

**ST. KEVIN'S PARISH
HAMPTON PARK
THE MOST HOLY BODY
AND BLOOD OF CHRIST
(CORPUS CHRISTI) (YEAR C)**

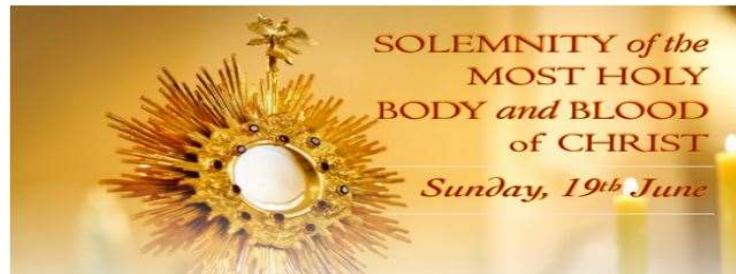


18th & 19th June 2022

PARISH CENTRE
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OFFICE HOURS
Monday to Friday (9.30am – 4:00pm)

PARISH PRIEST : Rev. Fr. Desmond Moloney
ASSISTANT PRIEST : Rev. Fr. Anil Mascarenhas
DEACON : Rev. Dr. Graeme Pender
PARISH SECRETARY : Mrs. Indrani Guinan
SCHOOL PRINCIPALS
ST. KEVIN'S : Jason Micallef – 9709 8600
ST. FRANCIS DE SALES : Christine White – 8773 6700



On this most solemn day, let us together honour and adore Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament with a Holy Hour following the 11.00am Mass, led by our youth.

Pope Francis on 3rd June, 2018, said "The Eucharist is simple food, like bread, yet it is the only food that satisfies, for there is no greater love. "Let us choose this food of life! Let us make Mass our priority!" "Let us implore the grace to hunger for God, with an insatiable desire to receive what he has prepared for us."

Parish Family Fun Day Out

Mount Buller Snow trip: Sat 2nd July 2022

Come and join in on a parish family fun day trip to Mount Buller on Sat 2nd July 2022. All parishioners are welcome to join. A bus will be arranged to pick everyone up from the church and costs for the bus will be shared by everyone joining the trip. Approximately \$40 per seat on the bus.

Entry costs to Mount Buller is separate and everyone needs to pre-purchase their own entry into Mount Buller Resort. If you purchase individual entry the cost is up to \$49 per individual, but if you book in a group, it comes down to \$16 per adult and \$10.50 per child. We will be making a booking for the entire group to enter Mt. Buller village so you do not have to purchase entry tickets. Just pay the group entry cost as mentioned above.

More information and costs for the entry into Mount Buller can be found here:

<https://www.mtbuller.com.au/Winter/plan-your-visit/getting-here/resort-entry-parking-and-transfers>

Pack your own snacks, water and lunch and bring some extra to share with friends. Please join in great numbers and let us make this outing a fun-filled and memorable one.

Please contact Fr Anil and/or Warren for further details.

Register your interest latest by Sunday 19th June 2022.

If you have never been to the snows before, attached is a first time Visitors guide here:

https://cdn.mtbullercdn.com.au/assets/firsttimersguide/2022/armb_buller_first_time_armb_guide_2022_s02.pdf



Fr. Anil Mascarenhas

Parish Website

<https://stkevins.org.au/>

‘Support us’ page

<https://stkevins.org.au/support-us/>

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Vigil Masses: 5.00pm & 7.00pm

Sunday: 9:00am, 11:00am & 6:00pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday & Tuesday : 9:15am

Wednesday : 7:00pm (followed by Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help)

Thursday, Friday & Saturday : 9.15am

First Fridays : An extra Mass at 7:00pm followed by devotions to the Sacred Heart.

RECONCILIATION

On Saturday mornings after Mass till 10:30am

BAPTISMS

Please contact the Parish Office on 9799 2108 or email HamptonPark@cam.org.au

WEDDINGS

Please give, if possible, 12 months notification prior to a wedding at our Church. Please call or email the Parish Office.

St Kevin's Senior Youth Group

St Kevin's Senior youth group (age 18-35) will be meeting in the school hall Friday 10th June at 7:30 pm.

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

25th & 26th June 2022

READERS

5.00pm Saturday

Primrose, Shayana, Nancy

7.00pm Saturday

Kim, Gerard, Christobelle

9.00am Sunday

Maria, Michael, Jess

11.00am Sunday

Brian, Anton, Sosefina

6.00pm Sunday

Anne, Rohan, Ryan

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS

5.00pm Saturday

Carlton, Indira, Tessy

7.00pm Saturday

Nichola, Salome, Sunita

9.00am Sunday

Florence, Lana Togafu, Monique, Noreen

11.00am Sunday

Annabelle, Pam D., Pam G., Philomena, Sherine

6.00pm Sunday

George, Jude, Sumith

CHURCH CLEANERS

Team 4 – Samoan Choir

COUNTERS

Team 5 – Lorna & Mervyn Britto, Anita & Howard Fernandez, Jennifer Ross, Cheryl Magee

IN OUR PARISH

20th June	Monday	9.15am Mass
21st June	Tuesday	9.15am Mass
22nd June	Wednesday	7.00pm Mass followed by Novena
23rd June	Thursday	9.15am Mass
24th June	Friday	9.15am Mass
25th June	Saturday	9.15am Mass 5.00pm Mass 7.00pm Mass
26th June	Sunday	9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass 6.00pm Mass

DO YOU KNOW WHAT EPICLESIS IS?

Epiclesis is the invocation of the Holy Spirit during Mass, when the priest says this prayer at the time of consecration of bread and wine, while we kneel.

EPICLESIS: The prayer petitioning God to send the Holy Spirit so that the offerings at the Eucharist may become the Body and Blood of Christ and thus the faithful, by receiving them, may themselves become a living offering to God. In every sacrament the prayer asking for the sanctifying power of God's Holy Spirit is an "epiclesis".

(1105, 1127 Catechism of the Catholic Church)

How important is the Eucharist for the Church?

The celebration of the Eucharist is the heart of the Christian communion. In it the Church becomes Church. {1325}

We are not the Church because we get along well, or because we happen to end up in the same parish community, but rather because in the Eucharist we receive the Body of Christ and increasingly being transformed into the Body of Christ. (126, 217) *Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church (YOUCAT)*

Pope St Paul VI, Mysterium Fidei 50 (1965)

When the faithful adore Christ present in the sacrament they should remember that this presence derives from the sacrifice and is directed toward both sacramental and spiritual communion.



RENEWAL PROGRAMME 2022 FOR ST. KEVINS PARISH

THIS SUNDAY WE PRAY

In Thanksgiving:

Glen, Jackie & Family
Mr & Mrs A Franklin
Monique & Peter Cavalot
George Iraheta
Drigo Buenaventura
Meyanne Cortezano
Josephine Bordon
Desiree Reyes
Ike and Grace Buan
Wayne Paris
Thaddaus Family

For those who have died recently:

Badet Ng-Youne
Kerwyn Cuevas

For those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Joseph & Zita Rogers,
Hyacinth & Oscar Weston
Angela Coutinho
Angelo Dias
Federico Iraheta
Avalene King
Ashton & Maria D'Costa
Maxie & Pamela Gonsalvez
Ivan D'Silva
Shirley & Fredrick Machaya
Clifford & Linda d'Rozario
John & Antoinette Crasto

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Privacy legislation requires the **written permission of an authorised person** before any name can be printed. Any list of the sick in the parish bulletin will undergo renewal according to a four-week cycle. After four weeks a person's name on the sick list will be removed. However, once again on the basis of written permission of an authorized person the name can be re-added to the list.

REMINDER:

Please note the cut-off day and time for handing in names for Mass Intentions is Thursday 4 pm. Please call or email the Parish Office.

Our brothers and sisters in Lebanon are suffering due to ongoing financial and political instability. As the body of Christ we are called to support one another. Will you join us as we help them by providing food parcels to 500 needy families in the diocese of Baalbek, Lebanon? To read about the project, or to make an offering visit: www.aidtochurch.org/monthlyproject.

FOLLOW UP MEETING

Parishioners who have generously volunteered to help with follow-up are reminded of the **Follow Up Meeting at 7.30pm on Wednesday 22 July in the Parish House**. If you have not yet volunteered and would like to help, please feel free to join us. Your support will be very much appreciated.

I thank you once again for your generous response.

Fr. Desmond J. Moloney

Reminder!

Please make sure that you fill in a Pledge Card and a Group and Ministries Form if you have not already done so, to avoid getting a follow-up phone call from one of our volunteers. Cards and forms are on the table in the Church Foyer. Thank you for your help and cooperation and to all who have already responded.

Donations for Dinner Dance raffle prizes

We are looking for donations for a raffle draw for the Parish dinner dance, hosted by the Social Group in collaboration with St Kevin's Youth to raise money to represent our parish at World Youth Day. We are looking for small gifts, homeware, appliances, wine bottles, gift vouchers, etc. If you would like to donate any items please contact Danielle on 0422 680 957 or Kimberley on 0410 082 662.



Upcoming Altar Servers' Training
June 26th Sunday at 3pm
in the Church

Altar Servers' upcoming training: June 26th Sunday
Time: at 3pm in St. Kevin's Church.

Fr. Anil

St Kevin's Junior Youth Group

We are re-launching our junior youth group!

Who: Year 7- age 17

When: Next Sunday 19th June 4:00 pm

Where: School Hall

What: Games, activities and learning about our faith.

Parents/guardians please sign your children in and out. God bless.

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST - YEAR C

FIRST READING – Genesis 14: 18-20

A reading from the book of Genesis

Melchizedek king of Salem brought bread and wine; he was a priest of God Most High. He pronounced this blessing:

'Blessed be Abraham by God Most High, creator of heaven and earth,
and blessed be God Most High for handing over your enemies to you.'

And Abraham gave him a tithe of everything.

■ The word of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps. 109: 1-4.

**R. You are a priest for ever,
in the line of Melchizedek.**

The Lord's revelation to my Master:

'Sit on my right:

I will put your foes beneath your feet.' **R.**

The Lord will send from Zion
your sceptre of power:
rule in the midst of all your foes. **R.**

A prince from the day of your birth
on the holy mountains;
from the womb before the daybreak I begot you. **R.**

The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change.

'You are a priest for ever,
a priest like Melchizedek of old.' **R.**

SECOND READING – 1 Corinthians 11: 23-26

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians

This is what I received from the Lord, and in turn passed on to you: that on the same night that he was betrayed, the Lord Jesus took some bread, and thanked God for it and broke it, and he said, 'This is my body, which is for you; do this as a memorial of me.' In the same way he took the cup after supper, and said, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Whenever you drink it, do this as a memorial of me.' Until the Lord comes, therefore, every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, you are proclaiming his death.

■ The word of the Lord



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;
whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL – Luke 9: 11-17

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them about the kingdom of God; and he cured those who were in need of healing.

It was late afternoon when the Twelve came to him and said, 'Send the people away, and they can go to the villages and farms round about to find lodging and food; for we are in a lonely place here.' He replied, 'Give them something to eat yourselves.' But they said, 'We have no more than five loaves and two fish, unless we are to go ourselves and buy food for all these people.' For there were about five thousand men. But he said to his disciples, 'Get them to sit down in parties of about fifty.' They did so and made them all sit down. Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them; then he broke them and handed them to his disciples to distribute among the crowd. They all ate as much as they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were collected they filled twelve baskets.

■ The Gospel of the Lord

Parish Renewal Programme Prayer

Dear Lord, we thank you for our Parish of St Kevin's – Hampton Park. We are called to service and to witness, through our Baptism; and in the Eucharist we sustain and strengthen that call. We follow your example and proclaim our beliefs, by serving others. We demonstrate our love and care, by our Christian generosity. Help us Lord, to always worship you as you deserve, to grow in faith and service and to give without counting the cost.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

Let's Reflect.....

"They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets." (LUKE 9:17)

The story of the Loaves and Fishes shows us that when you share what you have, even if it doesn't seem like that much, miracles can happen! Do not think that your gift is too small or insignificant! Each of us has a role in God's plan; you just need to place your trust in the Lord. Nothing is impossible with God. You may be the answer to someone else's prayer.