



RESURRECTION CATHOLIC PARISH

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BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

7TH JUNE, 2026

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

OFFICE AND CONTACT DETAILS

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Parish Website

www.resurrectionkingspark.org 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

Resurrection Primary School
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principal@rskingspark.catholic.edu.au

Parish at Prayer Mass Times

Saturday

6.00 pm

Sunday

**9.00 am
10.30 am**

Weekdays

Monday

9.30 am

Tuesday

9.30 am

Thursday

6.00 pm

Friday

7.00 pm

(1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH)

RECONCILIATION - FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH AT 9.30AM

WELCOME FR KEVIN

We warmly welcome Fr Kevin, who will be celebrating Mass with us while Fr Gerard is away. Please make him feel at home in our parish community and keep him in your prayers as he ministers with us during this time.



COMMUNION TO THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND -

Thank you to all those who volunteered to be part of this ministry.

If there is someone you know who is sick, housebound, or frail and would like to receive Holy Communion at their home please contact the office.

All ministers are invited to attend a meeting, a date is to be advised.

SACRED HEART FEAST DAY AT RESURRECTION CHURCH

Friday 12th June

6.30pm Sacred Heart Chaplet

7.00pm Mass



FR GERARD'S LEAVE

Fr Gerard will be on leave from 4th June 2026 to Tuesday 30th June.

We welcome **Fr Kevin Hennessy** who will celebrate our weekend masses during this time.

Monday - 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th there will be **NO MASS**.

Tuesday - 9th, 16th, and 23rd there will be the usual morning mass at 9.30am.

Thursday - 4th, 11th, 18th & 25th June there will be **No Mass** but there will be Prayer of the Church, Communion Service and Divine Mercy at 6pm.

We pray for all those who have died recently.

We pray for Frank Buttigieg, Richard Attard, Debbie Pace Vella, Stephen, John & Carmen Pace, Joseph Tran Thanh Khiem, Norbert Daniel, Consorcia Lock, Dominador Lopez Snr, Audifaz Lopez, Trinidad Lopez, Joe Spiteri, Fr Augustine Watson OFM, Marie Aimee Fantorini, Georgie Hennequin, Lexie Homburg, Pat Irato, Mary Grima, Gina Aguis and all those whose anniversary occur at about this time.

Please also pray for Peter Walker 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.***

THE BISHOP'S OVERVIEW AND IMPRESSION OF THE PARISH.

I was pleased to be able to visit your Parish recently and spend some time with you and with your Parish Priest, Fr Gerard Keith. Over these days, I have had the opportunity to visit your community and listen to your stories, your connections and involvements within your Parish and your school. I especially experienced the multicultural nature of your Parish and how many are involved in the variety of ministries. Your liturgies, especially with your many choirs and your social activities revealed how connected people are within your community. I am grateful to you all for sharing with me various aspects of the life of your Parish of Resurrection.

Commend:

I commend you having a Parish Leadership Team and especially so in a large and diverse Parish with many activities taking place. You have a very welcoming spirit in your community and you also reach out in various ways to assist those in need. You are to be commended also for planning to have the Alpha program take place in your parish. In all kinds of ways and for all kinds of people it is can be an evangelizing moment for their lives.

Encourage:

Given that you are a large community of faith with much happening each week, it is important that you celebrate this 50th anniversary of your life as a Parish and the many ways that you have developed as a faith community. You have much to celebrate as a large multi-cultural community and the significant moments on that journey and those individuals and groups who have been so faithful and generous in the past up until the present time. Your witness to the gospel has also been shared in various way those in the broader community too. At the same time, it can also be an opportunity to review where you are as Parish at present, and to reflect on your direction and purpose into the future. It is to read the signs of the times anew with a sense of hope and missionary renewal. You are a vibrant Parish in so many ways. It is also to continue to be a vital Parish into the future renewing your sense of direction, purpose to further the kingdom of God in new ways and inviting many more to experience the Good News of Christ for their lives.

Given your Parish Vision: "Go make disciples", especially your Parish vision is Go Make Disciples.

Observation:

There were a good number of people of faith who gathered for the Open Forums sessions which shows how interested people are in the life of the Parish.

Commend:

I commend your commitment to the life of the Parish and for embracing people from all cultural backgrounds and making efforts to respond to their needs.

CHRIST'S CATHOLIC COMMUNITY PRAYER GROUP

Meets every Wednesday, 6.30pm - 8pm at Resurrection Catholic Church.

Reflection and teaching on the readings of the coming Sunday.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with the Rosary.

Outpouring of the Holy Spirit and healing prayer.

All are welcome.

DIVINE MERCY ONLINE PRAYER

Join us for the Divine Mercy prayers every Tuesday night at 7 pm.

Zoom link:

Meeting ID - 3458047301

Passcode. - 5CH7bL



Enrolments are now open for 2027!

Do you have a child that will be aged 5 by 30th April 2027?

Do you know of anyone that has a child ready to start prep in 2027?

Enrol Today!



ST SEBASTIAN ASSOCIATION INVITES YOU TO

Black and White Social Evening

Saturday 13th June

Resurrection Parish Hall

7pm to 11pm Cost: \$12 per person

Monica 0413 539 046 or Allan 0411 500 842



SAVE THE DATE

Reso Men Social Night

Saturday 18th July

7pm - 11pm

Cost \$10 pp - Children are free

BYO Food and Drinks

13th & 14th June 2026
11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

	6.00pm	9.00 AM	10.30 AM
MASS OVERSEERS	Marlene Axiak	Vilinda Rebutillo	Angelita Ramat
HOSPITALITY	Rachael Bonavia	Anna Cassar Jacob Rebutillo	Tessie Villar Cecilia Navarro Yvonne Utoasega
DATA PROJECTOR	Harley Cassar	Christian Dizon	Calvin Alderson
PROCLAIMERS 1 st Response 2 nd Intercessions	Cathy Downing Choir Cathy Downing Cristina Salcedo	Elizabeth Michaelsen Marc Dicconson Elizabeth Michaelsen Marc Dicconson	Jane Inot Choir Jane Inot Jomar Inot
COLLECTORS	Noel Oliver Joseph Caruana Harley Cassar Jimmy Attard Charlie Grech	Frank Grech Mario Vella Edwin Rebutillo Emmanuel Cauchi	Isidro Asuncion Graeme Fraser Brian Briffa Marta Molina Teddy Bernardo Tilo Matagi Carmel Vassallo Yvonne Utoasega Paul Bossini
Children's Liturgy	n/a	Hong Nguyen	n/a
SPECIAL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Fr Kevin Hennessy Doris Oliver Karen Colaco Gina Snudden	Fr Kevin Hennessy Mikaele Ulugia-Sa'Ena Colleen Wolfe Minh-Tam Pham	Fr Kevin Hennessy Yvonne Utoasega Jet Fraser Calvin Alderson Clem Beltran
SACRISTY DUTY	Patricia Marek	Natalie Collard	Cecilia Navarro
COFFEE MAKERS	Need Volunteer Need Volunteer	Leon D'Souza Rosemarie Balfour	Kate Pedralvez Emilia Rivera
COFFEE CLEAN UP	Mirjana Dutkowsky (A) Michelle Polidano (A)	Maria Grasso Need Volunteer	Paul Bossini Michael Utoasega



Come along and experience your special weekend at St Dominic's Parish Melton on **26th to 28th June 2026** commencing Friday evening at 7pm and finishes Sunday around 4.30pm.

**HOLY SHRINES OF SPAIN, PORTUGAL & LOURDES
PILGRIMAGE**

On 3rd September 2026 for 20 days

Cost: \$9,950.00

Contact: O'Connor Travel World

Tel: 9830 5489

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READING 1

Exodus 19:2-6a

In those days, the Israelites came to the desert of Sinai and pitched camp. While Israel was encamped here in front of the mountain, Moses went up the mountain to God. Then the LORD called to him and said, “Thus shall you say to the house of Jacob; tell the Israelites: You have seen for yourselves how I treated the Egyptians and how I bore you up on eagle wings and brought you here to myself. Therefore, if you hearken to my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my special possession, dearer to me than all other people, though all the earth is mine. You shall be to me a kingdom of priests, a holy nation.”

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 100:1-2, 3, 5

R. (3c) We are his people: the sheep of his flock.

READING 2

Romans 5:6-11

Brothers and sisters: Christ, while we were still helpless, yet died at the appointed time for the ungodly. Indeed, only with difficulty does one die for a just person, though perhaps for a good person one might even find courage to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us. How much more then, since we are now justified by his blood, will we be saved through him from the wrath. Indeed, if, while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, how much more, once reconciled, will we be saved by his life. Not only that, but we also boast of God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

GOSPEL

Matthew 9:36—10:8

At the sight of the crowds, Jesus' heart was moved with pity for them because they were troubled and abandoned, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest.” Then he summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits to drive them out and to

cure every disease and every illness. The names of the twelve apostles are these: first, Simon called Peter, and his brother Andrew; James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew, Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James, the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddeus; Simon from Cana, and Judas Iscariot who betrayed him. Jesus sent out these twelve after instructing them thus, “Do not go into pagan territory or enter a Samaritan town. Go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, make this proclamation: ‘The kingdom of heaven is at hand.’ Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, drive out demons. Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give.”



Reflection

"The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers for the harvesting." Matthew 9:37-38

A steward is not a spectator. We are not called to simply cheer on other people as they do good works. All of us are expected to roll up our sleeves and participate in the work of the church.