

CATHOLIC PARISH OF MELBOURNE and CASTLE DONINGTON

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LITURGICAL YEAR: SUNDAY B / WEEKDAY 2

READINGS:

This Week: 20th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME: Proverbs 9:1-6; Psalm 33; Ephesians 5:15-20; John 6:51-58.

Next week: 21st SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME: Joshua 24:1-18; Psalm 33; Ephesians 5:21-32; John 6:60-69.

MASSES & LITURGIES

Saturday, August 18 th	5.00 pm Castle Donington	VIGIL MASS	Harry Walker RIP
Sunday, August 19 th	9.00 am Castle Donington 10.30 am Melbourne	20 th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME	People of the Parish Gordon Bellamy RIP
Monday August 20 th	9.00 am Melbourne	St. Bernard	Kath Dingley [ill]
Tuesday August 21 st	NO MASS		
Wednesday August 22 nd	9.00 am Melbourne		
Thursday, August 23 rd	6.00 pm Castle Donington		
Friday, August 24 th	NO MASS	-	-
Saturday, August 25 th	5.00 pm Castle Donington	VIGIL MASS	Josie & Fred Allen RIP
Sunday, August 26 th	9.00 am Castle Donington 10.30 am Melbourne	21 st SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME	People of the Parish Norah Madden RIP



BAPTISM: We welcome baby Oliver Perkins into our Christian Community today as he is baptised in Melbourne. Congratulations to him, his parents and little brother.

CLASSES FOR INTENDING CATHOLICS: A course for people who wish to be received into full communion with the Church at the Easter Vigil next year, April 20th, 2019.

The first session is on **Monday, September 24th at 7.00 pm, in the Rectory in Melbourne.**

On average there will be one session per month.

If you would like to take advantage of this course, please let Father Anthony know.



THANK YOU OF THE WEEK: To our kind parishioners who have been visiting and supporting our several parishioners who are in hospital or housebound.



ANNUAL FAMILY BARBECUE

in our Melbourne church garden

Saturday, August 25th

Cooking begins at 7.00 pm.

Adults £6, Child £3

Family tickets (2 adults & 2+ children) £15

Please sign up on the list at the back of church to bring salads and desserts for sharing

LAST CALL FOR TICKETS - ticket only entry

RED MISSION BOXES: If you have a red mission box in your home, it's time to bring it in to be emptied and your donation sent to the missions.



WEBMASTER or WEBMISTRESS: There must be lots of IT talent in the parish. We need someone who will take over the care of our parish website. Once the site has been updated, the upkeep will not be onerous. Fr. Anthony uploads the bulletin onto the website every week but that's about the limit of his IT expertise. If you'd like to take charge of our website, please let Fr. Anthony know.

THE SICK: Pray for the recovery of our parishioners, family members and friends who are ill, including Geraldine Taylor, Sylvia Bellamy, Frank Hatley, Kath Dingley, Brian Sutcliffe, Edwin Knight, Jean Wilson, Robert Burns, Colette McGuckin, Roseanne Kelly, Rosia Williams, Susan Virtue, Beryl Murrant and our parishioners in care homes.



PRAY FOR: The repose of the souls of Wladyslaw Pojnar, Kathleen Garratt, Michael English, Peggy Cullen, Kathleen Donovan, Walter Kerr, Paddy Coughlan, Sean McKiernan, Philip Gleeson, Gordon Bellamy, Margaret Wilkins and Philomena Lilley, whose anniversaries are this week.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

August

25th Parish Barbecue 7.00 pm [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:



POPEQUOTE:

We are in front of a global scandal of around one billion people who still suffer from hunger today.

We cannot look the other way and pretend this does not exist. The food available in the world is enough to feed everyone.

The parable of the multiplication of the loaves and fish teaches us exactly this: that if there is the will, what we have never ends.

On the contrary, it abounds and does not get wasted.