



THE COMBINED CATHOLIC PARISHES OF KYNETON & TRENTHAM

revealing the Kingdom together ...

Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4
Timothy 1: 6-8, 13-14
Luke 17: 5-9

The just will live by faithfulness.
Never be ashamed of witnessing the Lord.
If you had faith.

2 Kings 5: 14-17
2 Timothy 2: 2: 8-13
Luke 17: 5-9

Twenty-Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time Year C ~ 6th October, 2019

Reflection

How much faith does one have to have? How much faith is enough? How is it possible to measure one person's faith against another?

When the disciples asked Jesus to increase their faith, what exactly were they asking of him? These fishermen and nobodies chosen as disciples by Jesus must surely have had moments of realisation that they were not the sorts of young men normally chosen by Rabbis to be disciples. They must have looked around at the disciples of other teachers and seen that, by comparison, they weren't really in the same league. So they ask Jesus to increase their faith. What they're saying is: make us more like the sorts of people we think we should be. Jesus counters their request by telling them that if they had faith the size of a tiny mustard seed they could accomplish great things. It's not a matter of how much faith one has but what they do with it. How much faith does it take to do great things? Jesus says that it only takes the tiniest scrap of faith.

Jesus follows up this statement by pointing out to the disciples that no matter how small the amount of faith, it carries with it a responsibility and duty to act upon it. One shouldn't be looking for acclaim and special treatment when one acts out of faith as that is simply what is expected. The gift of faith carries with it a duty to live that faith and act upon it.

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Today's Psalm: *Psalm 94: 1-2, 6-9*

**If today you hear his voice,
harden not your hearts.**

Come, ring out our joy to the Lord;
hail the rock who saves us.
Let us come before him, giving thanks,
with songs let us hail the Lord.

Come in; let us bow and bend low;
let us kneel before the God who made us
for he is our God and we
the people who belong to his pasture,
the flock that is led by his hand.

O that today you would listen to his voice!
'Harden not your hearts as at Meribah,
as on that day at Massah in the desert
when your fathers put me to the test;
when they tried me, though they saw my work.'

**If today you hear his voice,
harden not your hearts.**

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

The word of the Lord stands forever; it is the word given to you, the Good News.

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 favoritism. 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 4.00pm

Masses during the Week

Monday	7th October	9.30am OLR KYN
Tuesday	8th October	5.00pm OLR KYN
Wednesday	9th October	9.30am RM Begg
Thursday	10th October	9.00am OLR KYN
Friday	11th October	9.30am OLR KYN
Saturday	12th October	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 (PREFERRED)

EACH DURING 10.30 MASS

MARRIAGES -Six months notice

Combined Parish Finance Committee

- Monthly Meeting

Wednesday 23rd October, 7.00pm
Parish Centre

The Reception of Holy Communion.

There is a tendency among some members of our congregation, to “dip” or “self instinct” the consecrated host in the chalice. In keeping with Christ’s command to take and eat and to take and drink, and consistent with the Church’s tradition that the Sacrament be ministered, the practice of dipping fingers with the consecrated host in the chalice can also lead to other hygiene issues. I would therefore, ask you please desist from the practice. Thank you.

Australian Catholic Bishop’s Commission for Liturgy
“Guidelines on the Reverent Reception of Holy Communion”, July 2018.

General instruction of the Roman Missal #282
Fr. Daniel Declan O’Brien

Feast of St Francis of Assisi

To mark the feast of St Francis of Assisi the Anglican and Catholic Parishes of Kyneton will combined for “Blessing of the Animals” -

Sunday 13th October 12 Noon

A community 'Blessing of the Animals' in St Paul's Park, Piper Street Kyneton.

All creatures great and small are welcome. Photos of beloved deceased pets or toy animals are also welcome.

GLOBAL ROSARY Sunday 13th October

In October last year, the world united in publicly praying the Rosary in 56 countries on six continents, including Australia. The Global Rosary will again be prayed this year—for world peace, penance and reparation for the world—Sunday 13 October: Rosary across Australia and the world.

The Feast of Our Lady of Fatima.

This is an invitation to each of us to take a moment, reflect upon the state of our global family, and ask for the intercession of one of our patrons

Our Lady of the Rosary.

Sacrament of Baptism

Today we celebrate the Baptism of Lola Sloan McAuliffe.

We remember in our prayers, Lola, her parents, Godparents and extended family, at this special time in their lives.

Congratulations Lola, and welcome to our Faith Community.



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.

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 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.

The Archdiocese is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.

Pre-loved Pedlar – AGM

The Annual General Meeting of the Pre-loved Pedlar will be held following 10.30am Mass on Sunday 13 October in the Malmsbury Chapel. If you have even had the slightest thought about volunteering at the Pedlar this maybe the opportunity to see what the Pre Loved Pedlar is about. You can ask questions of the Committee of Management without pressure or obligation. And there will probably be a cup of tea and a biscuit. All are very welcome

Child Safe Standards

2014/15 were the first years that Working With

Children's Check were taken up in our Parishes, so therefore a number of the original checks will be expiring. If you have a WWCC could you please check it's expiry date. The need to keep these cards up to date is of the utmost importance. If you are new to

Volunteering—via our latest Renewal Programme—the Parishes need to have a copy of your existing check, and you need to link the Parish to that card. If you do not have a WWCC it is essential that you have one. You can do this online, or the Parish Office will take care of it for you, just come in between 10.00 and 4.00 Tuesday to Friday. There is no charge for volunteers.

New volunteers may also need a National Police Check, this depends in what areas' of the Parish you are working, the Office will advise you. This check can also be completed online or the Parish Office, the cost will be borne by the Parishes.

VMCH Villa Maria Catholic Homes have issued a general invitation to all Parishioners to the open day to celebrate the completion of McAuley, Trentham.

The Open Day will be Friday the 18th October from 11.00am to 1.00pm.

There will be a display unit open for browsing, and you can have a good old sticky beck. Light refreshments will be served in the Community Rom of the Village. It's taken the best part of 5 years but the Village has happened. The partnership between VMCH and the Parish of St Mary Magdalen's will go along way to securing the financial viability of the Trentham Parish. For those residents already in the Village, congratulations and we hope that the lifestyle of village living is all that you want it to be.

As the eye can see the Kyneton's Marcellin Village (a great recognition of our Marist Brothers history) is quickly taking shape. The anticipated completion date is March 2020.

RCIA

The next round of sessions for the RCIA (specifically for those seeking to receive the Easter Sacraments) will begin on **9th October at 7.00pm**. Other sessions will be on: **October 16th, 23th and 30th**. Anyone who wishes to further explore their Catholic Faith in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere is welcome to attend, even if they are not making the journey to Baptism and/or Confirmation at Easter. This informal exploration of Faith was something that was raised during our recent Time and Talent renewal, so here is an opportunity for you to express and listen to matters of faith. The sessions are moderated by Paul Marson a learned man of faith and a valued member of our Parishes. This is the "General Sharing Time" before the more formal stages which commence in Advent. If you would like to attend, please let the office know so that we can decide where these sessions will be held.

Raffle

The combined School and Parish Fete is the major fundraising effort for the Parishes, contributing around \$3,500.00 to the general funds, the Fete is now to be held every second year and the next one will be in 2020. As such our major effort in 2019, separate from the School, will be a raffle. We have planned to conduct the raffle in the lead up to Advent and Christmas. We would appreciate your help once again by selling tickets. Tickets will be available next weekend—5th & 6th October, a book of 10 @ \$2.00 each, and the raffle will be drawn on the 1st December at the "Cuppa" after 10.30 Mass.

Please accept a book of tickets and return when convenient. Thankyou.

1st Prize: Fuel to the value of \$1,000.00 (B.P. outlet)

2nd Prize: Voucher from Betta Home Living to the value of \$400.00

3rd Prize: Trailer of Wood (Donated by Marist Brothers)

There will be a number of other smaller prizes.

And a special thankyou prize for the person who sells the most books.

Feast Day of Our Lady of the Rosary

Monday the 7th October (tomorrow) is the feast of the patron of our Kyneton Parish , and to recognise this special day Mass will be celebrated on

Monday (tomorrow) at 9.30 am.

Fr Declan O'Brien
Parish Priest

Daniel Bermingham
Principal

Mrs Rosalie White
Trentham Liaison
Parishioner

Moira Kopke
Book Keeper /
Secretary

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK : 7th October Our Lady of the Rosary, 9th St Denis & St John Leonardi,
11th St John XX111

Hymns for Today: Kyneton: 76 Servant Song 63 170

Next Week's Rosters: 12th & 13th October 2019

	Sat 6.00pm In Kyneton	Sun 8.30am In Trentham	Sun 10.30am In Kyneton
Lectors:	Kerri Ruff Paul Marson	Janet Sims	Aileen Riordan Darren Egberts
Communion Assistance:	Karl Turang Lindy Priest Martin Bourke	Curtis Sinatra Alan Reeves	Kevin Lynch Jenny Taylor Alan Bush
Procession of Gifts:	Pat Butterworth Peter Butterworth	Buttigieg Family	Smoores Family
Welcome Before Mass:	Anne McCarthy	Moira Bourke	Robert Scott
Altar Linen Trentham	Janet Sims	Flowers Trentham	Gloria Brown
Altar Linen Kyneton	Margaret Leahy (14th October)	Flowers Kyneton	As per Roster (11th October)

ROSARY STATUE

Kyneton
Trentham

6th October Terry Morley
6th & 13th October C & G Brown

13th October Leonie Brown
13th & 20th October Alan Reeves

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: 12th & 13th October Lindy Priest
Bulletin Folding: 11th October Trish Bowe
Audio Visual Operators: 12th October Rosemary Scarlett
13th October Nadine Stanton

Cooks Who Care : October: Sam Seqeria, Di Semmens & Sandra Brajevic
IF YOU JUST HAVE THE WHERE WITH ALL FOR A ONE OFF MEAL, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTRIBUTE AT ANY TIME.

Sick: Phoenix Impey, Pip O'Shannessy, Mario Satori, Elizabeth Hutton,
and Chantel McIntyre
Remember, we pray for ALL the sick at every Mass.

Recent Deaths:

Anniversaries: Monica McKenna

Weekly Giving (Parish Support) - Trentham and Kyneton Parishes(29/09//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.) \$ 186.20	KYNETON: (L.M.) \$ 435.90
(C.C. & D.D.) \$ 22.50	(C.C. & D.D.) \$ 50.00
TOTAL: \$208.70	TOTAL: \$ 485.90

THANKSGIVING-UP KEEP OF THE PARISH-2ND COLLECTION

TRENTHAM: Pledge per Week \$ 581.00	KYNETON: Pledge per Week \$1,617.50
(Envelopes): \$165.00	(Envelopes): \$ 819.50
(C.C. & D.D.): \$130.00	(C.C. & D.D.): \$ 710.00
(L.M.): \$ 50.95	(L.M.): \$ 126.60
TOTAL : \$ 345.95	TOTAL: \$1,656.10

YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT OF THE PARISH PRIEST AND THE PARISH IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED.
BLACKWOOD: \$83.75

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:
prelovedped-
larolr@gmail.com

Cooks who Care

Please Contact:

Parish Office
54221261

We Care

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

Kyneton

Liz 0424259500

Dorothy 0411454258

Trentham

Rosalie 5424 1523

Janet 5424 1830