

# ST MARY'S PARISH, SALE

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## *The Most Holy BODY and BLOOD of CHRIST (Corpus Christi), Year C 21 - 22 June 2025*

### THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST IN MEMORY OF ME

We all want to be remembered. To be forgotten is to be treated as if you were of no significance, that you didn't matter to anyone - it's as though you never existed! Jesus wanted to be remembered – 'This is my body given for you – This is the cup of my blood...Do this in memory of me.'

Of course Jesus was not just thinking of his own need to be remembered. He was thinking also about his disciples. They too needed to remember him. In his love for them – a special way of remembering him, was, the Eucharist.

Every time we celebrate the Eucharist we recall some of the wonderful things he said and did. We reflect on them and try to apply them to our lives. We remember especially that Jesus becomes really present to us in the Eucharist, not physically, but really present. A spiritual bond is forged, we are not merely in communication but in communion with Jesus, A Holy Communion!

Memory is a precious faculty. It connects us with people and events that are no longer present to us. If we cherish the memory of our loved ones, they become present to us. They are not just memory but a real presence, a presence we feel rather than see. By remembering them we continue to reap a harvest from what they sowed while among us. How much more fruitful it is to remember Jesus, especially in the way he asked us to be remembered.

**REMEMBERING:-** Jesus said to his apostles: 'Do this in memory of me.' We all love to be remembered. This was true even for Jesus. But if we want to be remembered, we have a duty to also remember. Memory is a powerful thing. Wrongly used it brings death; rightly used it brings life, and is a form of immortality. It keeps the past alive. Those we remember never die; they continue to walk and talk with us. Lord when we celebrate the Eucharist we are remembering you. May that remembering bring us life here and hereafter. Amen

*Fr Peter Bickley*



## PARISH CALENDAR

**Sat 21 June 10am:** Pentecost retreat, Cathedral  
**Sat 21 June 5.30pm:** Youth Mass  
**Thurs 26 June 7pm:** Formation meeting for Readers, Commentators, Cathedral  
**Sat 28 & Sun 29 June:** St Vincent de Paul winter appeal  
**Sun 29 June 9.30am:** Regional Legion of Mary, Cathedral  
**Tues 8 Jul - 5 Aug:** Office open Wednesday's only

**YOUTH MASS** Our next youth Mass will take place at 5.30pm this Saturday 21 June in the Cathedral.

**NOTICE BOARD AND CATHEDRAL GLASS** if you have notices that you would like displayed in the Cathedral permission *must* be sought from the Dean of the Cathedral, Fr Francis, or the Parish Office. **Without this permission no one is allowed to display any notices or documents.**

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL** winter appeal will be held during the month of June. There will be a leaving collection at all parish churches on **28 and 29 June**. Donations will assist in meeting the needs of the disadvantaged and vulnerable within our community. A Conference member will be available to issue receipts, (for tax purposes) after each Mass at the Cathedral.

**LEGION OF MARY** regional members will be attending **9.30am Mass** in the Cathedral on **Sunday 29 June**. Please make them welcome. Members meet in the Chapter House from **10.30am each Wednesday**. New members are very welcome.

**PARISH OFFICE** Clare will be taking annual leave from **Tuesday 8 July** until her return on **Tuesday 5 August**. During this period the office will be open on **Wednesday's only**.

**READERS & COMMENTATORS** Formation for all current and new volunteers will be held in the Cathedral at **7pm on Thursday 26 June**. Please add this date to your diary. If you are interested in these volunteer roles please call the parish office on 5144 4100.


**MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION** thank you to all who attended this meeting on Thursday. For those who were not able to make it can you please attend for the reader/commentator session at **7pm on Thursday 26 June** in the Cathedral and we will guide you through the process.

**PENTECOST RETREAT** will be held this Sat from 10am to 3.00pm in the Cathedral. Music will be led by Fr Mark Hughes and the Valdo family from Bairnsdale. Please come along if you can.

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


**31 CLUB REMINDER** 23 - 29 June. Saturday morning Masses we pray for vocations.

**SATURDAY 21 & SUNDAY 22 JUNE** we welcome Fr Mark Hughes, Fr Paul Zaher and Fr Edwin Ogbuka who will tell us their vocation stories. As part of Jubilee of Clergy & Religious, clergy from around the Diocese of Sale are visiting neighbouring parishes this weekend to share in the joy of this occasion and to raise awareness of vocations to priesthood and religious life.




## JUBILEE OF CLERGY & RELIGIOUS

Korumburra and Leongatha  
27th June, 2025



**SILENT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**  
12:00 pm - 3:30 pm,  
St. Josephs Church Korumburra  
(6 Guys Road, Korumburra)



**JUBILEE MASS**  
Celebrated by Bishop Greg and the clergy of the Diocese of Sale  
4:00 pm  
St Laurence's Church Leongatha  
(27 Ogilvy Street, Leongatha)

Pilgrims are invited to pass through Korumburra and spend time in prayer for vocations before the Blessed Sacrament on their way to Leongatha for the Mass at 4:00pm.

RSVP, **24th June** at 0356622020 or  
Leongatha@cdsale.org.au

## 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*

**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER SUNDAY** will be held on **6 July 2025**. This is a day that brings the Australian Catholic Church Together to celebrate the gifts of Australia's First peoples to our Catholic Church. The theme for this year is 'Sent Forth in Strength and Hope'.

**APPOINTMENT OF A NEW ARCHBISHOP** Pope Leo XIV announced the appointment of a new Archbishop of Brisbane. The Most Reverend Shane Mackinlay is currently Bishop of Sandhurst, in regional Victoria. Australian Catholic Bishops Conference President, Archbishop Timothy Costelloe SDB, welcomed the appointment.

"The Archbishop-elect's pastoral experience in his home diocese of Ballarat, and his leadership of the diocese of Sandhurst, together with his strong academic background, will stand him in good stead as he takes up the new challenge of pastoral leadership in the Archdiocese of Brisbane," Archbishop Costelloe said.

**HELP CHRISTIANS IN THE HOLY LAND** Aid to the Church in Need is providing urgent support to the Church in Israel and Gaza in the ongoing conflict. Without your help, many desperate Christian families will be forced to leave. To make an emergency donation visit [www.aidtochurch.org/holyland](http://www.aidtochurch.org/holyland).

**BAPTISMS:** By arrangement through the Parish Office phone 5144 4100.

**ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament,** Friday before Mass 10.00am — 11.00am  
 At St Rose of Lima, Rosedale on 1st Wednesday of each month 9.30am — 10.30am

**RECONCILIATION: Cathedral: Friday** 10.30-11am before Mass.

**At Other times:** Available on request

**Stratford and Briagolong on Sunday or Rosedale on Saturday evening:** Available on request.

**MARRIAGES:** Not less than six months notice please.

## COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND:

<b>Planned Giving:</b>	\$1,513.00
<b>Presbytery:</b>	\$925.20
<b>Credit Cards</b>	\$40.00
<b>Direct Debits &amp; Credits:</b>	\$1,915.00
<b>Cathedral EFTpos:</b>	\$280.00

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**Mass Timetable this week**  
**The Most Holy BODY and BLOOD of CHRIST, Year C**  
**22 - 23 June 2025**

Day/Date	Time	Place
<b>Saturday 21 June</b> <i>Youth Mass</i>	9.30am 5.30pm 5.30pm	Cathedral Cathedral Rosedale
<b>Sunday 22 June</b>	9.30am 9.30am 5.30pm	Briagolong Cathedral Cathedral
<b>WEEKDAY MASSES</b>		
<b>Monday 23 June</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>MASS</b>
<b>Tuesday 24 June</b>	9.30am	Cathedral
<b>Wednesday 25 June</b>	9.30am	Cathedral
<b>Thursday 26 June</b>	9.30am	Cathedral
<b>Friday 27 June</b> <i>Benediction &amp; Exposition Mass</i>	10.00am 11.00am	Cathedral Cathedral
<b>WEEKEND MASSES</b>		
<b>Saturday 28 June</b>	9.30am 11.00am 5.30pm 5.30pm	Cathedral Loch Sport Cathedral Rosedale
<b>Sunday 29 June</b>	9.30am 9.30am 5.30pm	Stratford Cathedral Cathedral

Cathedral Date & Time	Sat 21 June 5.30pm	Sunday 22 June 9.30am	Sunday 22 June 5.30pm
<b>Welcomer</b>	<b>YOUTH MASS</b>	Margaret Shirreffs	Mary Chiller
<b>Commentator</b>	<b>YOUTH MASS</b>	Christine Lyon	Jennifer Fitzgerald
<b>Reader</b>	<b>YOUTH MASS</b>	Di Austin	Lyn Althaus
<b>Eucharis</b>	Rosemary Webster	Anna Allen	Doug Waite
<b>Counters</b>	Sue Harvey & Clare O'Brien		

Cathedral Date & Time	Sat 28 June 5.30pm	Sunday 29 June 9.30am	Sunday 29 June 5.30pm
<b>Welcomer</b>	John Dykun	Marie & Nick Centra	Veronica Stewart
<b>Commentator</b>	Liz Tabuteau	Mildred Semodio	Jennifer Fitzgerald
<b>Reader</b>	Faye Flint	Susan Mattson	Brenda Bowden
<b>Eucharists</b>	Carmel W, Brenda Bur	Margaret S, Anna A	Lyn & Lyn Althaus
<b>Eucharist</b>	Theo Smolenaars	Brenda Bowden	Veronica Stewart
<b>Counters</b>	John Dykun & Clare O'Brien		

**MASS INTENTIONS:**

**Sun 22 June 5.30pm: Margaret Morgan (A)**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** We offer prayers for those who have died **Zita Sutherland, Margaret Denham, John Cooney** and those whose anniversaries occur about this time **Margaret Morgan, deceased Clergy of the Diocese**. We pray for those who are sick **Maureen McLeod, Michelle, Lou, Daniel, Veronica Foxe, Teresa Bennett, Fr Andrew Wise, Teolinda Barrera, Jayantha, Emma O'Hare, Jim Clottin, Moira Petrie, Hurbert Somasiri, Dushyanthi, Michael McGrath, Troy Barney, Bill Harkin**. **We pray in thanks for all who are sick and those who care for them.**

**The Jubilee Prayer**

Father in heaven,  
 may the faith you have given us  
 in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,  
 and the flame of charity enkindled  
 in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,  
 reawaken in us the blessed hope  
 for the coming of your Kingdom.  
 May your grace transform us  
 into tireless cultivators of the seeds  
 of the Gospel.  
 May those seeds transform from within  
 both humanity and the whole cosmos  
 in the sure expectation  
 of a new heaven and a new earth,  
 when, with the powers of Evil  
 vanquished,  
 your glory will shine eternally.  
 May the grace of the Jubilee  
 reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope,  
 a yearning for the treasures of heaven.  
 May that same grace spread the joy  
 and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth.  
 To you our God, eternally blessed,  
 be glory and praise for ever.  
 Amen



**Vocations to the Priesthood**

God our Father,  
 From eternity You appointed Your only begotten Son  
 to be the High Priest of the human race.  
 Pour forth, we beseech You,  
 Your Holy Spirit upon our families,  
 that vocations to the priesthood may be multiplied.  
 Lord Jesus, give us holy priests:  
 To offer up the sacrifice of the Mass;  
 To lead the little ones to You;  
 To strengthen the faith of believers;  
 To preach the Gospel to all peoples;  
 To bring forgiveness to sinners;  
 To feed souls the Bread of Life;  
 To comfort the suffering & dying, and  
 To spread Your Kingdom in our midst.  
 Mary, Mother of our High Priest, pray for us and  
 obtain for us an increase of holy priests.  
 Amen



**NEW TO THE PARISH? CHANGED ADDRESS IN THE LAST YEAR? NEED PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES OR TO UPDATE THE PARISH RECORDS?**

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### **ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:**

**He fed them with the finest wheat  
and satisfied them with honey from the rock.**

### **FIRST READING:**

A reading from the Book of Genesis 14:18-20

Melchizedek king of Salem brought bread and wine; he was a priest of God Most High. He pronounced this blessing: 'Blessed be Abraham by God Most High, creator of heaven and earth, and blessed be God Most High for handing over your enemies to you.' And Abraham gave him a tithe of everything.

The Word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

**You are a priest for ever in the line of Melchizedek.**

The Lord's revelation to my Master:

'Sit on my right:

I will put your foes beneath your feet.' (R.)

The Lord will send from Zion

your sceptre of power:

rule in the midst of all your foes. (R.)

A prince from the day of your birth

on the holy mountains;

from the womb before the daybreak I begot you. (R.)

The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change.

'You are a priest for ever,

a priest like Melchizedek of old.' (R.)

### **SECOND READING:**

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 11:23-26

This is what I received from the Lord, and in turn passed on to you: that on the same night that he was betrayed, the Lord Jesus took some bread, and thanked God for it and broke it, and he said, 'This is my body, which is for you; do this as a memorial of me.' In the same way he took the cup after supper, and said, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Whenever you drink it, do this as a memorial of me.' Until the Lord comes, therefore, every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, you are proclaiming to his death.

The Word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God**

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;  
whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

**Alleluia!**

### **GOSPEL:**

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke 9:11-17

Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them about the kingdom of God; and he cured those who were in need of healing.

It was late afternoon when the Twelve came to him and said, 'Send the people away, and they can go to the villages and farms round about to find lodging and food; for we are in a lonely place here.' He replied, 'Give them something to eat yourselves.' But they said, 'We have no more than five loaves and two fish, unless we are to go ourselves and buy food for all these people.' For there were about five thousand men. But he said to his disciples, 'Get them to sit down in parties of about fifty.' They did so and made them all sit down. Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them; then he broke them and handed them to his disciples to distribute among the crowd. They all ate as much as they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were collected they filled twelve baskets.

The Gospel of the Lord.

**All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**



### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

**Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood  
remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.**



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#### **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

Every Friday from 11.30am—12.00pm

**RECONCILIATION: Cathedral -  
Friday & Saturday following Mass**

#### **READINGS NEXT WEEK:**

**Sts PETER and PAUL, Apostles, Year C**

1st Reading: **Acts 12:1-11**

2nd Reading: **2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18**

Gospel: **Matthew 16:13-19**

#### **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.**