



THE COMBINED CATHOLIC PARISHES OF KYNETON & TRENTHAM

revealing the Kingdom together ...

Isaiah 6:1-8
1 Corinthians 15: 1-11
Luke 5: 1-11

Here I am! Send me..
I preach what they preach, and this is what you believe.
They left everything and followed him.

Jeremiah 17: 5-8
1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20
Luke 6:17, 20-26

Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C ~ 10th February, 2019

Reflection

Peter was a fisherman. Jesus had been brought up in a carpenter's household. Jesus tells Peter when and how to fish. This gets under Peter's skin. He tells Jesus a few facts of life about night fishing on the Lake of Gennesaret. But, he gives in to this landlubber's directive and casts out the nets and hauls in a very good catch.

Jesus wants to come into the rhythm of our ordinary workaday lives. Surprising things may then happen. You may be commissioned by Our Lord Jesus Christ to become 'fishers of men', fishers of human beings. But don't fishermen fish the fish out of the sea and kill them?

Is being caught up in the net of Christianity to be a deadening experience? Having this in mind, St Luke used a word for netting fish for an aquarium. We who have been caught up in the net of Christianity are meant to be more alive than ever, 'fully alive'. The best analogy I can think of is the stranding of pods of whales, thrashing around in the shallows, barely existing, doomed unless saved. People go down and put slings under them and haul them into deeper water.

We could pause a moment to thank God that we have been guided into the life-giving waters of baptism, and for the strength to help others swim into the Oceanic depths of Divine Love.

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Today's Psalm: Psalm 137:1-5,7-8

**In the sight of the angels I will sing
your praises, Lord.**

I thank you, Lord, with all my heart,
you have heard the words of my mouth.
Before the angels I will bless you.
I will adore before your holy temple.

I thank you for your faithfulness and love
which excel all we ever knew of you.
On the day I called, you answered;
you increased the strength of my soul.

All earth's kings shall thank you
when they hear the words of your mouth.
They shall sing of the Lord's ways;
'How great is the glory of the Lord!'

You stretch out your hand and save me,
your hand will do all things for me.
Your love, O Lord, is eternal,
discard not the work of your hands.

**In the sight of the angels I will sing
your praises, Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Come follow me, says the Lord, and I will make you fishers of my people.

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Our combined Parishes Vision

We, the family of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish and St Mary Magdalen Parish are people of God, loved unconditionally by God. We are called into a communion of life and love with Jesus Christ, who impels us to deepen our relationship with each other and with all people without distinction or favouritism. We are inspired by the Holy Spirit of God to use our gifts in the service of others and as stewards of creation. We are committed to the protection of all children, young and vulnerable people. Their inherent dignity is respected and nurtured within our safe parish environs as their fundamental right. This is particularly so for the most vulnerable children, including Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander children, children from culturally and/or linguistically diverse backgrounds, and children with special needs.

Parish Contact details

Office hours for the Parish Pastoral and Administration Center are

Tues to Fri from 10.00am to 4.00pm.

Phone: 5422 1261 email: kyneton@cam.org.au

Web: www.cam.org.au/kynetontrentham

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Sat: 6.00pm (Kyneton)

Sun: 8.30am (Trentham)

Sun: 10.30am (Kyneton)

BLACKWOOD: (St Malachy's)

Sunday of Long Weekends at 4.00pm

Masses during the Week

Tuesday 12th Feb 5.00pm OLR KYN

Wednesday 13th Feb 9.30am OLR KYN

Wednesday 13th Feb 7.00pm OLR KYN

MBOB Mass for deceased colleagues.

Thursday 14th Feb 9.00am OLR KYN

Friday 8th Feb 9.30am OLR KYN

Saturday 9th Feb 9.00am OLR KYN

SACRAMENTS

PENANCE (Reconciliation)

Kyneton—Saturday 9.30am and 5.15pm

BAPTISMS

Meet with Father

4th Tuesday at 9.30am or 7.00pm

Ceremony:

2nd Sunday (Welcome)

3rd Sunday (PERFERED)

EACH DURING 10.30 MASS

MARRIAGES -Six months notice

Melbourne Catholic

Available on the table at the back.

Plenary Council 2020 – Listen to what the Spirit is saying.

Have your say by Wednesday 6 March.

The first stage of preparations for the Plenary Council 2020 concludes on Ash Wednesday, 6 March. It's not too late for you to participate!

We are invited to reflect on the question: ***“What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?”***

As we've all been a bit shy at attending the gatherings in the Parish, there is now a “suggestion” box at the back of OLR Church. Anonymously or not, you can leave your thoughts, and they will form the basis of our combine Parish's submission.

If you don't say they won't hear.

Rite of Welcome

Today at 10.30 Mass at OLR the Rite of Welcome for our RCIA Catechumen will take place.

We are all asked to remember Amanda and her family in our prayers as she enters this joyful phase of her faith journey.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

In the time leading up to Easter this year we are hoping to encourage people to volunteer to undertake training and guidance for the role of Eucharistic Ministers. Please think about the extraordinary way that you can contribute to the celebration of Mass, and don't dismiss yourself as not worthy because we are all worthy before God. As soon as we have an indication of numbers and where (St MM or OLR), dates and times will be set for training. Next weekend there will be a folder at the back of each Church to register your interest.

MBOB

Please set aside Wednesday the 13th of February at 7.00pm for the Mass to celebrate the lives our deceased MBOB. The 1st meeting of the year will follow in the Parish Centre.

ASRC

Asylum Seeker Resource Centre Food and Goods collection will be next weekend. Especially needed are: black tea in bags, healthy breakfast cereal, tinned fish in oil, coconut cream, basmati rice, tinned tomatoes, tinned chickpeas, shampoo, honey, pots & pans in good condition. This may be the only access to a grocery store that some Asylum Seekers have.

Diary Dates February 2019

26th February Wednesday - Baptismal Meeting—9.30am or 7.00pm Parish Centre

27th February Wednesday - Combined Parishes Finance Committee—7.00pm Parish Centre

Columban Mission—Peru—Welcome back Fr Joe

Columban Missionaries first began their work in Peru in 1951 and continue working throughout the country today. While Peru is a beautiful country, rich in culture and history and was once the centre of the Incan Empire, over 44% of the population currently lives below the poverty line. Many of those living in dire poverty are children.

In Peru, the Columbans continue to work mainly in parishes within areas of poverty and where the dignity of life hasn't been respected. From this parish base their principal focus is the striving to promote and empower lay leadership with co-responsibility in Church and Peruvian society. Recently four parishes have been handed over to diocesan clergy. And one young Columban has been ordained and another hopefully next year.

During his first assignment in Peru Fr Joe established a well needed medical centre that the *Ministry for Health* has now taken ownership of, ensuring its longevity. Other Columban projects demonstrate the commitment of their work with vulnerable populations; abused children (St Bernadette's), children with special needs (Manuel Duato Special Needs School), people living with HIV (Si, DA VIDA), families and children living in situations of poverty and vulnerability (Warmi Huasi), adults with special needs (ASPHAD), care for the environmental (The Happy Worm, right up Fr Joe's alley).

Fr Joe's first mission in Peru was spent mainly within the city limits of Lima. Now his up in the Sierra – the mountain hinterland. So watch this space as the grass will won't grow under those feet. If the fancy takes you, you can help Fr Joe with his work two ways – remember him always in your prayers and if you want to financially support his work

BSB: 083 347 Account: 669821345

Name of account holder: Fr Joe Ruys

REF:Project Peru

The third way is to prayer for the Melbourne Football Club.



Child Safe Standards

Our parishes have a dedicated phone number for your use if you have any concerns regarding the safety of children or vulnerable people in our communities. **This number is 0478 850 754.**

Our Child safety Officer is Ben Donnelly. Our policies are accessible on the combined parishes' web page.

Our team is: Ben Donnelly, Peta Weston, & Norm Prest .

Always believe, and never doubt. If a child tells you they've experienced something that has made them feel unsafe, listen to them, believe them, and don't judge or pry for more information. With their permission, seek help from someone else or from a professional. Reporting of child abuse is mandatory for anyone who is a registered medical practitioner, a nurse or midwife, a teacher, school principal, or police officer, but beholden on all of us.

Fr Declan O'Brien
Parish Priest

Daniel Bermingham
Principal

Mrs Rosalie White
Trentham Liaison
Parishioner

Moira Kopke
Book Keeper /
Secretary

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK : 11th Feb Our Lady of Lourdes, 14th Feb St Cyril & St Methodius

Hymns for Today: Trentham: 90 182

Hymns for Today: Kyneton: 90 26 185 130

Next week's rosters 16th & 17th February 2019

	Sat 6.00pm In Kyneton	Sun 8.30am In Trentham	Sun 10.30am In Kyneton
Lectors:	Kerri Ruff Sr Madeline	Tony Van Rensburg	Aileen Riordan Martin McKenna
Communion Assistance:	Roley Sandilands Paul Ruff	Curtis Sinatra Janet Sims	Ben Donnelly Gabrielle Donnelly Margaret Lynch
Procession of Gifts:	Kieran McGrath Jane McGrath	K & B O'Connell	Bev Lynch Dot Tranter
Welcome Before Mass:	Elaine Barron	Greg Summers	Gabrielle Donnelly
Altar Linen Trentham	Janet Sims	Flowers Trentham	Reeves Family
Altar Linen Kyneton	Frances Harper (17th February)	Flowers Kyneton	Sandra Reaper (15th February)

ROSARY STATUE Kyneton 10th Feb Kevin Walsh 17th Feb Trish Bowe
Trentham 10th & 17th Feb Alan Reeves 24th Feb & 3rd March Janet Sims

ALTAR SERVERS: All are welcome. Please try to arrive 10mins before Mass starts.

Children's Liturgy—During School Term

Kyneton Leaders - Tandra Vardon, Bryanna Sandercock,
Josie Rutledge 0439743865 any enquires

Trentham Leader Some Sundays during the school term - Janet Sims

The Prayers of the Faithful: 16th & 17th February Margaret Lynch

Bulletin Folding: 15th February Irene & Laurie Marshall

Audio Visual Operators: 16th February Michelle & Mia Cox

17th February Nadine Stanton

Cooks Who Care : February: Kelly McArdle, Moira Kopke, Jane McGrath

Sick: Elizabeth Hutton, Patty Mullins, Antonia Callus, Patricia Callus,
Chantel McIntyre, Austin Yeoman Judy Hansford and Marie-Noele Randon
Remember, we pray for ALL the sick at every Mass.

Recent Deaths: Fr John Cummins (IRE)

Anniversaries: Dookie Doyle

Weekly Giving (Parish Support) - Trentham and Kyneton Parishes(03/02/2019)

Have your Credit Card details changed recently? To avoid difficulties, please let the parish office know.

PRESBYTERY-SUPPORT OF THE PARISH PRIEST-1ST COLLECTION

TRENTHAM: (L.M.) \$230.75 **KYNETON: (L.M.) \$ 376.70**

(C.C. & D.D.) \$ 22.50 **(C.C. & D.D.) \$ 50.00**

TOTAL: \$253.25 **TOTAL: \$ 426.70**

THANKSGIVING-UP KEEP OF THE PARISH-2ND COLLECTION

TRENTHAM: Pledge per Week \$441.00 **KYNETON: Pledge per Week \$1,626.00**

(Envelopes): \$203.00 **(Envelopes): \$ 794.00**

(C.C. & D.D.): \$ 76.00 **(C.C. & D.D.): \$ 694.00**

(L.M.): \$110.95 **(L.M.): \$ 71.95**

TOTAL : \$389.95 **TOTAL: \$1,559.95**

YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT OF THE PARISH PRIEST AND THE PARISH IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED.

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TRENTHAM PARISH

Barry's Reef, Blackwood
East Trentham, Fern Hill
Little Hampton, Lyonville,
Newbury, North
Blackwood, Spring Hill,
Trentham, Tylden

KYNETON PARISH

Bald Hill, Barfold, Baynton,
Blackhill, Carlsruhe,
Denver, Drummond East,
Metcalf, East Pastoria,
Edgecombe, Emberton,
Green Hill, Kyneton,
Langley, Lauriston,
Malmsbury, North
Drummond, Pastoria
Pipers Creek, Sidonia &
Taradale

Welfare

St. Mary Magdalen's
Op Shop

Bridge Street Trentham in
St. Mary Magdalen
Church Hall

Hours: Wed & Sat
10-3pm
Contact:

0423 854319

The Preloved Pedlar

136 Mollison Street
Kyneton

Opposite Kyneton
Town Hall

To donate goods or for
assistance please phone
the Shop: 5422 7134

or email:
prelovedpedlarolr@gmail.com

Cooks who Care

Please Contact:
Parish Office
54221261

We Care

For help of any sort please
contact one of our
coordinators;

Kyneton

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Dorothy 0411454258

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