



# RESURRECTION CATHOLIC PARISH

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THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

19<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2022

*Resurrection Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults*

## OFFICE AND CONTACT DETAILS

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### OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm.  
Closed for lunch between 12:30 pm and 1:30 pm.  
Sunday 8.30am - 12.30pm

## STEWARDSHIP DISTRIBUTION

Please remember to collect your stewardship envelopes after Mass. Credit card and direct debit statements will be emailed at the end of the month. Thank you to those who continue to give generously every week.

## CHILD SAFETY COMMITTEE

The child Safety Committee is being set up to ensure that we continue to provide a safe environment for all children and vulnerable adults.

Committee meeting on Tuesday 21st June at 6.00pm - 6.45pm.

## PARISH LEADERSHIP TEAM (PLT) MEETING

The PLT meeting will be held on Tuesday 21st June at 7.00pm - 8.30pm.

*We pray for Charlie Grech, Paul Micallef, Mauga Tuanuu, James Joseph Ryan and all those who have died recently.*

*We pray for Jaio Paula Sam, Jose P.Dos Remedios, Jaime Sam, Afonso Sam, Lay Tui Fung, Giuesppe Giordano, Dominador Lopez Snr, Audifaz Lopez, Hilda Salgado, Giambattista Mariani and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.*

*We also pray for Rene Motee, Lawrence Cassar, Joyce Zahra and all those who are sick.*

## Parish at Prayer M a s s T i m e s

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| <b>Saturday</b> | <b>Sunday</b>                     |
| <b>6.00 pm</b>  | <b>9.00 am</b><br><b>10.30 am</b> |
| <b>Weekdays</b> |                                   |
| <b>Monday</b>   | <b>9.30 am</b>                    |
| <b>Tuesday</b>  | <b>9.30 am</b>                    |
| <b>Thursday</b> | <b>6.30 pm</b>                    |

## PARISH MINISTRIES

Have you made a commitment to one of the Parish Ministries? We encourage parishioners to join one of our parish ministries to contribute in the life of the parish.

If you missed out on signing up to a parish ministry last weekend, you can sign up using the goggle form, copy and paste the URL into the web browser <https://forms.gle/QmvFsiT8PiSDuF2J8>

Thank you to all those parishioners who have volunteered to be part of the liturgical ministries.



**"May the Lord Smile on You and be Gracious to You"**

Congratulations to the children of Resurrection Parish Primary School and the Sacramental Program who have recently received the Eucharist for the first time.

Please pray for these children on their faith journey.

# Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission

## THEME 3:

### Welcoming the gifts of women in the Church

Many submissions reflected the concern that the institutional Church does not sufficiently welcome the contributions of women:



We want a Church... which acknowledges that everyone is equal because of their baptism, so women should have their voices heard, and have roles opened up for them.

Like the theme of co-responsibility, fuller inclusion of women was seen to be a necessary response to the impact of the sexual abuse crisis. Principally, including more women in positions of **leadership** was consistently called for as the way forward:

[The Church] Must elevate women to leadership positions if it is to restore trust following sexual abuse scandals and enable those wounded by the Church to find a new home and encouragement.

Some submissions expressed strong concerns over the possibility that 'women are kept in passive roles' and even that 'Women's voices are silenced.'

Although this is beyond the authority of the Church, there was also a strong contingent of submissions that urged the Church to include women in the Sacrament of Holy Orders, both in response to the modern world and as a sign of Christ's inclusive love:

In the secular world, inclusion and gender equality are the norm.

Equality between men & women in both governance & ministry in line with what is considered normal in 2022.

Embrace divorced people, women, gay, LGBTQI, and marginalised people without question into every aspect of church life including ordained ministry. Jesus excluded no one from his love and mission.

On this question, divergent voices also appeared, urging the need to remain faithful to **traditional norms**:

The traditions of the Catholic Church are more important than ever before ... Do not change what our Church Fathers have taught us and listen to the voice of God instead of humanity.

More time should be spent on developing the Spirituality and beautiful traditions of the Church ... Politics and feminists pushing for more power in the Church, sadly are contrary to the teachings and example of the Lord. . .

**25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> June 2022**  
**13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

|   | 6 P M  | 9.00 A M   | 10.30 A M   |
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| <b>MASS OVERSEERS</b>   | John Borja   | Anthony Scerri   | Marissa Medilo  |
| <b>HOSPITALITY</b>  | Michelle Mercieca<br>Charlie Grech                               | Vilinda Rebusillo<br><i>(Need Volunteer)</i>                                 | Daniella Carapelotti  |
| <b>DATA PROJECTOR</b>   | Johann Noronha   | Jacob Rebusillo  | Franz Inot  |
| <b>CAMERA OPERATOR</b>  | N/A  | N/A  | Oliver Zipagan  |
| <b>PROCLAIMERS</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Response<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Intercessions | Sandra Galea<br>Geraldine Holt<br>Sandra Galea<br>Geraldine Holt | Vilinda Rebusillo<br>Jacob Rebusillo<br>Vilinda Rebusillo<br>Jacob Rebusillo | Jane Inot<br>Jomar Inot<br>Jane Inot<br>Jomar Inot                      |
| <b>COLLECTORS</b>   | Noel Oliver  | Frank Gatt   | Isidro Asuncion   |
| <b>SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION</b>   | Fr Gerard Keith<br>Jamie Castillo<br>Thang Le<br>Karen Colaco    | Fr Gerard Keith<br>Jamie Castillo<br>Rosario Gaquit<br>Rosemarie Balfour     | Fr Gerard Keith<br>Jamie Castillo<br>Cecilia Navarro<br>Aurora Asuncion |
| <b>SACRISTY DUTY</b>  | Adelina Borja  | Need Volunteer   | Cecilia Navarro   |
| <b>COFFEE MAKERS</b>  | No Coffee – Need Volunteers                                      | Need Volunteer   | Wes Yuan<br>Josephine Medilo (need WWCC)                                |
| <b>COFFEE CLEAN UP</b>  | Need Volunteers  | Need Volunteer   | Paul Bossini<br>Maria Grosso  |

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

- **Wednesday June 22nd at 10.30am - 40th Anniversary CRC Sydenham at St Patrick's Cathedral**
- Saturday 9th July - Working Bee at the presbytery
- **Tuesday 19th July at 6.00pm - Christmas in July with the 55 Plus Group at Quatrefoils Restaurant CRC Sydenham - Please see Jane Caruana for more details.**

**LET'S TALK DIABETES**

The Men's Group invite you to attend a health session with Dr Sammut on Thursday 23rd June at 10.00am in the Church.



**JOURNEY THROUGH THE RCIC PROGRAM**

The RCIC is similar to RCIA but geared for teenagers who are seeking to make their sacraments. Please join Jamie at the Parish office on 7064 3920 for more information.



**PLAYGROUP**

This is a great place for parents to build friendships and have fun with their children as they learn through different play experiences.

Playgroup will resume in the De Gabrielle room



**As part of our commitment to child safety all children must be accompanied by an adult when they go to the toilet.**

**WOW Group** will unite the women of the parish in religious, educational, and social activities. Next gathering:

**Saturday 16th July** from 10.00am to 12.00pm. In the hall.



Reading 1

1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21

The LORD said to Elijah:

“You shall anoint Elisha, son of Shaphat of Abelmeholah, as prophet to succeed you.”

Elijah set out and came upon Elisha, son of Shaphat, as he was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen; he was following the twelfth. Elijah went over to him and threw his cloak over him. Elisha left the oxen, ran after Elijah, and said, “Please, let me kiss my father and mother goodbye, and I will follow you.”

Elijah answered, “Go back! Have I done anything to you?” Elisha left him, and taking the yoke of oxen, slaughtered them; he used the plowing equipment for fuel to boil their flesh, and gave it to his people to eat. Then Elisha left and followed Elijah as his attendant.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11  
**R (cf. 5a) You are my inheritance, O Lord.**

Reading 2

Gal 5:1, 13-18

Brothers and sisters:

For freedom Christ set us free; so stand firm and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery.

For you were called for freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather, serve one another through love. For the whole law is fulfilled in one statement, namely, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. But if you go on biting and devouring one another, beware that you are not consumed by one another. I say, then: live by the Spirit and you will certainly not gratify the desire of the flesh. For the flesh has desires against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; these are opposed to each other, so that you may not do what you want. But if you are guided by the Spirit, you are not under the law.

Gospel

Lk 9:11b-17

Jesus spoke to the crowds about the kingdom of God, and he healed those who needed to be cured. As the day was drawing to a close, the Twelve approached him and said, “Dismiss the crowd so that they can go to the surrounding villages and farms and find lodging and provisions; for we are in a deserted place here.” He said to them, “Give them some food yourselves.” They replied, “Five loaves and two fish are all we have, unless we ourselves go and buy food for all these people.” Now the men there numbered about five thousand. Then he said to his disciples, “Have them sit down in groups of about fifty.” They did so and made them all sit down. Then taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets.

## Reflection

*“For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather serve one another through love.” Galatians 5:13*

*We like to celebrate that we are free to “live the good life.” We can do what we want, anytime we want, with no regard for laws. But, Jesus calls us to a different kind of freedom. St. Paul reminds us that by imitating Jesus we are freed from becoming a slave to our own self-interests and desires, so that we can serve one another. We are free to share our gifts and promote God’s work on earth to glorify His name and not honor ourselves.*