



RESURRECTION CATHOLIC PARISH

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9TH NOVEMBER, 2025

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



REMEMBRANCE BOOK

Our Remembrance Book holds the names of loved ones who have passed away, allowing us to keep them in our prayers, especially throughout the month of November. If there is someone you would like to include, you are warmly invited to add their name.



As a symbol of our collective remembrance and prayer, the book will be presented during the offertory procession at each weekend Mass.

We pray for Dominic Boland, Fr Jim Staunton, Johnny Tencic, Marisa Mejak, Ruby Bignoux and all those who have died recently.

We pray for Rebecca Vas, Anna Mathias, Marshal Mathias, Lucio Vong, Afonso Lim, Lourenca Mira Kazaris, Norma Nacion, Carmelita Mangaliman, Dante Villar Jose de Vera and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

We pray for Nadine Talevski and all those who are sick.

We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land on which we stand. We pay our respects to the Elders, past and present.

St Vinnies Christmas Appeal

As the year draws to a close and we prepare for the joy of Christmas, it's important to remember that this season can be especially challenging for those in our community who are doing it tough.

St Vincent de Paul will be offering support to families in need ahead of Christmas, and we're calling on the generosity of our parishioners to help make this possible.

If you're able to contribute, we kindly ask for donations of:

Christmas hampers for families (you're welcome to create your own)

Books, puzzles, toys and activity sets for children to be handed to the parish office.



Your kindness can bring comfort and joy to those who need it most this Christmas. Thank you for your continued support.

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

God Bless you all from St Vinnies team

Sacrament Preparation



SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM 2026 – INFORMATION SESSIONS

Families wishing to participate in our **2026 Sacramental Program** are warmly invited to attend one of the upcoming information sessions in February:

- **Saturday 7th February 2026, after the 6pm Mass**
- **Sunday 8th February 2026, after the 10.30am Mass**
- **Saturday 14th February 2026, after the 6pm Mass**
- **Sunday 15th February 2026, after the 10.30am Mass**

These sessions will provide important details about the program and how to enrol your child.

For more information, please contact the parish office.

Jubilee Mass – 50th Anniversary- Sunday, 24th May 2026

To celebrate the 50th anniversary of Resurrection Parish, we will be holding a special Jubilee Mass on Pentecost Sunday. As part of the celebration, we will process into Mass with flags representing the diverse nationalities that make up our parish community — highlighting multiculturalism as one of the key themes of this joyful occasion.

Somalia, Ireland, Wales, Russia, Aboriginal & Torres Strait, Greece, Malta, Croatia, India, Iraq, Sudan, Poland, Philippines, Myanmar

If your country is not listed and you would like it to be represented, please leave your name and country at the Welcome Desk or contact Ann on 0412 901 176.

PRAYER SERVICE OF LAMENT

The service will be held **12th November at 11.30am - 12pm** in the grounds of **St Patrick's Cathedral**. Followed by light refreshments and Mass. The Prayer Service is held for survivors of sexual abuse by church officials.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN RCIC – EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

We are now inviting expressions of interest for the RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation for Children) Program, which will commence early next year.

This program is designed for children seeking to receive the Sacraments of Initiation who have not yet been baptised or catechised in the Catholic faith.

More details will be shared in the coming weeks. In the meantime, if you are interested in enrolling your child, please email your contact details to kingspark@cam.org.au

A PASTORAL LETTER TO THE CATHOLICS OF VICTORIA ON EUTHANASIA AND ASSISTED SUICIDE

"In the next few weeks, the Victorian Parliament will be asked to debate a Bill that would further weaken protections for vulnerable patients and reduce protections for medical practitioners who conscientiously object to euthanasia and assisted suicide".

In next week's bulletin the full text will be made available.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Christ the King, Sunday 23rd November at St Patrick's Cathedral Prayers at 2pm followed by Holy Mass celebrated by Cardinal Mykola Bychok & Archbishop Peter Commensoli.
- Friday 5th December - Healing Mass 6.30m - 7pm Praise, Worship and Reconciliation. Healing Mass at 7pm
- Monday 8th December - Devotion to the Immaculate Conception from 12pm to 1pm in the school staff room.
- Saturday 20th December Mass of Anointing at 10am followed by light refreshments.

15th & 16th November 2025
Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

	6 P M	9.00 A M	10.30 A M
MASS OVERSEERS	Judith Santiago	Rosemarie Balfour	Aurora Asuncion
HOSPITALITY	Marlene Axiak Michelle Mercieca	Kathy Wale Michael Donnelly Maria Grasso	Dolly Zipagan Cecilia Navarro Nyanrob Deng
DATA PROJECTOR	Julia Portelli	Jacob Rebustillo	Jomar Inot
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Geraldine Holt Isabella Portelli Geraldine Holt Isabella Portelli	Jacob Rebustillo Vilinda Rebustillo Jacob Rebustillo Vilinda Rebustillo	Jacqueline Yuan Choir Jacqueline Yuan Marissa Medilo
COLLECTORS	Noel Oliver Joseph Caruana Harley Cassar Jimmy Attard Charlie Grech	Frank Grech Anthony Scerri Mario Vella Virgilio Romerona Edwin Rebustillo Carmel Vassallo	Isidro Asuncion Graeme Fraser Brian Briffa Marta Molina Teddy Bernardo Tilo Matagi Yvonne Utoasega Paul Bossini
Children's Liturgy	n/a	Hong Nguyen	Daniel D'Souza Oliver D'Souza Christian Dizon Leanne Alderson Emanuelle Brizuela Lyn Nguyen Vyvy Nguyen
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Gerard Keith Joseph Caruana Jane Caruana Karen Colaco	Fr Gerard Keith Marc Dicconson Eve Balfour Minh Pham	Fr Gerard Keith Yvonne Utoasega Atalina Ulugia-Sa'Ena Cleo Olivera Eddy Medilo
SACRISTY DUTY	Helen Muscat	Elizabeth Michaelson	Teresita Villar
COFFEE MAKERS	Marlene Camenzuli Louis Camenzuli	Anthony Scerri Margaret Bannerman	Yvonne Utoasega & Family
COFFEE CLEAN UP	Need Volunteer Need Volunteer	Edwin Rebustillo Need Volunteer	Paul Bossini Michael Utoasega

WOW - WOMEN'S GROUP CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Watergardens Hotel -Buffet Lunch **Thursday 11th December at 12 noon.**

\$5 per person deposit is required.

RSVP Margaret by 25/11 0402 823 630



READING 1

Malachi 3:19-20a

Lo, the day is coming, blazing like an oven, when all the proud and all evildoers will be stubble, and the day that is coming will set them on fire, leaving them neither root nor branch, says the LORD of hosts. But for you who fear my name, there will arise the sun of justice with its healing rays.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 98:5-6, 7-8, 9

R. (cf. 9) The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

READING 2

2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

Brothers and sisters: You know how one must imitate us. For we did not act in a disorderly way among you, nor did we eat food received free from anyone. On the contrary, in toil and drudgery, night and day we worked, so as not to burden any of you. Not that we do not have the right. Rather, we wanted to present ourselves as a model for you, so that you might imitate us. In fact, when we were with you, we instructed you that if anyone was unwilling to work, neither should that one eat. We hear that some are conducting themselves among you in a disorderly way, by not keeping busy but minding the business of others. Such people we instruct and urge in the Lord Jesus Christ to work quietly and to eat their own food.

GOSPEL

Luke 21:5-19

While some people were speaking about how the temple was adorned with costly stones and votive offerings, Jesus said, "All that you see here-- the days will come when there will not be left a stone upon another stone that will not be thrown down." Then they asked him, "Teacher, when will this happen? And what sign will there be when all these things are about to happen?" He answered, "See that you not be deceived, for many will come in my name, saying, 'I am he,' and 'The time has come.' Do not follow them! When you hear of wars and insurrections, do not be terrified; for such things must happen first, but it will not immediately be the end." Then he said to them, "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be

powerful earthquakes, famines, and plagues from place to place; and awesome sights and mighty signs will come from the sky. "Before all this happens, however, they will seize and persecute you, they will hand you over to the synagogues and to prisons, and they will have you led before kings and governors because of my name. It will lead to your giving testimony. Remember, you are not to prepare your defense beforehand, for I myself shall give you a wisdom in speaking that all your adversaries will be powerless to resist or refute. You will even be handed over by parents, brothers, relatives, and friends, and they will put some of you to death. You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head will be destroyed. By your perseverance you will secure your lives."



Reflection

Stewards Imitate

"...Rather, we wanted to present ourselves as a model for you, so that you might imitate us." 2 THESSALONIANS 3:9

Most people who live a grateful and generous lifestyle don't go around bragging about it. But through their words and actions, others do take notice. They notice because of the joy and peace that results and others desire this in their own life. Know that the Stewardship way you live your life may be the only interaction others may have with our Catholic faith.