



MEMBER OF CENTRAL DEANERY

St Joseph's Church, 30 Fitzgerald Street
 St Thomas Aquinas' Church, 43 Bromby Street
 est. 1887

Under the Pastoral Care of **AUGUSTINIANS**

ADMINISTRATION



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Pastoral Associates and Administrative Support

- ▶ Sr. Maureen Cullen PBVM (Wed & Thur)
- ▶ Diane Brebner (Alfred Hospital Chaplain)
- ▶ Toni Stuart (Secretary: Tuesday & Friday)
- ▶ Monica Meagher (Thursdays & Fridays)
- ▶ Yvonne Bolland (Wedding Secretary: Mon10-12)
- ▶ Carole McNally (Business Manager: Mon - Wed)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St. Joseph's • Sat: 5.50pm - 6.10pm
 (or by request)

CHILDRENS' LITURGY

St. Joseph's • 10.00am Mass First Sunday of the month
 (except school holidays and long weekends)

ANointing / HEALING MASS (First Wednesday of the month) • 10am at St Joseph's Church
 (Senior parishioners, those with ongoing sickness, those with mental illness, may all receive the Sacrament of the Sick)

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS • First Collection – for the Clergy • Second Collection – for the Parish

Parish Mass Times for the week commencing weekend 27th November 2011

| DAY | ST JOSEPH'S TIME | ST THOMAS AQUINAS' TIME |
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| Sunday 27th November First Sunday of Advent | (Sat Vigil 6.30pm) 10.00am Mass | 9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass |
| Monday 28 th Nov | | |
| Tuesday 29 th Nov | 10.00am Mass | 12.45pm Mass |
| Wednesday 30 th Nov St Andrew | 10.00am Mass | 12.45pm Mass |
| Thursday 1 st Dec | 10.00am Mass | 12.45pm Mass |
| Friday 2 nd Dec | 10.00am Mass | 12.45pm Mass |
| Saturday 3 rd Dec St Francis Xavier | 9.00am Mass 6.30pm Vigil Mass | |

ADVENT SEASON



"When Advent seeps into our souls, we come to understand that small is not nothing and empty is not bereft. To be small is to need, to depend on the other. Smallness bonds us to the rest of the human race and frees us from the arrogant isolation that kills both the body and the soul. To be empty is to be available inside to attend to something other than the self. We become full of the blessings of life".

EVENTS & MEETINGS

- ▶ **Sth Yarra Gatherers:** This Sun after 10am Mass at Kush, Chapel St
- ▶ **Advent Children's Liturgy:** Sun 4th Dec 10am at St Joseph's
- ▶ **St Jo's Book Exchange:** Sun 4th Dec after 10am Mass at St Joseph's
- ▶ **21st Century Faith:** Mon 5th Dec 10am & 7pm
- ▶ **Meditation:** Priory 11am Thursdays

AUGUSTINIAN SEMINARIAN Brother Saldie Resolado has arrived from Sydney for six-weeks internship in the parish. We welcome Saldie and wish him joy amongst us.

FINANCES MEETING of active groups in the parish to coordinate overall fundraising and disposal of funds in 2012 - Monday 12 December at 7.30pm.

21ST CENTURY FAITH? 'The Advent Gospels' Monday, 5 December. 10am and 7pm.



"THE AUGUSTINIAN FORMATION ASSOCIATION (AFA) was launched in our parish by national president Trudi McFadden on the night of the 'Grace Chapel' book launch. AFA supports the spiritual, social and material welfare of the eleven Augustinian seminarians now studying in Sydney in the care of John Barry OSA. I invite every parish family at \$25 a year to become members of AFA in the next three months. The Order outlays \$200,000 a year maintaining and educating the students. We are blessed to have the Augustinians with us and by doing our share we sustain the hope of the parish being led by a new generation of Augustinian priests into the future!"
 Therese Phillips (South Yarra AFA President)

SPIRITUAL DANCE WORKSHOP
 Saturday 10 December from 10.00am
 Ring Liz Muratore: 0408 544682

IN LOVING MEMORY



Anniversaries

- ✕ Augustine McCormick
- ✕ Palepa Iaone
- ✕ Maria Castello
- ✕ Mea Camille
- ✕ Kathleen Huggins
- ✕ Carmen Vella
- ✕ Moira Ivers
- ✕ Robert Law



AUGUSTINIAN FRIENDS' final gathering for 2011 will be held in the Parish Centre on Tues, 29th Nov at 6.30 p.m. Join us for evening supper and reflection. Please bring a plate. Enquiries to Judith - 0417 309 747

CHRISTMAS MASS ROSTERS

Christmas Eve and Christmas Day

Anyone able to assist at 6.30pm family Mass / Night Mass / Christmas Day Masses as Readers, Special Ministers or Welcomers etc, please register your name on the sacristy clipboard this Sunday or next.



NEW LITURGY, FOOD STORE & BREAD COLLECTION AND PACKING ROSTERS

for Dec & Jan available in the sacristy today.

PARISH BARBEQUE

Thanks to all the helpers and those who donated, without whom such events would not be possible – the salad makers, cooks, those who set-up and cleaned up, ticket sellers, loyal suppliers and supporters, graphic designers, everybody with a hand in making it a great day, including those who helped but couldn't make it. Special thanks to Rocky's Fruit & Vegies, University Meat & Flavors of India.

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS 20/11/11

Thanking you for your continuing support!

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| 1 st Collection (Clergy/Priory a/c) |\$ | 805.15 |
| 2 nd Collection (Church a/c) |\$ | 774.00 |
| Loose money |\$ | 307.55 |