

THE CARMELITE

Parish of Port Melbourne and Middle Park in the care of the Carmelites since 1882

We acknowledge the Yaluk-ut Weelam Clan, the traditional owners and custodians of this land. We pay our respects to them. May we walk gently here.

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 16 July 2023

Dear sisters and brothers.

This Sunday we celebrate the Solemnity of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Patron of the Carmelites and Co-Patron of our parish, along with St Joseph. Our Prayers and Readings at Mass this weekend are those that are proper to this Solemnity.

The Gospel invites us to see ourselves in the place of the beloved disciple at the foot of the cross to whom Jesus says: "This is your mother" after saying to his mother: "This is your son". Through his death and resurrection, Jesus is telling all his disciples, represented by the "beloved disciple", that we now take his place because he now lives in us. Like him, we are invited to make a place for his mother – who is now our mother – in our "homes" – our hearts, our lives. We are invited to relate to Mary as to a mother and, strengthened by this relationship, to relate to one another as Jesus relates to us.

On this feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, I commend the following prayer to you on behalf of the Carmelites. On behalf of the Carmelites, I also assure you of our prayers, ask you to remember us in yours and wish you a Happy Feastday! May our celebration of this special day help us all to grow in communion with Jesus and his Mother, with one another, with all our brothers and sisters and all of creation.

Mary,

You are always with the brothers and sisters of your Son as we seek to follow in his footsteps.

Help us keep our hearts open to God and to the needs of one another.

Be with those who struggle with disease and illness, tension and tragedy.

Help us bring peace and reconciliation wherever it is needed.

Help us to protect and look after each other.

Help us bring moments o healing and grace into each other's lives.

Help us to be God's heart in the heart of the world.

This we ask through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

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OUR PARISH

Churches

St Joseph's cnr Rouse & Stokes Streets Port Melbourne

Our Lady of Mount Carmel cnr Richardson & Wright Streets Middle Park

Sunday Masses

5.00pm (Sat) Mount Carmel 9.00am Saint Joseph's 10.30am Mount Carmel

Reconciliation

after 9.00am Mass Saturday

Carmelite Parish Office

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Office Hours:

Tuesday - 9am - 4pm Wednesday - 9am-4pm Friday - 9am-12pm

(CLOSED MONDAYS & THURSDAYS)

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Fr Paul Cahill, OCarm

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THIS WEEK

Monday 17 July

9.00am Mass, St Joseph's

Tuesday 18 July

9.00am Mass, Mt Carmel

Wednesday 19 July

9.00am Mass, St Joseph's

Thursday 20 July

9.00am Mass, Mt Carmel

Friday 21 July

9.00am Mass, St Joseph's

Saturday 22 July

9.00am Mass, Mt Carmel 5.00pm Mass, Mt Carmel

Sunday 23 July

9.00am Mass, St Joseph's10.30am Mass, Mt Carmel

WE REMEMBER

Those who are sick or ill and in need of prayer: Victor Acciarito, Deepa Ariff, Lawrence Bassett, Grace Callaghan, Mary Tam Cao, Shawn Ceasar, Robert Chaminda, Mrs Chan, Josephine Clayton, Paul Cox, Daphnie Cramer, Mary Dalli, Andrew Derrington, Michael DeNittis, Maureen Dickason, Bernadette Falckh, Gigi Falk, Lyn Falk, Rebecca Fernando, Marie Fernandez, Father Des Fitzgerald CSSR, Jill Foster, Gus Gleason, Amelia Grace, Evelen Greach, Brendan Gurry, Michael Gurry, Portia Hendrick, Shawn Handricks, Marija Jelinic, Tae Yoon Jin, Joan Laragy, Tera Kwol, Robert Masquiren, Marta Menjivar, Simon Millar, Baby Alba Middleton, Natalie Pringle, Dan Quickley, Helen Quickley, Rafal Rafakski, Daphnie Rasika, Shawn Raymond, Jill Ridge, Elise Rimington, Michael Risteviski, Keith Ryder, Sharmini Senanayeke Chris Silkok, Ailbe Sheehy, Sash Somerset-Beauverie, Jim Sullivan, Danielle Szeto, Angela Trigar & Tami Yap.

Those whose have died recently:

Antonio Battista, Brad Faucett, Aidan Leonard, Laurentius Oei Tik Liang & casualties of the Ukrainian/Russian conflict.

Those whose anniversaries of death occur about this time.

Rose Conlon, Brian Cusack & Geraldine Tyrell.

IN OUR PARISH

Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, July 16.

Happy feastday to all!



Envelopes

The next series of Thanksgiving Envelopes are available for collection in the foyer of the churches.



New to Thanksgiving

If you are new to the parish and would like to join our Thanksgiving Program, please contact Cathy at the Parish Office via email Cathy@sj-mc.org.au or 9681 9600.

Food Cupboard

The **Food Cupboard** is up and running **every Friday** from **7 July 2023** between 10:00am - 11:30am at St Joseph's Hall.

Access to St Joseph's Hall is via the Rouse Steet driveway leading to the carpark at the rear of the church.

Donations are accepted at weekend masses and at the Parish Office during business hours where they can be left in the Food Cupboard in the foyer.

22-23 July 2023 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time 5.00pm Mount Carmel (Vigil)

Commentator: Pat Mount

Reader: Brother Anacletto

Offertory: Kathy Mount

Communion: Kathy Mount

Music: Tris Tanumihardjo

9.00am St Joseph's

Commentator: Lis Northam

Reader: Brian Harrison

Offertory: Elaine Chaffer

Communion: Frances Correa

Counters: Brian Harrison & Toni

Stuart

Music: Margaret Smith

Hospitality: TBD

10.30am Mount Carmel

Commentator: Marlene Halim

Reader: Denis Churkovich

Offertory: Jackie & John Tidey

Communion: Kathleen Kiernan

Music: Brother Anacletto

Hospitality: Angela Cox

Communion to the Sick: Sr Mary Brady: 23 Jul = 29 Jul

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THANK YOU

for your generosity last weekend

Parish Stewardship Offerings

Envelopes \$ 528.00 Credit Card \$ 290.00 Direct Debit \$ 1,285.00 Loose Plate \$ 952.55 Tap & Go \$ 90.00 Total \$ 3.145.55

BSB: 083-347

Account Number: 58 216 8515 Account Name: Port Melbourne /

Middle Park Parish

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Congratulations Brother Anacleto

We congratulate Brother Anacleto on his commitment to be a Carmelite for life, after many years of prayerful preparation, by making his Solemn Profession this weekend. We pray that he may continue to grow in love of God and love and service of the people of God.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church Gardens & Grounds

Many thanks to Maree Chalmers who, in addition to tending to the roses at St Joseph's Church grounds and caring for the Memorial Garden there so beautifully, has also pruned the roses around Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, including the Memorial Garden. This is very much appreciated.

Parish Meeting

All parishioners are invited to a meeting on Thursday 27 July at 7pm at St Joseph's Hall for general discussion on our parish's future, including our challenging financial situation. If you are unable to make it in-person but would like to participate by Zoom, please let us know you (Cathy@sj-mc.org.au or 9681 9600) and we will send you the log-in details.

Blessings for the week ahead.



CRISIS APPEAL FOR TIMOR LESTE





PLEASE DONATE

Help our team on the ground respond to the devastation & looming food shortage...

You'll help us:

- Purchase and distribute food and clean drinking water along with non-perishable food items and kitchen utensils for cooking
- Equip communities with the materials needed to rebuild homes, buildings, roads and other infrastructure
- Provide clothes, sanitation items, and other material aid for those in temporary shelters
- Respond to long term needs of the communities in the coming **months**

OUR LITURGY

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: IMMACULATE MARY

Verses 1, 2 and 4

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Text: 11 11 with refrain; anon. in Parochial Hymn Book, Boston, 1897; rev. of Hail Virgin of virgins by Jeremiah Cummings, 1814–1866, alt. Music: trad. Pyrenean melody; pub. Grenoble, 1882; alt. by Augustus Edmonds Tozer, 1857–1910.

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Refrain Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, glo-ry to God in the peace high - est. and on carth carth peace. on Last time To repeat good will. A men.

Verses

- We praise you,
 we bless you,
 we adore you,
 we glorify you,
 we give you thanks for your great glory,
 Lord God, heavenly King,
 O God, almighty Father.
- Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are scated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
- For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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FIRST READING

1 Kings 18:42b-45a

Elijah climbed to the top of Carmel and bowed down to the earth, putting his face between his knees. 'Now go up,' he told his servant 'and look out to the sea.' He went up and looked. 'There is nothing at all,' he said. 'Go back seven times,' Elijah said. The sev enth time, the servant said, 'Now there is a cloud, small as a man's hand, rising from the sea.' Elijah said, 'Go and say to Ahab, "Harness the chariot and go down before the rain stops you.""

And with that the sky grew dark with cloud and storm, and rain fell in torrents.

The word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 65 -- THE SEED THAT FALLS ON GOOD GROUND WILL YIELD A FRUITFUL HARVEST

Response: The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest.

You have visited the earth and watered it; greatly have you enriched it. God's watercourses are filled; you have prepared the grain. **Response**

Thus have you prepared the land: drenching its furrows, breaking up its clods, softening it with showers, blessing its yield. **Response**

You have crowned the year with your bounty, and your paths overflow with a rich harvest; the untilled meadows overflow with it, and rejoicing clothes the hills. **Response**

The fields are garmented with flocks and the valleys blanketed with grain. They shout and sing for joy. **Response**

SECOND READING

St Paul 4:4-7

When the appointed time came, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born a subject of the Law, to redeem the subjects of the Law and to enable us to be adopted as sons. The proof that you are sons is that God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts: the Spirit that cries, 'Abba, Father', and it is this that makes you a son, you are not a slave any more; and if God has made you son, then he has made you heir.

The word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



GOSPEL

John 19:25-27

Near the cross of Jesus stood his mother and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary of Magdaia. Seeing his mother and the disciple he loved standing near her, Jesus said to his mother, 'Woman, this is your son.' Then to the disciple he said, 'This is your mother.' And from that moment the disciple made a place for her in his home.

The Gospel of the Lord.

APOSTLES CREED:

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ. his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven. and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints. the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERTORY - FLOWER OF CARMEL

Flower of Carmel – Instrumental by Gabriel Anthony Doheny

Cel: The Lord be with you. All: And with your Spirit.

Cel: Lift up your hearts. All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Cel: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God. All: It is right and just.

LAMB OF GOD



Cel: Behold the Lamb of God.

Behold him who takes away the sins of the World. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: Lord I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

COMMUNION HYMN - HERE AT THIS TABLE

Refrain: Come and be filled here at this table.

Food for all who hunger And drink for all who thirst.

Drink of His love, wine of salvation.

You shall live forever in Jesus Christ the Lord

You who labour for justice, You who labour for peace, You who steady the plow

In the field of the Lord Refrain

Children of every color In every land, You are His own, He gathers you gently. Don't you grow weary, For when you run,

You run with the Lord!

Refrain



MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION



Text: ECEL, C 2010
Music: Man of Saint Ass, Ed Bolduc, C 2011, World Library Publications, a division of CEA Publications, Suc.

OUR FATHER



Text: 84 84 with refrain; Salve, Regina, mater misericordiae, ca. 1080; verses 1, 2, 5 and refrain tr. anon. in Roman Hymnal, 1884; verses 3, 4, 6, para. Music: Melchior Ludwig Herold, 1753–1810; Choralmelodien zum Heiligen Gesänge, 1808; arr. by Josh Blakesley.

THE PARISH OF PORT MELBOURNE AND MIDDLE PARK
IS COMMITTED TO THE SAFETY,
WELLBEING AND DIGNITY OF ALL CHILDREN,
YOUNG PEOPLE AND VULNERABLE ADULTS.