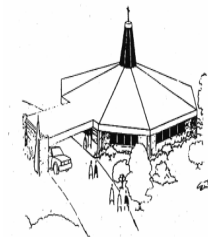


# St Benedict's Catholic Church



In the care of the Missionaries of God's Love

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## Parish Team:

Fr Dan Benedetti MGL (Parish Priest)

Fr David Lemewu MGL (Mission Centre)

Fr Baiju Thomas MGL

Luz Carlile (Parish Secretary)

Adrian Wellspring (Spiritual Direction & Personal Vocation)

## 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 20 & 21 October 2018

PARISH OFFICE HOURS : Tues –Thurs 9am - 3pm

### WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

Saturday 6pm  
Sunday 9am  
Sunday 6pm (Charismatic Mass)  
Sunday 6pm Youth Mass  
(every last Sun of the Month)  
Saturday 8am

### WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:

Tuesday 5.30pm  
Wednesday 12.30pm  
Thursday 5.30pm  
Friday 5.30pm (Healing Mass)

### RECONCILIATION:

Friday following Healing Mass from. 6:15-7pm  
Saturday 5pm – 5.30pm or by appointment

### PRAYER OF THE CHURCH:

Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday Padre Pio 5pm  
Every Saturday 7.30am



### ROSARY:

Saturdays after 8.00am Mass  
Thursdays – 7.00pm (during May & October)

**BAPTISMS:** during Weekend Masses or by appointment

**WEDDINGS:** By appointment

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

During the 5.30pm Mass on first Fridays,  
10.30am at Jindalee 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month  
10.30am at Mt View 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month

### EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Half hour before every weekday Mass as well as the following:

Monday 9am – 7pm  
Tuesday 9am – 10pm  
Wednesday 4pm – 10pm  
Thursday 11am – 10pm  
Friday 10am – midnight  
Saturday 12am – 8am

*Please  
sign up  
for an  
hour*

**Hearing Loop** is located in the right Centre rows of the church. Please ensure your hearing aid is tuned to make the best use of this facility.

## READINGS FOR THIS WEEKEND:

**1ST READING:** Isaiah 53:10-11

**RESP PSALM:** Ps 32

Lord let your mercy be on us , as we place our trust in you.

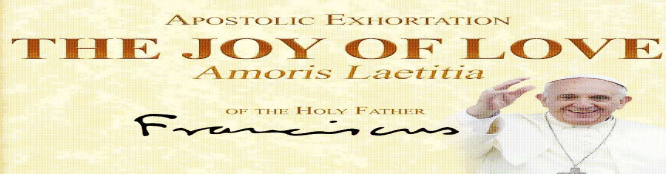
**2ND READING:** Hebrews 4:14-16

### ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! The son of man came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for all! Alleluia!

### GOSPEL:

**MARK 10:35-45**



## The current reality of the family

Men “play an equally decisive role in family life, particularly with regard to the protection and support of their wives and children... Many men are conscious of the importance of their role in the family and live their masculinity accordingly. The absence of a father gravely affects family life and the upbringing of children and their integration into society. This absence, which may be physical, emotional, psychological and spiritual, deprives children of a suitable father figure”.<sup>44</sup>

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# PARISH NEWS

**NEW MGL DEACON AT NARRABUNDAH:** Br Luke van der Mark MGL will be ordained to the Diaconate in Melbourne on Sunday Oct 28. Frs Dan and Baiju will be attending. The newly ordained Deacon Luke will be joining our MGL Narrabundah Mission a week or two after the ordination, living in the Presbytery and working here at St Benedict's with us. We look forward to welcoming Luke into our community.

**St Benedict's to host MGL Convocation:** St Benedict's has been in the care of the MGL for almost 20 years. Over the Church's history there have been strong relationships forged between Religious Orders and Parishes in their care. The Convocation, which is a "calling together" of the MGLs in Perpetual Vows, is an opportunity for us as MGL to discern where we are at, where we are going, how will we get there and who will lead us there? It's 10 days of intense discussion, prayer and decision making (Nov 19-29). There will be approx 40 of us gathering. Please pray for us. We apologise for any inconvenience due to our use of St Benedict's facilities from early morning to late evening on most days. If anyone is able to host a visiting MGL during this time please contact me or the Parish Office. God bless, Fr Dan.

**World Mission Sunday Appeal THIS WEEKEND** is a day set aside for the Catholic Church throughout the world to publicly renew its commitment to the missionary movement. It is celebrated on the penultimate Sunday of October every year. It was created by Pope Pius XI in 1926 as the day of prayer for missions. Please support the Catholic Mission Church Appeal.

## Holy Hour - Liturgy of Lament and Healing:

Archbishop Christopher invites you to join him at St Peter Chanel Church, on Mon, **22 Oct** for a 'Holy Hour - Liturgy of Lament and Healing' 6pm - 7pm.

## Gospel Series Lectures

(Thursday night 7pm Collins Wing)

- 1) 25 Oct: Gospel of John 1: Fr David Callaghan
- 2) 8 Nov: Gospel of John 2: Fr David Callaghan
- 3) 15 Nov: Jesus of the Gospel and Historical Jesus

**Marriage Enrichment Weekend:** 16-18<sup>th</sup> November at Mt Carmel Retreat Centre, Varroville, NSW Book online [www.wwme.org.au](http://www.wwme.org.au) take the time to step back from everyday distractions and rediscover your relationship!

Alternatively contact Adrian and Janet Sullivan: 0490 774 419 or [adrian.janet1@bigpond.com](mailto:adrian.janet1@bigpond.com) Worldwide Marriage Encounter.

## As A Parish Let Us Pray For...

**Our Sick:** Betty O'Brien, Grace Skellern, Noeleen Carrick, Pam Pini, Stan Marris, Jan Baker, Flora Arias, Pat Atkins, Helen French, Ellen Brennan, Carol Rees, Rhys Evans, Jindalee & Mt View residents.

**Recently Deceased & Anniversaries:** Barney & Una Murphy, John Shaw, Gerry Agnew, Pat Evans, Charles Morella, Keith Miller, Marie Bauer, Antonio Nardi, Pat Hannan, Jim Kirkman, Christine Kirchner, William Smith, Allen Palmer, Gregoria Ferrer, John Martin, Barbara Jeffery, Edna Keir, Lawrence Power, Barrie Marshall, Stella Ienco, Barbara Jeffery, Louise Agnew, Ian Smith, Sam & Nina Agius, Cory Browning, Louis Camilleri.

## ROSTER FOR THIS WEEKEND (20 & 21 OCT 2018)

	Sat 6 pm	Sun 9am
<b>Welcomers</b>	Louise Gaudry	Melanie Stratford
<b>Readers</b>	BA Daly & Louise	School
<b>Presentation of the Gifts</b>	Brian & Leita Barron	School
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Sue Neimanis	vacant
<b>Flowers, Altar Cleaning</b>	Anne Hobday, Frances Dowling & Margie Avellino	
<b>Church Cleaners</b>	vacant	
<b>Mt View</b>	MGL Priest	
<b>Jindalee</b>	Louise O'Rance	

## READINGS & ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEKEND (27 & 28 OCT 2018)

<b>1ST READING</b> JEREMIAH 31:7-9	<b>2ND READING</b> HEBREWS 5:1-6	<b>GOSPEL</b> MARK 10:46-52
Sat 6 pm		Sun 9am
<b>Welcomers</b>	Anna Pace & Sally Cotsell	Mary Smith
<b>Readers</b>	Claire & Grace Bennett	Philippe & Coline Moncuquet
<b>Presentation of the Gifts</b>	Jeffery Family	Maralyn & Ron Molyneux
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Vacant, volunteers welcome	A & M Wellspring & Barry Murphy
<b>Flowers, Altar Cleaning</b>	Sue Neimanis & Mattia Wellspring	
<b>Church Cleaners</b>	Youth for Christ	
<b>Mt View</b>	Maralyn Molyneux	
<b>Jindalee</b>	MGL Priest Fr Dave	

St Benedict's Catholic Parish acknowledge the **Ngunnawal People**, the traditional Owners who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.