

# THE AFFILIATED PARISHES OF **ST ANNE, ST BEDE & ST BRIDGET** Bulletin - 12 November 2023 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



# MASS AND LITURGY TIMES THIS WEEK: 14 - 19 NOVEMBER 2023

	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
St Anne		9:30am			Reconciliation: 4:30pm Vigil: 5pm	10:30am
St Bede	9:15am	Memorial Mass 7pm (All welcome)	9:15am	9:15am	9am Reconciliation: 9:30am Vigil: 6pm	9am 11am
St Bridget					Reconciliation: 4:30pm Vigil: 5pm	10am
St Joachim						8:30am

### **ST ANNE'S & ST BEDE'S**

Parish Office: 1 Severn St, Balwyn North Office Hours: Tuesday & Friday 9am-12pm; Wednesday & Thursday 9am-3.30pm Phone: 9401 6355 (In case of emergency 9401 6368) E-mail: <u>balwynnorthkeweast@cam.org.au</u> Website: parishofstanneandstbede.org.au

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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: Mario Landini Finance Officer: Kristina Slavec

### **SAFETY OF CHILDREN & 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.

## **READINGS AND HYMNS: 12 NOVEMBER 2023**

# 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time | Year A

First Reading: Wisdom 6:12-16

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 62:2-8

**R/Sung:** My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God. (GA 42)

Second Reading: 1 Thess 4:13-18

Gospel Acclamation: Mt 24:42, 44

Alleluia, Alleluia! Be watchful and ready: you know not when the Son of Man is coming. Alleluia!

Gospel: Matthew 25:1-13

#### MASS HYMNS

Entrance All The Ends (GA 420)

Offertory **Our Supper** Invitation (GA 202)

Communion We Remember (GA 446)

Recessional As A Fire Is Meant For Burning (GA 481)

## ---- SAVE THE DATES ----

St Bridget's past and present parishioners and school families and friends are invited to attend St Bridget's as we acknowledge the dedication of the teaching staff over the many years and farewell the students' classes of 2023.

Wednesday 6 December | 9:15am End of Year School Mass, followed by Morning tea in the hall.

Saturday 9 December | 4pm - 8pm Come and enjoy the festivities in the school grounds with food, games, drinks etc.

# PARISH NOTICES

## Sale of goods from anti-trafficking sewing centre, Kawthaung, Myanmar The Sisters of Our Lady of the Missions established the Anti-Trafficking Sewing Centre at Kawthaung, Myanmar with the support of St Bede's Parish in 2010.

The sewing project offers a six month basic sewing course and when the young women have graduated they are employed locally, establish their own sewing business or return to the workroom where they are paid a salary for the goods they make. The income they earn supports their families and prevents them from becoming victims of human trafficking.

At all Masses over this weekend there will be a sale of these goods made by the women in Myanmar. Myanmar continues to experience many challenges, particularly with the military coup, however the sewing workroom is also a safe work environment for these young women and contributes to their sustainability. All funds from the sale of these goods go directly to the women.

We pray for the people of Myanmar at this difficult time.

## **November Memorial Mass**

A Memorial Mass will be held on **Wednesday 15 November at 7:00pm at St Bede's Church**, as we remember family members and friends who have passed away over the past year. All Welcome.

## Encompass Young Adult Group

Join us at the next Encompass social event for a fun night of trivia and mini games! We'll be gathering at St Bede's School Hall on **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November at 6:30pm**. Dinner provided. Please RSVP your attendance here: <u>https://forms.gle/QySeg2T8MiBuMLg77</u>

For more information, contact Sophie: <u>Sophie.Zebrowski@cam.org.au</u>

# Anointing Mass & Lunch

All Parishioners are invited to attend our Affiliated Parishes Anointing Mass and Lunch on:

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023; 11am Mass at St Bridget's Church, followed by lunch in St Bridget's Hall.

Please RSVP via the clipboards in the Church foyer or to the Parish Offices via phone/email.

# 2023 CTC Knox Public Lecture

**"Truth and Peace: Timeless Twins"** Presented by Dr Susan Connelly RSJ Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm Live video stream via Zoom <u>trybooking.com/CMYVM</u> Enquiries: 9412 3333

We pray for those who have died recently especially Maria Briffa, Dennis Grace, John Presutti, Rowan Webster, Dr Fionan O Griffin and Gina Pivato and for all whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially Aileen Brennan, Fr Maurice Catarinich, Ong Boe Kee, Arthur & Teresa Stephenson, Winchell Mendes and Thomas Hanh Truong. May God reward their faith and lead them to the fullness of eternal life.

ST ANNE	ST BEDE	ST BRIDGET	
Saturday 5pm	Saturday 6pm	Saturday 5pm	
Lector: S Rajanayagam	Lector: A Beuchat	Lector: V Borg	
Special Minister: <i>M Lanki</i>	Special Minister: R Pingitore	Special Minister: A Mariampillai	
Sunday 10:30am	Sunday 9am	Sunday 10am	
Lector: <i>M Murphy</i>	Lector: <i>M John</i>	Lector: S Hii	
Special Minister: J Mutter	Special Minister: Y Sulastrie	Special Minister: Mary Buxton	
ST JOACHIM Sunday 8:30am Lector: S Parsons	Sunday 11am Lector: J D'Souza Special Minister: S Lanza	Visiting the Sick Josette Hocking	

## **ROSTERS FOR 18/19 NOVEMBER 2023**