

THE AFFILIATED PARISHES OF ST ANNE, ST BEDE & ST BRIDGET



Bulletin - 10 September 2023

StAnne's & StBede's

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PARISH STAFF

Parish Priest: Fr John Salvano **Assistant Priest**: Fr Vinh Do

Priest in Residence: Fr Kevin Lenehan **Parish Secretary for St Anne's & St Bede's**

Sara Lanza

Parish Secretary for St Bridget's

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Finance Officer: Kristina Slavec

SAFETY OF CHILDREN AND ALL VULNERABLE PEOPLE:

We hold the care, safety and wellbeing of children and all vulnerable people as a central and fundamental responsibility of our parish. The Parish Statement of Commitment and Reporting Process are on display in all churches and all Parish Policies are available on the website.

MORNING TEA THIS TUESDAY

Come along and join us for a convivial morning tea after the **9:15am Mass at St Bede's** next Tuesday 12th September.

All are welcome.

FOODBANK COLLECTION – Thank you!

Thank you for your incredibly generous support of the Asylum Seeker Resource Centre Foodbank collection. The total amount raised on 19/20th August was \$776.20.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

St Anne's: Wednesday at 9:30am, except for First Wednesday

of the month; First Tuesday of the month at 7.00pm **St Bede's**: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday at 9:15am;

Saturday at 9:00am

St Bridget's: First Wednesday of the month at 9.15am and every first Friday of the month at 8:30am (with Anointing)

WEEKEND MASSES The Sacrament of Reconciliation

St Anne's: 5pm St Bede's: after 9am Mass Saturday

St Bede's: 6pmSt Anne's: 4.30pm SaturdaySt Bridget's: 5pmSt Bridget's: 4.30pm Saturday

Sunday Exposition of the St Anne's: 10:30am Elessed Sacrament

St Bede's: 9am, 11am St Bede's: after 9.15am Mass Friday

St Bridget's: 10am Baptisms and Weddings St Joachim's: 8:30am Please contact parish office

St Bede's Church is open for private prayer:

Tuesdays - Fridays | 9am - 12pm



Safeguarding Sunday 2023

Mindful of the theme for National Child Protection Week, may we work to build and support safe communities for all people. You can find out more about the Church's work in this area at: catholic.au/s/article/safeguardingsunday2023

ANNUAL PARISH CHILD SAFETY REPORT

- There have been no incidents reported in our Affiliated Parishes over the past year.
- We are continuing to monitor possible risks.
- The Safeguarding Committee has held three meetings so far this year, and the next meeting will be with the Eastern Region Professional Safeguarding Unit Officer from CAM to submit our Safeguarding Assessment document, which is submitted annually.
- Child Safety training is required to be undertaken annually by all Clergy, Staff and Volunteers.
- All volunteers must hold a current Working with Children Check.

SAVE THE DATE: At St Bridget's Church on Tuesday 19th September at 7pm, Fr Kevin Lenehan will speak to: The World of Jesus; Key themes of Jesus' life and ministry; Following Jesus today. Don't miss this opportunity to hear Fr Kevin's thought provoking and interesting insights into the life of Jesus. Supper will be provided.

NOTE - DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP:

On **Tuesday 19**th **September**, The Divine Mercy Prayer Group <u>starting time will</u> move forward from 6.20pm to 6pm.
The group will then travel by car to Fr Kevin's talk (above) - <u>If anyone would like a lift from and returning to St Anne's (leaving at 6.35pm), please notify the Parish Office so this can be arranged.</u>

CHURCH MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Lectors & Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

We welcome interest in joining the Lector or/and Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist ministries at any of our Affiliated Churches. All volunteers require a Working with Children Check. (Parish staff can help in applying for one.) Please notify either Parish Office of your interest in joining a ministry by the end of September.



Training Session

Wednesday 4th October 2023 7:30pm – 8:30pm



St Bridget's Church (48 Sweyn St, Greythorn)

PRIESTS RETIREMENT FOUNDATION FATHER'S DAY COLLECTION

Thank you for your generous contributions towards this year's appeal. You may still donate using envelopes or via melbournecatholic.org.au/foundation

ROSTERS FOR 16/17 SEPTEMBER 2023

ST ANNE'S

Saturday 5pm

Lector: G Coulson Special Minister: L Lim

Sunday 10:30am Lector: | Collins

Special Minister: J Mutter

ST JOACHIM'S Sunday 8:30am

Lector: M Connell

St BEDE'S

Saturday 6pm Lector: V Tran

Special Minister: D Adi

Sunday 9am Lector: | Chin

Special Minister: Y Sulastrie

Sunday 11am Lector: C Le

Special Minister: Anthony DiStasio

ST BRIDGET'S

Saturday 5pm

Lector: B Shepherd

Special Minister: M Stewart

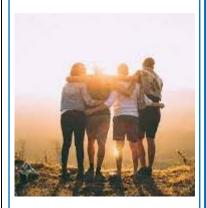
Sunday 10am Lector: V Brunton

Special Minister: J Hocking

Visiting the Sick

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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A 10 September 2023



First Reading: Ezekiel 33:7-9

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 94:1-2, 6-9

R: O that today you would listen to his voice!

Harden not your hearts.

Sung: If today you hear God's voice, harden not

your heart. (GA 55)

Second Reading: Romans 13:8-10

Gospel Acclamation: 2 Cor 5:19

Alleluia, Alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself; and the Good News of reconciliation he

has entrusted to us. **Alleluia!**

Gospel: Matthew 18:15-20

Mass Hymns

Entrance

All The Earth (GA 534)

Offertory

A New Commandment (GA 318)

Communion

Prayer Of St Francis (GA 490)

Recessional

The Summons (GA 502)

We pray for those who have died recently especially **Franco Paron** and **Therese Schnyder** and for all whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially **Breeta Kane, Joseph Giansiracusa, Bill Feagan, Betty Feagan** and **Alice (Betty) Pedley. May God reward their faith and lead them to the fullness of eternal life.**