



### General

#### Mass Times

Saturday 6pm

Sunday 10am

## ST CARTHAGE'S NEWSLETTER

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### Fifth Sunday of Easter Year C

17/18 May 2025

Full readings click [HERE](#) or visit <https://www.stcarthagesparkville.org.au/fifth-sunday-of-easter-year-c/>



**First Reading:** [Acts of the Apostles 14:21-27](#). Paul and Barnabas journey extensively, returning to Antioch.

**Responsorial Psalm:** I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

**Second Reading:** [Revelation 21:1-5](#). John sees a new Jerusalem.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! I give you a new commandment: love one another as I have loved you. Alleluia!

**Gospel:** [John 13:31-35](#).

Jesus issues a new commandment,  
love one another.

This weekend we welcome **Fr Kevin McIntosh** for 6pm mass and the return of **Fr Trevor Tibbertsma** for 10am mass, and kindly thank them both for their service.



Parishioner, **Maureen Hoare**, shares her **Mother's Day** Reflection. Please click [HERE](#) to access. All reflections, past and present, provided by St Carthage's Parishioners can be found on our website by clicking on "**Reflections**" on the top bar of the open page.

Greetings to all from Fr Tony from his Jubilee Pilgrimage. Just two of his many Eucharists, no doubt...

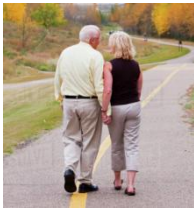


#### **FREE WEBINAR until the 22<sup>nd</sup> May**

How Christian Leaders Can Mobilise Church To Make Disciples So Many People Can Come To Jesus In Australia For more information on guest speakers and to register: [CLICK HERE](#)



**O RADIANT DAWN.** 2025 Choir of Newman College. Concert Series: Concert 1: Sunday, May 25, 3:00pm. Newman College Chapel, 887 Swanston St.



**Mass for marriage anniversaries**, coinciding with the Jubilee of Families. Couples who register and are celebrating the following anniversaries—5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 or 40 years and above—will receive a commemorative certificate.  
**Sunday 1 June 2025 11.00am–12.00pm.** Click [HERE](#) for full details.



*Maternal Health*  
in rural Zambia  
A Project of Catholic Mission

As part of our 2025 Propagation of the Faith Appeal (our only Parish Appeal this year) – focus solely on supporting vulnerable mothers in Zambia – we’d like to invite you and your parish community to an event we are co-hosting with the Australian Catholic Medical Association on **Wednesday 5 June at 7:00 PM**, at **St Peter’s Parish Centre, Toorak**, titled: **“A Mother’s Life Shouldn’t Be Left to Chance.”** Keynote speaker: **Abraham Muma**, Health Services Chilonga Mission Hospital in Zambia. For Full Flyer details click [HERE](#)



**CATHOLIC  
WOMEN’S LEAGUE  
OF VICTORIA AND  
WAGGA WAGGA**

**PRAY &  
PAINT**

**Saturday  
14 June 2025  
9am – 12:15pm**

See full flyer details here:  
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**Idol Talk? In the Image of the Disabled God: Disability, the Imago Dei and Practical Consequences.**

**Thursday 22 May 2025, 10.00am – Friday 23 May 2025, 5.00pm**

Join a discussion taking up the Synod on Synodality’s recent invitation to deeper theological reflection on disability, human dignity and the Incarnation.

Full information [HERE](#)

**Supporting St Carthage’s:** *complementing the traditional collection baskets we also have a tap & go machine for donations. The terminal is located in the church foyer. It’s easy to do.*

*Alternatively, click on scan code and follow the prompts.*

*Your ongoing support to sustain St Carthage’s parish is recognised and very much appreciated.*



**From your Pastoral Council:** If you are interested in helping out our volunteers with just a little time or expertise to the parish in any number of areas (preparing the church for services; reading; hospitality; pastoral outreach; music; IT/media; maintenance and upkeep; post-communion reflection, sacramental preparation, etc), please contact the parish office: [parkville@cam.org.au](mailto:parkville@cam.org.au), or the Pastoral Council chair: [ConstantMews54@gmail.com](mailto:ConstantMews54@gmail.com). This can be a wonderful way to get to know others or meet new people.

Are you a new parishioner or just visiting St Carthage’s? If so, please forward your email address to Leanne at [parkville@cam.org.au](mailto:parkville@cam.org.au), so we can stay in touch and provide you our newsletter and special notices via email. New parishioners are always welcome at St Carthage’s.



Please join our Parish Facebook Page. It is a private group so your posts and comments are only visible to approved group members. It is not open to the public and your privacy is protected. INSERT LIVE LINK TO PAGE:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/230978134292907/?ref=share&mibextid=KtfwRi>

Search for St Carthage's Parkville on Facebook.com and get posting

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**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](#).**

**For a full overview please visit our website or [HERE](#).**

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