



### Mass Times

Saturday 6pm  
Sunday 10am

# ST CARTHAGE'S NEWSLETTER

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The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

28/29 September 2024

For full readings click [HERE](#) or visit [www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/twenty-sixth-sunday-in-ordinary-time-b/](http://www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/twenty-sixth-sunday-in-ordinary-time-b/)



**First Reading:** [Numbers 11:25-29](#) The Lord bestows his spirit on seventy elders.

**Responsorial Psalm:** *The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.*

**Second Reading:** [James 5:1-6](#). Harsh words for those who exploit others.

**Gospel Acclamation:** *Alleluia, alleluia! Your word, O Lord, is truth: make us holy in the truth. Alleluia!*

**Gospel:** [Mark 9:38-43. 45. 47-48](#). If they are not against us, they are for us.

**Parish Forum News.** Many parishioners gathered together on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September for our Parish Forum which was a significant coming together in prayer, synodality and discussion for parish action. Thank you to all who attended and whose active listening and group participation made the event a success in terms of community, spirituality and connectivity. We pray that the Holy Spirit, clearly active in this event, may continue to work amongst us and reap a rich harvest.



Did you say synodality? Some historical perspectives presented by **Rev Dr Max Vodola**

This presentation will explore the historical landscape of synodality and its significance for the life and mission of the Church today.

Event details can be found here:

<https://melbournecatholic.org/events/did-you-say-synodality-some-historical-perspectives-10-2024>

### Australian participants head to Rome for Synod of Bishops.

Australian Catholics will play a key role in a month-long global event aimed at shaping the future of the Church. Fifteen Australians will attend the second session of the XVI Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops in Rome from 2 to 27 October, which has the theme 'For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission'.

<https://melbournecatholic.org/news/australian-participants-head-to-rome-for-synod-of-bishops>





menALIVE is a National Catholic Ministry that bring men together to renew their faith and encourage and become active members within the church. For full flyer details please visit [www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/menALIVE-Weekend-Caroline-Springs-Oct24.pdf](http://www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/menALIVE-Weekend-Caroline-Springs-Oct24.pdf)

when was the last time you felt  
**FULLY ALIVE?**  
Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> &  
Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October  
2024

**Holiness for All: St Thérèse of Lisieux exhibition Tuesday 1 October 2024 – Thursday 31 October 2024.** Hosted at St Patrick's Cathedral, the Discalced Carmelites warmly invite you to an exhibition on the life of St Thérèse of Lisieux, a remarkable young women who, despite passing at the age of 24, left us with her 'little way' to holiness. All are welcome!  
<https://melbournecatholic.org/events/holiness-for-all-st-therese-of-lisieux-art->



IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF  
**MARY MACKILLOP**  
PILGRIMAGE  
15th – 26th  
October 2024

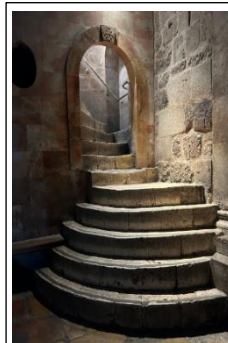
JOIN US on the official Pilgrimage created and led by the Sisters of Saint Joseph of the Sacred Heart for the last 28 years. An all inclusive 12 day organised pilgrimage to sacred sites in VIC, SA & NSW.

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**MARY MACKILLOP**

100th Anniversary

**DON'T MISS OUT**  
Australian National Pilgrimage  
Numbers Limited



**Spiritual Retreats at Mary MacKillop Heritage Centre, East Melbourne**

The Mary MacKillop Heritage Centre will begin a series of reflection nights and retreats commencing with a Reflection Day focussing on the central theme of the Year of Jubilee 2025 : **Hearing the Audacious Call to be Pilgrims of Hope** facilitated by Mark Walsh. The day will include times of contemplation using scripture and times of prayer.

[www.mmhc.org.au/spiritual-retreat/](http://www.mmhc.org.au/spiritual-retreat/)

**Day :** Monday, 28th October, 2024. **Time:** 9.30am to 3.15pm.  
**Venue :** Mary MacKillop Heritage Centre, 362 Albert street, East Melbourne. **Price** \$120 (Morning tea provided, BYO Lunch)  
**Full flyer details:** [www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/Mary-MacKillop-Retreat-Oct-24-1.png](http://www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/Mary-MacKillop-Retreat-Oct-24-1.png)

St Peter Claver  
**Mission Fair**  
2024  
Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October  
9.00am – 2.30 pm  
Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver  
154 Cotham Road, Kew  
For further information telephone: 9817 3715

'The Missionary Sisters of St Peter Claver will hold their Annual Mission Fair on Saturday 12 October

**9.00 am – 2.30 pm at 154 Cotham Road, Kew.** This year the proceeds will be for the Benedictine brothers in Daresalaam, Tanzania to assist them in their work among the poor.' Enquiries Phone: 9817 3715.



6<sup>TH</sup> – 20<sup>TH</sup>  
MAY 2025  
ESCORTED BY  
FR TONY KERIN

**2025 Jubilee Year Pilgrimage**

Flyer details can still be accessed on our website:

[www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/Fr-Tonys-Jubilee-Italian-Pilgrimage.pdf](http://www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/Fr-Tonys-Jubilee-Italian-Pilgrimage.pdf)

**Another way you can support St Carthage's:** Just use the camera on your phone, click on the code, follow the prompt and make your donation. Your ongoing support to sustain St Carthage's parish is recognised and very much appreciated.



*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)*

