



MEMBER OF CENTRAL DEANERY

St Joseph's Church, 30 Fitzgerald Street
 St Thomas Aquinas' Church, 48 Bromby Street
 est. 1887

Under the Pastoral Care of **AUGUSTINIANS**

ADMINISTRATION

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- Fr Brian Buckley OSA – Parish Priest
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- Fr Patrick Bourke OSA,
 Chaplain, Calvary Health Care Bethlehem

Pastoral Associates and Parish Carers

- ▶ Maureen Cullen PBVM (Wed & Thursday) ▶ Monica Meagher (Wed & Friday)
- ▶ Gemma Schooneveldt (Thu) ▶ Patricia Foster, Wedding Secretary (Tuesdays 12.00-2.00pm)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

• St Joseph's Church • Saturdays: 5.50 pm – 6.10 pm (or by request)

CHILDRENS' LITURGY First Sunday each month • 10.30am Mass at St Joseph's Church

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).

Parish MASS TIMES for the week commencing weekend 6th September 2009

DAY	ST JOSEPH'S TIME	ST THOMAS AQUINAS' TIME
(Saturday 5 September) Sunday 6 September 23rd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	(Sat Vigil 6.30pm Mass) 10.30am Mass Children's Liturgy	9am Mass & 10.30 am Mass
MONDAY 7 September		
TUESDAY 8 September	10.00am Mass	12.45pm Mass
WEDNESDAY 9 September	10.00am Mass	—
THURSDAY 10 September St. Nicholas of Tolentine OSA	10.00am Mass	12.45pm Mass
FRIDAY 11 September	10.00am Mass	12.45pm Mass
SATURDAY 12 September	9.00am Mass	—

FATHERS' DAY 2009

Heavenly Father, we praise you for the gift of our fathers and those who have been father-figures to us. We thank you for the life and love they have brought to our world.

May we raise our boys to use their masculine qualities for the glory and honour of your name. Amen.



EVENTS & MEETINGS

- ▶ **Finance Committee Meeting** Tuesday 8th Sept. in the parish offices at 3.30pm.
- ▶ **Parish Council** meets Wednesday 9th at 7.30pm in the parish centre.
- ▶ **GEN-C Youth** Wednesday 9th -6.30 pm Parish Library. Bring a friend!
- ▶ **Baptism Preparation Meeting** next Sunday 13th -11.30 parish centre
- ▶ **First Holy Communion Class** Sept. 10th Thurs. 4.45pm Parish Centre Library.
- ▶ **Meditation Group** At the Priory – every Thursday – 11am. *Spend an hour with the Lord!*

PARISH MASS TIMES SURVEY RESULTS



WEEKEND MASS TIMES Amendment Proposal Alternative A

CHURCH	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
ST JOSEPH'S	6.30PM	11.00AM
ST THOMAS	8.30AM	10.00AM

The results of our mass times survey are now on display on our notice boards and online at our website. A total of 169 replies were

received representing 60% of our mass-going parishioners – an impressive return! A decision will now be made in the next few days and the new mass time schedule presented next weekend. See details at: www.parishofsouthyarra.org.au



We are looking for a secure **display cabinet** to use in the foyer of the church to exhibit parish library materials and also a **tea trolley** (for the sacristy). Should anyone have one unused at home or know where we might acquire one please contact the Parish Centre.

A **Thank You** comes from the Central Deanery Asylum Seekers Committee for support in food and donations at the time of their recent appeal.



Preparation for Baptism



A meeting will be held in the parish for families with infants to be baptised in our churches in the coming weeks. **Next Sun 13th Sept.** after the 10.30 mass at St. Joseph's in the Library 1st Floor of the Parish Centre.

Contact Parish or Michelle (9533 7910)

Father's Day Appeal for the retired priests in the Archdiocese of Melbourne to be conducted this Sunday 6th September. (A donation will be sent from the parish.)

EMERGENCY HOUSING VOLUNTEERS

Representatives of St. Joseph's Emergency Housing Committee will speak at parish masses this weekend and next to canvas for new volunteers this weekend. Anyone willing to volunteer contact the parish centre.

☎ **98269677**

COLLECTIONS: 30/8/2009	
Thanking you for your generosity	
1st Collection (Presbytery)\$899.90
2nd Collection (Church)	Envelopes \$1176.00
	Loose \$381.25

GEN-C (Youth Gathering)

This Wednesday 9th September Parish Library 6.30 pm. Come and share some time with us!



RECENTLY DECEASED

- ✘ Cathy Cox
- ✘ Philomena Sextus

IN LOVING MEMORY

- ✘ Bernadita Barros
- ✘ Pietro Taranto
- ✘ Olive Monica Flynn
- ✘ Isobel Gason
- ✘ Philip Miach
- ✘ Domenico Tesoriero



