

## OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

21st November 2021

### THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

#### **First Reading:** *Daniel 7:13-14 (JB)*

I gazed into the visions of the night.  
And I saw, coming on the clouds of heaven,  
one like a son of man.  
He came to the one of great age  
and was led into his presence.  
On him was conferred sovereignty,  
glory and kingship,  
and men of all peoples, nations and languages  
became his servants.  
His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty  
which shall never pass away,  
nor will his empire be destroyed.

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

**R. The Lord is king;  
he is robed in majesty.**

The Lord is king, with majesty enrobed;  
the Lord has robed himself with might,  
he has girded himself with power. **R.**

The world you made firm, not to be moved;  
your throne has stood firm from of old.  
From all eternity, O Lord, you are. **R.**

Truly your decrees are to be trusted.  
Holiness is fitting to your house  
O Lord, until the end of time. **R.**

#### **Second Reading:** *Revelation 1:5-8 (JB)*

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the First-born from the dead, the Ruler of the kings of the earth. He loves us and has washed away our sins with his blood, and made us a line of kings, priests to serve his God and Father; to him, then, be glory and power for ever and ever. Amen. It is he who is coming on the clouds; everyone will see him, even those who pierced him, and all the races of the earth will mourn over him. This is the truth. Amen. 'I am the Alpha and the Omega' says the Lord God, who is, who was, and who is to come, the Almighty.

#### **Gospel Acclamation:**

Alleluia, alleluia!

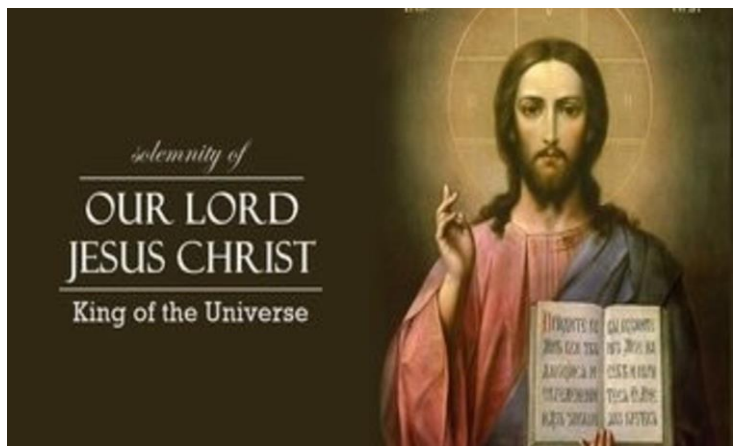
Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our Father;

blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Alleluia!

#### **GOSPEL:** *John 18:33-37 (JB)*

'Are you the king of the Jews?' Pilate asked. Jesus replied, 'Do you ask this of your own accord, or have others spoken to you about me?' Pilate answered, 'Am I a Jew? It is your own people and the chief priests who have handed you over to me: what have you done?' Jesus replied, 'Mine is not a kingdom of this world; if my kingdom were of this world, my men would have fought to prevent my being surrendered to the Jews. But my kingdom is not of this kind.' 'So you are a king then?' said Pilate. 'It is you who say it' answered Jesus. 'Yes, I am a king. I was born for this, I came into the world for this: to bear witness to the truth; and all who are on the side of truth listen to my voice.'



#### **Connecting the Word**

##### **to Advent**

We begin a new liturgical year next Sunday where we end the past liturgical year this Sunday: with the victorious Christ. Christ is 'the Alpha and the Omega,' (second reading), the first and the last, the beginning and the end.

##### **to our experience**

So often our responses to people are based on how we perceive them: teachers, we learn; leaders, we follow; about him - Christ the King - informs our response

# Welcome

## Parish of Cororooke

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**St Brendan's: 9.30am Sunday/  
5pm 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday**  
**St Joseph's: 10:30am Lay-led /  
Mass 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday**

### St Brendan's: MASS 28th Nov @ 5PM

**Minister: M Allan**

**Commentator: M McCarthy**

**Reader: L Darcy**

**Leaders:**

### St Joseph's: 28th Nov Lay Led @ 10.30am

**Family: Sherman**

**Minister: J Sherman**

**Leaders: C&B Hickman**

### ALTAR & SACRISTY DUTIES:

**St Brendan's:**

**21<sup>st</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> Nov: A McCarthy & L McGuane**

**St Joseph's: Nov: McGuane**

**Counters: 21<sup>st</sup> Nov: L Darcy**

**5<sup>th</sup> Dec: J Miller**

### RECENT DEATHS: Sr Stella Gleeson

**ANNIVERSARIES: Loretto Russell, Leo Boylan, Annette McGuane, Tom Russell, Teresa Parker, Bridget Page, Vera Brown, Sr Bernadette Nichols, Margaret Finlay**

### Those seeking our prayers for healing and well being.

**Leah Spokes, Geraldine Finn, Goldie Elsum, Doug Swanson**

### Sacraments 2021:

Please continue to prayer for Ava, Kaitlyn and Ben and their families as they prepare to receive the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation at St Brendan's 28<sup>th</sup> Nov @ 5.00pm. This will also be the Graduation Mass for our Year 6 students.

We invite everyone to a celebration in the hall after Mass and ask that you would bring a plate to share.

***\*Due to numbers attending this mass, as per Victorian Government COVID 19 Regulations, everyone attending must be double vaccinated. Thank you for your cooperation at this time.***

### CHRISTMAS 2021

#### *St Brendan's Christmas Vigil...*

*Friday 24<sup>th</sup> @ 6.00pm with Fr Val*

*St Joseph's Christmas Day @10.30am*

### Wedding Celebration...

*Congratulations to Dean McGuane and Molly Ennor who were married this weekend at St Brendan's. May God bless them abundantly in love, joy and happiness.*



### DATES TO REMEMBER:

**Nov 28<sup>th</sup>:** Mass @ St Brendan's 5.00pm  
Confirmation & First Eucharist & Graduation followed by celebration in hall

**Dec 12<sup>th</sup>:** Carols @ 7.00pm

**Dec 24<sup>th</sup>:** Christmas Vigil St Brendan's @ 6.00pm

**Dec 25<sup>th</sup>:** St Joseph's @ 10.30am

**Dec 26<sup>th</sup>:** Lay led @St Brendan's

### November Book of Remembrance:

We remember those who have died during the year, as well as our loved ones who have entered eternal life.

You are invited to record the names of deceased family members and friends you wish to in the book at the back of the Church.

*Mary MacKillop Heritage Centre (MMHC)*

- ‘Advent with Mary MacKillop’ - The Education Team at MMHC will be delivering an online Advent reflection program consisting of 4 one-hour sessions that will be held on Wednesdays from 7.00 – 8.00pm on November 24, December 1, 8 & 15. The sessions will be based on the Advent readings and will be combined with reflections on St Mary of the Cross. Each session will incorporate aspects of the program *Blessed*. To register go to <https://www.mmhc.org.au/advent-with-mary-mackillop/>. Access to sessions will be via a Teams link provided by MMHC after registering, where participants would be able to join using a computer, tablet or smart phone. It would be much appreciated if you would consider donating \$7.50 per session or \$25.00 for the 4 sessions.
- Mary MacKillop Gift shop & SOSJ Calendar 2021 – With Christmas coming up, please consider supporting the work of the Sisters of St Joseph by purchasing a 2022 Josephite Calendar (\$8.00) and/or a present from the Museum Gift Shop (communion and confirmation gifts, devotional items, Vatican Library collection, rosary beads, holding crosses, candles, cards, statues, crucifixes, books and Peruvian handmade items).
- Accommodation Specials - With Melbourne opening up again, events like the Boxing Day Test and Australian Open will be big draw cards! Book your next stay at the Mary MacKillop Heritage Centre Accommodation in the heart of Melbourne. Contact Kate, ph. 9926 9300.

*A Day of Prayer for Myanmar*

Pax Christi and friends invite you to remember Myanmar in a Day of Prayer on Sunday, November 28, 2021. Suffering and trauma have accompanied the people of Myanmar for decades. On February 1 military government was reimposed. This day is an opportunity to pray with Myanmar in its yearning to be free. An online prayer service is being organised for Advent Sunday, November 29 at 7.30pm Melbourne time. To register for this service and receive the link, and other information, please email Harry Kerr, [ahmkerr@hotmail.com](mailto:ahmkerr@hotmail.com). For further information contact Caesar D’Mello, Pax

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*School Chaplain Vacancy*

Your Dream School Programs are a School Chaplaincy Provider who works with schools and churches to find candidates for chaplaincy positions in local schools. The Department of Education school in Mortlake are looking for a School Chaplain for 2 days per week and this is a paid position. Applicants require an endorsement letter from a local church they attend, Certificate IV in chaplaincy, youth work, community services, or ministry or equivalent. (Equivalent study contain these two units: CHCCCS016 Respond to client needs & CHCMHS001 Work with people with mental health issues). Please also note that degrees such as teaching, social working, nursing, counselling, and psychology cover those particular units. Applicants are able to work and study at the same time and obtain a current working with children check. For a copy of the position description or for more information call 1300 792 856.