



RESURRECTION CATHOLIC PARISH

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31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

31ST October 2021

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

CHILD SAFETY - IF YOU SEE SOMETHING SAY SOMETHING

If you see something that seems inappropriate towards a child or a vulnerable adult please notify Fr Gerard

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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 8:30 am - 12:30 pm.

Mass Times

Saturday

6.00 pm

Sunday

**9.00 am
10.30 am**

Weekday Mass will re-commence on

Monday 8th November at 9.30am

Tuesday 9th November at 9.30am

Thursday 11th November 6.30pm

Greetings to all!

Following the Premier's announcements last Sunday indicating that COVID restrictions will be eased further at the end of this week, we will be re-commencing Masses in our churches this weekend: Saturday 30th and Sunday 31st October. Numbers permitted remain severely limited.

Other restrictions are:

- Booking for all Masses is essential: see below for details
- We will have a Mass which allows for 'unknown vaccination status' to come: that will be an extra Mass at 4.00pm on Saturday limited to 30 people
<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/mass-unknown-vaccination-status-tickets-199664310327>
- All other Masses require 'full vaccination' for all participants, which you indicate in the narthex – limited to 140 people with all 16 years old and older to be fully vaccinated (i.e. double)
- Evidence of 'fully vaccinated' is to be presented at the entrance of the church. A paper copy is acceptable and will be recorded.
- QR or manual recording of each person present is required.
- Face masks are to be worn indoors.
- Hand sanitising is to be done at the entrance.
- Social distancing (1 person per 4sq. metres) is required, except for people who live in the same household.

The schedule for Masses, starting on the weekend of 30/31 October, is:

- 4.00pm (vaccination unknown)
- 6.00pm (fully vaccinated)
- 9.00am Sunday (fully vaccinated)
- 10.30am Sunday (fully vaccinated)

All participants are to be fully vaccinated. The number permitted is 140.

BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL for Saturday evening and Sunday Masses:

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/resurrection-catholic-church-kings-park-tickets-128065763145>

In his remarks at Mass on Sunday, the Archbishop said "we'll be stumbling through this next rearrangement for a few weeks!"

Thank you in advance for your assistance in helping us to re-open again!

Best wishes

Gerard Keith

The church does not close, only the building. Because we are the church, the living body of our Lord Jesus and we are everywhere.



We pray in thanksgiving for all those who have died recently.

We pray for Paul Camilleri and all those whose anniversary occur at about this time.

Please also pray for Mhay Bautista and all those who are sick.

NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE BOOK

Our special remembrance book will be available before all Masses during the month of November. If you have previously recorded the deceased persons name in the remembrance book there is no need to do it again.

NOTICE TO ALL CHURCH MINISTERS

The Victorian Government has announced that from Friday 15 October 2021, all religious workers in Victoria must have received at least one dose of a COVID-19 vaccine in order to volunteer onsite, and must also be fully vaccinated by Friday 26 November.

Can you please email kingspark@cam.org.au the following information:

- Full name
- Date of first dose
- Date of second dose
- Proof of vaccination (ie: letter from a medical practitioner, a certificate of immunisation or an immunisation history statement)



A Vocation View

We do not choose a vocation completely on our own.

We must prayerfully reflect on how we can best give to God what is God's, and then live as though everything depends on God.

St Vinnies Christmas Appeal



As we begin to approach the end of the year and look forward to Christmas, for members in our community that are less fortunate than us it means a time of greater stress. This year especially has seen an increase in the number of people who have lost jobs, been victims of violence or in financial difficulty. St Vincent De Paul will be providing assistance to these families before Christmas and look to our parishioners and their generous support to assist us. For those that are able to, we ask for the following:

- Christmas hampers for families (feel free to make your own)
- Books, puzzles and activities for children
- Toys for children

All of our St Vinnie's members will represent each of you as we will deliver these generous gifts on your behalf.

We would like to extend our gratitude and thank for your continuous support.

God Bless you all from St Vinnies team

COVID Check-in Marshals We Need You!

What is a COVID Check-in Marshal?

A COVID Check-in Marshal is responsible for ensuring each person who enters a venue uses the Service Victoria QR code to check in on arrival (or an alternative record keeping method, where relevant). A COVID Check-in Marshal can only request that people entering show them confirmation of a successful check-in and cannot compel anyone to do so.

Churches are required to have a COVID Marshal at every Mass. If you wish to volunteer, please e-mail kingspark@cam.org.au

Thanks for your support!

COVID Marshal

6th & 7th November 2021
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

	6 P M	9 A M	10.30 A M
MASS OVERSEERS	John Borja	Vilinda Rebustillo	Marissa Medilo
HOSPITALITY	Melanie Apap Grace Eppingstall	Margaret Vella Mario Vella	Marques Navarro
DATA PROJECTOR	Julia Portelli	Oliver D'Souza	Calvin Alderson
CAMERA OPERATOR	N/A	N/A	N/A
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Henry Dunn Marissa Dunn Henry Dunn Marissa Dunn	Paula Prosia Minh Pham Paula Prosia Minh Pham	Owen D'Cruze Cleo Oliveria Owen D'Cruze Cleo Oliveria
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Cathy Downing Martine Grech Karen Colaco Spira Attard	Fr Gerard Keith Andrew Cassar Emmanuelle Brizuela Marc Dicconson Minh Pham	Fr Gerard Keith Margaret Vilardo Teresita Villar Zita Alderson Fely Baltazar Christine Perram
SACRISTY DUTY	Adelina Borja	Need Volunteer	Cecilia Navarro

13th & 14th November 2021
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

	6 P M	9 A M	10.30 A M
MASS OVERSEERS	Michelle Mercieca	Kathy Wale	Yvonne Utoasega
HOSPITALITY	Charlie Caruana Jane Caruana Charlie Grech	Anna Cassar Andrew Cassar	Daniella Carapellotti
DATA PROJECTOR	Julia Portelli	Vincent Dizon	Jomar Inot
CAMERA OPERATOR	N/A	N/A	N/A
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Henry Dunn Choir Henry Dunn Marissa Dunn	Elizabeth Michaelson Paula Prosia Elizabeth Michaelson Paula Prosia	Jane Inot Choir Jane Inot Atalina Ulugia-Sa'Ena
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Spira Attard Joe Caruana Jane Caruana Need Volunteer	Fr Gerard Keith Marc Dicconson Minh Pham Karen D'Souza Need Volunteer	Fr Gerard Keith Fely Baltazar Christine Perram Dolly Zipagan Need Volunteer
SACRISTY DUTY	Spira Attard	Need Volunteer	Aurora Asuncion

Next Week's Readings — 7th November 2021
Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Reading 1

1 Kgs 17:10-16

In those days, Elijah the prophet went to Zarephath.

As he arrived at the entrance of the city, a widow was gathering sticks there; he called out to her,
"Please bring me a small cupful of water to drink."

She left to get it, and he called out after her,
"Please bring along a bit of bread."

She answered, "As the LORD, your God, lives, I have nothing baked; there is only a handful of flour in my jar and a little oil in my jug.

Just now I was collecting a couple of sticks, to go in and prepare something for myself and my son; when we have eaten it, we shall die."

Elijah said to her, "Do not be afraid. Go and do as you propose. But first make me a little cake and bring it to me. Then you can prepare something for yourself and your son.

For the LORD, the God of Israel, says,
"The jar of flour shall not go empty,
nor the jug of oil run dry,
until the day when the LORD sends rain upon the earth."

She left and did as Elijah had said. She was able to eat for a year, and he and her son as well; the jar of flour did not go empty,
nor the jug of oil run dry, as the LORD had foretold through Elijah.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10

R. (1b) Praise the Lord, my soul!

Reading 2

Heb 9:24-28

Christ did not enter into a sanctuary made by hands, a copy of the true one, but heaven itself, that he might now appear before God on our behalf. Not that he might offer himself repeatedly, as the high priest enters each year into the sanctuary with blood that is not his own; if that were so, he would have had to suffer repeatedly from the foundation of the world.

But now once for all he has appeared at the end of the ages to take away sin by his sacrifice.

Just as it is appointed that human beings die once, and after this the judgment, so also Christ, offered once to take away the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to take away sin but to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him.

Gospel

Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

In the course of his teaching Jesus said to the crowds, "Beware of the scribes, who like to go around in long robes and accept greetings in the marketplaces, seats of honor in synagogues, and places of honor at banquets.

They devour the houses of widows and, as a pretext recite lengthy prayers.

They will receive a very severe condemnation."

He sat down opposite the treasury and observed how the crowd put money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents.

Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they have all contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood."

Stewardship Reflection

I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they all contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, her whole living. " (Mark 12:43-44)

Jesus gets right to the point – we are all called to give money to support the mission of the Church, regardless of our circumstance. No gift is too small or insignificant! Giving money to support the mission of our local parish is a matter of our faith, just like praying and participating in parish ministries. When you make a financial offering, is it from your "first fruits" or from what is "left over"?