

## **32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**8TH NOVEMBER 2020**

### **THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

#### **FIRST READING:**

*Wisdom 6:12-16 (JB).*

Wisdom is bright, and does not grow dim.

By those who love her she is readily seen,  
and found by those who look for her.

Quick to anticipate those who desire her, she  
makes herself known to them.

Watch for her early and you will have no trouble;  
you will find her sitting at your gates.

Even to think about her is understanding fully  
grown;

be on the alert for her and anxiety will quickly  
leave you.

She herself walks about looking for those who  
are worthy of her

and graciously shows herself to them as they  
go,

in every thought of theirs coming to meet them.

#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

*Ps 62:2-8 (JB)*

**R.** My soul is thirsting for you O Lord my God.

O God, you are my God, for you I long;  
for you my soul is thirsting.

My body pines for you  
like a dry, weary land without water. **R.**

So I gaze on you in the sanctuary  
to see your strength and your glory.

For your love is better than life,  
my lips will speak your praise. **R.**

So I will bless you all my life,  
in your name I will lift up my hands.  
My soul shall be filled as with a banquet,  
my mouth shall praise you with joy. **R.**

On my bed I remember you.  
On you I muse through the night  
for you have been my help;  
in the shadow of your wings I rejoice. **R.**

#### **SECOND READING:**

*1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 (JB)*

We want you to be quite certain, brothers, about  
those who have died, to make sure that you do  
not grieve about them, like the other people who  
have no hope. We believe that Jesus died and  
rose again, and that it will be the same for those  
who have died in Jesus: God will bring them with  
him. We can tell you this from the Lord's own  
teaching, that any of us who are left alive until  
the Lord's coming will not have any advantage

over those who have died. At the trumpet of  
God, the voice of the archangel will call out the  
command and the Lord himself will come down  
from heaven; those who have died in Christ will  
be the first to rise, and then those of us who are  
still alive will be taken up in the clouds, together  
with them, to meet the Lord in the air. So we  
shall stay with the Lord for ever. With such  
thoughts as these you should comfort one  
another.

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Be watchful and ready:

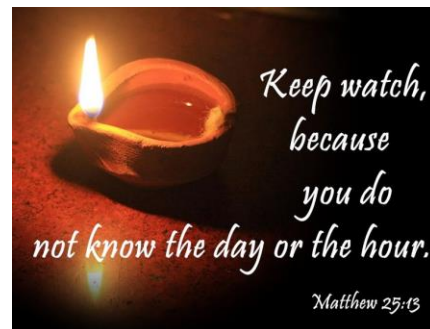
you know not when the Son of Man is coming.

Alleluia!

#### **GOSPEL:**

*Matthew 25:1-13 (JB)*

Jesus told this parable to his disciples: 'The  
kingdom of heaven will be like this: Ten  
bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet  
the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish and  
five were sensible: the foolish ones did take their  
lamps, but they brought no oil, whereas the  
sensible ones took flasks of oil as well as their  
lamps. The bridegroom was late, and they all  
grew drowsy and fell asleep. But at midnight  
there was a cry, "The bridegroom is here! Go  
out and meet him." At this, all those bridesmaids  
woke up and trimmed their lamps, and the  
foolish ones said to the sensible ones, "Give us  
some of your oil: our lamps are going out." But  
they replied, "There may not be enough for us  
and for you; you had better go to those who sell  
it and buy some for yourselves." They had gone  
off to buy it when the bridegroom arrived. Those  
who were ready went in with him to the wedding  
hall and the door was closed. The other  
bridesmaids arrived later. "Lord, Lord," they  
said, "open the door for us." But he replied, "I tell  
you solemnly, I do not know you." So stay  
awake, because you do not know either the day  
or the hour.'



## WELCOME

### Parish of Cororooke

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**School Principal: Leanne Eastman**  
**Parish Sec: Gracesyn Perrett 52331464**  
**Child Safety Officer: Leanne Eastman**  
**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**

### ALTAR & SACRISTY DUTIES:

**St Brendan's:**

**29 Oct-12 Nov: K Speirs/ D McCarthy**

**St. Joseph's:**

**November: McGuane**

### ST BRENDAN'S: 8<sup>th</sup> Nov@9:30am

**Commentator:**

**Reader: J Miller**

**Communion:**

**Leaders: M O'Shea/C Finlay**

### RECENT DEATHS: Allan Stinchcombe

### ANNIVERSARIES: 1-7 Nov

**Richard Flynn, Nellie Finn, Clem Patterson,**

**Veronica Russell, Kath McKay**

**SICK: Nathan De Lorenzo, Helen Hunt,  
Leah Spokes, Tarlea Roache, Geraldine Finn,  
Patricia Hickman, June Turner, Ross Suares,  
Goldie Elsum**



**Red Rock's  
Decorated Hay Bale Trail**

The Cororooke Hall committee invites our community to join in the Hay ball trail.  
Alvie, Balintore, Beac, Cororooke, Coragulac, Cressy, Dreeite,  
Nalangil, Ondit, Warrion & Wool Wool.



Hendon's hay bale 2019

**Entries close Monday 7<sup>th</sup> Dec**  
**Judging Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Dec**  
**Winners announced Friday 11<sup>th</sup> Dec. in Colac Herald**  
**Bales remain till 12<sup>th</sup> day of Christmas Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> Jan**

**Categories:**

- Christmas Theme
- Animal
- Book or Nursery Rhyme

To be eligible for judging there is a  
height limit of two round bales or four small square bales.  
There is no limit to your creativity!

Collect & return entry forms at Cororooke General Store  
or email [helenebell825@gmail.com](mailto:helenebell825@gmail.com)

Join Red Rock Community (Australia) Facebook group for updates

Congratulations to...  
John Malone for his 80<sup>th</sup>  
Bill Roache for his 70<sup>th</sup>

**We wish Kathleen a speedy recovery following her shoulder surgery.**

Congratulations to our Yr 12's on graduating after a difficult year.

Lachlan Speirs, Elliot Roache, Cameron Lenehan, Will Ruddell, Amy Ponton, Oliver Stinchcombe. Wishing you every success in your futures endeavours.

Congratulations to Mary Monaghan for recognition of services to Catholic education, 30 years of administration at both St Joseph's and St Brendan's.

### Mission Day Thank you.

To all who supported Mission Day, through donations and or baking. Overall the children raised approx.

\$ 1200. Amazing effort by all, we look forward to celebrating it next year.

## Connecting the Gospel

### to the first reading and responsorial psalm

Read in a Christian perspective, the wisdom about which the first reading speaks is Christ who seeks us. The responsorial psalm underscores our seeking (thirsting for) God.

### to Christian living

We rarely, if ever, view our daily Christian living in light of the final coming of Christ. But his final coming is, in fact, the context which gives meaning to our daily behaviour and our ongoing hope.