ROSTERS

We thank you for the wonderful works you do!



LITURGY for 25/26 August

6pm Welcomers: Walsh/Hargreaves Gifts: Jenkins Family Readers: R Cussen, C del Rio Ministers: J Moorfield, S Reimert, P Smith, J Tankard, T Treffry, C White

Welcomers: C Morriss. D Duvnhoven Gifts: S Cook Family Readers: L&M Taggert 9am Ministers: H Goddard, G Howland, F Lamb

CHURCH CLEANING: Week commencing

19 August Group 5: J McCarthy, J Carroll 26 August Group 6: Ann-Marie Moloney, Hannah Chisholm, J Squires COUNTING TEAMS:

19 August Team 5: Dennis Farley, Brian Dalton, John McCarthy Team 6: Robert Mills, Robert Lane, Paul Torpy 26 August COMMUNION TO LYNDOCH: 26 August: Jim & Elaine Hales



Making Connections: Find ways this week of bringing life and nourishment to others. Provide them with what they need. Recall significant meals you have shared. Reflect on why it is that food and drink are part of human celebrations. Imagine what a celebration would be like without the fellowship of eating and drinking together.

Did you Know?: Points of interest and Catholic lore. After the flood (Gen 6-8) God established a covenant with Noah. He promised never again to send a deluge on the Earth and said to Noah. 'every living and crawling thing shall provide food for you, no less than the foliage of plants."

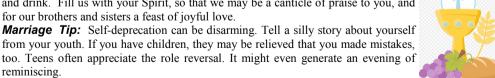
Exploring the Word: Jesus' claim that he is the living bread come from heaven is brought to a new height. Not only has he surpassed the manna given by God in the desert, he now claims that it is his flesh and blood which gives life. He insists that he makes God known because he comes from God. Eating the flesh and drinking the blood of the Son of Man will bring those who believe to eternal life not the physical life of this world but to life with the Father forever.

Sharing the Tradition: The Church has always insisted that the bread and wine of the Eucharist are the true flesh and blood of Christ. While the appearance of bread and wine remain, in reality they become the body and blood of the Lord. St Thomas Aquinas says 'that in this sacrament are the true body of Christ and his true blood is something that cannot be apprehended by the senses but only by faith which relies on divine authority.' Christians believe that the Eucharist is more than a memorial to the Last Supper, but indeed makes Christ present to us in each Eucharistic celebration.

Living the Word: Bread is the food of life. Food is essential for our bodies to function. But food and drink also give pleasure and satisfaction. When people come together to celebrate, food and drink are part of the celebration. As food and drink are to the human person so Jesus is to those who believe in him. Reflect on the world and the 'life' that it needs today.

Daily Prayer: Here in our midst, O good and gracious God, Wisdom has built herself a house, she

has set her table and mixed her wine: The flesh and blood of Christ become our food and drink. Fill us with your Spirit, so that we may be a canticle of praise to you, and for our brothers and sisters a feast of joyful love.



too. Teens often appreciate the role reversal. It might even generate an evening of reminiscing. Vocational View: John's Gospel reveals God's promise of the Word made flesh. This is revealed through the sacrifice made by Christ: "I am the living bread, come down from heaven ... the bread

I give is my flesh for the life of the world ...". Do

this in memory of Him.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for August

The treasure of Families That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.

"Go in peace glorifying the Lord by your life."



Our Lady Help of Christians Parish East Warrnambool - Allansford 'A Star in the East'

PARISH BULLETIN

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time —19th August 2018

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"PEACE TO ALL WHO ENTER HERE"

Recent Deaths: Mary Ferguson

Anniversaries: Luke Jago. Don Owen, Theresia Dickman, Greg Gleeson, Ted Gleeson, Win Crawford, Father Shepherd, Monsignor O'Connell, Tom Gleeson, Pauline Farley, Father Dwyer, Ellen (Nell) Frusher, Aleida Bakker, Richard Lourey, Patrick Lourey,

Margaret Reid (nee Lourev)

"Happy are those who have died in the Lord for their good deeds go with them." (Apoc 14)



7.30am at St Pius 10.00am Wednesdav 9.30am (Queenship of Marv) 9.30am 9.30am 10.00am at St Pius

White is the colour of rejoicing

THE LORD'S Saturday 6.00pm DAY Sunday 9.00am

The Word of God: This Week: Prv 9: 1-6/ Eph 5: 15-20/ Jn 6: 51-58 Next Week: Jos 24: 1-2a.15-17.18b/ Eph 5:21-32/ Jn 6: 60-69

Sacraments: Baptisms and Marriages by Appointment Please phone 5561 1533 Reconciliation—Friday 10.00am; Saturday 10.20 at St Pius

-St John Viannev

Praving with Body, Mind, and Voice

He who comes to Communion loses himself in God,

as a drop of water in the ocean.

PROCESSIONS Every procession in the Liturgy is a sign of the pilgrim Church, the body of those who believe in Christ, on their way to the Heavenly Jerusalem. The Mass begins with the procession of the priest and ministers to the altar. The Book of the Gospels is carried in procession to the ambo. The gifts of bread and wine are brought forward to the altar. Members of the assembly come forward in procession-eagerly, attentively, and devoutly—to receive Holy Communion. We who believe in science of the virtues. Christ are moving in time toward that moment when we will leave this world and enter into the joy of the Lord in the eternal Kingdom he has prepared for us.



"As little birds learn to sing by listening to their parents, so children learn the the sublime song of **Divine Love from** souls responsible for forming them." -St Therese of Lisieux



RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Keep for Daily Praver)

160 Like A Shepherd

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia. alleluia! Praise the word of Truth and Life. All who eat the living bread will live forever.

Alleluia, alleluia! Praise the word of Truth and Life.

All who drink my blood live in me and I in them says the Lord.

HYMNS:

Entrance 71 Gather Your People Jesus You Are Bread

Gifts 42 Communion 125

Eat This Bread

- Song of the Body of Christ 27
 - We Are The Body of Christ (Words below)
- Recessional Christ Be Our Light

Christ Be Our Light

Christ be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness. Christ be our light! Shine in your church gathered today.

We Are The Body of Christ

We are the body of Christ, called to the table, called to the feast oh-oh-oh! We are the family of Christ, called to reach out, people of peace

We are the hands of Christ Reaching out and lifting our lives Caring for others, and healing our world Hands joined in prayer, living God's Word

Sasha Shaw

Ella Cook

Meeka Fish

Lucy Shanley

Angus White

Sean Deutsch

We are the voice of Christ Calling for justice, doing what's right Lifting our voices, making our praise heard

We are the heart of Christ Strong in our faith, gentle in heart One at the table. One in our God's love Our hearts joined together, in Christ we are one

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Eucharist

We welcome these, our children, to the table of the Lord and into full Membership in the Church.

Zahli Foreman Harrison Barnes Ava Cook Leo Ellerton Samuel Graham Tve Kelly Lavla McCarthy Stella Patterson Hamish Shanley Klara Watson Taijh Burns

Michaela Shaw Matilda Bonnett David Bovd Olivia Cope Grace Foley Iack Hermans Charlie James Lachlan Llovd Logan Kermond Tyler McDonough Pippa McCarthy Kokoda Porter Charlotte Ouarrell Emma Skilbeck Cooper Lynch Diana Fernandez

Sienna Wickenton Patrick Colla Zoe Davis Hamish Gardner Peppa Janes Cordelia Macinnes Liam McGuinness Lachlan Rea Sadie Thornton Matilda Burns Gus Kettyle

PARISH LIFE—LIFE TO THE FULL

OLHC Community acknowledges and respects the traditional custodians of this landthe Gunditimara People and other tribes.

WELCOME TO OLHC & ST. CARTHAGE In imitation of Jesus Christ, we welcome all people to worship

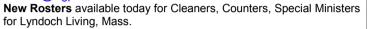
and celebrate God's all-inclusive love with us. Whoever you are, wherever you are in your life, we thank you for choosing to be here with us today.

Our Parish Vision "Bringing People together in an atmosphere that is welcoming, nurturing and challenges all to share in the Mystery of God's Love."

Spend August with the Saints "Enkindle your love in me and walk with me along the next stretch of road before me." St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein) (9 August)

You can receive your Parish Rosters by email

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Holy Hour Monday 10am.

Bible Study Thursday 7.30pm and Friday 10am with Sr. Mary in the Parish Meeting Room. International Messengers of Divine Mercy present on Tuesday 21st August 6.30pm at Nazareth House. Ballarat.

Joy + Youth Festival West Warrnambool for 15-30year old's. Sunday 2nd September from noon -6pm. Featuring Genevieve Bryant & Band. Free. Registration is Necessary on www.trybooking.com/WHVU. Bring your musical instrument.

The St Vincent De Paul Winter Appeal is grateful for donations from a marked envelope on the collection plate.

Migrant and Refugee Week 20th-26th August

"Welcoming, Protecting, Promoting and Integrating Migrants and Refugees".

All are welcome to Celebrate our Communicants with cake and Coffee after Mass.

Funeral Mass Monday 2pm for Mary Ferguson RIP. Congratulations Emmanuel College on the perfect production of "Footloose".

"We come together in all our diversity and we celebrate our unity."

"If I want my wounds treated, you're the doctor. If I burn with fever, you are the refreshing spring. If I am overwhelmed with guilt, you are the forgiveness. If I need help, you are the strength. If I fear death, you are the eternal life. If I want heaven, you are life. If I flee darkness, you are the light. If I look for food, you are the nourishment" (St Ambrose of Milan). In short, we pray to God, "Our Father", so that He may "give us our daily bread" for the body and for the spirit.

Spend some

quiet time

with the

Lord.



"Life in a Whole new Light and Clothed with Power from on High" Today we welcome with great joy Ellie Ryan who is being <u>baptised</u> into the family of God, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit.



with attention to the prayerfulness of our Mass; our warm greetings to each other; our listening and attending to the Word of God; our awareness of the gift of Eucharist. Yes, our example of Blessing ourselves with Holy Water, with our answering and singing, our genuine reflection, our warmth at the sign of peace, our respect to each other, are all ways the children can see us, reflect, and act upon our example.

Our example to the children helps them learn from us



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Lord, until vou come again.

Our voices together, proclaiming God's Word

Mystery Of Faith

When we eat this Bread

and drink this Cup, we

proclaim your Death, O