

ST MARY'S PARISH, ROBINVALE

Incorporating St Patrick's Manangatang

YEAR B SATURDAY 23RD & 24TH OCTOBER 2021



Robinvale and Manangatang Catholic Communities are committed to ensure the safety of all children and vulnerable people in our care. Child Safety Officers: Arthur Cassidy (Robinvale) 0437 576 730 and Noreen Morris (Manangatang)

Please remember these people in our prayers



Recent Deaths:

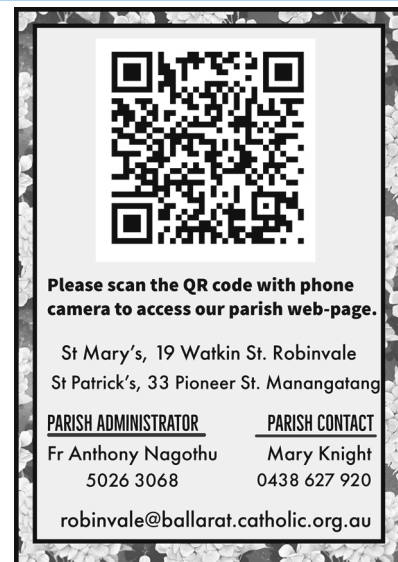
Phuong Nguyen

Anniversaries:

Angela Romeo; Mary Murphy; Lorna Rhoden; Jock Sinclair;
Angelo Delre

Sick:

Sam Giampaolo; Therese Cummins; Rosa Santos; Basilio Alcodia;
Jeremy Dickson; Carmela Garreffa; Gai Thi Tran; Peter MacIntosh;
Kevin Barry;



Local News:

- ◆ Finally we can have family and friends visit our homes !
- ◆ We will celebrate our 2 Masses in Robinvale and 1 in Manangatang over the weekend.
4:30pm Robinvale ~ Saturday
6pm Robinvale ~ Saturday
9am Manangatang ~ Sunday
- ◆ Numbers are very important. We don't want to have to turn people away when we reach our limit of 20 in each of our churches. Here are the contact details.
0448 194 513 ~ Manangatang
0438 627 920 ~ Robinvale
- ◆ **St. Patrick's Church Manangatang invites anyone who would like to take a turn to clean the church to feel free to put their name down on the roster in the porch.**
- ◆ If you know of anyone in Robinvale who would like to receive our weekly Parish Newsletter please pass on their details. A volunteer is available to do deliveries.
- ◆ Baptism Meeting for parents - Wednesday 27th October.



All our students have now returned to onsite learning. Classes have been exploring the meaning of the Rosary during October. We have a busy November coming up as the school will support Catholic Mission and another fun day is planned for our students.

REFLECTION

by Fr Michael Tate

Jumped up Bartimaeus

Bartimaeus sat on the side of the way, having pilgrims throw coins onto his cloak spread out before him. But the presence of Jesus encouraged him to abandon his cloak, jump up from his ground level existence and ask to truly see the way from Jesus' perspective.

Jesus responded to this act of faith by curing the disease so that Bartimaeus could see ahead in the same way as Jesus and follow him on 'the Way' (the earliest name for Christianity).

You and I can remain with the security of a familiar existence, hoping to be tossed a few coins of consolation to satisfy our various hungers. But Jesus wants us to take courage, to jump up and to share his vision.

This takes faith, but we are in a better situation than Bartimaeus. He knew only that Jesus was on the way from Jericho to Jerusalem. We believe that, in Jerusalem, Jesus was lifted well above ground level and then had the astounding victory over the worst that death could do.

We might pause for a moment to pray for the courage to abandon whatever is keeping us grounded, so that with Bishop Richard of Chichester we may see Christ more clearly, love him more dearly, and follow him more nearly.

New Appointments as of the 10th Of January 2022:

Fr Justin Driscoll will become Parish Priest of the Creswick, Daylesford and Gordon Parishes having served as Administrator of the Cathedral Parish for the past 14 years. Fr Ed Moloney will become Administrator of the Ballarat Cathedral Parish having served on the staff of Corpus Christi Seminary in Melbourne for the past 6 years.

Plenary Council – it's a wrap!

The first Assembly of the Plenary Council was held last week and concluded on Sunday. Daily diocesan updates from the Plenary Council and reflections from diocesan members are available at <https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/news-events/e-news/>. To watch recordings of sessions and Masses from the Council go to <https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/masses-and-livestreams/>. We will keep you updated on the progress of the Plenary Council towards Assembly Two in July 2022.

For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission

On Sunday, October 10, 2021 Pope Francis celebrated Mass to mark the global launch of the Synod of Bishops with the theme 'For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission.' This ushers in a period of local consultation that will assist with the two-year process culminating in the Synod of Bishops gathering in Rome in October 2023. Catholics across Australia are invited to participate in a period of local consultation for the Synod. The People of God are invited to use a guided, prayerful reflection method to consider a series of questions and make submissions via an online portal. Those submissions will help the Bishops develop a national report to support the global process leading to an international gathering in 2023.

Find out more at <http://www.catholic.org.au/synodalchurch>

Chúa Nhật Tuần XXX - Mùa Thường Niên

Ca nhập lễ

Tv 104,3-4

Tâm hồn những ai tìm kiếm Chúa,
nào hoan hỷ.

Hãy tìm Chúa và sức mạnh của Người,
chẳng khi ngừng tìm kiếm Thánh Nhan.

Bài đọc 1

Gr 31,7-9

Kẻ điui, người què, Ta sẽ an ủi và dẫn đưa về.

Bài trích sách ngôn sứ Giê-rê-mi-a.

7Đức Chúa phán thế này : Reo vui lên mừng Gia-cóp,
hãy hoan hô dân đứng đầu chư dân !

Nào loan tin, ca ngợi và công bố :

“Đức Chúa đã cứu dân Người, số còn sót lại của Ít-ra-en !”

8Này Ta sẽ đưa chúng từ đất Bắc trở về,
quy tụ chúng lại từ tận cùng cõi đất.

Trong chúng, có kẻ điui, người què, kẻ mang thai, người ở cữ :
tất cả cùng nhau trở về, cả một đại hội đông đảo.

9Chúng trở về, nước mắt tuôn rơi,

Ta sẽ an ủi và dẫn đưa chúng,
dẫn đưa tới dòng nước, qua con đường thẳng băng,
trên đó chúng không còn vấp ngã.

Vì đối với Ít-ra-en, Ta là một người Cha,
còn đối với Ta, Ép-ra-im chính là con trưởng.

Đáp ca

Tv 125,1-2ab.2cd-3.4-5.6 (Đ. c.3)

Đ. Việc Chúa làm cho ta, ôi vĩ đại !

Ta thấy mình chan chứa một niềm vui.

1Khi Chúa dẫn tù nhân Xi-on trở về,
ta tưởng mình như giữa giặc mò.^{2ab}Vang vang ngoài miệng
câu cười nói,

rộn rã trên môi khúc nhạc mừng.

Đ. Việc Chúa làm cho ta, ôi vĩ đại !

Ta thấy mình chan chứa một niềm vui.

^{2cd}Bấy giờ trong dân ngoại, người ta bàn tán :

“Việc Chúa làm cho họ, vĩ đại thay !”³Việc Chúa làm cho ta, ôi
vĩ đại !

Ta thấy mình chan chứa một niềm vui.

Đ. Việc Chúa làm cho ta, ôi vĩ đại !

Ta thấy mình chan chứa một niềm vui.

4Lạy Chúa, xin dẫn tù nhân chúng con về,
như mưa dẫn nước về suối cạn miền Nam.⁵Ai nghẹn ngào ra
đi gieo giống,

mùa gặt mai sau khắp khởi mừng.

Đ. Việc Chúa làm cho ta, ôi vĩ đại !

Ta thấy mình chan chứa một niềm vui.

6Họ ra đi, đi mà nức nở,
mang hạt giống vãi gieo ;
lúc trở về, về reo hơn hở,

vai nặng gánh lúa vàng.

Đ. Việc Chúa làm cho ta, ôi vĩ đại !

Ta thấy mình chan chứa một niềm vui.

Bài đọc 2

Hr 5,1-6

Muôn thuở, Con là Thượng Tế theo phẩm trật Men-ki-xê-đê.

Bài trích thư gửi tín hữu Híp-ri.

1 Thừa anh em, thượng tế nào cũng là người được chọn trong số người phạm, và được đặt lên làm đại diện cho loài người, trong các mối tương quan với Thiên Chúa, để dâng lễ phẩm cũng như tế vật đền tội. 2 Vị ấy có khả năng cảm thông với những kẻ ngu muội và những kẻ lầm lạc, bởi vì chính mình cũng đầy yếu đuối ; 3 mà vì yếu đuối, nên vị thượng tế phải dâng lễ đền tội cho dân thế nào, thì cũng phải dâng lễ đền tội cho chính mình như vậy. 4 Không ai tự gán cho mình vinh dự ấy, nhưng phải được Thiên Chúa gọi, như ông A-ha-ron đã được gọi. 5 Cũng vậy, không phải Đức Ki-tô đã tự tôn mình làm Thượng Tế, nhưng là Đấng đã nói với Người : Con là Con của Cha, ngày hôm nay Cha đã sinh ra Con, 6 như lời Đấng ấy đã nói ở một chỗ khác : Muôn thuở, Con là Thượng Tế theo phẩm trật Men-ki-xê-đê.

Tung hô Tin Mừng

x. 2 Tm 1,10

Ha-lê-lui-a. Ha-lê-lui-a. Đấng Cứu Độ chúng ta là Đức Giê-su Ki-tô đã tiêu diệt thân chết, và đã dùng Tin Mừng mà làm sáng tỏ phúc trường sinh. Ha-lê-lui-a.

Tin Mừng

Mc 10,46-52

Thưa Thầy, xin cho tôi nhìn thấy được.

✠Tin Mừng Chúa Giê-su Ki-tô theo thánh Mác-cô.

46 Khi ấy, Đức Giê-su và các môn đệ đến thành Giê-ri-khô. Khi Đức Giê-su cùng với các môn đệ và một đám người khá đông ra khỏi thành Giê-ri-khô, thì có một người mù đang ngồi ăn xin bên vệ đường, anh ta tên là Ba-ti-mê, con ông Ti-mê. 47 Vừa nghe nói đó là Đức Giê-su Na-da-rét, anh ta bắt đầu kêu lên rằng : “Lạy ông Giê-su, Con vua Đa-vít, xin rủ lòng thương tôi !” 48 Nhiều người quát nạt bảo anh ta im đi, nhưng anh ta càng kêu lớn tiếng : “Lạy Con vua Đa-vít, xin rủ lòng thương tôi !” 49 Đức Giê-su đứng lại và nói : “Gọi anh ta lại đây !” Người ta gọi anh mù và bảo : “Cứ yên tâm, đứng dậy, Người gọi anh đấy !” 50 Anh mù liền vất áo choàng lại, đứng phắt dậy mà đến gần Đức Giê-su. 51 Người hỏi : “Anh muốn tôi làm gì cho anh ?” Anh mù đáp : “Thưa Thầy, xin cho tôi nhìn thấy được.” 52 Người nói : “Anh hãy đi, lòng tin của anh đã cứu anh !” Tức khắc, anh ta nhìn thấy được và đi theo Người trên con đường Người đi.

Ca hiệp lễ

Tv 19,6

Chúng ta hãy vui mừng vì ơn Chúa cứu độ,
phất cao cờ mừng danh Chúa chúng ta.

Mass timetable :

Saturday 4:30pm & 6:00 pm ~ Robinvale

Sunday 9:00 am ~ Manangatang

Sunday 11:00 am ~ Ouyen



MANANGATANG	MINISTRIES
Reader	Reena Sebi
Prayers of the Faithful	Brian Barry
Offertory	Noreen Morris

FIRST READING

Jer 31:7-9

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah

I shall lead them back in mercy – both the blind and the lame.

The Lord says this: Shout with joy for Jacob! Hail the chief of nations! Proclaim! Praise! Shout: The Lord has saved his people, the remnant of Israel! See, I will bring them back from the land of the North and gather them from the far ends of earth; all of them: the blind and the lame, women with child, women in labour: a great company returning here. They had left in tears, I will comfort them as I lead them back; I will guide them to streams of water, by a smooth path where they will not stumble. For I am a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my first-born son.

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 125. R. v.3

**The Lord has done great things for us;
we are filled with joy.**

When the Lord delivered Zion from bondage, It seemed like a dream. Then was our mouth filled with laughter, on our lips there were songs.

**The Lord has done great things for us;
we are filled with joy.**

The heathens themselves said: 'What marvels the Lord worked for them!' What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed we were glad.

**The Lord has done great things for us;
we are filled with joy.**

Deliver us, O Lord, from our bondage as streams in dry land. Those who are sowing in tears will sing when they reap.

**The Lord has done great things for us;
we are filled with joy.**

They go out, they go out, full of tears, carrying seed for the sowing: they come back, they come back, full of song, carrying their sheaves.

**The Lord has done great things for us;
we are filled with joy.**

SECOND READING

Heb 5:1-6

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

You are a priest forever in the line of Melchizedek. Every high priest has been taken out of mankind and is appointed to act for men in their relations with God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins; and so he can sympathise with those who are ignorant or uncertain because he too lives in the limitations of weakness. That is why he has to make sin offerings for himself as well as for the people. No one takes this honour on himself, but each one is called by God, as Aaron was. Nor did Christ give himself the glory of becoming high priest, but he had it from the one who said to him: You are my son, today I have become your father, and in another text: You are a priest of the order of Melchizedek, and for ever.

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

See 2 Tim 1:10

Alleluia, alleluia!

Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death, and brought us life through his gospel.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mk 10:46-52

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark
Master, grant that I may see.

As Jesus left Jericho with his disciples and a large crowd, Bartimaeus (that is, the son of Timaeus), a blind beggar, was sitting at the side of the road. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout and to say, 'Son of David, Jesus, have pity on me.' And many of them scolded him and told him to keep quiet, but he only shouted all the louder, 'Son of David, have pity on me.' Jesus stopped and said, 'Call him here.' So they called the blind man. 'Courage,' they said 'get up; he is calling you.' So throwing off his cloak, he jumped up and went to Jesus. Then Jesus spoke, 'What do you want me to do for you?' 'Rabbuni,' the blind man said to him 'Master, let me see again.' Jesus said to him, 'Go; your faith has saved you.' And immediately his sight returned and he followed him along the road.

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus

Weddings (indoor and outdoor) ~ will be permitted with up to 10 people attending, plus those necessary to conduct the wedding. Children under 12 months old are not counted towards this cap.

Funerals (indoor and outdoor) ~ will be permitted with up to 20 people attending, plus those necessary to conduct the funeral. Children under 12 months old are not counted towards this cap.

Baptisms allowed ~ will be permitted with up to 20 people attending, plus those necessary to conduct the baptisms. Children under 12 months old are not counted towards this cap.

Masks must be worn indoors and outdoors except if at home or an exception applies.

FINANCES

Presbytery :

Parish:



COVID Staying Safe Rules

- Use the hand sanitizer
- Keep your distance
- Wear a face mask
- Use the QR Code
- **If you are feeling unwell please stay home**

