

Processional Hymn CWB 524

Jesus calls us here to meet him as,
through word and song and prayer,
we affirm God's promised presence
where his people live and care.
Praise the God who keeps his promise;
praise the Son who calls us friends;
praise the Spirit who, among us,
to our hopes and fears attends.

Jesus calls us to confess him
Word of life and Lord of all,
sharer of our flesh and frailness,
saving all who fail or fall.
Tell his holy human story;
tell his tales that all may hear;
tell the world that Christ in glory
came to earth to meet us here.

Jesus calls us to each other:
Found in him are no divides.
Race and class and sex and language:
such are barriers he derides.
Join the hand of friend and stranger
join the hands of age and youth;
join the faithful and the doubter
in their common search for truth.

Jesus calls us to his table
Rooted firm in time and space,
Where the church in earth and heaven
Finds a common meeting place.
Share the bread and wine, his body;
Share the love of which we sing;
Share the feast for saints and sinners
Hosted by our Lord and King.

Liturgy of the Word

Zechariah 9:9-10
Romans 8:9, 11-13
Matthew 11:25-30

Psalm Response

I will praise your name for ever,
my king and my God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
Blessed are you, Father,
Lord of heaven and earth,
you have revealed to little ones
the mysteries of the kingdom . Alleluia!

Preparation of the Gifts CWB 470

"Come to me, all you who labour;
come, and I will give you rest."
So we hear your invitation to each soul to be your guest;
and we answer with deep longing,
while our sinfulness we see,
"Jesus, Lord, I am not worthy, yet in mercy come to me."

Here, among your pilgrim people
is the home of your true love,
where we praise you, Lord and Master,
reigning from your throne above;
life without you would be lonely,
so our prayer must ever be:
"Jesus, Lord, I am not worthy, yet in mercy come to me."

All is joy when you are with us,
earth can never joy impart
like the peace and holy splendour
of your visit to each heart;
all forgotten grief and sorrow,
as with trust we make our plea,
"Jesus, Lord, I am not worthy, yet in mercy come to me."

Holy Communion CWB 512

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Come unto me and rest;
lay down, O weary one, lay down
your head upon my breast".
I came to Jesus as I was,
so weary, worn and sad;
I found in him a resting place,
and he has made me glad.
I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Behold, I freely give
the living water; thirsty one,
stoop down and drink, and live."
I came to Jesus, and I drank
of that life-giving stream;
my thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
and now I live in him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"I am this dark world's light;
look unto me, your morn shall rise,
and all thy day be bright."
I looked to Jesus, and I found
in him my star, my sun;
and in that light of life I'll walk
till traveling days are done.

Recessional Hymn CWB 573

O God, you made the Sabbath day,
your gift, your law, your healing way.
You also made, within each heart
a longing for this day apart.
You gave your children, long-oppressed,
your freeing gift of Sabbath rest.
You give us Sabbath freedom, too:
Our lives are more than work we do!
Life's sacred rhythm seems long gone;
the world, unblinking, carries on.
Your Spirit calls us! Slow our pace
that we may hear your word of grace.
Christ Jesus lives! He makes us new!
On Sundays now, we worship you.
With hearts uplifted, joy restored,
your church goes out to serve you, Lord.

Next weekend 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

Isaiah 55:10-11
Romans 8:18-23
Matthew 13:1-23



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14th Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr A 09.07.2023

Do we really listen when the Word of God is proclaimed at Mass? Do we allow it to take root in our hearts and yield a rich harvest? If we try to listen at Mass, we will learn to listen also to the many voices that cry out to us in the midst of our busy lives—the voices of our children, or our parents, of our spouse, of those who need us to hear them.

WEEKDAY MASS AT ST RAPHAEL'S PRESTON WEST

Tuesday & Wednesday 4pm
Thursday & Friday 8.30am

*Fr Pritchard attends
the annual conference of the
Australian Confraternity of Catholic Clergy
Monday 10—Friday 14 July in Albury NSW.*

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

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

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



The first of 2 annual Mission collections will be taken up next weekend 15-16 July . Tuberculosis, malnutrition and maternal mortality are a few of the many conditions present in the community of Venilale in Timor-Leste. With fragile infrastructure, reliance on local health practices and limited access to adequate care, many conditions worsen and can result in death. Seeing the gap in care, the Salesian Sisters took action and established the Maria Auxillidora Clinic. The Sisters and the Church in Venilale need support to maintain and stock the clinic with resources they need.

THE CATHOLIC LANDSCAPE

Introduction to the Catechism
of the Catholic Church
Presented by Anna Krohn
ANIMA Education
St Gabriel's Parish Centre
(rear St Gabriel's Church) Reservoir
Thursdays 7pm August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31



*Ideal introduction to the Catechism
and the Catholic Faith for RCIA inquirers, team leaders
and members, parents, teenagers and young adults,
adult faith formation.*

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SISTERS OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY

The Sisters participate in their General Chapter July 2-22, guided by the theme *Renewed fidelity to the Gospel: Our journey to 100 years and beyond*. In the spirit of hope and communion the Sisters ask our prayers to rekindle their fidelity to the Gospel, to preach the love of God by the witness of their daily lives and apostolate.