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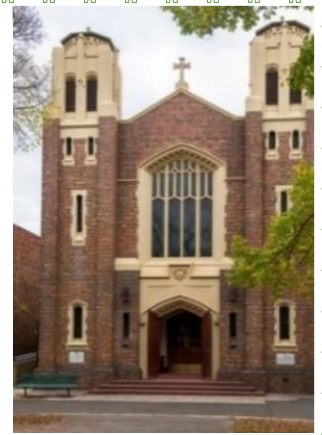
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# ST CARTHAGE'S NEWSLETTER

## The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ Year A

[Full readings can be accessed via Our Website or HERE](#)



**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** [Dt 8:2-3, 14-16](#) Moses reminds the people of the hardships God saved them from.

**Responsorial Psalm:** Praise the Lord, Jerusalem

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** [1 Cor 10:16-17](#) We are a single body sharing from a single loaf.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia!

**Gospel:** [Jn 6:51-58](#) Whoever eats and drinks of the body and blood of Christ has eternal life.

**Mass Times:**  
Saturday vigil mass  
6pm & Sunday 10am



### We must become bread broken for others

To celebrate the **Feast of Corpus Christi**, current and former students of Corpus Christi College Regional Seminary have begun reflecting on the meaning of the Eucharist in their lives. One priest shared how the words of a Polish monk helped inspire his understanding of the Eucharist: 'It is the most poetic description of the Eucharist that I have come across.' The reflections form part of a seven-part series. Continue reading: [We must become bread broken for others](#) or visit [melbournecatholic.org/news/we-must-become-bread-broken-for-others](http://melbournecatholic.org/news/we-must-become-bread-broken-for-others)

### REFERENDUM ON THE VOICE

#### VOICE FROM ROME

During the week, Rector of Melbourne's Newman College, Fr Frank Brennan SJ, spoke at the Pontifical Gregorian University in Rome. He said that while only eight out of 44 referendums have succeeded since Federation, he hopes "this one will be the ninth".

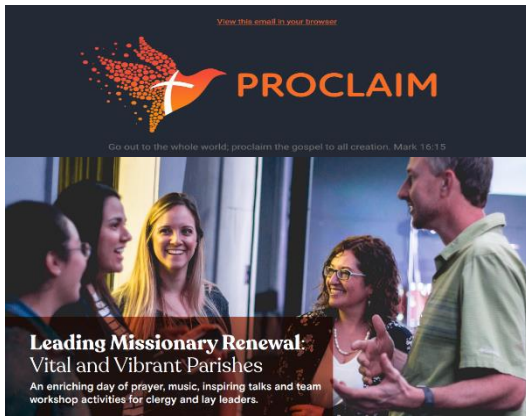
He said, "May the Australian people bring the country to Yes, recognising the rights of our First Peoples who have occupied the Great South Land of the Holy Spirit for tens of thousands of years."

Fr Brennan met with Pope Francis and presented a copy of his book on *An Indigenous Voice to Parliament*. He dedicated his copy to Pope Francis with an inscription, "Hoping and praying for an Indigenous Voice to parliament".

Also meeting the Pope this week was Indigenous elder and Australian Senior of the Year Miriam-Rose Ungunmerr Baumann. She opened an exhibition of her art in the Vatican Museum- "We Found God in Nature", and has had meetings with various Vatican officials, with Ambassadors to the Vatican of countries with indigenous populations, with Caritas Internationalis and with leaders of women's religious congregations. The Indigenous voice is being heard in high places in Rome!

*It is intended each week to present a paragraph-size perspective on the Referendum, mostly from Catholic, Christian, religious sources. Material coordinated by Parish Council Member Brother Sean McManus, 126 The Avenue, Parkville. Email: [seantmcmanus@yahoo.com](mailto:seantmcmanus@yahoo.com)*

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## LEADING MISSIONARY RENEWAL: Vital and Vibrant Parishes

Led by an experienced Team from the Archdiocese

Opportunity Flyer - [CohortDay\\_Flyer\\_2023-06-06-011601\\_jgpy.pdf](#)  
([stcarthagesparkville.org.au](http://stcarthagesparkville.org.au))

Proclaim - [Your invitation to our upcoming formation opportunities](#)  
[\(mailchi.mp\)](#)



Special Liturgical Music study opportunity

THLS502 **Liturgical Music** is being offered **3-6 July 2023** (9am-5pm) as an intensive postgraduate unit and concurrent professional learning seminar through ACU's Faculty of Theology and Philosophy. Taught by Professor Clare Johnson and guests, this unit is offered in person at **ACU's Melbourne Campus**, and is one of the only liturgical music offerings taught at university level in Australia. ACU only offers this unit once every two years, so now is the time to act! Pope Francis recently encouraged the whole Church to engage in liturgical formation and studying one of the most important parts of liturgical celebration – liturgical music – is a great way to undertake some practical liturgical formation. Full Flyer information can be accessed [HERE](#)

Access here for more information or enrolment: [Professional development - ACU](#)



For more information or to register please go to:

[Home page](#)  
([mysteryandmission.com.au](http://mysteryandmission.com.au))

In the spirit of reconciliation, Heart of Life acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of country throughout Australia, and their connections to land, sea and community. We pay our respects to their Elders past and present and extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples today.



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**Are You Retired or Seeking A Deeply Rewarding Ministry to Others?** We invite you to join Heart of Life's **Taster Session on Tuesday 20 June 2023, 7pm-8.30pm, via Zoom**, where we'll share with you information on our formation programs to

become a spiritual director, pastoral supervisor, spiritual leader and contemplative listener to others. Our programs develop a compassionate, listening heart. Bookings via <https://www.heartoflife.melbourne/events/taster-session/> or email [info@heartoflife.melbourne](mailto:info@heartoflife.melbourne) for more details.

## Financial Support of Our Parish

Your Stewardship Giving provides for the continuing mission of our Parish. If you wish to establish a Direct Debit arrangement or regular Credit Card Giving please contact the Parish Office. Donations to the Church account can also be accepted through Electronic Funds Transfers to St Carthage Church BSB: 083 347 ACC: 48017 6362. Please note, for all **terminal payments in the foyer of the Church**, if you wish for a part Church payment to be transferred to the Presbytery Account, please let Leanne at the office know the amount and this can be arranged on your behalf

**St Carthage's University Parish is committed to safety and acknowledging our first nations people. As part of our commitment to the safety and well-being of all vulnerable people, just a friendly reminder to observe the signs on Church grounds; all Children must always be accompanied by an adult. We 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. Please visit [Wurundjeri Woi Wurrung Cultural Heritage Aboriginal Corporation](#). For a full overview please visit our website or [HERE](#)**



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