we may have the courage to follow where God is leading us. Access Walking in the Spirit Prayer Resources at: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/walkinginthepirit

HEART OF LIFE 'Taster Session', **Tuesday 14 June 2022, 7.30pm-9pm** (AEST), via Zoom. Are you called to be a spiritual director? A pastoral supervisor? A spiritual leader? Would you like to participate in spiritual formation that develops a compassionate, contemplative, listening heart? We invite you to join our Taster Session for a facilitated reflection and more information about Heart of Life's courses. Led by the formation team at Heart of Life Centre for Spiritual & Pastoral Formation. Bookings via www.trybooking.com/BZAWV, or email secretary@heartoflife.melbourne for more details.

RITE OF WELCOME AND BAPTISM: This weekend at St Mary's Cathedral, we welcome for Baptism Addison & Arlo Bouffieux children of Nicolas & Natalie. Congratulations to the family from us all.

ST VINCENT PALLOTTI SCHOLARSHIP TRUST

The St Vincent Pallotti Scholarship Trust offers scholarships to enable lay people to further their understanding and skills in leadership/ministry or a specialised activity, such as promoting faith enhancement, social justice and pastoral care. More information and Applications Forms are available on our website <https://pallottine.org.au/scholarships/st-vincent-pallotti-scholarship-for-lay-ministry.html> **Closing Date 29 July 2022.**

SPIRITUALITY RETREAT: 18 June 2022.

Especially for Catechists & Open to All. This is an opportunity to come together as the People of God in the diocese and to explore the deep wells that nourish our spiritual life. Teacher's Centre, Sion House Witton Street, Warragul Sion & D'Orsa rooms **9.30am - 3.30pm**. Cost is \$10.00. Please RSVP to BarbaraD@sale.catholic.org.au Lunch is provided, but please bring a plate to share for morning tea.

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED AUSTRALIA:

ACN is the Pontifical Foundation dedicated to supporting the suffering and persecuted Church. Our brothers and sisters in Lebanon are suffering due to ongoing financial and political instability. As the body of Christ we are called to support one another. Will you join us as we help them by providing food parcels to 500 needy families in the diocese of Baalbek, Lebanon? To read about the project, or to make an offering visit: www.aidtochurch.org/monthlyproject.

2022 CHILD SAFETY WEEK COMPETITION

Get creative. Tell us what makes you feel safe and supported? The Diocese invites all school-age children to participate in a competition where entries can be a poster (digital or scanned in electronic form) or video (mp4). See entry form, ideas and support materials on www.cdsale.org.au/safeguarding/child-safety-week or contact our parish safety officer, Lorel Donnelly. Entries close Friday 22 July 2022.

PARISH PRAYER.

*God our loving Father,
we give you thanks and praise for our
Cathedral Parish of Sale,
for your people and your Creation.
Nourish us by your daily
Word and Eucharist.
Enrich us in our faith, hope and love.
Strengthen us with the spirit
of your mercy and grace.
Make us grateful for your gifts as we
journey through our lives together.
May we be a welcoming and
serving community,
always discerning and
doing your will for one another.
We make this prayer through
Christ Our Lord.
Amen.*

DIVINE RENOVATION MINISTRY is hiring! Do you want to help parishes move from maintenance to mission? We're currently seeking candidates for 3 Relationship Guide roles for Queensland, NSW, and Victoria. Check out the position and apply at www.divinerenovation.org/jobs. Please contact us for more information at australasia@divinerenovation.org.

31 CLUB REMINDER for 13 to 19 June. Please pray for vocations.

LEGION OF MARY meet in the Chapter House from **10.30am each Wednesday**. New members are very welcome.

ST MARY'S PARISH BAIRNSDALE invite you to attend the 48th Mass and Procession in honour of St Anthony of Padua this **Sunday 12 June at 11am in St Mary's Church**. Afterwards a social gathering will be held in St Mary's Pastoral Centre. Please bring a plate to share.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 11 June 5.30pm: Forest Burditt (A)
Sun 12 June 9.30am: Janina Nedza (A)
Tues 14 June 9.30am: William Lloyd (A)

BAPTISMS: By arrangement through the Parish Office phone 5144 4100.
ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament, Friday after Mass 1130am—12.00noon At St Rose of Lima, Rosedale on 1st Wednesday of each month 9.30am—10.30am
RECONCILIATION: Cathedral: Friday 11.30am after Mass, **Saturday** After the 9.30am Mass—10.30am **Stratford and Briagolong on Sunday or Rosedale on Saturday evening:** Before or after Mass or anytime by arrangement with the Priest.
MARRIAGES: Not less than six months notice please.

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND:

Planned Giving:	\$945.00
Presbytery:	\$853.80
Credit Cards:	\$30.00
Direct Debits & Credits:	\$1,870.00
Cathedral EFTpos:	\$50.00

With thanks from a grateful parish.

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**Mass Timetable this week
The MOST HOLY TRINITY, Year C
11 - 12 June 2022**

Day/Date	Time	Place
Saturday 11 June	9.30am	Cathedral
	11.00am	Loch Sport
	5.30pm	Cathedral
Sunday 12 June	7.00pm	Rosedale
	9.30am	Briagolong
	9.30am	Cathedral
<i>WEEKDAYS</i>		
Monday 13 June	<i>NO</i>	<i>MASS</i>
Tuesday 14 June	9.30am	Cathedral
Wednesday 15 June	9.30am	Cathedral
Thursday 16 June	9.30am	Cathedral
Friday 17 June	11.00am	Cathedral
<i>Reconciliation & Exposition</i>	11.30am	Cathedral
<i>WEEKEND</i>		
Saturday 18 June	9.30am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Cathedral
	7.00pm	Rosedale
Sunday 19 June	9.30am	Stratford
	9.30am	Cathedral
	5.30pm	Cathedral

**Prayer for the Synod:
Adsumus Sancte Spiritus**

We stand before You, Holy Spirit,
as we gather together in Your name.
With You alone to guide us,
make Yourself at home in our hearts;
Teach us the way we must go
and how we are to pursue it.
We are weak and sinful;
do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us
down the wrong path
nor partiality influence our actions.
Let us find in You our unity
so that we may journey
together to eternal life
and not stray from the way of truth
and what is right.
All this we ask of You,
who are at work in every place and time,
in the communion of the
Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

REFRESHED AND RENEWED

Online retreat Date: **28 – 30 July 2022** Registration: **\$20**

Do you sometimes feel like you're just trying to survive? Catholics across Australasia want to answer the Church's call to mission. Yet with the demands of parish work and a global pandemic, it's easy to feel discouraged and burnt out. That's why it's so important that we take the time to be re-energised and revived in the power of the Holy Spirit. Together with Parousia, we invite you to the Refreshed & Renewed online retreat on 28-30 July featuring Dr. Edward Sri, Fr. James Mallon, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, Steve Ray, and many more — where you will encounter Jesus through prayer, be re-energized by amazing talks, and experience the Holy Spirit renew your heart.

Register today at: www.divinerenovation.org/refreshed-renewed and be refreshed and renewed in your desire and energy to continue the work of evangelisation and mission!

PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP was established in 1972 in Sydney. The aim of the Family Group Movement is to build Christian community through the development of extended families. With loneliness and isolation so prevalent in our society, there is a genuine need for people to know and support each other. Family Groups create an extended family atmosphere within the community and are open to everyone. Our focus is on people caring for, loving and accepting each other.

"Love one another as I have loved you"

Our Aims: - To get to know other members of the Parish
- To support each other sharing each others joys and sorrows and so building the Christian community as in the early Church
- To involve our children in our Christian sharing directly, if possible. If not, then indirectly by our example

Parishioners are invited to come and join our Parish Family Groups who meet socially e.g. pizza night, coffee after mass, BBQ, breakfast. Enquiries: Veronica & Keith 0455121949.

Date & Time	Welcomer	Commentator	Reader	Counters
Sat 11/6 5.30pm	Claire Everard	Damian Hogan	Brenda Burditt	
Sun 12/6 9.30am	Marie & Nick Centra	Ann Neville	Susan Mattson	
Sun 12/6 5.30pm	Mary Chiller	Brenda Bowden	Jennifer Fitzgerald	Sue Harvey - Tuesday 10am

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

We offer prayers for those who have died **Angelina D'Aloia, Fr John Readman, Margaret Lee, Robynne Briggs** and those whose anniversaries occur about this time **Forest Burditt, Janina Nedza, William Lloyd, Mgr Stan Crowe, Fr William McLoughlin, Bishop Richard Ryan, Fr Michael Clarke**. Please pray for those who are sick **Maureen Hall, Helen O'Kane, Rachel Stefanetti, John Schroeder, Kempsea Smith, Brendan Lee, Fr Tao Pham, Fr Brian O'Connor, Andrew Geary, Gabriel Hall, Dawn Carroll, Anthony Lee, Michael McGrath, Harold Hopkins, Troy Barney, Miguel Stehr, Kim Yacoub, Celie Smith, Bill Harkin and Maureen O'Kane**. **We pray in thanks for all who care for the sick.**

NEW TO THE PARISH? CHANGED ADDRESS IN THE LAST YEAR? NEED PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES OR TO UPDATE THE PARISH RECORDS?
Please let us know we'd like to meet you!

NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

**Blest be God the Father,
and the Only Begotten Son of God,
and also the Holy Spirit,
for he has shown us his merciful love.**

FIRST READING

A reading from the book of Proverbs 8:22-31

The Wisdom of God cries aloud:

The Lord created me when his purpose first unfolded, before the oldest of his works. From everlasting I was firmly set, from the beginning, before earth came into being. The deep was not, when I was born, there were no springs to gush with water. Before the mountains were settled, before the hills, I came to birth; before he made the earth, the country side, or the first grains of the world's dust. When he fixed the heavens firm, I was there, when he drew a ring on the surface of the deep, when he thickened the clouds above, when he fixed fast the springs of the deep, when he assigned the sea its boundaries – and the waters will not invade the shore – when he laid down the foundations of the earth, I was by his side, a master craftsman, delighting him day after day, ever at play in his presence, at play everywhere in his world, delighting to be with the sons of men.

The Word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!

When I see the heavens, the work of your hands
the moon and the stars which you arranged,
what is man that you should keep him in mind,
mortal man that you care for him? **(R.)**

Yet you have made him little less than a god;
with glory and honour you crowned him,
gave him power over the works of your hand,
put all things under his feet. **(R.)**

All of them, sheep and cattle,
yes, even the savage beasts,
birds of the air, and fish
that make their way through the waters. **(R.)**

SECOND READING

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans 5:1-5

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith we are judged righteous and at peace with God, since it is by faith and through Jesus that we have entered this state of grace in which we can boast about looking forward to God's glory. But that is not all we can boast about; we can boast about our sufferings. These sufferings bring patience, as we know, and patience brings perseverance, and perseverance brings hope, and this hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us.

The Word of the Lord

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory be to the Father, the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John 16:12-15

Jesus said to his disciples:

'I still have many things to say to you
but they would be too much for you now.
But when the Spirit of truth comes
he will lead you to the complete truth,
since he will not be speaking as from himself
but will say only what he has learnt;
and he will tell you of the things to come.
He will glorify me,
since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine.
Everything the Father has is mine;
that is why I said:
All he tells you
will be taken from what is mine.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

**Since you are children of God,
God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son,
the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father.**



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Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Every Friday from 11.30am —12.00pm
RECONCILIATION: Cathedral
Friday & Saturday morning following Mass

READINGS NEXT WEEK:
The MOST HOLY BODY and BLOOD of CHRIST , Year C
(CORPUS CHRISTI)
First Reading: **Genesis 14:18-20**
2nd Reading: **Corinthians 11:23-26**
Gospel: **Luke 9:11-17**

MARY'S SOUP KITCHEN
CHAPTER HOUSE
Each Thursday fortnight - next 16 June 2022
'Soup and Sandwiches' from **Noon -1.00pm**
Tea and Coffee provided. **All welcome.**



WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE
Saturday: Loch Sport - 11.00am (2nd & 4th Saturday of the Month)
Saturday: Cathedral - 5.30pm Vigil
Saturday: Rosedale - 7.00pm
Sunday: Cathedral - 9.30am and 5.30pm
Sunday: Stratford - 9.30am (1st, 3rd & 5th Sunday of the Month)
Sunday: Briagolong - 9.30am (2nd & 4th Sunday of the Month)
Please check the bulletin each week for weekday Mass times.