

CATHOLIC PARISH OF MELBOURNE and CASTLE DONINGTON

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LITURGICAL YEAR: SUNDAY B / WEEKDAY 2

READINGS:

This Week: 16th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME: Jeremiah 23:1-6; Psalm 22; Ephesians 2:13-18; Mark 6:30-34.

Next week: 17th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME: 2 Kings 4:42-44; Psalm 144; Ephesians 4:1-6; John 6:1-15.

MASSES & LITURGIES

Saturday, July 21 st	5.00 pm Castle Donington	VIGIL MASS	Annie & Jakey O'Neil RIP
Sunday, July 22 nd	9.00 am Castle Donington 10.30 am Melbourne	16 th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME	People of the Parish
Monday July 23 rd	9.00 am Melbourne	St. Bridget	Peter & Toni Lothian RIP
Tuesday July 24 th	6.00 pm Castle Donington		-
Wednesday July 25 th	9.00 am Melbourne	St. James	
Thursday, July 26 th	6.00 pm Castle Donington		
Friday, July 27 th	NO MASS	-	-
Saturday, July 28 th	5.00 pm Castle Donington	VIGIL MASS	
Sunday, July 29 th	9.00 am Castle Donington 10.30 am Melbourne	17 th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME	People of the Parish

RETIRING COLLECTIONS: Last week's retiring collection for Peter's Pence amounted to £172.91.



CLASSES FOR INTENDING CATHOLICS: In the past few years, several people have taken instruction with a view to being received into the Catholic Church. I propose giving a course this year for people to be received at the Easter Vigil next year, April 20th, 2019.

This is the last such course I will be giving in this parish. If you miss this opportunity, then you will be taught by another priest.

Should you wish to take advantage of this offer, please let Father Anthony know.

The course will begin in the Autumn and will not be every week. The evening on which the sessions will take place is to be decided when we know who the participants are and when they are available.

So far, we have 3 people who wish to take part.

THANK YOU OF THE WEEK: To all who helped with and supported the Chocolate Bingo, which raised £200 for parish funds.



COFFEE MORNING: Melbourne, next Saturday 28th July, 10.00 to 12.00 noon. We are desperate for more volunteers. If you would like to go on the rota, please tell Helen Payne.

100 CLUB: Latest winners: 1st No 59 Margaret Sutton; 2nd No 80 John Harrison; 3rd No 88 John Harrison.



OPERA TOUR 2019: Details are now available for the annual Opera Tour organised by Fr. Anthony. The dates are February 21st - 27th. If you are interested, please ask Fr. Anthony for a brochure.

THE SICK: Pray for the recovery of our parishioners, family members and friends who are ill, including Sylvia Bellamy, Joan Beswick, Frank Hatley, Kath Dingley, Brian Sutcliffe, Edwin Knight, Robert Burns, Colette McGuckin, Roseanne Kelly, Rosia Williams, Harry Walker, Henry Wilkins and our parishioners in care homes.



PRAY FOR: The repose of the souls of Audrey Franklin, Frank Briers, George Baker, Terence Whitney, Norton Adkin, Connie Frayne, Ann Ranson, Elizabeth Sylvester and Percy Watts, whose anniversaries are this week.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

August

7th Pool Cottage Service [M]
25th Parish Barbecue [M]

September

15/16th Melbourne Festival

October

5th Tapas Evening [CD]
28th Remembrance Walk [M]

November

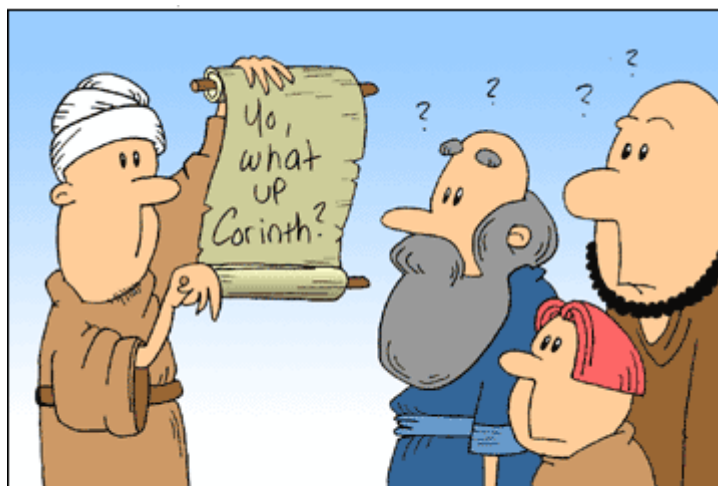
TBA Wine Tasting Evening [CD]

December

1st Christmas Cracker Coffee Morning [CD]



ONLY JOKING:



Thanks to Nate Engen
ONE OF PAUL'S LESSER KNOWN EPISTLES

POPEQUOTE: *I prefer a church which is bruised, hurting and dirty because it has been out on the streets, rather than a church which is unhealthy from being confined and from clinging to its own security.*

