

# Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 28th & 29th September 2024

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We may also be contacted at Ss Peter and Paul Parish, on 9842 1480 on Tuesday—Friday

Our Lady of the Pines Parish is a welcoming, inclusive community that aims to live our Christian faith by example in our daily lives.

Our Lady of the Pines Parish is committed to upholding the safety and dignity of each child and young person, ensuring they are able to grow and develop in a caring and supportive environment within our parish. Visit our parish website or contact our parish office for our Child Safety Policy.

#### We pray for Better Health:

Brian Sullivan, Kath Potger, Josephine Noli, Sharon Rodrigo, Meredith Barnes, George Kapeleris, Stephen Farnay, Catherine Daffey,

#### OCTOBER—ROSARY MONTH



In honor of October being dedicated to the Holy Rosary, we invite you to join us each Sunday morning throughout the month to pray the Rosary together. We will gather at 9:00 AM, just before the 9:30 AM Mass.



#### Spiritual Retreats at Mary MacKillop Heritage Centre, East Melbourne

The Mary McKillop Heritage Centre will begin a series of reflection nights and retreats commencing with a Reflection Day focussing on the central theme of the Year of ZJubilee 2025: **Hearing the Audacious Call to be Pilgrims of Hope** facilitated by Mark Walsh. The day will include times of contemplation using scripture and times of prayer.

www.mmhc.org.au/spiritual-retreat/

Day: Monday 28th October, 2024

**Time:** 9:30am to 3:15pm

Venue: Mary McKillop Heritage Centre, 362 Albert Street, East Melb

**Price:** \$120 (Morning tea provided, BYO lunch)



#### Reminder: Daylight Savings Begins!

A friendly reminder that Daylight Savings
Time starts at 2:00 AM on Sunday, October 6.
Don't forget to set your clocks forward by
one hour before heading to bed on Saturday
night!

# \* Marriage Anniversaries

SUNDAY 20 OCTOBER 2024 • 11AM

ST PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL, EAST MELBOURNE

Couples and their families are invited to join us as we celebrate our annual Anniversary Mass.

Couples who register and are celebrating the following anniversaries – 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th or 40 years and above – will receive a commemorative certificate.

Register by Sunday 13 October: trybooking.com/CVMFG

For any queries please contact us 9926 5761 or proclaim@cam.org.au



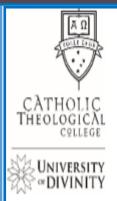


#### **SPORTS NIGHT**

We are pleased to announce that a profit of \$12,034 was made.

Thanks to everyone who supported this function, it was a great night enjoyed by all.

- Social/ Fundraising committee



#### Catholic Theological College

Sign up for one or more online presentations.

# Engaging Your Faith October 2024

Theology, Scripture, Meditation, Spirituality, Science & Faith. From \$25 per session.

For more information and to register: ctc.edu.au/engaging-your-faith/

#### **HOLY SPIRIT SEMINAR**

Did you receive a Gift of the Holy Spirit when you were CONFIRMED. The Gifts of the Holy Spirit are given for the Building of the ONE, HOLY, CATHOLIC and APOSTOLIC CHURCH. COME AND LEARN MORE ON TUESDAY 7PM—8.30PM at Ss Peter and Paul's Church during the Four (4) Tuesdays in September.





# ANOTHER PLEASANT SUNDAY AFTERNOON IS HAPPENING ON 13<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - DON'T MISS IT!

BYO food & nibblies - drinks at bar prices Entry \$30 per person Only for 16 years and older Sunday 13 October from 1.00pm Our Lady of the Pines Church 77 Carbine Street, Donvale

For bookings contact:-

David Sowersby 0419 311 775 Geoff Mullane 0409 148 144 Roy Tavenor 0439 668 803 Clare Davis (OLOP) 9842 2991



### 2024 OLOP SUPER DRAW





#### GREAT PRIZES

Only 100 numbers to be sold at \$100 per ticket

1st Prize \$4,000

2nd Prize \$300 3rd Prize \$200

5 Mthly Draws \$100

Results will be published in OLOP weekly bulletin after e

All prizes to be paid in vouchers of your choice

Main Draw will take place on Sunday 13th Oct at the Pleasant Sunday Function numbers on sale after all Sunday masses and also available from the Parish office

Get in early and purchase your lucky number

ONLY 2 TICKETS
LEFT!!!!

#### 5th & 6th October 2024 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

HOSPITALITY TEAMS: Aileen, Dolly, Corrinne, Jo Ann

**READERS & COMMENTATORS:** 

Sat 5.00 pm: James Beckford & Mary Wynack
Sun 9.30 am: Natalie Chim & Mark Keating

**ALTAR SERVERS:** 

**5.00pm:** Alex, Lynette & Nick

**9.30am:** Constance, Alden & Lily

MASS DRIVERS: Janet & Pat Goodwin

**AUDIO VISUAL OPERATORS** 

Sat 5.00 pm: Lyn Romanin & Maria Carey

**Sun 9.30am:** Bruce Stewart

**WELCOMING COMMITTEE:** 

**5.00 pm:** Christine & Geoff Lowry

9.30 am: Joan McDonald & Luzanne Argaet

MONEY COUNTING: GRP 8 — Sue Separovic,

Chris Healy, Bruce Stewart

PIETY STALL: 5.00pm: Gillian Beckford

9.30am: Natalie Chim

PARISH PRIEST: Fr Toan Nguyen
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#### Gospel

Mark 9:38-43. 45. 47-48

Anyone who is not against us is for us. If your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off.

John said to Jesus, 'Master, we saw a man who is not one of us casting out devils in your name; and because he was not one of us we tried to stop him.' But Jesus said, 'You must not stop him: no one who works a miracle in my name is likely to speak evil of me. Anyone who is not against us is for us.

'If anyone gives you a cup of water to drink just because you belong to Christ, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.

'But anyone who is an obstacle to bring down one of these little ones who have faith, would be better thrown into the sea with a great millstone round his neck. And if your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life crippled, than to have two hands and go to hell, into the fire that cannot be put out. And if your foot should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life lame, than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. And if your eye should cause you to sin, tear it out; it is better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye, than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell where their worm does not die nor their fire go out.'

#### **Next Weekend Readings:**

**27th Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

First Reading: Genesis 2:18-24
Second Reading: Hebrews 2:9-11
Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

What God has joined together, no one must divide.

#### MASS TIMES FOR THE PARTNERED PARISHES OF OUR LADY OF THE PINES & Ss PETER & PAUL'S, DONCASTER EAST

	OLOP	SsPP
Monday	No Mass	9.00am Communion Service
Tuesday	No Mass	9.00am Mass
Wednesday	9:00am Mass (9:30am Rosary)	9.00am Communion Service
Thursday	No Mass	9.00am Mass
Friday	9:00am Mass (9:30am Rosary)	9.00am Communion Service 7.30pm Divine Mercy
Saturday	5.00pm Vigil Mass	9.00am Mass and 6.00pm Mass
Sunday	9.30am Mass followed by Rosary	8.00am and 11.15am Mass