

FIRST READING

A reading from the book of Proverbs

8:22-31

The Wisdom of God cries aloud: The Lord created me when his purpose first unfolded, before the oldest of his works. From everlasting I was firmly set, from the beginning, before earth came into being. The deep was not, when I was born, there were no springs to gush with water. Before the mountains were settled, before the hills, I came to birth; before he made the earth, the countryside, or the first grains of the world's dust. When he fixed the heavens firm, I was there, when he drew a ring on the surface of the deep, when he thickened the clouds above, when he fixed fast the springs of the deep, when he assigned the sea its boundaries – and the waters will not invade the shore – when he laid down the foundations of the earth, I was by his side, a master craftsman, delighting him day after day, ever at play in his presence, at play everywhere in his world, delighting to be with the sons of men.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R./ O Lord, our God,
how wonderful your name in all the earth!

SECOND READING

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

5:1-5

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith we are judged righteous and at peace with God, since it is by faith and through Jesus that we have entered this state of grace in which we can boast about looking forward to God's glory. But that is not all we can boast about; we can boast about our sufferings. These sufferings bring patience, as we know, and patience brings perseverance, and perseverance brings hope, and this hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Glory to the Father, the Son,
and the Holy Spirit:

To God who is, who was,
and who is to come.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL READING

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

16:12-15

Jesus said to his disciples: 'I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.'

Living the gospel

Trinity

Every time we make the sign of the cross we reaffirm our belief in a God who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Although some people have difficulties with the gender-specific language of 'Father' and 'Son' and look for other ways to express this reality, all Christian people profess a belief in the one God who is experienced in three distinct ways. We are baptised 'in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit' and we remind ourselves of this reality when we pray and when we bless ourselves or others.

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11th / 12th JUNE, 2022



In the Gospel, Jesus looks to the future when he will no longer be physically present to the disciples. He assures them that their privileged sharing in the intimacy of the relationship between himself and the Father will not cease but continue through the gift of the Spirit. The 'truth' which the Spirit communicates is truth in the Johannine sense of the definitive revelation of God given to the world in the person of Jesus. The truth is ultimately the revelation that 'God is love' (1 John 4:7, 16).

Brendan Byrne SJ

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MASS TIMES – CHELTENHAM & HIGHETT
SATURDAY VIGIL & SUNDAY MASSES:
 Saturday [St Agnes Church] 6:00 pm
 Sunday [OLA] 9:00 am, 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:
 Tuesday [St Agnes Church] 9.00 am
 Tuesday [OLA Church] 6.00 pm
 Wednesday [OLA Church] 9.15 am
 Thursday [OLA Church] 9.15 am
 Friday [St Agnes Church] 9.00 am
 Saturday [OLA Church] 9.00 am

COMMUNION SERVICE (except Public Holidays)
 Monday [OLA Church] 9.15 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:
 Wednesday 9:45 am
 Saturday 9:30 am
 i.e. following Mass (COVID-safe protocols apply)

BAPTISMS: Contact Parish Office: 9583 6161.

WEDDINGS: By appointment, 6 months' notice required. Saturdays or weekdays (not Sundays).

The clergy, employees and volunteers of our two parishes are committed to upholding a duty of care to all children, young people and vulnerable adults, taking all reasonable steps to protect children, young people and vulnerable adults from all forms of abuse and harm and commit to safeguard their health and well-being.

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PRAYING FOR:

... all those who died recently.

WE ALSO REMEMBER:

Teresita Salvador, Cresencia Nombrado,
 Pelagis Aviles, Maria Alba,
 Moli Bukasongo, Jim Malane,
 Jack Geehman,

....and all whose anniversaries occur about this time.

...and we keep in our prayers all who are currently unwell.

Readings for this liturgical year from Advent 2021 to Christ the King 2022 are taken from Year C in the Lectionary cycle
 Should you wish to view the Scripture Readings for Daily Mass (Australian Liturgical Calendar) please visit:
universalis.com/australia.melbourne/1000/Mass

VOLUNTEERS: Please make sure that your WWCC/POLICE CHECK documents are current, that is, have not expired, and copies made available to the Parish Office.

UPDATE ON COVID RESTRICTIONS: General Guidelines from the Archdiocese (Update #58: 22nd April, 2022) are available online at: melbourne.catholic.org/covid-19-guidelines

PARISH STEWARDSHIP: Thank you to all parishioners who continue to support both the Thanksgiving and Presbytery collections through your generous contributions. Both OLA & St Agnes are now registered for online contributions.

The **CDF Pay** link for **OLA, Cheltenham** is:
<http://bit.ly/CDFpayCheltenham>

The **CDF Pay** link for **St Agnes, Highett** is:
<http://bit.ly/CDFpayHighett>



OLA KNITTING GROUP will next meet on Tuesday 21st June at 1pm in the Church Meeting Room. All are most welcome. The upcoming **Knitting Stall** will be held at OLA on Sunday 3rd July after the 9am and 11am Masses.

BAPTISMS THIS WEEKEND We extend our congratulations to: **Easton Bibby, Thompson Bibby, Charli Hale, Amelie Jones, Payton Robertson and Willa Robertson**, who'll be Baptised this weekend.



MERCY CONNECT MELBOURNE Mercy Works Ltd. is currently recruiting volunteers to academically support Refugee and Asylum Seekers in Primary and Secondary schools across the Melbourne Archdiocese and also adult centre. Experience working in an educational setting is preferred but not limited to. Please contact Sr. Mary Lewis RSM for an application form and further information. The training day is in July. Email: somml@bigpond.com (preferred contact) Website: www.mercyworks.org.au T: 9326 1895

CATHOLIC THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE

Online Open Day Information Session

Tuesday 21 June at 7pm (AEST)

Register via our website:

ctc.edu.au/open-days

For more information contact:

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PLENARY COUNCIL: 'Listen to what the Spirit is saying' – Fr Brendan Byrne SJ (Professor Emeritus of New Testament, University of Divinity [Melbourne]) presents his reflections on **'Reconciliation'** from 3 perspectives: Scriptural, Sacramental and Social (particularly in regard to Reconciliation with our First Nations people). The 11 minute video presentation on YouTube can be accessed here: https://youtu.be/qvyl1tn7_4

PLEASE NOTE: Monday 13th June, 2022

'Queen's Birthday Public Holiday'

No 9.15am Communion Service,
 due to the public holiday.

RCIA – Curious about the Catholic Faith?

Do you know someone interested in becoming a Catholic? Are you interested in supporting those on their journey of Faith? The **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults** is an established 'Journey of Faith' that has parishioners accompany discerning adults, i.e. those seeking to become Catholic, on their path to Sacramental initiation into the life of the Church, at Easter. The RCIA gives those preparing for the Sacraments an opportunity to explore many facets of the Christian life. An invitation is extended to anyone seeking Baptism, as well as to those Baptised in another denomination who may desire full communion with the Catholic Church, to get in touch. If you know of someone who'd be interested in taking up this journey, or you'd like to be a part of their accompaniment, or would like any more information, please contact the Parish Office on: 9583 6161



HEART OF LIFE CENTRE FOR SPIRITUAL & PASTORAL FORMATION

upcoming reflections for June and July. More information is available on the Centre's website:

www.heartoflife.melbourne

MAY 2022 – MASS COUNT FIGURES for St Agnes and OLA churches

	St Agnes 6pm	OLA 9am	OLA 11am
Week 1	90	120	128
Week 2	79	121	119
Week 3	75	93	92
Week 4	73	125	107