



THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF IVANHOE

*St Bernadette's Church, 89 Bond St, Ivanhoe West
Mary Immaculate Church, 4 Waverley Ave, Ivanhoe
Mother of God Church, 56 Wilfred Rd, Ivanhoe East*

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Masses:

Weekend: Saturday: 6.30pm St Bernadette's **Sunday:** 9am Mary Immaculate; 10.30am Mother of God
Weekday: 9.15am **Tuesday:** Mother of God **Wednesday:** Mary Immaculate **Friday:** St Bernadette's

No. 27

30 June – 1 July 2012

13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: YEAR B

THE WORD

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy!

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

V. 1. I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me and have not let my enemies rejoice over me. O Lord, you have raised my soul from the dead, restored me to life from those who sink into the grave. **R.**

V. 2. Sing psalms to the Lord, you who love him, give thanks to his holy name. His anger lasts but a moment: his favour through life. At night there are tears, but joy comes with dawn. **R.**

V. 3. The Lord listened and had pity. The Lord came to my help. For me you have changed my mourning into dancing, O Lord my God, I will thank you for ever. **R.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death and brought us life through his gospel. Alleluia!

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL: We pray for peace and justice for all: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY:

We remember all in need of prayer at this time including Fr Burns Huggan, Mike McGuire, Simon Stuart, Ma Lim, Anna Maria Bona, Carmel Delaney, Joy Meacham, Sheila Ryan, Bev Horne, Sidney Delaney and Jill Brophy. We remember all who provide care and support for those in need.

We remember all who have died recently including Fr. Augustine Nguyen Duc Thu SJ, Father Peter Steele SJ, Fr Ronald Poulsen PE and Mary Tuoc Thi Tran. We remember those whose anniversaries occur at this time including Steve Berthelot, Frank and Addie Callinan, Silvia Campana, Lino Omizzolo & Richard Makarucha; as well as the recent anniversary of Anna Weber. May they rest in peace.



Welcome Cathy:

Cathy Fang is a student at Our Lady of Mercy College who will be baptised into the Catholic Church this weekend on Sunday, 1 July at Mary Immaculate Church. We congratulate and welcome Cathy as a member of our local faith community, as well as family and friends who have supported Cathy as part of her ongoing faith journey. – Fr Thang

This Week's Readings: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Year B

Wis 1: 13-15; 2:23-24 Psalm 29:2, 4-6, 11-13 2 Cor 8:7-9, 9, 13-15 Mark 5:21-43

Saint and Feast Days:

Mon 2 July: St Martiniani

Tues 3 July: St Thomas the Apostle

Wed 4 July: St Elizabeth of Portugal

Thurs 5 July: St Anthony Zaccaria

Fri. 6 July: St Maria Goretti

Sat. 7 July: St Felix

Next Week's Readings: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Year B

Ezekiel 2: 2-5 Psalm 122 2 Corinthians 12:7-10 Mark 6:1-6

REFLECTION:

In the gospel, Jesus reaches deep into the world beyond life and rescues a young girl from the jaws of death. Earlier, he was jostled by the crowd and felt healing power leave him in order to restore an afflicted woman. Repeating the words of last week's gospel: Who is this man? Is this someone with whom we want to become involved? On the other hand, can we afford not to get involved with him? This is a man who can lead us to life even in the midst of death. He is someone who is interested in the well-being of everyone, even those who may not be highly valued by society – women and children, the chronically ill, those who carry the seeds of death within them.



God's graciousness toward us should prompt us to be generous toward others. What we receive as life-enhancing gifts, we must share with those in need, those to whom life has not been kind. As we have been favoured by the healing touch of God, so we must extend that same loving touch to others. The love of Christ impels us to be openhanded as we approach those in need. Following Jesus' lead, we must not only give to them, we must also allow them to take from us. At times this will require that we share material resources; at other times it might mean that our energy will be drained in our service of them. In all of this, Jesus has set the example for us to follow.

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HAPPENINGS ACROSS THE PARISH

Saturday 30 June	10.00am	Reconciliation	Mary Immaculate Church
Friday 6 July	9.15am & 4pm	First Friday Devotions	St Bernadette's Church
Saturday 7 July	10.00am	Reconciliation	Mary Immaculate Church

St Bernadette's First Friday Devotions - Friday 6th July:

Mass will be celebrated at 9.15am and will be followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Devotions will conclude with Benediction at 4.00pm. All welcome to spend time in prayer with the Blessed Sacrament

Woolworths Earn and Learn Program:

The Woolworths Earn and Learn Program involves collecting stickers (\$10 = 1 sticker) from Woolworths and with points earned, schools can purchase resources. Stickers can be placed on cards available at Woolworths. There is a box in **each school** for Woolworths' cards and stickers and you can take them to the school when Term 3 begins on Monday 16 July. There are boxes in Woolworths Ivanhoe. Promotion ends 22 July.

WYD Brazil – “One Year to Go” Celebration - Friday 27 July, 6:30pm:

The Official Launch of the Victorian Pilgrimage to Rio 2013 - All are invited to the 2013 World Youth Day “One Year to Go” celebration. Fr Robert Galea will lead a special praise and worship session at St Mary Star of the Sea Church, 33 Howard St, West Melbourne which will be followed by Mass at 7:30pm with celebrant Archbishop Denis Hart. After Mass, at 8:30pm, the celebrations will continue with a huge Brazilian Carnivale, giving everyone the chance to experience the amazing culture of Brazil. This event is open to all those from around Victoria who want to start getting ready for World Youth Day in Rio de Janeiro, whether they will be able to attend World Youth Day or not. RSVP: Friday 20 July Call: 9412 3300 / aoy@cam.org.au

AOY Volunteers needed:

The Archdiocesan Office for Youth is looking for volunteers to assist with the One Year to Go Carnivale World Youth Day 2013 Launch on Friday 27 July. We'll be looking for people to assist with simple tasks on the night. **Contact:** AOY office 9412 3300 or email: aoy@cam.org.au

Pajama Game:

Diamond Valley Singers and Eltham Orchestra will present ‘Pajama Game’ at Warrandyte High School Theatre, Alexander Rd, Warrandyte from 6th – 14th July. 2pm performances: 7, 8 & 14th July and 8pm performances – 6, 7, 11, 13 & 14th July. Tickets: Adults \$30, Concession \$25, Child \$15

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National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday:

National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday provides Catholic communities around the country with a timely opportunity to offer thanks to God for the wonderful contribution that Indigenous communities and individuals have made and continue to make to the cultural fabric of Australia in general and to Christian and Catholic communities in particular.

At the same time, NATSICC (National Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Catholic Council) Sunday on Sunday 1 July 2012 is a timely opportunity to ask for God's continued blessings on all indigenous people that they may continue to enrich Australian society by their reverence for God's creation in this ancient land, their rich spiritual traditions and practices and their natural genius in many areas of contemporary society, including art, sculpture, music, literature and sport.

- Dr Paul Taylor, Executive Secretary, Bishops Commission for Liturgy

Thanksgiving Contributions 1 January – 30 June 2012

Statements for Thanksgiving contributions via envelopes, Credit Cards or Direct Debit for the period January to June 2012 will be issued in July after June bank statements have been received. - Ruth

Important Outreach Notice: **The games and lunch day on July 4th has to be cancelled.**

Because of family circumstances we regret that neither Helen or Eileen can be available for this occasion.

- Our **Christmas in July** outing on Wednesday 11 July is almost booked out. Please contact either Helen or Eileen over the next 10 days and we will arrange to collect your \$55. We would like to have all money paid in advance. We will depart from Waverley Ave, Ivanhoe at 10.30am; and arrive back at approximately 4.30pm. Thank you for your co-operation - Helen 9499 7793 or Eileen 9499 7120

News from Parish Office:

- Ruth will be on a week's leave Monday 2 July – Friday 6 July (family leave previously) and the Parish Office will be attended as normal. A brief newsletter for 7 - 8 July has been prepared in advance.
- Fr Thang will be on a week's leave from Monday 9 - Friday 13 July and will celebrate weekend Masses.
- Monsignor Tom Doyle will celebrate parish weekday Masses 8 – 13 July in each of our churches. We sincerely thank Monsignor Tom for his generous assistance and support given to our parish.

Newsletter notices: Items for newsletter, notices of deaths and anniversaries for the weekend 7-8 July need to be given to the Parish Office **no later than 5.00pm, Wednesday 4 July.** Where possible these will be added to the Prayers of the Faithful as part of Liturgy planning on Thursday morning 5 July. Notices, prayers or anniversaries can be included in the following week's newsletter. Office contact details: Phone 9499 1515, fax 9499 9959; or email: catholicparisfofivanhoe@bigpond.com

Brief notes from the PLT meeting 20.06.12 Items reported / discussed included:

- Negotiations are proceeding about the future of the Convent at St. Bernadette's.
- All three schools reported good enrolments for 2013 - some siblings and some new families.
- Several members of the PLT and some other parishioners joined the Korean community for Mass and lunch to celebrate the Incardination of Fr. Youn into the Archdiocese of Melbourne.
- Outreach continues to host the monthly 'lunch and cards' and has arranged 'Christmas in July at the Cuckoo Restaurant on the 11th July.
- Full participation by children and their families, supported by teachers and catechists, and the ad hoc parish choir made the ceremony at the Cathedral on 3rd June most memorable.
- In Terms 3 and 4, children in the schools will be preparing for First Eucharist and in the catechist group will be preparing for their First Reconciliation.
- Painting and electrical works, approved by the Finance group, are proceeding.

Silent Retreat with Fr Laurence Freeman - Tuesday 3 July to Sunday 8 July:

Fr Laurence Freeman is a Benedictine monk and author who teaches Christian meditation around the world.

Where: Newman College, University of Melbourne

More info: 0437 514 148

www.christianmeditationaustralia.org; chrmedevent@gmail.com

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Yarra Deanery Newsletter: The newsletter of the Yarra Deanery is available this weekend. Do feel free to take a copy - and, we're glad to say, it's still free.

Piano Recital by Melody Quah 6 July, 7:30 pm Melody Quah, an international young pianist, has dazzled audiences worldwide and has been described as a "poet with titanium fingers" (Vancouver Sun). A graduate of The Juilliard School, she now studies at Yale's School of Music. Melody will be performing masterpieces by Brahms, Liszt, Rachmaninoff, Bartok and Prokofiev in a concert not to be missed!

Where: Mahon Theatre, Aquinas College, 46 Great Ryrie St, Ringwood. **Cost:** \$15 all proceeds will benefit North Ringwood Conference of the St Vincent de Paul Society. **Contact:** Holy Spirit Parish House 9876 3717

Helder Camara Lectures:

- Conversation between Archbishop Bruno Forte - a wonderful Italian (and English speaking) bishop and theologian in conversation about **Grace and Beauty** with Tony Kelly CSSR - Australian theologian on **Sunday 8th July @ 5.30 pm** at Newman College
- An invitation to hear Archbishop Bruno Forte receive an honorary doctorate at ACU on **Monday 9th July @ 5.30pm** where he will speak on the New Evangelisation
- **August events** involving Cardinal Rodriguez SDB and Frank Brennan SJ plus Professor Robert George and Paul Murray OP.

All events are **free** but for planning purposes *it is important* to phone Suzanne Hermon 9926 5761 to indicate numbers. Flyers are available on display boards in each church.

CatholicCare Fundraiser: Run Melbourne Half Marathon/Walkathon - Sunday 15 July:

Participating in Run Melbourne is a fun, healthy way to make a real difference in someone's life by enabling CatholicCare to keep providing vital care and support services through counselling, family support, mediation, refugee settlement and other support services. Registering is easy and there are categories for all fitness levels - 21km half marathon, 10km run or 5km run / walk. The first 50 people to register with Walking Angels will receive wings and halos.

Register: www.runmelbourne.com.au, click Entry and follow the prompts to join CatholicCare's team: Walking Angels.

Contact: Staci - email: Staci.Lo@ccam.org.au or 9287 5585 to notify CatholicCare that you are joining the team and an invitation link will be sent to set up your fundraising page.

Donate: http://runmelbourne.everydayhero.com.au/walking_angels

Book Sale: - The Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver will hold a book sale on Saturday, 21 July from 10am - 2pm at 154 Cotham Rd, Kew. Proceeds from the book sale will go to assist the many needs of the missions. Enquiries: 9817 3715

Public Lecture: 'Engaging the Inter-religious Possibilities of the Twenty-first Century'

Wednesday July 25, 5:30pm to 7:15pm

Professor Francis X. Clooney S.J., a distinguished international scholar in the field of comparative theology and Director of the Centre for the Study of World Religions at Harvard University, will soon be visiting Australia as a Distinguished Visiting Research Fellow of the Faculty of Theology and Philosophy, Australian Catholic University. The public lecture will conclude with the conferral of an honorary doctorate.

Where: Christ Lecture Theatre, ACU, 115 Victoria Parade, Fitzroy

RSVP: cid@acu.edu.au or 9953 3920 **Contact:** Fatih 9953 3920 or fatih.tuncer@acu.edu.au

ROSTERS FOR WEEKEND: 7 - 8 July 2012

ST. BERNADETTE'S:

Saturday 6.30pm

Lector

J. Murphy

Special Ministers

A. Pellizzari, T. Nibali

MARY IMMACULATE:

Sunday 9.00am

Leader

P. Callahan

Reader

B. Fitt

Mass Coordinators

M. Gilbo

Counters

P. Black, P. Fanning,

J. & H. Pidutti

MOTHER OF GOD:

Sunday 10.30am

Sacristan

A. Patterson

Lector

T. Barker

Special Ministers

C. Bellio, R. Katerelos, I. Chiera

Altar Society: I. Chiera

Choir Coordinator: School holidays

First Collection - Thanksgiving: Envelopes: \$1,981.00 Loose cash: \$425.20 **Total: \$2,406.20**
Second Collection - Presbytery: **\$ 685.20**