



MANLY FRESHWATER CATHOLIC PARISH

Mary Immaculate and St John the Baptist Churches
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 23rd October 2022



Gospel Reflection

The Pharisee and the tax collector (or “publican” as he is called in some translations) are images of two extreme religious attitudes. Pharisees were the “separated ones” who positioned themselves in society as the great keepers of the holy law. They were held in great esteem by the Jewish community, despite the Pharisees’ haughty

condemnation of those they viewed as less than faithful.
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Pope Francis Prayer Intention for October: A Church Open to Everyone

We pray for the Church; ever faithful to, and courageous in preaching the Gospel, may the Church be a community of solidarity, fraternity and welcome, always living in an atmosphere of synodality.



If you are a new parishioner to Manly Freshwater Parish, we invite you to complete a Parish census form. This will assist us in updating our records to include you and your family in our parish community activities. The census form can be found on the back wall of the Church or at the side door entrance and may be left in the collection plate.



Many of you have not been able to come back to Mass on Sunday for different reasons. If you would like one of the Priest to visit you at home, please ring the parish office on 9977 5822.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION IN MANLY ON WEDNESDAYS

Quiet Prayer & Adoration
6pm – 7pm
Scripture Reflection & Benediction

7pm – 7:30pm.

Divine Mercy Chaplet will be said starting at 6pm



SVDP FESTIVAL MASS

All parishioners are cordially invited to our VINNIES Festival Mass on Friday 28th October at 7pm at St Martin de Porres Catholic Church 149 Prahran Ave, Davidson. Supper will be served after Mass. RSVP to Mick O'Farrell by 24th October to parish office 9977 5822.



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS - RCIA

RCIA is a process for adults to learn and live the Good News of Jesus as revealed in the Bible, in the Catholic tradition and lived out in our community. We explore the teachings, practices and history of the Catholic Church. Our aim is for those who are unbaptised or come from another Christian background to come to a deeper understanding and relationship to God and to our Catholic community where you will be welcomed, finding God's love and mercy. **Every Tuesday at 7pm in the Parish Centre. Please Contact the parish office for more information 9977 5822**

LET US PRAY FOR

23rd October 2022

Recently Deceased:

Anniversary: John Beninati

Prayers for the sick in our parish: “Lord, grant them and their carers strength and courage” Wayne Smedley; Margaret Burrige; Stephen Robertson; Maureen Williams; Gerry Wybrandt; Amy Farrow; Patricia Duffy; Florencia Lira; Ken Waller; Mary Helen Fogarty; Belinda Nicholls; Jacqui Dawson; Gerry Ring; Zacchaeus Ratnam; Pat Smith; John Connors; Don Hews; Joan Jacobs; Sheila Lee; Donnacha Donnelly; Paul Donnelly; George Fell; Marie Downs;

Dates to remember...

- **SJB Yr 1 & 2 Class Mass** Tues 25 Oct 9:15
- **RCIA** Tuesday 7pm Parish Centre
- **SMM Yr 3 & 4 Class Mass** Thurs 27 Oct 9:15am
- **Cenacle of Our Lady** Manly Tuesday 9:45am
- **PPC Meeting** Wed 26 Oct 5:30pm
- **Lectio Divina** Tues 7:30pm and Wed 10am
- **Eucharistic Adoration in Manly** Wednesday 6pm – 7:30pm
- **Bible Study** (zoom) Tues 25 Oct @ 7pm (Meeting ID 872 561 5999/Code: 2512)
- **Rosary** (zoom) Thurs 27 Oct @ 7pm (Meeting ID 872 561 5999/Code: 2512)

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Help build brighter futures for communities in Ethiopia this World Mission Month.

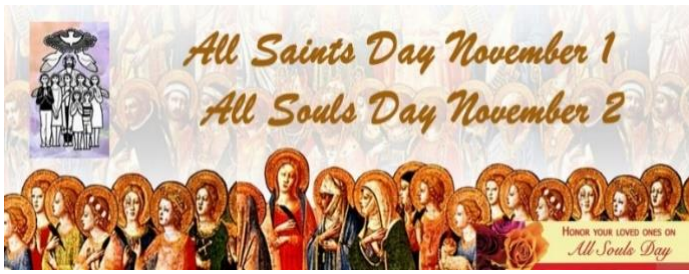


This October, we are celebrating World Mission Month, a month dedicated to the life-giving work of missionaries around the world.

This year, we walk hand-in-hand with the Church of Ethiopia and the local communities towards providing life-changing opportunities to those most in need.

Pope Francis, in his 2022 World Mission Sunday message, invites everyone to answer the call to be missionary, sharing that "Mission is carried out together, not individually...".

Envelopes will be available in the pews, or you can donate online at <https://www.catholicmission.org.au>

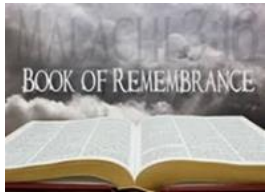


All Saints Day Mass Tuesday 1st November at 9.15am at Manly and Freshwater

All Souls Day Remembrance Mass Wednesday 2nd November at 9.15am at Manly and Freshwater and 7pm at Manly followed by supper.

At our Remembrance Mass on All Souls Day, Wednesday 2 November we will remember and pray for all the faithfully departed of your families and our Parish community.

We invite you and your family to one of these Masses.



During the month of November we remember our loved ones who have died. To add the names of your loved ones to our **Parish Book of Remembrance**

which will be on display in the Churches during November please contact the Parish Office on 9977 5822 or email manlyfreshwaterparish@bbcatholic.org.au

SUPPORT OUR PARISH & PRIESTS FINANCIALLY by using one of the following...

1. Planned Giving: many parishioners support the parish through a monthly direct debit or credit card. Please contact the parish office for more information 9977 5822.

2. Scan to Donate using the QR code to access our BPoint Donation page. This secure system provided by the Commonwealth Bank will give you the option of having your receipt emailed to you.



3. Directly into Parish Bank Accounts

Church Bank Account

Funds the running costs of our Parish
 Account Name: Manly Freshwater Parish
 Bank Name: Commonwealth Bank
 Account # 100002025 BSB: 062 784

Pastoral Bank Account

Supports our Priests
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4. Tap and Go machines using your credit/debit card. **EFTPOS Terminals** which have pre-set donation amounts or select "Other Amount" and enter your desired amount to give and then tap your card.

Thank you for your generosity



YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR MORNING TEA

Freshwater: after the 9am Mass.



Livestreaming on Facebook

Sunday 8:30am Mass
[manlyfreshwaterparishfacebook/videos](https://www.facebook.com/manlyfreshwaterparish/videos)

PIETY STORE

Movie of the month "Therese" The true story of the "Little Flower" who became St Therese of Lisieux. Winner of Cannes film festival award. Only \$10 @ the piety store.

CD of the month - "Lepanto - the battle that saved the west" Christopher Check. One of the greatest naval battles ever, not only saved Europe from Islamic rule, was blessed by the Pope and became a religious feast day. Three CD set, \$10 @ the piety store.

LIVING FAITH BOOKS Oct/Nov/Dec
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Playgroup
 @ St. John the Baptist Primary School, Freshwater

Every Thursday during School Term (starting 20th October) 9am -10am
 Come and join us for a free, fun & engaging morning!

The SJB Playgroup is aimed at 3, 4 and 5 year olds and their parents and grandparents!

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Manly Freshwater Parish promotes SAFEGUARDING which involves the implementation of proactive, common sense and practical ideas that ensure the safety of children and vulnerable adults in our community.

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C

First Reading Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19 (JB)

A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus

The prayer of the humble will penetrate the heavens.

The Lord is a judge who is no respecter of personages. He shows no respect of personages to the detriment of a poor man, he listens to the plea of the injured party. He does not ignore the orphan's supplication, nor the widow's as she pours out her story. The man who with his whole heart serves God will be accepted, his petitions will carry to the clouds. The humble man's prayer pierces the clouds, until it arrives he is inconsolable, nor will he desist until the Most High takes notice of him, acquits the virtuous and delivers judgement. And the Lord will not be slow, nor will he be dilatory on their behalf.

The word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm Ps 32:2-3, 17-19, 23 (JB)

R. The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise always on my lips; in the Lord my soul shall make its boast. The humble shall hear and be glad. R.

The Lord turns his face against the wicked to destroy their remembrance from the earth. The just call and the Lord hears and rescues them in all their distress. R.

The Lord is close to the broken-hearted; those whose spirit is crushed he will save. The Lord ransoms the souls of his servants. Those who hide in him shall not be condemned. R.

Second Reading 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 (JB)

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy

All that remains is the crown of righteousness reserved for me.

My life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day;

and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.

The first time I had to present my defence, there was not a single witness to support me. Every one of them deserted me - may they not be held accountable for it. But the Lord stood by me and gave me power, so that through me the whole message might be proclaimed for all the pagans to hear; and so I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from all evil attempts on me, and bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation 2 Corinthians 5:19 (JB)

Alleluia, alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself; and the Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Luke 18:9-14 (JB)

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

The publican returned to his home justified; the pharisee did not.

Jesus spoke the following parable to some people who prided themselves on being virtuous and despised everyone else. 'Two men went up to the Temple to pray, one a Pharisee, the other a tax collector. The Pharisee stood there and said this prayer to himself, "I thank you, God, that I am not grasping, unjust, adulterous like the rest of mankind, and particularly that I am not like this tax collector here. I fast twice a week; I pay tithes on all I get." The tax collector stood some distance away, not daring even to raise his eyes to heaven; but he beat his breast and said, "God, be merciful to me, a sinner." This man, I tell you, went home again at rights with God; the other did not. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the man who humbles himself will be exalted.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

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Weekend Masses:
Manly: Saturday Vigil 6:00pm
Sunday 8:30am, 10:30am, 6:00pm
Freshwater: Saturday Vigil 5:00pm & Sunday 9am
Weekday Masses:
Manly: Tuesday – Friday 9:15am
Freshwater: Tuesday – Friday 9:15am
Baptisms: please contact the parish office
Manly: 4th Sunday of the month
Freshwater: 2nd Sunday of month
Reconciliation: Manly Sat 10am – 11am
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