

19 & 20 November 2022

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ST CARTHAGE'S NEWSLETTER

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE YEAR C



[Today's readings can be accessed via Our Website](#)

First Reading: [2 Sm 5:1-3](#). David is anointed King of Israel.

Responsorial Psalm: Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

Second Reading: [Col 1:12-20](#). We are reconciled in the blood of the cross.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!
Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our Father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Alleluia!



Lifting of the general dispensation.

Please find link below of a Pastoral Letter from Archbishop Comensoli regarding the lifting of the general dispensation from our Sunday and Holy Day obligations as of the first **Sunday in Advent – 27 November 2022**.

[15Nov22-Pastoral-Letter-Welcome-Home.pdf](#)
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STATE ELECTION CATHOLIC'S GUIDE

The Bishops of Victoria have written to the Catholic community in Victoria to provide an **election guide** designed to help Catholics consider and navigate key issues of significance, particularly those related to the common good. The letter and election guide are also available online

at: www.melbournecatholic.org/stateelection2022.



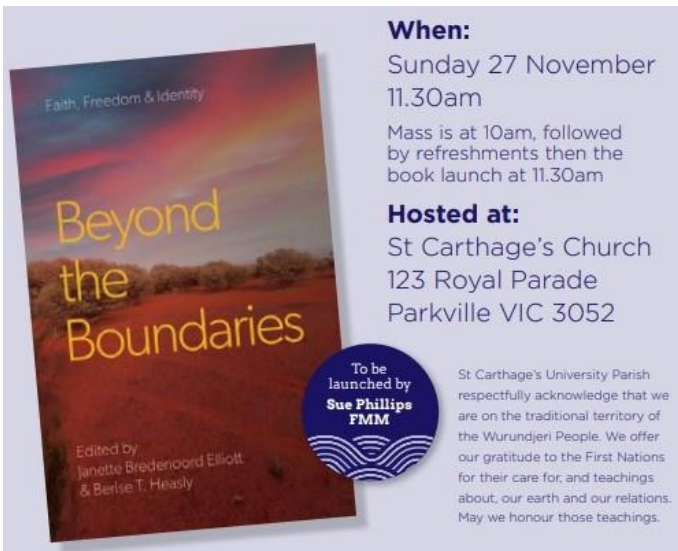
St Carthage's Parish Christmas Drinks

Parishioners are invited to join us for Christmas drinks in the presbytery on **Sunday 11 December 6.00pm - 8.00pm**. For catering purposes please reply to the parish office by email by Tuesday 6 December if you wish to attend.

Requests for prayers of the faithful

An encouragement to all those who has someone in mind to be remembered in the Eucharistic prayer or the Prayers of the Faithful for a particular weekend, Fr Joe is happy to have those requests called in on 7036 9393 or sent to the office email parkville@cam.org.au

"Beyond the Boundaries" Book Launch: Next Sunday 27 November 11:30am



When:

Sunday 27 November
11.30am

Mass is at 10am, followed
by refreshments then the
book launch at 11.30am

Hosted at:

St Carthage's Church
123 Royal Parade
Parkville VIC 3052

St Carthage's University Parish
respectfully acknowledge that we
are on the traditional territory of
the Wurundjeri People. We offer
our gratitude to the First Nations
for their care for, and teachings
about, our earth and our relations.
May we honour those teachings.

"Compiled against a background of growing disillusionment with the institutional church, the evident weakening of what was formerly called Christendom and the statistical evidence of serious decline in religion generally in our country, its purpose is to rediscover the place of religion in our society and how we might engage as faithful Catholic Christians with the wider Australian culture." Contributors to *Beyond the Boundaries* include Fr Michael Elligate, Morag Fraser, Gideon Goosen, Ian Hamilton, Adrian Hubbard, Naomi Wolfe, Peter Johnstone, Maree Stanley.

(Book sales can only be made via credit/ debit card)



All Catholics are being asked by the organizers of the forthcoming (2023) Synod on Synodality to comment on their initial summary of their consultation with communities from different continents (counting Australia, NZ and the Pacific as a continent), called "Enlarging the space of your tent". It can be accessed as [WORKING DOCUMENT FOR THE CONTINENTAL STAGE \(synod.va\)](https://www.synod.va) [click on ENG for the English version]. They are calling for communities to respond by **9 Dec 2022**. The document is worth reading (focus on pp 9-12 if time is short). If you would like to share in a response from our parish, send any comments to Constant.Mews@monash.edu by **26 Nov**. We could informally discuss the document on Sunday 27 Nov at 11.00am, prior to the launch at 11.30am of **Beyond the Boundaries: Faith, Freedom and Identity**, ed. Janette Elliott and Berise Heasly.



RED WEDNESDAY 23 November 2022

Praying for the persecuted of our time

For all information and flyers please visit our website or visit <https://www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/red-wednesday-23-november/>
Red Wednesday, 23 November 2022 - You are invited to a **Red Wednesday Prayer Vigil** at St Patrick's Cathedral on 23 November, 7.30pm. Please visit www.aidtochurch.org/RedWednesday to learn more.



St Vincent de Paul Society
Parkville Conference *good works*

Thanks - and picnic invitation

Sincere thanks for your generous donations to the Winter Appeal and more recently to the national floods appeal. The Parkville Conference members are getting together for a picnic in the Australian Native Garden (in Royal Park off Gatehouse Street) on Saturday 26 November from midday. If you would like to join us for a sandwich and a chat please email our President Maree on maree.rabach@bigpond.com by Thursday 24 November. We look forward to seeing you there.



St Carthage's University Parish respectfully acknowledge that we are on the traditional territory of the Wurundjeri People. We offer our gratitude to the First Nations for their care for, and teachings about, our earth and our relations. May we honour those teachings. To find out more please visit Wurundjeri Woi Wurrung Cultural Heritage Aboriginal Corporation. As part of our commitment to the safety and well-being of all vulnerable people, just a friendly reminder to observe the signs around the Church grounds; all Children must always be accompanied by an adult. For a full overview please visit our website or click here: PP-signed-safeguarding-statement.pdf (stcarthagesparkville.org.au)