

**ST. KEVIN'S PARISH
HAMPTON PARK
THE THIRTY-FIRST
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME (YEAR C)**



29th & 30th October 2022

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

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SCHOOL PRINCIPALS
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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

Please refer to the Parish Calendar on page 2.

RECONCILIATION

On Saturday mornings after Mass till 10:30am

BAPTISMS

There will be no Baptisms celebrated on the 25th of December 2022 & the 1st of January 2023. There will also be no Baptism Preparation meeting held in January 2023. The next preparation meeting for the new year will be on the 2nd of February 2023.

WEDDINGS

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

November 1st - Feast of All Saints:

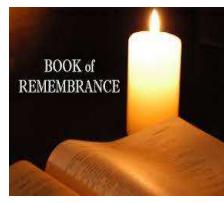
On November 1, we celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints, a Holy Day of Obligation. On this day, we rejoice with the Church Triumphant, those men and women who have lived lives in imitation of our Lord, Jesus Christ, and are now united with Him in the Communion of Saints.

As they have lived lives imitating Christ, their lives become models for us as they always point us to Christ. And, as even death cannot separate us in Jesus Christ (Romans 8:38-39), we even now remain united to our brothers and sisters in the Lord through the Mystical Body of Christ, which is the Church. United to the Saints through Christ, we find in these righteous men and women powerful intercessors on our behalf (James 5:16). Just as we so often turn to our brothers and sisters here on earth in times of need, we are also called to turn to our heavenly brothers and sisters.

We can ask for their intercessory prayer on our behalf to our heavenly Father and our Lord, Jesus Christ. And, as we gather together to worship God through the Holy Mass, we are united with this great cloud of witnesses (Hebrews 12:1) in a special way.

At Mass, the entire Body of Christ, in heaven and earth, unite in one voice of praise to our heavenly Father as we offer the singular sacrifice of His Son, Jesus Christ.

Pope Francis says of November 1st (All Saints Day) — “The Feast of All Saints reminds us that the goal of our existence is not death, it is Paradise. During their earthly existence, the saints lived in profound communion with God. In the face of the humblest, and least of our brothers (and sisters), the smallest and most despised brothers (and sisters) they saw the face of God, and now they contemplate Him face to face in His glorious beauty.”



**NOVEMBER: THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS
BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE**

The church reminds us, particularly in November, to pray for those who have died.

Here at St. Kevin's you are invited to write the names of your deceased family members and friends in the Parish Book of Remembrance, which will be left at the foot of the altar during November. Our family members and friends will be remembered as each Mass is celebrated. Reference will be made in the Prayer of the Faithful, as we pray for the names in the November Book of Remembrance. This is the Communion of Saints at work!

This will mean that our usual custom of presenting names for anniversaries in the Bulletin will be suspended in November since they can be in the Book of Remembrance, with the exception of those who have died recently. Once names of our beloved deceased have been entered into this Book there is no need to enter the names again.

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

5th & 6th November 2022

READERS

5.00pm Saturday

Candice, Anil J., Bernadette

7.00pm Saturday

Sunita, Paulita, Ryan

9.00am Sunday

Ben, Emeli, Fatima

11.00am Sunday

Zen, Pam G., Philomena

6.00pm Sunday

Rohan, Ryan, Kharece

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS

5.00pm Saturday

Carlton, Indira, Tessy

7.00pm Saturday

Christobelle, Gerard, Gilda

9.00am Sunday

Josephine, Maria, Michael, Monique

11.00am Sunday

Mary, Sherine

6.00pm Sunday

Anne, Jude, Syd

CHURCH CLEANERS

Team 1 – Vasanthi Cooray, Antonio

Macasinag, Eileen Fernando, Leo Jansen

COUNTERS

Team 4 – Athena & Richard Fritchley, Anne &

Anslie Collins, Isabella Fernandez,

Kaye/Gerard Braganza



LAST WEEKEND COLLECTIONS

Envelopes: \$2528.00

Unidentifiable envelopes: \$30.00

Unpledged: \$1034.40

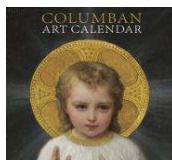
Presbytery: \$1604.05

(Please use only the new envelopes. DO NOT change the number on the envelopes as you have been allocated new numbers)

IN OUR PARISH

31 st October	Monday	9.15am Mass
1 st November	Tuesday	9.15am Mass
2 nd November	Wednesday	9.15 am Mass 7.00pm Mass followed by Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
3 rd November	Thursday	9.15am Mass
4 th November	Friday	9.15am Mass 7.00 pm Mass
5 th November	Saturday	9.15am Mass 5.00pm Mass 7.00pm Mass
6 th November	Sunday	9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass 6.00pm Mass

2020 COLUMBAN CALENDARS



The 2023 Columban Calendars and God's Word 2023 are available in the Piety Stall. Do come along and buy one for your home. Some of the proceeds from the sale of these calendars go towards the Missions.



Donation Point Terminals

As proposed by the parishioners at the Parish Information Meeting, commencing last weekend, there will be EFTPOS terminals located in the Church foyer. These terminals are set up for a trial period. They will test how receptive parishioners are to this method of making their contributions, particularly to ascertain the volume of those who prefer not to carry cash and utilize this means.

There will be 2 terminals: one for donations into the Church account and the other for donations into the Presbytery account.

We appreciate your generous donation to our Parish.

Sumith Olagama, Sec. Finance Committee

THIS SUNDAY WE PRAY

In Thanksgiving:

Baby Franco Guanizo
Jeanne Kariyawasam
Sandra D'Souza
George & Margie Taylor
Marissa De Guzman
Teresa & Rozel Bordon
Jaffy Palacios, Aloha Lintag
Riand Aragoza, Rosa Dias

For the sick:

Hugo Lynch (3)
Pauline Flynn (2)
Moyra D'Graca (2)

For those who have died recently:

Lorenzo Loyola
Josephine Chatlier

For those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Luis Reyes, Genoviva Reyes, Jesus Reyes
Deceased members of the D'Souza family
Deceased members of the Pereira family
Deceased members of the Fernandes family
Dimple Machado, Miltina Creado
Sancia D'Souza, Flordelina Pansoy
Longie Gomes, Florrie Fernandes
Damiana Sismar Piastro, Dolores Van Moorsel
Ceferina Unabia, Isabelle Lynch
Moises Sismar, Bebiana Librea
Dorothy Braz
Christine Bartlett, Isabelle Lynch
Saramma Ambrose
Francis Allegany, Lindsay Rughoo
Amala Arockiasamy
Clement Philogene

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.

40 Days for Life

Join other Christians for 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. We have only this coming week to go but would love to see more people join us. The campaign ends on Sunday November 6 but it's not too late to contribute. To register your hours and for more information visit www.40daysforlife.com/en/melbourne.

FIRST EUCHARST & CONFIRMATION PHOTOGRAPHS

The photographs of the children who received their First Eucharist or Confirmation can now be collected from the Parish Office during office hours.

God and Beer November with Dr Colin Patterson

Speaker: Dr. Colin Patterson

Topic: Light on the Human Heart: Where Faith and Psychology Meet

Date: Monday 14th November, **Time:** 6.30pm for a meal, 7.30pm for the talk. **Venue:** The Notting Hill Hotel, 260-262 Ferntree Gully Rd, Notting Hill, Melbourne, Victoria

Cost: Free. However, places are limited so please register to avoid disappointment and to hear about future events. Meals are available for purchase. **RSVP:** GodandBeer.com.au

Contact: itsmyth@gmail.com

Teachers: Register as a teacher to have your attendance count towards your accreditation to teach in a Catholic school.

Pray the Parish Daily Rosary on Zoom at 6pm

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84932957224>

Meeting ID: 849 3295 7224

(Zoom link is also on the Parish website)

Fr. Anil Mascarenhas

THIS WEEKEND – FOR ALL OUR ALTARSERVERS & YOUTH



If you are not yet registered, please register via <https://www.trybooking.com/CDIXF> &

THE THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

FIRST READING – Wisdom 11: 22-12: 2

A reading from the book of Wisdom

In your sight, Lord, the whole world is like a grain of dust that tips the scales, like a drop of morning dew falling on the ground. Yet you are merciful to all, because you can do all things and overlook men's sins so that they can repent. Yes, you love all that exists, you hold nothing of what you have made in abhorrence, for had you hated anything, you would not have formed it. And how, had you not willed it, could a thing persist, how be conserved if not called forth by you? You spare all things because all things are yours, Lord, lover of life, you whose imperishable spirit is in all. Little by little, therefore, you correct those who offend, you admonish and remind them of how they have sinned, so that they may abstain from evil and trust in you, Lord.

■ The word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 144: 1-2, 8-11, 13-14

R. I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

I will give you glory, O God my King,
I will bless your name for ever.
I will bless you day after day
and praise your name for ever. R.

The Lord is kind and full of compassion,
slow to anger, abounding in love.
How good is the Lord to all,
compassionate to all his creatures R.

All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord,
and your friends shall repeat their blessing.
They shall speak of the glory of your reign
and declare your might, O God. R.

The Lord is faithful in all his words
and loving in all his deeds.
The Lord supports all who fall
and raises all who are bowed down. R.

SECOND READING – 2 Thessalonians 1: 11-2: 2

A reading from the second letter of St. Paul to the Thessalonians

We pray continually that our God will make you worthy of his call, and by his power fulfil all your desires for goodness and complete all that you have been doing through faith; because in this way the name of our Lord

Jesus Christ will be glorified in you and you in him, by the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

To turn now, brothers, to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and how we shall all be gathered round him: please do not get excited too soon or alarmed by any prediction or rumour or any letter claiming to come from us, implying that the Day of the Lord has already arrived.

■ The word of the Lord

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

God loved the world so much; he gave us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have eternal life.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL – Luke 19: 1-10

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus entered Jericho and was going through the town when a man whose name was Zacchaeus made his appearance; he was one of the senior tax collectors and a wealthy man. He was anxious to see what kind of man Jesus was, but he was too short and could not see him for the crowd; so he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to catch a glimpse of Jesus who was to pass that way. When Jesus reached the spot he looked up and spoke to him: 'Zacchaeus, come down. Hurry, because I must stay at your house today.' And he hurried down and welcomed him joyfully. They all complained when they saw what was happening. 'He has gone to stay at a sinner's house' they said. But Zacchaeus stood his ground and said to the Lord, 'Look, sir, I am going to give half my property to the poor' and if I have cheated anybody I will pay him back four times the amount' And Jesus said to him, 'Today salvation has come to this house, because this man too is a son of Abraham; for the Son of Man has come to seek out and save what was lost.'

■ The Gospel of the Lord.

Let's Reflect.....

"But Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, 'Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor, and if I extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over.'" LUKE 19:8

We are all called to gratefully give back to the Lord in proportion to the gifts we have been given. This means everyone isn't called to give the same amount, but everyone is called to give equal sacrifice. Open your heart and talk to God about how you use your money. How is God calling you to be more generous with your financial resources and possessions?