



## Mass Times

Saturday 6pm

Sunday 10am

# ST CARTHAGE'S NEWSLETTER

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**32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time Year A**

**11/12 November 2023**

Full readings can be viewed each week on our website or visit [www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/thirty-second-sunday-ordinary-time-yr-a/](http://www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/thirty-second-sunday-ordinary-time-yr-a/)

**First Reading:** [Wisdom 6:12-16](#). Wisdom comes to those who are worthy.

**Responsorial Psalm:** *My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.*

**Second Reading:** [1 Thessalonians 4:13-18](#). God will raise up those who have died in Jesus.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! Be watchful and ready: you know not when the Son of Man is coming. Alleluia!

**Gospel:** [Matthew 25:1-13](#). Parable of the ten bridesmaids.



### Invitation to a conversation. What happened at the First Assembly of the Synod on Synodality in Rome, October 2023?

You are invited to join in a conversation with Ms Susan Pascoe AM and Bishop Shane Mackinlay together with Fr. Frank Brennan and Prof. Peter Sheehan. Susan and Bishop Shane have been involved extensively in the lead up to the Synod and will be present at the First Assembly meeting. They will provide unique insight into the events of the First Assembly, and the implications for Australia. (Light refreshments available at the end of the discussion). Thursday, 23 November, 5 pm to 8 pm. **The Oratory, Newman College, The University of Melbourne, 887 Swanston Street, Parkville.** Please register beforehand at <https://www.trybooking.com/CLOTP>  
Organised by [Sense of the Faithful](#)

## Buckingham Palace

Australian Chamber Choir, directed by Douglas Lawrence



David Farrands Brass Ensemble  
Rhys Boak – organ  
Scots' Church  
Sunday 12 November at 3PM

The music that has made the coronations, funerals, weddings and other celebrations of the British royal family memorable. "The Coronation Gloria (Stanford) delivered a triumphal entry to the program. The spine tingles started here"  
– Classic Melbourne

St Carthage's parishioners get a 10% discount off Regular ticket prices when booking online with the discount code CARTHAGES. Book at [www.auschoir.org](http://www.auschoir.org)

Next Wednesday: St Luke's Parish, 1A David St, Lalor, invites you to a

### NIGHT OF EVANGELIZATION WITH RON HUNTLEY - Intentional Parish Renewal

Please join us in the St Luke's church on **Wednesday, 15th November**

at 7.00pm for this FREE event. Be inspired by this world-renowned speaker and author on his mission to help create fruitful parishes around the world. For further information, please contact St Luke's Parish, (03)94652180, [lalor@cam.org.au](mailto:lalor@cam.org.au)



**Celebrating 150 Years**

Next weekend 19<sup>th</sup> November! Brunswick Moreland Catholic Community (BMCC) invite our St Carthage's to join them in a historical celebration of 150 years of the establishment of St Ambrose's Parish. The full invitation is posted on our website under 'what's on...' Or can be accessed [HERE](#).

## HELDA CAMARA PUBLIC LECTURE WILL OUR FAITH HAVE CHILDREN?

Christopher White, Vatican Correspondent, National Catholic Reporter **THURSDAY 16 NOVEMBER, NEWMAN COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE 5pm.** Register at <https://parracatholic.org/christopherwhite/>  
Christopher has travelled with Pope Francis for the last decade and has insights into the health and dynamism of the global church, as well as news on the recent Synod.



With joy and thanksgiving,  
Rev. Tom Christie invites:



**Brunswick and Moreland Catholic Community**

to attend his

*Ordination to the Priesthood*

Saturday 25th of November, 2023 at 10.00am,  
St Patrick's Cathedral,  
1 Cathedral Place, East Melbourne.

No need to RSVP for this Mass. Please note  
the Mass will finish at approximately  
12.00pm.

## SAVE THE DATE! Night of the Witnesses – 22

November 2023, 7pm at St Patrick's Cathedral. Aid to the Church in Need invites you to an evening of prayer, testimony, song, adoration and reflection to honour witness of twelve recent Christian martyrs and to stand in solidarity with Christians all over the world who are suffering persecution for their faith in Jesus Christ. Archbishop Peter Comensoli will preside and His Beatitude, Patriarch Joseph Absi of the Melkite Greek Catholic Church will be one of the international guest speakers who will share personal testimony of persecution for the faith. We hope you will join us.



For more information please  
visit: [www.aidtochurch.org/notw](http://www.aidtochurch.org/notw)



## ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS AND HIGH TEA

All Senior Parishioners are invited to St. Fidelis to celebrate Mass and Anointing of the sick followed by afternoon tea in the Hall.

**Where: St Fidelis Church and Hall**

**When: Sunday 26th November**

**3pm: Mass and Anointing of the sick**

**4pm: Afternoon Tea**

If you are attending the afternoon tea, please phone 9386 1224 or email [moreland@cam.org.au](mailto:moreland@cam.org.au) by 20 Nov.

## Praying for a lasting peace: a statement from the Australian bishops

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The Australian Catholic Bishops, gathered in Sydney this week, join with the Australian Catholic community in expressing our grief and anguish over the suffering of people in the Holy Land. For the full story please visit

[www.melbournecatholic.org/news/praying-for-a-lasting-peace-a-statement-from-the-australian-bishops](http://www.melbournecatholic.org/news/praying-for-a-lasting-peace-a-statement-from-the-australian-bishops)

**This Christmas 2023, we have the opportunity to give in so many ways. Here are a few to consider:**



[www.caritas.org.au/donate/emergency-appeals/gaza-crisis/gaza-crisis-appeal/](http://www.caritas.org.au/donate/emergency-appeals/gaza-crisis/gaza-crisis-appeal/)

## Turkiye Emergency Appeal

For the earthquake disaster in Turkey you can donate [HERE](#)



The Australian Bushfire Crisis can be supported in so many ways. Just to name a few: St Vincent de Paul, Salvation Army, Red Cross, Victorian CFA, NSW RFS, RSPCA, and

many more are working hard to support the locals in devastation of losses and aid to many Australian wildlife.



**St Carthage's University Parish is committed 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](http://Wurundjeri Woi Wurrung Cultural Heritage Aboriginal Corporation). For a full overview please visit our website or [HERE](#).**

Please visit St Carthage's Website for news and events: [www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au](http://www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au)