



# THE SAVING WORD

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME / C

10 JULY 2022

## FIRST READING

Deut 30:10-14

A reading from the book of Deuteronomy

*Let the instruction of the Lord God be near you.*

Moses said to the people: 'Obey the voice of the Lord your God, keeping those commandments and laws of his that are written in the Book of this Law, and you shall return to the Lord your God with all your heart and soul.

'For this Law that I enjoin on you today is not beyond your strength or beyond your reach. It is not in heaven, so that you need to wonder, "Who will go up to heaven for us and bring it down to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?" Nor is it beyond the seas, so that you need to wonder, "Who will cross the seas for us and bring it back to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?" No, the Word is very near to you, it is in your mouth and in your heart for your observance.'

■ The word of the Lord.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 68:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37. R. cf. v. 33

**R.** Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

1. This is my prayer to you, / my prayer for your favour. / In your great love, answer me, O God, / with your help that never fails: Lord, answer, for your love is kind; / in your compassion, turn towards me. **R.**

2. As for me in my poverty and pain / let your help, O God, lift me up. / I will praise God's name with a song; / I will glorify him with thanksgiving. **R.**

3. The poor when they see it will be glad / and God-seeking hearts will revive; / for the Lord listens to the needy / and does not spurn his servants in their chains. **R.**

4. For God will bring help to Zion / and rebuild the cities of Judah. / The sons of his servants shall inherit it; / those who love his name shall dwell there. **R.**



## SECOND READING

Col 1:15-20

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Colossians

*All things were created through him and for him.*

Christ Jesus is the image of the unseen God and the first-born of all creation,

for in him were created

all things in heaven and on earth:

everything visible and everything invisible,

Thrones, Dominations, Sovereignities, Powers – all things were created through him and for him.

Before anything was created, he existed,

and he holds all things in unity.

Now the Church is his body,

he is its head.

As he is the Beginning,

he was first to be born from the dead,

so that he should be first in every way;

because God wanted all perfection

to be found in him

and all things to be reconciled through him

and for him,

everything in heaven and everything on earth,

when he made peace

by his death on the cross.

■ The word of the Lord.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

cf. Jn 6:63,68

Alleluia, alleluia! Your words, Lord, are spirit and life; you have the words of everlasting life. Alleluia!



# OUR LADY of MT CARMEL CHURCH BULLETIN

## 15th Sunday Ordinary - 10 July 2022, Year C

### PARISH INFORMATION

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### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday:** 9am – 3pm  
**Thursday:** 9am – 12.30pm

### MASS INTENTIONS



#### 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary, 10 July

**Saturday 6pm Mass** for Armando Aguir (RIP)

**Sunday 7.30am Mass** for Emil Jurica (RIP)

**Sunday 9am Mass** for Stephen Randall (RIP) + Jan Pacan, Zbigniew Siek, Wladyslaw Siek & Joanna Siek (RIP Anniversary) + Emanuel Rodrigues Rebelo (RIP Birthday) & Manuel Gomes Rebelo (RIP Anniversary) + Davina Paul (Thanksgiving)

**11am Baptism** of Steele Graeme Bowerman



#### Monday 11 July – St Benedict

**7-9pm** Holy Trinity Prayer Group



#### Tuesday 12 July

**9am Mass** for Ines Aguir (Intentions)

#### Wednesday 13 July – St Henry

**9am Mass** for Most Precious Blood of Jesus Christ Honour

**Morning Tea** after Mass

**10.30am** Legion of Mary

**6-7pm** Eucharistic Adoration



#### Thursday 14 July – St Camillus de Lellis

**9am-4pm** Church Open for Prayers

#### Friday 15 July – St Bonaventure

**9am Mass** for Conceicao Da Silva Wherhana (RIP) + Teresa Da Silva & Joaquim Martins (RIP)

**9.30 – 10.30am** Eucharistic Adoration

#### Saturday 16 July – Our Lady of Mount Carmel Feast

**9am Mass** for Ines Aguir (Intentions)

**10.30am Baptism** of Everly Viviana Encarnacao



#### 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary, 17 July

**Saturday 6pm Mass** for Dennis Aguir (Intentions) + Concezio D'Alessandro (RIP 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

**Sunday 7.30am Mass** for Stefan Ivelia (RIP)

**Sunday 9am Mass** for Dianne De Olival (RIP 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary) + Vitale Marinelli (RIP 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary)

**Big Morning Tea** after 9am Mass



### WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF MT CARMEL PARISH

If you are a new parishioner, please introduce yourself to Fr Paul. We would like to know a bit about you and your family. You can also fill in a Parishioner Registration Form and join in the Parish Planned Giving Program.



### PLEASE PRAY FOR SICK PARISHIONERS

Christine Rhow, Veronica, Maria, Consiglia Ciavatta, Irwin Beachell, Isabella Da Cunha, Norma Elliott, Rudi Tassell, Steven, Davina, Elisabetta Paddon, Dermot McKernon, Edward Fortune, Zdenka Mravljinc, Beatrice Fernandez, Alex, Desmond O'Connor, Lisa Bubb, Maria Villamagna, Romilda Marinelli, Aaron LoCicero, Jacqueline Paul, Thomas Merchant ...



### 2022 SACRAMENT DATES

**CONFIRMATION: Sunday 4 September 9am**



### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9.30-10am and 5.15-5.45pm  
Or by appointment.



### MASS INTENTIONS

Suggested Offering **\$15 per Mass**. Please give Mass Intention Envelopes to Fr Paul or Parish Office.



### NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

#### 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary, 17 July

**1<sup>st</sup>:** Gen 18:1-10

**2<sup>nd</sup>:** Col 1:24-28

**Gospel:** Lk 10:38-42



### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.



### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The sparrow find a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, forever singing your praise.



Faith in Christ makes all the baptised –  
'Jew and Greek, slave and free, male and female' –  
One in Christ Jesus.



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**STEWARDSHIP: Twenty Tips, Do's and Don'ts to help plan and present a stewardship fair – Don't** – Don't force any organisation into participating. Instead, let the positive impact of stewardship work on those who will wish later they had participated. 🙏



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### SEA SUNDAY 9 & 10 July 2022 - APPEAL FOR STELLA MARIS APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA:

Today is Sea Sunday, when the church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Without them, we would not have most of the items we rely on for daily living. Even during a pandemic, seafarers continue to bring into our ports products that sustain our population and economy. The Appeal today is for Stella Maris, Apostleship of the Sea, the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. It supports seafarers both practically and spiritually. To assist this ministry, please send your donations to: <https://stellamarisaustralia.org/sea-sunday-appeal/>.



**2022 HOLY FATHER MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS: July – Social Friendship.** We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.



**PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES 2022 – 2023:** New Planned Giving Envelopes are ready for collection from the church porch. Please pick up your box of envelopes. If you are not yet part of OLMC Planned Giving, you can fill in a Pledge Card and give to Fr Paul or to the Parish Office. Planned Giving is for the running of the church and does not support the priest. Thank you for your generosity and support to our parish.




**HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES:** To Antonietta Skelton and Family on the recent death of brother Tonino Randazzo. May our Lord comfort you and your loved ones in this sorrowful time.



**DEEPEST CONDOLENCES:** To Mary Merchant and Family on the recent death of husband Thomas Merchant, long time parishioner at OLMC Hilton. Our prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. The Funeral Mass will be on Tuesday 19 July 2022 at 10am at OLMC. Rosary 7pm on Monday 18 July 2022 at Bowra O'Dea Hilton Chapel.



*Novena Intentions*



July 7	Peace in our world
July 8	Freedom from war, slavery & oppression
July 9	All families
July 10	Victims of violence and abuse
July 11	Young people
July 12	Elderly
July 13	Christians everywhere
July 14	The sick
July 15	Our deceased loved ones

*Each day of the Novena we remember all the members of our Carmelite family*

**Novena Prayer**

*Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel*

*Holy One of Israel, Carmelites have always loved Mary the Mother of your Son. She is our sister in humanity and in faith. With her we ask you to care for those we remember today, to show them that you walk with them in darkness and in light. We ask this through Jesus, your beloved Son.*

*Amen*

### BIG MORNING TEA FOR OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL FEAST:

We will be having a big morning tea on **Sunday 17 July 2021** to celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel after 9am Mass. Please bring a plate. Also, Brown Scapulars will be available from Legion of Mary. Thank you.



### A MESSAGE FROM AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED AUSTRALIA:

In 2021 alone, 565,000 religious books were produced and distributed with the help of ACN. Often in poor countries, the child's Bible is the first book that children receive in their own language and frequently it is the only picture book that the little ones can get hold of in their entire lives. Can you help us continue this important work in



### ONLINE SAFEGUARDING INDUCTION FOR ALL CHURCH WORKERS:

All church workers (volunteers or paid) are invited to attend an online safeguarding induction on **Thursday 21 July 2022 at 7pm**. A church worker is anyone in the parish in any role, paid or voluntary. The session will cover





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the Safeguarding Policies and Procedures, the importance of Safeguarding in the parish and the role of the Parish Safeguarding Officer. To register please visit: [www.safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au](http://www.safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au).

**PLENARY COUNCIL PRAYER:** Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost. Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land. O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council. Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road. Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth. Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying. Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the journey from age to age. Amen. Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us. St Mary MacKillop, pray for us. Plenary Council <https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au>.



**NOVENA: FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION CELEBRATION – BULLSBROOK SHRINE:** In preparation for the Feast of the Assumption Celebration, a novena will be prayed every consecutive Saturday, **Shrine of the Virgin of the Revelation, 36 Chittering Road, Bullsbrook** as follows, 11am Novena prayer, rosary, Benediction followed by Mass. On **Saturday 13 August**, Feast of the Assumption, celebration will be as follows, **11am** Novena, rosary, benediction, and procession, followed by Mass and fellowship later. **Further info;** [Goretti events@sacriaustralia.com.au](mailto:Goretti.events@sacriaustralia.com.au) or Catherine: 0434 362 028.



**SCHEDULE:**

Day 1 - Saturday 18th of June at 11 am	Day 2 - Saturday 25th of June at 11 am
Day 3 - Saturday 2nd of July at 11 am	Day 4 - Saturday 9th of July at 11 am
Day 5 - Saturday 16th of July at 11 am	Day 6 - Saturday 23rd of July at 11 am
Day 7 - Saturday 30th of July at 11 am	Day 8 - Saturday 6th of August at 11 am
Day 9 - Saturday 13th of August LET'S CELEBRATE THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY with a morning tea after the Novena, Rosary and Mass.	

**POPE FRANCIS CONDEMNS ABORTION in New Comments About Roe v Wade Decision & Responds to Question on Communion.** [Hannah Brockhaus / CNAVatican. 4 July 2022:](https://www.cna.org.au/news/2022/07/04/pope-francis-condemns-abortion-in-new-comments-about-roe-v-wade-decision-and-responds-to-question-on-communion)



'I ask: Is it legitimate, is it right, to eliminate a human life to resolve a problem?' the Holy Father said in Reuters interview. Pope Francis condemned abortion in new comments about the US Supreme Court's decision to overturn **Roe v Wade**. When asked whether a Catholic politician who supports the right to choose abortion can receive the sacrament of Communion, he warned of bishops losing their "pastoral nature." Speaking to Reuters over the weekend, the Pope said he respected **the ruling** in the **Dobbs v Jackson Women's Health Organization** case, though he did not know enough to speak about the juridical aspects. The interview, published 4 July, said Francis compared abortion to "hiring a hit man." "I ask: Is it legitimate, is it right, to eliminate a human life to resolve a problem?" Pope Francis said.

## CORONAVIRUS PRAYER.

(Adapted from Saints Peter & Paul Church, Portlaoise, Ireland.)

Mighty and Eternal God, our refuge in every danger, to whom we turn in our distress. In faith, we pray that you look with compassion on the afflicted; grant eternal rest to the dead; comfort to mourners; healing to the sick; peace to the dying; strength to healthcare workers; inspiration to scientists and wisdom to our leaders. Give us the courage to reach out to all in love, so that together we may give glory to your Holy Name. Amen.




**When I Am Alone,**  
 God is my comforter.  
 When I am nothing,  
 God is my everything. When I  
 am sad and lonely, God is  
 my song and joy.  
 When I am weak and  
 helpless, God is my  
 strength.  
 Amen



The family that prays together stays together, and if they stay together they will love one another as God has loved each one of them. And works of love are always works of peace.

— Mother Teresa —

**AZ QUOTES**

### Ten Commandments Exodus 20:2-17

<b>I</b> Have no other gods	<b>VI</b> You shall not murder
<b>II</b> Do not make an idol or any likeness	<b>VII</b> You shall not commit adultery
<b>III</b> Do not take the name of the Lord God in vain	<b>VIII</b> You shall not steal
<b>IV</b> Remember the Sabbath	<b>IX</b> You shall not bear false witness
<b>V</b> Honor your father and mother	<b>X</b> You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor




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**OUR LADY of MT CARMEL NOVENA:** God our Father, prompted by Your Spirit the order of Carmel has from the beginning dedicated itself to the Mother of Your Son. As she unites her prayers with ours, look with favour upon us and bless our families, keep each of us from harm And bring us to the joy of heaven. We ask this through Jesus the Lord. **Amen.**



**SOULS in PURGATORY PRAYER:** Eternal Father, I offer You the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, for those in my own home, and in my family. **Amen.**



**OUR LADY of ALL NATIONS PRAYER:** Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Father, send now Your Spirit over the earth. Let the Holy Spirit live in the hearts of all nations, that they may be preserved from degeneration, disaster and war. May the Lady of All Nations, the Blessed Virgin Mary, be our Advocate. **Amen.**

<b>WEEK 2</b> <b>9-10 JUL</b> <b>15<sup>TH</sup> ORDINARY</b>	<b>COMMENTATOR</b>	<b>READERS</b>	<b>ACOLYTE</b>
<b>Sat 6pm</b>	Volunteer	Volunteer	Simon Overton
<b>Sun 7.30am</b>	Diane Richards	Nicolas Lim	Gerry Miller
<b>Sun 9am</b>	Vicky Rafala	Maria Bradshaw	Frank Cooper
<b>WEEK 3</b> <b>16-17 JUL</b> <b>16<sup>TH</sup> ORDINARY</b> <b>OLMC FEAST</b>	<b>COMMENTATOR</b>	<b>READERS</b>	<b>ACOLYTE</b>
<b>Sat 6pm</b>	Loretta Masnada	Carmel Collova	Gerald Farrell
<b>Sun 7.30am</b>	Mark Ryan	Maureen Cooper	Frank Cooper
<b>Sun 9am</b>	Toni Kalat	Jason Rozario	Joe De Ornelas



Through Him, with Him, in Him  
 In the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
 All glory and honour is Yours,  
 Almighty Father,  
 Forever and ever.  
**Amen.**





## GOSPEL

Lk 10:25-37

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

*Who is my neighbour?*

There was a lawyer who, to disconcert Jesus, stood up and said to him, 'Master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law? What do you read there?' He replied, 'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbour as yourself.' 'You have answered right,' said Jesus, 'do this and life is yours'.

But the man was anxious to justify himself and said to Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was once on his way down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of brigands; they took all he had, beat him and then made off, leaving him half dead. Now a priest happened to be travelling down the same road, but when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. In the same way a Levite who came to the place saw him, and passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan traveller who came upon him was moved with compassion when he saw him. He went up and bandaged his wounds, pouring oil and wine on them. He then lifted him on to his own mount, carried him to the inn and looked after him. Next day, he took out two denarii and handed them to the innkeeper. "Look after him," he said "and on my way back I will make good any extra expense you have." Which of these three, do you think, proved himself a neighbour to the man who fell into brigands' hands?' 'The one, who took pity on him', he replied. Jesus said to him, 'Go, and do the same yourself'.

■ **The Gospel of the Lord.**

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# Breaking Open the Word

## CREATION BORN ANEW

The unifying theme of today's readings is being at peace with God, oneself and others. For Deuteronomy, the call is to find peace through faithfulness to the Mosaic law. While the challenge seems daunting, it is possible. The Gospel expands this by calling us to find true peace by loving our neighbour. The parable of the Good Samaritan challenges us to see that it is not a question of determining who my neighbour is, as much as to whom I can be a neighbour.

The reading from the letter to Colossians is one of the Church's earliest hymns and it is a powerful and beautiful reflection on the place of Jesus in God's saving plan. In the light of the resurrection, the first Christians quickly came to see that what had happened in Jesus of Nazareth could not be limited to his earthly ministry. It had become impossible to speak of God's plan of salvation without seeing Jesus as its centre and lynchpin. Paul sees Jesus as the unifying and life-giving force behind all of creation. While the hymn stresses the pride of place that Jesus has in God's saving plan as well as his lordship of all creation, the place and role of the cross is not forgotten. Peace and reconciliation have been achieved through Jesus' blood. It is on the cross, as nowhere else, that Jesus is Lord of all creation, and it is here that creation is born anew.

**Christopher Monaghan CP**