

### Processional Hymn CWB 449

Alleluia! sing to Jesus!  
his the scepter, his the throne;  
Alleluia! his the triumph,  
his the victory alone.  
Hark! the songs of peaceful Sion  
thunder like a mighty flood;  
"Jesus out of ev'ry nation  
has redeemed us by his blood."

Alleluia! bread of angels,  
and on earth our food, our stay.  
Alleluia! here the sinful  
come to you from day to day.  
Intercessor, friend of sinners,  
earth's redeemer, plead for me,  
where the songs of all the sinless  
sweep across the crystal sea.  
Alleluia! King eternal!  
you the Lord of lords we own;  
Alleluia! born of Mary,  
earth your footstool, heav'n your throne.  
You within the veil have entered  
robed in flesh, our great high priest;  
you on earth both priest and victim  
in the eucharistic feast.

### Liturgy of the Word

Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14-16  
1 Corinthians 10:16-17  
John 6:51-58

### Psalm Response

Praise the Lord, Jerusalem.

### Sequence CWB 396A

Come, behold, the bread of angels,  
this our strength on pilgrims' way.  
For the children God is giving  
manna for our bread each day.  
Now the sign of Isaac telling:  
Christ has conquered on this day.

Hear our prayers, O kindly Shepherd,  
be for us true living bread.

Grant us peace in all our doings,  
to our resting place be led,  
forth with all the saints now dwelling,  
We the body, you the Head.

### Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!  
I am the living bread from heaven,  
says the Lord;  
whoever eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia!

### Next weekend 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr A

Exodus 19:2-6  
Romans 5:6-11  
Matthew 9:36-10:8

### Preparation of the Gifts CWB 462

*Refrain:* By your priestly power, O risen Lord,  
all we lost and needed is restored.  
God in our communion be adored.

At your hands, Lord, we are fed,  
hands that guide and do not falter,  
wounded hands that broke the bread  
on this altar. *Refrain*

At your hands we seek release  
from the evils that assail us  
for we know the Bread of Peace  
will not fail us. *Refrain*

In the world that we have known  
selfish, loud, vain passions riot;  
Lord, with you, with you alone  
is deep quiet. *Refrain*

To that world we must return  
sharing in its hope and labour,  
bringing to it Christ's concern  
for our neighbour. *Refrain*

### Holy Communion CWB 507

Humbly we adore thee, Christ, Redeemer, King;  
thou art Lord of Heaven, thou to whom we sing.

*Refrain:* Christ, our God and brother,  
hear our humble plea;  
by this holy banquet keep us joined to thee.

God, the mighty, thou hast come, bearing gifts of grace;  
son of Adam still thou art, Saviour of our race. *Refrain*

Jesus, Lord, we thank thee for this wondrous Bread;  
in our land thou dwellest, by thee we are fed. *Refrain*

We who share this mystery, in thee are made one;  
ev'ry act we offer thee in thy name is done. *Refrain*

Thou who died to save us, live on as our light;  
though our eyes are blinded, yet our faith gives sight. *Refrain*

Christ, do thou be merciful; Lamb for sinners slain;  
we in grief confess our guilt; cleanse our souls of stain. *Refrain*

Make us one in loving thee, one in mind and heart;  
from this holy unity, let us not depart. *Refrain*

### Recessional Hymn CWB 503

Holy Father, God of might,  
throned amid the hosts of light,  
take our life, our strength, our love,  
King of earth and heaven above.

Christ, be with us as we go,  
let this blind world see and know,  
burning in our lives, the sight  
of its only saving light.

So will all exalt your name,  
and your kingship all proclaim,  
heaven and earth in unity  
praise the blessed Trinity.

One Licence: A-640406



### Parish of St Gabriel & St Stephen of Hungary Reservoir - Reservoir East

Parish Priest: Fr Gregory Pritchard

Parish Office: 1 Viola Street Reservoir 3073

Tuesday & Thursday 8:30am—12:30pm Friday 9am—3pm

Phone: 9460 6036

Email: reservoir@cam.org.au

www.stgabrielsreservoir.org

St. Gabriel's Church  
1 Viola St Reservoir 3073

St Stephen's Church  
71 Whitelaw St Reservoir East 3073



### The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) Year A 11.06.2023

#### Monday 12 June King's Birthday

God of compassion and mercy  
whose Son was sent not to be served but to serve,  
give grace that I may find in thy service  
perfect freedom  
and in that freedom knowledge of thy truth.  
Grant that I may be a blessing to all thy children,  
of every faith and conviction,  
that together we may discover  
the ways of gentleness  
and be led into the paths of peace.  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.  
*Coronation 6 May 2023*

#### MASS & RECONCILIATION

Tuesday 9am Mass *St Gabriel's*

Wednesday 9.30am Mass *St Stephen's*

Thursday 9am Mass *St Stephen's*

Friday 9am Mass *St Gabriel's*  
**Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

*Jesus knew us and loved us with a human heart,  
His Heart, pierced for our salvation,  
is the symbol of that infinite love  
with which he loves the Father and each one of us.*  
Compendium 93

Saturday *St Stephen's*  
5pm Reconciliation 6pm Vigil Mass

Sunday *St Gabriel's*  
9am Reconciliation 10am Mass

**Thanksgiving & Clergy support  
by direct debit**

St Gabriel's & St Stephen's Church  
BSB: 083-347  
account: 639372585



***Our Parish is committed to the safety,  
wellbeing and dignity of all children  
and vulnerable adults***



Darebin RSL  
402 Bell Street Preston  
Tuesday 13 June 6.30pm

Register: Tim Rebbechi  
0412 799 845  
stgabrielnotices@gmail.com

### CORPUS CHRISTI COLLEGE

The regional seminary was founded by Dr Daniel Mannix, Archbishop of Melbourne, and the bishops of Victoria and Tasmania in 1923.

The seminary invites Melbourne Catholics to participate in their patronal festival today Sunday 11 June at Sacred Heart church, cnr Rathdowne & Pelham Sts Carlton:

3pm Solemn Mass  
Eucharistic Procession  
Solemn Vespers

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY Membership weekend and Winter Appeal next weekend 18-19 June

St Vincent de Paul Society has been operating in Victoria since 1854. We need new members so that the good work may continue locally. The commitment is only a few hours a week, and induction and training is offered to all new and existing members. Come and see how you can be involved in good works at an information session Monday 19 June 7.30pm St Gabriel's Parish Centre (rear St Gabriel's Church)

### CATHOLIC CHURCH INSURANCE

All Australian Catholic Church institutions are invested in Catholic Church Insurance Ltd. This company recently announced that it is now in a state of "run-off", taking no new business or renewing existing policies after 30 June 2023. Parish properties are insured with CCI. The Archdiocese of Melbourne is coordinating efforts to ensure new and appropriate arrangements with insurance brokers to provide ongoing adequate cover for Parishes, Catholic institutions and individuals.

## SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

- Our Parish conference meets on the 3rd Monday of the month 7.30pm Emmaus Room St Gabriel's Parish Centre.  
*New members are always welcome.*  
Emergency Assistance 1800 305 330
- Donation boxes are below statue of St Joseph in St Gabriel's Church, and near baptismal font in St Stephen's Church.
- **Vinnies Reservoir 10 Edwardes St Reservoir**  
1300 736 933 [vinnies.org.au/getinvolved](http://vinnies.org.au/getinvolved)  
[volunteer@svdp-vic.org.au](mailto:volunteer@svdp-vic.org.au)

## LEGION OF MARY

- Our Parish praesidium (group), dedicated to Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament, meets every Monday 1.30pm Bethany Room St Gabriel's Parish Centre.  
*New members are always welcome.*
- Our Parish Legion of Mary invites families to welcome the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima for a week of family prayer.
- Enquiries Maureen O'Dwyer 9460 8520

## ST GABRIEL'S PIETY STALL

St Paul's Sunday Missal \$35  
St Paul's Weekday Missal \$90  
*I'm Going to Mass* For ages 2 to 5 \$15  
Statue of St Gabriel's \$17  
St Gabriel's Charm \$6

## LIVING GOSPEL PRAYER GROUP

St Raphael's Parish  
17 Hardy St, Preston West  
Wednesdays 1.30pm  
Contact: Marijana Jurjevic 0422 340 675

## MENS FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY OF REPARATION

Knights of the Precious Blood, an organisation of Croatian Catholic men, holds a Mens Rosary of Reparation on the first Saturday of the month St Patrick's Cathedral Melbourne. All Catholic men are encouraged to come and give witness and to pray in reparation.  
[info@kofpb.org](mailto:info@kofpb.org)

## IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARY MCKILLOP

Australian pilgrimage 17-28 October 2023  
[www.marymackillopplace.org.au](http://www.marymackillopplace.org.au)

## ST GABRIEL'S THEATRE GROUP

This year's production  
the musical *Fiddler on the Roof*  
Enquiries: Judy O'Meara 0488 580 145  
[judeome@hotmail.com](mailto:judeome@hotmail.com)

## MURAL OF OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS

St Marks Parish Lee St Fawkner  
Daily 8.30am to 6pm  
Inquiries: 9359 3111



***O sacred feast  
in which we partake of Christ:  
his sufferings are remembered,  
our minds are filled with his grace  
and we receive a pledge of the glory  
that is to be ours, alleluia.***

If you buy an airline ticket, you'll have to decide between first class, with all of its fine amenities, and the more basic economy class. If you go to a play, you can choose between orchestra seating, which is right in front of the action, and balcony seating, where you may not see the actors too clearly. Similar options exist in many other places where people gather. Except, of course, for Mass. There are no different "classes of service" at the liturgy: just the whole people of God gathered as one to receive "the one loaf," which is Jesus himself.

On this feast of the Body and Blood of Christ, St. Paul reminds us that we are "one body" in the Lord. Jesus has called us into one community as his brothers and sisters. He has gifted all of us with the "one baptism for the forgiveness of sins" (Apostles Creed). And he has filled each of us with the same Holy Spirit that filled Mary, Peter, John, and all the saints. Everyone has a first-class seat! Everyone has the same high privilege of being named a child of God!

This truth is at the heart of the mystery we celebrate today: in the gift of the Eucharist, Jesus offers his whole self - Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity - to each and every one of us. He invites each of us to become treasured vessels of his presence: living, breathing tabernacles of his glory. He makes no distinctions, and he asks us to do the same: we are one in Christ!

Today during Holy Communion, look at the brothers and sisters gathered with you. Lift them up in prayer. Honour them as the beloved of Christ that they are. And welcome them into your heart, just as Jesus has welcomed you!

[wau.org](http://wau.org)

*The Eucharist is a pledge of future glory because it fills us with every grace and heavenly blessing. It fortifies us for our pilgrimage in this life, and makes us long for eternal life. It unites us already to Christ seated at the right hand of the Father, to the Church in heaven and to the Blessed Virgin and all the Saints.* Compendium 294



**St Vincent de Paul Society**  
VICTORIA  
*good works*

# WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Join us in offering a hand of friendship  
to local people in need



Volunteer with the St Vincent de Paul Society  
Reservoir-Reservoir East

## INVITATION

**Monday 19 June 7.30pm**  
St Gabriel's Parish Centre Reservoir  
*rear St Gabriel's Church*

**For more information contact:**

**Andrew 0423 961 120 [reservoir.conf.pres@svdp-vic.org.au](mailto:reservoir.conf.pres@svdp-vic.org.au)**

Our charity is proudly a Child Safe Organisation and we believe strongly that children have a right to feel safe and be safe, with access to the highest possible standards of care at all times.