

# **Resurrection Catholic Parish**

51 GUM ROAD, KINGS PARK, VIC 3021, AUSTRALIA PHONE: 8312 6350 Fax: 9364 6207 www.resurrectionkingspark.org SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2019 "Go Make Disciples"

| Fr Gerard Keith - Parish Priest<br>gerard.keith@cam.org.au          | Mass T   | imes                |
|---|----------|---------------------|
| Pauline Debrincat - Pastoral Worker<br>pauline.debrincat@cam.org.au | Saturday | Sunday              |
| Melanie Apap & Rachael Bonavia                                      | 6.00 pm  | 9.00 am<br>10.30 am |
| General Administration<br>kingspark@cam.org.au                      | Week     | -                   |
| Maryann Krsteski - Finance  | Monday   | 6.00 pm             |
| Child Safety Officer<br>kingspark.finance@cam.org.au                | Tuesday  | 9.30 am             |
| Parish Website<br>www.resurrectionkingspark.org                     | Thursday | 7.00 pm             |
| OFFICE HOURS  | Friday   | 8.30 am             |

## This Week at Resurrection

### Monday 18th February 2019

| 6.00pm | Mass                          |
|--------|-------------------------------|
| 6.30pm | Proclaimers, Data Projection, |
| -      | Camera & Counters Meeting     |

**Communion Service** 

### Tuesday 19th February 2019

9.30am Mass

### Wednesday 20th February 2019

9.30am 10.00am

Rosary 18+ Group Gathering

#### Thursday 21st February 2019

7.00pm Mass

### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2019

| 8.50am | Mass                  |
|--------|-----------------------|
| 9.30am | Stations of the cross |

#### Saturday 23rd February 2019

| 9.30am | Reconciliation |
|--------|----------------|
| 6.00pm | *Mass          |

## Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2019 7<sup>™</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time

9.00am 10.30am 10.30am

\*Mass \*Mass Baptism Welcome & Children's Liturgy

\* School Presentations of Children receiving sacraments at all Masses this weekend and Staff Commitment Mass at 10.30am

# Fr Gerard Keith - Parish Priest

Monday to Friday Closed for lunch between Saturday & Sunday

8:30 am - 5:00 pm. 12:30 pm and 1:30 pm. 8:30 am - 12:30 pm.

### **RESURRECTION PRIMARY SCHOOL**

John Connors - Principal - 8312 6312 principal@rskingspark.catholic.edu.au

### PARISH MEETING NIGHT

All Parish Groups meet monthly on the 1st Wednesday. We begin with prayer at 7.15pm; individual groups meet between 7.30pm and 8.30pm.

#### BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of each month. Prior enrolment and preparation required.

### **BECOMING A CATHOLIC**

Should you or somebody you know wish to become a Catholic, there is a great program called R.C.I.A.

Contact Pauline Debrincat or Fr. Gerard at the Parish Office.

### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

Welcome. Please collect your information package from the Welcome Desk or Parish Office.

#### PARISH FINANCE

The Parish is financially dependent on our Stewardship envelopes. Contact the Parish Office for details.

### FACEBOOK ENOUIRIES

Questions and suggestions for our Facebook Page should be directed to resparish.ict@gmail.com. Alternatively, you can send a message directly to our Facebook page by clicking the "message" button. Either way, the Comms Team will respond.

### **RESURRECTION YOUNG ADULTS GROUP**

Are you a young adult? Does sharing a meal with new friends sound like something you'd enjoy?

If you answered 'yes' to any of these, the Resurrection Young Adults may be the group for you!



We pray in thanksgiving for Christian Veneziano, Colina Buhagiar, Rey Tagala, Loloy Abatayo and all those who have died recently.

We pray for Charlie D'Agostino, Aquiliano Baltazar and all those whose anniversary occur at about this time.

Please also pray for all those who are sick.

## MASS TIME CHANGE

Our usual Mass time of 8.30am on Friday mornings has changed to 8.50am. This change is to better accommodate the involvement of the school children.

# MASS TIME CHANGE

## 2019 FORMATION MEETINGS

Over three Monday nights after our 6pm Mass there will be meetings for all parishioners committed to the Ministries of Proclamation, Hospitality, Communion, Data Projection/Camera and Counters.

You will be expected to attend a formation meeting as part of your ministry. This will be a great opportunity to discuss the ministry and together we can make the appropriate changes.

## Save these Dates

18th February at 6.30pm – Proclaimers, Data Projectionist, Camera meeting.

Counters Meeting with Maryann.

25th February at 6.30pm - Special Ministers of Communion and Sacristy Duty meeting.

## LENTERN REFLECTION

Preparing our Lenten commitments each year is meant to give our spiritual life a lift, and we are called to "remember." From Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March join Fr Gerard every Monday at 11am, Thursday at 7.30pm or Pauline on Friday at 9.30am.

Please express your interest by calling the Parish Office.



### PALM BRANCHES

Any Parishioner who is able to return palm branches (large or small) from Palm Sunday last year is asked to contact the Parish Office.

## JOURNEYING WITH JESUS TOWARDS THE SACRAMENTS

Enrolments are now open for 2019 for children who wish to take part in our RE Program. Please contact the Parish office.

### HELPING OUR REFUGEE FAMILIES AND FRIENDS

### **Parish Forum**

There is great need among asylum seekers and refugees in our community. Sometimes parishes can find it hard translating good ideas for support into practice, and maintaining momentum. This Forum will bring together guest speakers and parish leaders who have already achieved lasting change with those wanting to increase or renew support. Forum sessions will be highly interactive, to harvest the good and best ideas, and develop effective strategies for implementation.

## Topics Include:

\*The Changing Scene and its implications for Parishes

\*Achieving lasting support in your Parish

\*A Support Network for Parishes

Saturday 23 March 2019, 9.30am – 1.00pm

Cardinal Knox Centre, 383 Albert Street, East Melbourne

COST: \$20.00 (includes Lunch)

RSVP: 20 March 2019

https://www.trybooking.com/ZWMI

ENQUIRIES: Lucia Brick: 9287 5566; e: lucia.brick@css.org.au

## **COUPLES FOR CHRIST**

An invitation to a Christian life program of the Handmaids of the Lord on 3rd March to 14th April 2019.

For further information please contact Sonia Grey on 0408 381 137.



## 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> February 2018 Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

|                             | 6 P M                              | 9 A M   | 10.3   | 0 A M                 |  |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------|--|
| MASS OVERSEERS              | Michelle Mercieca                  | Vilinda Rebustillo  | Marques Navarro  |                       |  |
| HOSPITALITY                 | Dominic Boland<br>Maryann Krsteski | Rianne Brizuela<br>Rotcer Brizuela (A)<br>Emmanuelle Brizuela (A)<br>Sebastian Brizuela (A) | Daniella Carapellotti<br>Kathy Fatone<br>Mark Gatt<br>Princess Dorbon<br>Delvana Subah |                       |  |
| DATA PROJECTOR              | Johann Noronha                     | Vincent Dizon   | Jomar Inot   |                       |  |
| CAMERA OPERATOR             | N/A                                | N/A   | Oliver Zipagan   | Oliver Zipagan        |  |
| PROCLAIMERS 1 <sup>st</sup> | Connie Attard                      | Teresa The  | Evelyn Tuimauga  |                       |  |
| Response                    | Cathy Downing                      | Remy Libang   | Isabella Abrigo  |                       |  |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup>             | Trinh Duong                        | Lewie Adie  | Jane Inot  | Jane Inot             |  |
| Intercessions               | Geraldine Holt                     | Rosario De Jesus  | Marissa Medilo   |                       |  |
| Emergencies                 | Marlene Axiak                      | Kathy Wale  | Maria Lapid  |                       |  |
| COLLECTORS                  | Anthony Ferraro                    | Frank Gatt  | Rebekah Vilardo  | Richard Marshall      |  |
|                             | Isabella Portelli (A)              | Michael Donnelly  | Alberto Dimo   | Royston Du'Pratt      |  |
|                             | Jacob Galea                        | ,<br>Milton Young   | Andrew Morrison  | Teddy Bernardo        |  |
|                             | Lachlan Colaco                     | Raul Dizon (Å)  | Brian Briffa   | Tilo Mataji           |  |
|                             | Mary Ngoma                         | Virgilio Romerona   | Charlie Grima  | Tony Tuimauga         |  |
|                             | Paul D'Rozario                     | Teresita Komarow  | Isidro Asuncion  | Josephine Medilo      |  |
|                             | Shanal Perera                      | Tammy Truong  | Jonathan Medilo  | Marta Molina          |  |
|                             | Geisel Aceiton                     |   | Mario Debono   | Oliver Zipagan        |  |
|                             |                                    |   | Sacreana Ulugia-Sa'ena   | Marlena Ulugia-Sa'ena |  |
| SPECIAL MINISTERS OF        | Fr Gerard Keith                    | Fr Gerard Keith   | Fr Gerard Keith  | Tessie Villar         |  |
| COMMUNION                   | Cathy Downing                      | Rosario De Jesus  | Natalie Anderson   | Veronica Santiago     |  |
|                             | Dominic Boland                     | Eve Balfour   | Owen D'Cruze   | Christine Perram      |  |
|                             | Frank Spiteri                      | Yvonne Young  | Richitha Antony  | Yvonne Du'Pratt       |  |
|                             | Emalyn Spiteri                     | Jerry D'Silva (A)   | Richard Marshall   | Yvonne Utoasega       |  |
|                             | Geraldine Holt                     | Karen D'Souza   | Susan Moseros  | Atalina Ulugia-Sa'ena |  |
|                             | Lina Sylvester                     | Kathy Wale  | Teddy Bernardo   | Marissa Medilo        |  |
|                             | Lucia Portelli (A)                 | Marc Dicconson  | Teresita Lim   | Catherine Pedralvez   |  |
|                             | Martine Grech                      | Mauri Sendapperuma  |  |                       |  |
|                             | Spira Attard                       | Nadia Young   |  |                       |  |
| Emergencies:                | Martess Borg                       | Minh-Tam Pham   | Cecilia Navarro  | Clem Beltran          |  |
| SACRISTY DUTY               | Adelina Borja                      | Remy Libang   | Catherine Pedralvez<br>Tessie Villar   |                       |  |
| COFFEE MAKERS               | Charlie Galea<br>Anna Wright       | Leon D'Souza<br>Rosemarie Balfour   | Kate Pedralvez<br>Emilia Rivera  |                       |  |
|                             | Michelle Polidano                  | Oliver D'Souza  |  |                       |  |
| COFFEE CLEAN-UP             | Mirjana Dutkowsky                  | Valerie Stockbridge   | Alexander Rayappu  |                       |  |
| -                           | Joyce Zahra<br>Tony Zahra          | Nazzarena Renda   | Need Volunteer   |                       |  |
| CHURCH CLEANERS             | i Uliy Zalila                      |   |  |                       |  |
| NO ROSTER                   |                                    | FLOWERS: Judith Mak   | ripoulias  |                       |  |
|                             |                                    | ALTAR LINEN: Helen Mu   | scat   |                       |  |
|                             |                                    | PARISH OFFICE CLEANING  | · Doris Cauchi   |                       |  |
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Next Week's Readings — 24<sup>th</sup> February 2019 Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



## Reading 1 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

In those days, Saul went down to the desert of Ziph with three thousand picked men of Israel, to search for David in the desert of Ziph. So David and Abishai went among Saul's soldiers by night and found Saul lying asleep within the barricade, with his spear thrust into the ground at his head and Abner and his men sleeping around him. Abishai whispered to David: "God has delivered your enemy into your grasp this day. Let me nail him to the ground with one thrust of the spear; I will not need a second thrust!" But David said to Abishai, "Do not harm him, for who can lay hands on the LORD's anointed and remain unpunished?" So David took the spear and the water jug from their place at Saul's head, and they got away without anyone's seeing or knowing or awakening. All remained asleep, because the LORD had put them into a deep slumber. Going across to an opposite slope, David stood on a remote hilltop at a great distance from Abner, son of Ner, and the troops. He said: "Here is the king's spear. Let an attendant come over to get it. The LORD will reward each man for his justice and faithfulness. Today, though the LORD delivered you into my grasp, I would not harm the LORD's anointed."

Responsorial Psalm Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 R. (8a) The Lord is kind and merciful.

## Reading 2 1 Cor 15:45-49

Brothers and sisters: It is written, The first man, Adam, became a living being, the last Adam a life-giving spirit. But the spiritual was not first; rather the natural and then the spiritual. The first man was from the earth, earthly; the second man, from heaven. As was the earthly one, so also are the earthly, and as is the heavenly one, so also are the heavenly. Just as we have borne the image of the earthly one, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly one.

## Gospel

## Lk 6:27-38

Jesus said to his disciples: "To you who hear I say, love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you. To the person who strikes you on one cheek, offer the other one as well, and from the person who takes your cloak, do not withhold even your tunic. Give to everyone who asks of you, and from the one who takes what is yours do not demand it back. Do to others as you would have them do to you. For if you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? Even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? Even sinners do the same. If you lend money to those from whom you expect repayment, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, and get back the same amount. But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend expecting nothing back; then your reward will be great and you will be children of the Most High, for he himself is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful. "Stop judging and you will not be judged. Stop condemning and you will not be condemned. Forgive and you will be forgiven. Give, and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you."

## Stewardship Corner

"But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend without expecting anything back." (Luke 6:35)

Easier said than done, right? But, if we are to imitate Christ, most of us need to practice mercy and compassion more frequently. Start with the little daily annoyances that we experience, the unkind word or hateful glance we receive. Instead of plotting revenge on that person, try saying a quick prayer for that person. Mercy and compassion will put us on the path to holiness.