



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.*

TWELFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME - 23 June 2024

Life in the Kingdom of God ?

In Mark's Gospel the Kingdom is not something yet to come, it is a present reality. It is the presence and action (reign) of God among his people. That may not always be readily seen, but it is there none the less.

Last Sunday Mark used two parables to talk about the reality of the Kingdom. Over the next few Sundays he begins to talk about the mystery of the Kingdom present in Jesus and what living in the Kingdom requires. None of Mark's stories are about some awesome display of power. Mark's stories make it clear that Jesus is about saving human beings, healing them and calming hearts disturbed by life's storms. In Jesus is the power of life and liberation.

Sudden storms on Lake Galilee were well-known and still happen today.

Many of our 'boats' and those of our loved ones have been tossed about on turbulent seas since the sudden arrival of Coronavirus and everything that has happened since. Many of us know exactly the kind of fear and uncertainty that the disciples felt as they were tossed about in the darkness on the stormy lake in this Sunday's Gospel. Many may also feel that Jesus is asleep somewhere.

And yet, signs of Jesus are all about us: in people trying their best to look after others, to provide meals and shelter, to keep themselves and their loved ones safe, to work for peace in the midst of conflict to bring comfort and to pray.

Vulnerability is an uncomfortable experience. Mark helps us understand that life in the Kingdom begins with faith and confidence in God especially in the midst of epic struggles which threaten to overcome us.

The disciples' question is ours, too. Who is Jesus for us? A magician, a wonder-worker, or a person who found the way to let the reign of God's grace out of his heart and into the lives of those around him?

David Hofman, O.Carm. Celebrating at Home, Carmelite Communications, Melbourne

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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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Parish Website www.sj-mc.org.au

Carmelite Website
www.carmelites.org.au

Office Hours:

Tuesday - 9am - 4pm

Wednesday - 9am-4pm

Friday - 9am-12pm

(CLOSED MONDAYS & THURSDAYS)

Parish Priest

Fr Paul Cahill, OCarm

Parish Secretary

Cathy Garbellini

Pastoral Associate

Kelly McEnhill

Business Finance Manager

Mark Zanon

Sacramental Co-Ordinators

Baptism - Vacant

First Reconciliation - Sally Diserio

First Eucharist - Aimee Nguyen

Confirmation - Sally Diserio

Safeguarding Officer

Frances Correa

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Dave Fletcher

Galilee Regional Catholic Primary School

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THIS WEEK

Monday 24 June

9.00am Mass, St Joseph's

Tuesday 25 June

9.00am Mass, Mt Carmel

Wednesday 26 June

9.00am Mass, St Joseph's

Thursday 27 June

9.00am Mass, Mt Carmel

Friday 28 June

9.00am Mass, St Joseph's

Saturday 29 June

9.00am Mass, Mt Carmel

5.00pm Vigil Mass, Mt Carmel

Sunday 30 June

9.00am Mass, St Joseph's

10.30am Mass, Mt Carmel

WE REMEMBER

Those who are sick or ill and in need of prayer: Patrick Achiam, Deepa Ariff, Lawrence Bassett, Maurizio Bonizzoni, Grace Callaghan, Rita Colli, Mary Hong Cao, Mary Tam Cao, Shawn Caesar, Robert Chaminda, Mrs Chan, Josephine Clayton, Daphnie Cramer, Grace Cumming, Mary Dalli, Michael De Nittis, Anthony Dickason, Maureen Dickason, Leonie Dimes, Bernadette Falckh, Gigi Falk, Lyn Falk, Maria Fatima, Rebecca Fernando, Tony Fernandez, Father Des Fitzgerald CSSR, Jill Foster, John Fuller, Gus Gleason, Amelia Grace, Evelen Greach, Brendan Gurry, George Grzyb, Nova Hack, Bernardine Hagan, Christine Hall, Shawn Handricks, Darren Harland, Chin Hsia, Portia Hendrick, Carol Higginson, Jason Ho, Marija Jelinic, Sr Martin Jones, Teresa Kwol, Paul Chan Yin Leung, Margaret Lopes, Austin Lorraine, Les Lugowski, Christine Lyell, Maria Teresa Marques, Robert Masquiren, Ian MacLachlan, Maggie McKern, Marta Menjivar, Alba Middleton, Sam Neill, Maria Loc Nguyen, Caterina Orfanidis, Dan Quickley, Helen Quickley, Rafal Rafakski, Daphnie Rasika, Shawn Raymond, Dennis Rohan, Jill Ridge, Michael Risteviski, Keith Ryder, Chris Silkok, Ailbe Sheehy, Frankie Sheehy, Sash Carti Somerset-Beauverie, Dorothea Spencer, Jim Sullivan, Danielle Szeto, Diane Thakur, Angela Trigar, Ria Van Lith, Julieanne Wharton & Tami Yap.

Those who have died recently: Antonio Mattia

Those whose anniversaries of death occur about this time:

Christopher Gashi, Clare Agnes Keogh & Joan Mc Cann

IN OUR PARISH

Welcome to our Family

This Sunday, we welcome:

Lucia Ortisi

Grace Angela Reid

as they receive the

Sacrament of Baptism

at Our Lady of Mt Carmel.

*Please keep Lucia & Grace, their parents,
godparents & family in your prayers.*



Confirmation Enrolments

for Non Galilee Children close on **15 July 2024.**

Details of the Preparation Process and relevant dates are available at the bottom of the Home Page of the parish website: <https://sj-mc.org.au/>.



Our Lady of Mt Carmel Feast Day Mass, Sunday 14 July 2024, 10:30am

You are invited to remember all mothers, living and deceased at this mass.

If you would like any mothers remembered, please write their names on the intention sheets provided in the foyer of the church.

THANK YOU

for your generosity last weekend

Parish Stewardship Offerings

Envelopes	\$ 385.00
Credit Card	\$ 195.00
Direct Credit	\$ 636.95
Loose Plate	\$ 897.10
Tap & Go	\$ 345.00
Total	\$2,459.05



MINISTRIES

29/30 June 2024

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5.00pm Mount Carmel (Vigil)

Commentator: Abramo Ierardo

Reader: Des Collins

Offertory: Kevin Wilks

Communion: Abramo Ierardo

Sacristan: Kelly McEnhill

Music: Kelly McEnhill

9.00am St Joseph's

Commentator: Rob Lever

Reader: Tris Tanumihardjo

Offertory: Toni Stuart

Communion: Kelly Mc Enhill

Counters: Cathy Garbellini & Nova Hack

Music: Margaret Smith

Hospitality: Elaine Chaffer

Sacristan: Rob Winduss

10.30am Mount Carmel

Commentator: Sr. Reba Woodwiss

Reader: Sally Diserio

Offertory: Nina Batsakis

Communion: Denis Churkovich

Music: Peter Russo

Hospitality: Denis Churkovich

Sacristan: Peter Russo

Communion to the Sick:

Mary Brady: 1 Jul – 7 Jul

DONATIONS

Parish QR code

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Name: Port Melb / Middle Park Parish

Parish Website: www.sj-mc.org.au
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Dear sisters and brothers,

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As most people would be aware, we've wanted the opportunity to acknowledge Fr Hugh's dedicated service as Parish Priest for the nine years, 2013-2022, to thank him for his generous service and to wish him well in his retirement. Now that he has been cleared of the allegations which have dogged him since the end of 2022, we have that opportunity. In consultation with Hugh, we have decided that our Parish Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel on **Sunday 14 July** provides this opportunity. Fr Hugh will celebrate the **9am Mass at St Joseph's** that day and will join us for the **Spit Roast in St Joseph's Hall from midday**, during which Hugh will be formally acknowledged, thanked and wished well in retirement.

Blessings.



SAVE THE DATE

- **Sunday 14 July 2024 - The Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel** will be celebrated at all masses this weekend, with special intention for **Mothers** at **10:30am** at **Our Lady of Mount Carmel**.

A **Mid Year Parish Social** will follow at **12pm** at St Joseph's Hall, Port Melbourne, including formal acknowledgement of Fr Hugh's service as Parish Priest.

- **Saturday 20 July 2024 - Br Anacleto's Diaconate Ordination - 5pm** at **Our Lady of Mt Carmel**, followed by refreshments in the O'Connor-Pilkington Room.
- **Thursday, 1 August 2024 Parish Meeting - 7pm** at **St Joseph's Hall**.

Your legacy can create a future of Possibilities

Leaving a **Gift** in your Will is a personal choice of great importance. It's a generous gesture that will reflect your faith, beliefs and values well into the future.

By leaving a **gift to The Carmelites or the Parish** in your Will, your legacy can create a future of possibilities. Whether it is training young men to become priests and equipping them to become leaders of their communities, providing young Timorese people with hope for a better future through education, or supporting the ongoing mission of our Parish here in Port Melbourne-Middle Park, your gift will sustain our work and transform lives.

To find out more about leaving a **gift to the Carmelites** in your Will, contact on 9690 8822 or philanthropy@carmelites.org.au or pickup a booklet in the back of the church.

To find out more about leaving a **gift to The Parish** in your Will, contact the Parish Office (**9681 9600; parish@sj-mc.org.au**).



Luncheon for Our Lady of Mt Carmel Feast Day & Formal Acknowledgement of Fr Hugh's Service as Parish Priest

Date: Sunday 14 July 2024
Time: 12:00pm
Venue: St Joseph's Hall, Port Melbourne
Cost: \$25.00 per person

Come along and join us for a 2-Course Spit Roast Lunch to celebrate the **Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel** and to acknowledge Fr Hugh's Service as Parish Priest. This is a great mid-year event to celebrate this special occasion with the Carmelites and our parish community.

The two course sit-down lunch includes Roast Beef, Pork or Lamb and accompanying condiments, jacket potatoes and vegetables, followed by dessert, tea and coffee. This event is BYO. Vegetarian options will be available.

To book select one of the following methods:

- contact Cathy at the Parish Office (9681-9600 or cathy@sj-mc.org.au) & pay using the DONATE button on the Home page of the parish website (www.sj-mc.org.au)... be sure to select **LUNCH FEAST OLMC** and specify your **First name** and **Last name**.
- see **Carmel Collins** after the 5.00pm Mass at Mt Carmel.
- see **Brian Harrison** after the 9.00am Mass at St Joseph's
- see **Sally Diserio** after the 10.30am Mass at Mt Carmel

*For catering purposes, payment MUST be made by **Sunday 30 June 2024**.*

Retirement Gift for Fr Hugh Brown



If you would like to donate to a retirement gift for Fr Hugh, to be presented to him at the **Feast Day Luncheon**, you can give using one of the following methods:

- **In Person** - At a weekend mass, see Cathy or Kelly, or at the Parish Office, 274 Rouse Street, Port Melbourne.
- **Phone** - Call Cathy at the Parish Office on 9681 9600 and provide your credit or debit card details.
- **Parish Website** (www.sj-mc.org.au) - Via the DONATE button on the Homepage and select: **RETIREMENT GIFT FOR FR HUGH BROWN**

OUR LITURGY

PROCESSIONAL HYMN - GATHER YOUR PEOPLE

VERSES 3 & 4

Bob Hurd

Refrain

Gath-er your peo-ple, O Lord. Gath-er your
peo-ple, O Lord. One bread, one bod-y, one
spir-it of love. Gath-er your peo-ple, O Lord.

Verses

1. Draw us forth to the ta-ble of life;
2. We are parts of the bod-y of Christ,
3. No more harm on the moun-tain of God;
4. Wash us, Lord, in the wa-ters of life;

1. broth-ers and sis-ters, each of us called to
2. need-ing each oth-er, each of the gifts the
3. swords in-to plow-shares. Free us, O Lord, from
4. wa-ters of mer-cy, wa-ters of hope that

2 to Refrain

1. walk in your light.
2. Spir-it pro-vides.
3. hard-ness of heart.
4. flow from your side.

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GLORIA

MARTY HAUGEN

Refrain: Glory to God in the highest and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, Almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. **Refrain**

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. **Refrain**

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. Amen! **Refrain**

FIRST READING

Job 38:1. 8-11

From the heart of the tempest the Lord gave Job his answer.

He said:

Who pent up the sea behind closed doors
when it leapt tumultuous out of the womb,
when I wrapped it in a robe of mist
and made black clouds its swaddling bands;
when I marked the bounds it was not to cross
and made it fast with a bolted gate?
Come thus far, I said, and no farther:
here your proud waves shall break.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 107 - GIVE THANKS TO THE LORD (HIS LOVE IS EVERLASTING)

Response: Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting; his love is everlasting.

They who sailed the sea in ships, trading on the deep waters,
These saw the works of the LORD and his wonders, wonders in the abyss.

Response

His command raised up a storm wind which tossed its waves on high.
They mounted up to heaven; they sank to the depths; their hearts melted away
in their plight.

Response

They cried to the LORD in their distress; from their straits he rescued them,
He hushed the storm to a gentle breeze, and the billows of the sea were stilled.

Response

They rejoiced that they were calmed, and he brought them to their desired haven.
Let them give thanks to the LORD for his kindness and his wondrous deeds to
the children of men.

Response

SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 5:14-17

The love of Christ overwhelms us when we reflect that if one man has died for all,
then all should be dead; and the reason he died for all was so that living should
live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised to life for us.

From now onwards, therefore, we do not judge anyone by the standards of the
flesh. Even if we did once know Christ in the flesh, that is not how we know him
now. And for anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old creation
has gone, and now the new one is here.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

GOSPEL

Mark 4:35-41

With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion, asleep. They woke him and said to him, 'Master, do you not care? We are going down!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. Then he said to them, 'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith?' They were filled with awe and said to one another, 'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.'



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.

**Refrain: Take our bread, we ask you,
Take our hearts, we love you,
Take our lives, oh Father,
We are yours; we are yours.**

Yours as we stand at the table you set,
Yours as we eat the bread our hearts can't forget.
We are the signs of your life with us yet;
We are yours; we are yours. **Refrain**

Your holy people standing washed in your blood,
Spirit-filled, yet hungry, we await your food.
We are poor, but we brought ourselves the best we could.
We are yours; we are yours. **Refrain**

**All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands
for the praise and glory of his name,
for our good
and the good of all his holy Church. Amen.**

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.**

HOLY, HOLY

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Hosts.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again.

LAMB OF GOD

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

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 I AM, LORD

DAN SCHUTTE
VERSES 1 & 2

VERSES Majestically



1. I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo- ple cry.
2. I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo- ple's pain.
3. I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.



1. All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save. I who
2. I have wept for love of them. They turn a - way. I will
3. I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Fin-est



1. make the stars of night, I will make their dark-ness bright.
2. break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love a - lone.
3. bread I will pro- vide till their hearts be sat - is - fied.



1. Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send? ____
2. I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send? ____
3. I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send? ____

REFRAIN *a tempo*



Here I am, Lord ____ Is it I, Lord? ____ I have heard you



call- ing in the night ____ I will go, Lord ____ if you



lead me ____ I will hold your peo- ple in my heart ____

RECESSIONAL HYMN: HOW GREAT THOU ART

Oh Lord, my God
When I, in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder
Thy power throughout the universe displayed.

**Refrain: Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee
How great Thou art, how great Thou art
Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee
How great Thou art, how great Thou art**

When Christ shall come, with shouts of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart
Then I shall bow, in humble adoration
And then proclaim, my God, how great Thou art.

Refrain

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WELLBEING AND DIGNITY OF ALL CHILDREN,
YOUNG PEOPLE AND VULNERABLE ADULTS.**