

ROSTERS

We thank you for the wonderful works you do!



LITURGY for 20/21 August

6pm Welcomers: R Kelly Family Gifts: Hancock Family Readers: B Kavanagh, J Mahony

Ministers: G McMeel, M Mills, F Moloney, J Moorfield, P&M Morgan

9am Welcomers: P&K Nelson Gifts: El-Hage Family Readers: K Porter, J Ryan

Ministers: E Dalton, J Facey, A Jubb

CHURCH CLEANING:

Week commencing

14 August Group 1: A Sanderson, K Wright, P Allan, D Porter, D Lawler

21 August Group 2: P Jubb, P Bolte, P&S Smith, R Breunig, F&L O'Connor

COUNTING TEAMS:

14 August Team 1: Paul & Marcia Glynn, Pam & Gavin Nevill

21 August Team 2: Des Arundell, Don Cooper

LAWN MOWING: For fortnight 14 August Group 2: Peter Kenna

COMMUNION TO LYNDPOCH: 21 August: Robert McLaren, Chris Smith



Making Connections: Reflect this week on the things which divide your family or friends. Try to overcome those divisions and work to re-establish harmony.

Marriage Tip: The stage of 'falling in love', while beautiful and irreplaceable, can fade in the later years of a marriage. True Lasting love is a product of intentionality, choice and sacrifice. Jesus' death on the cross is proof of this.

Daily Prayer: Surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses, we look to Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith. Let us be consumed in the fire he kindles, and immersed in the baptism of his death, that he may remember us when he comes into his kingdom.

A Vocation View: Jesus wants his followers to light a fire on the earth. His followers, as His fire, are bright, blazing, consuming, enlightening and warm.

Migrant and Refugee Week August 22-28th

Dear brothers and sisters, migrants and refugees! At the heart of the Gospel of mercy the encounter and acceptance by others are intertwined with the encounter and acceptance of God himself. Welcoming others means welcoming God in person! Do not let yourselves be robbed of the hope and joy of life born of your experience of God's mercy, as manifested in the people you meet on your journey! I entrust you to the Virgin Mary, Mother of migrants and refugees, and to Saint Joseph, who experienced the bitterness of emigration to Egypt. To their intercession I also commend those who invest so much energy, time and resources to the pastoral and social care of migrants. To all I cordially impart my Apostolic Blessing.
Pope Francis

*"How often we forget to dedicate ourselves to that which truly matters! We forget that we are children of God."
-Pope Francis*

Pope's Prayer Intentions for August

Universal: Sports

That sports may be an opportunity for friendly encounters between peoples and may contribute to peace in the world.

Evangelization: Living the Gospel

That Christians may live the Gospel, giving witness to faith, honesty, and love of neighbour.

PARISH PRAYER: Loving God, **Good Shepherd** to us all. Gather us and form us into a welcoming parish **family**. Touch our hearts with your love so that we, in turn, may reach out to love one another, in a **neighborly** community. **Our Lady Help of Christians**, guide us as we seek to do Christ's will. Bless us in service, strengthen us in support of each other, and unite us as we grow in faith & love, to be a **welcoming**, caring Parish **community**. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. Saints Carthage and Mary MacKillop, pray for our Parish family.

"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— 14th August 2016

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"I AM THE WAY,

THE TRUTH, AND THE LIFE"

JN 14, 18.

"PEACE TO ALL WHO ENTER HERE"

Recent Deaths: Ida Brittain, Brian Leahy, Olive Lane, John McCarthy (Ballarat), Margaret Slattery, Margaret Carey, Fr. Brendan Davey, Nellie Finnigan

Anniversaries: Frs. Tom Kiniry, Bill Dwyer and Shepherd, John O Sullivan, Joan O'Sullivan, Mark Griffin, Keith White, Margaret Hand, Wally Hammond, John Umbers, Pam Butler, Kit Crawford, Sister Margerie Gapes, Jean Huscler, Aleida Bakker, Patrick Lourey, Margaret Reid, Christian Lourey, Lauchlan Lourey

Mass Times: Monday 10.00am (The Assumption)

5.00pm

Tuesday 10.00am

Wednesday 5.00pm (Jean Huscler RIP)

Thursday 9.30am

Friday 9.30am

(Rosary 20 minutes before weekday Masses)

THE LORD'S Saturday 6.00pm

DAY Sunday 9.00am

Allansford 10.30am

White is the colour of rejoicing

The Word of God: This Week: Jer 38: 4-6. 8-10, Heb 12: 1-4, Lk 12: 49-53

Next Week: Is 66: 18-21, Heb 12: 18-19. 22-24, Lk 13: 22-30

Sacraments: *Baptisms and Marriages by Appointment Please phone 5561 1533*

Reconciliation—Friday 10.00am



"Happy are we who are called to the Supper of the Lord"
Today we welcome and congratulate our First Communicants

Ryan Barnes	Mason Porter	William Colla	Bella Chow
Keegan Smith	Oliver Cook	Samuel Lukeis	Isla Walther
Freya Evans	Nathaniel Roberts	Sophie Marris	Georgia Barton
Sophie Howland	Dylan McGinness	Nikayla Wiffrie	Toby Fish
Keiara Perera	Prannoy Josy	Nathan James	Emma Hannagan
Harry Martell	Jackson Dancey	Angus Griffiths	Tegan Parsons
Mia Cook	Alexandra Harris	Thomas Barling	Amy Jones
Charlotte Lenehan	Patrick Kenny	Georgie Carter	Taylah Kidd
Jake Ewing	Jessica Keast	Rahlee Hansford	Noah Hodge
Taleisha Ryan	Georgia Rea	Luke Cope	Georgia Ragg

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

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!...etc

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

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HYMNS:

Entrance	71	Gather Your People
Gifts	42	Jesus You Are Bread
Communion	125	Eat This Bread
		Do This In Memory of Me
Recessional	57	City of God

Mystery Of Faith

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

Do This In Memory of Me

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1. We gather to hear Your Word
Like Jesus showed us
We learn to follow in Your way
Like Jesus showed us

CHORUS:

Do this, do this, do this in memory of me.
Do this, do this, do this in memory of me

2. We break this bread for all to share
Like Jesus showed us
The bread of life to nourish us
Like Jesus showed us
3. We share this cup of wine for all
Like Jesus showed us
We celebrate God's greatest gift
Like Jesus showed us
4. We are one body we are one
Like Jesus showed us
Together as one we celebrate
Like Jesus showed us



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Volunteering is a great way to play a meaningful and rewarding role in your community. Many benefits exist for Volunteering including maintaining active involvement in the community, developing social links, increasing confidence, maintaining and developing skills and having fun!

Volunteering can be a highly rewarding experience!

Volunteer programs provide benefits to an organization and the community.

Have you contemplated enhancing your experience of Church by Volunteering?

U are important

You cannot spell Ch_rh without u

Ad_It without u

Yo_th without u

S_ccess without u

S_nday Mass without u

Comm_nity without u

Clearly the Catholic Church needs u.



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

"Life in a Whole new Light and Clothed with Power from on High"

Today we welcome with great joy Patrick & Charlie Bowman and Violet Lawlor who are being baptised into the family of God, who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's second reading, St/ Paul encourages us not to grow weary or lose heart, but to persevere in following Jesus. Our willingness to give of ourselves, even in the face of conflict and division, is one way to measure our discipleship.

Jesuit Father Richard Leonard, Australian Author and popular Communicator will run a workshop at Emmanuel College on **Wednesday, August 17th, 9am-3pm** "How can we promote belief, Christian faith and an active membership of the Catholic Church in a world that increasingly says we are nuts to believe anything other than that which we can see, hear and test, that all religious collectives are deluded and the Church is pretty well morally bankrupt? Names Please.

PARISH LIFE

OLHC Community acknowledges and respects the traditional custodians of this land—the Gunditjmara 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 "We have cause to be happy when we think of God's love." (Saint Mary MacKillop, August 8th)

Contribute to St Vincent De Paul's **winter appeal** by placing an envelope marked "Winter Appeal" on the collection plate. "Christ, our joy and solace:- stay with the poor and lonely. Christ be mindful of your people."

A Liturgy Formation Day will be held at St Mary's Hamilton on Sunday August 21st beginning with Mass at 10.30am. The day is to assist **Readers** at Mass, prepare **Funerals**, prepare **Children** for the Sacraments.

Coffee after 9am Mass All Welcome.

Available:

- A revised roster for Cleaners
- Latest edition of "Our Diocesan Community"

NET Ministries is a non-profit organization committed to the evangelization of Australia's youth. Each year NET calls together around 50 Catholic men and women, aged 18 to 30, to be formed as missionary disciples and commissioned for a year of volunteer youth work. As teams they work in parishes, schools and universities offering themselves as authentic witnesses of the gospel. They run retreats, lead youth groups and host social evenings among many other things. Contact Lachlan 0426 957 584.

Next Children's Liturgy of the Word will be on Saturday 27th August at 6pm.

House sitting wanted: Nov—Dec 2016 Looking after house, garden and pets, fit 70 year old. Phone Bev: 5560 5544.

"As our body cannot live without nourishment, so our soul cannot spiritually be kept alive without prayer." - St Augustine.



To Father Lawrie and Parishioners, **Thank you** so much for the ongoing support for **Moira** and her children. The food is always delicious. You've really been just wonderful from every point of view...That's why this brings a not of thanks sincerely meant for you. **The Kelly Family**



"Families today need not be surprised when conflict erupts. They are to remain steadfast and rely on the strength of the Spirit to withstand the test."
-PrayerTime cycle C: Faith-Sharing Reflections on the Sunday Gospels

In Jesus' time **"Meals** were a sacred time when God's presence was awaited and welcomed in **every meal**. The people recognized that although they had earned their daily bread, God still gave them all they had. **Fellowship in a meal** was always fellowship before God." - Jim Campbell, DMin