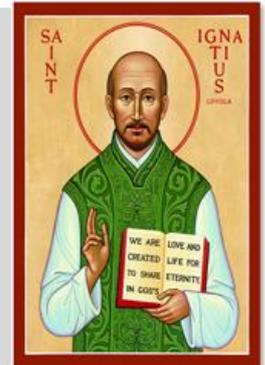


# FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B



## RICHMOND CATHOLIC PARISH of St Ignatius and St James

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### ST IGNATIUS' CHURCH

326 Church Street,  
RICHMOND VIC 3121

#### Mass Times

##### Daily

12.00 noon  
(Monday - Friday)

##### Saturday

6.00pm (Vigil)  
7.00pm (Polish)

##### Sunday

9.30am (English)  
12.00 noon (Polish)  
4.00pm (Vietnamese)

**Anointing of the Sick**  
1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month

### ST JAMES' CHURCH

162 Kent Street,  
NORTH RICHMOND, VIC 3121

#### Mass Times

Sunday: 11.00am

### TRINITY CATHOLIC Primary School

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### SACRAMENTS

#### Baptisms

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Parish  
Mass at 9.30am.  
Contact Parish office.

#### Reconciliation

By appointment

#### Weddings

Contact Parish Office



## CONGRATULATIONS TO FATHER TRUNG NGUYEN, SJ AS HE CELEBRATES TEN YEARS SINCE HIS ORDINATION AS A JESUIT PRIEST 2 JULY 2011



### A Jesuit Parish Our Missions

We share responsibility to: Practise and promote gospel values, recognise and respond to the ever-changing needs of the community and foster a faith that leads to justice. As a parish open to change desiring to be a community, we strive to live the gospel values of: Diversity, Hospitality and Inclusivity.

We respectfully  
**ACKNOWLEDGE**  
the Wurundjeri  
people of the Kulin  
nation,  
as the traditional  
caretakers  
of the land which  
is the Richmond  
Catholic Parish.  
We acknowledge  
the Elders, past  
& present.  
May we, too,  
be good stewards  
of this land.

### SAFETY OF CHILDREN & ALL VULNERABLE PEOPLE

Richmond Catholic  
Parish hold the care,  
safety and wellbeing of  
children and all  
vulnerable people as a  
central and fundamental  
responsibility for our  
community.

### MEDITATION ON GOD'S LOVE

"Poverty was not  
created by God. It is we  
who have caused it, you  
and I through our  
egotism."

*Mother Teresa*

## ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

*Cf. Ps 47:10-11*

Your merciful love, O God,  
we have received in the midst of your temple.  
Your praise, O God, like your name,  
reaches the ends of the earth;  
your right hand is filled with saving justice.

## GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## FIRST READING

*Ez 2:2-5*

A reading from the prophet Ezekiel

*The people are rebellious; they shall know there will be a prophet in their midst.*

The spirit came into me and made me stand up, and I heard the Lord speaking to me. He said, 'Son of man, I am sending you up to the Israelites, to the rebels who have turned against me. Till now they and their ancestors have been in revolt against me. The sons are defiant and obstinate; I am sending you to them, to say, "The Lord says this." Whether they listen or not, this set of rebels shall know there is a prophet among them.'

**The Word of the Lord.**

Thanks be to God.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Ps 122. R. v.2*

(R.) Our eyes are fixed on the Lord,  
pleading for his mercy.

1. To you have I lifted up my eyes,  
you who dwell in the heavens:  
my eyes, like the eyes of slaves  
on the hand of their lords. (R.)

2. Like the eyes of a servant  
on the hand of his mistress,

so our eyes are on the Lord our God  
till he shows us his mercy. (R.)

3. Have mercy on us, Lord, have mercy.

We are filled with contempt.  
Indeed all too full is our soul  
with the scorn of the rich,  
with the proud man's disdain. (R.)

## SECOND READING

*2 Cor 12:7-10*

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

*I will glory in my infirmities so that the power of Christ may dwell in me.*

In view of the extraordinary nature of these revelations, to stop me from getting too proud I was given a thorn in the flesh, an angel of Satan to beat me and stop me from getting too proud! About this thing, I have pleaded with the Lord three times for it to leave me, but he has said, 'My grace is enough for you: my power is at its best in weakness.' So I shall be very happy to make my weaknesses my special boast so that the power of Christ may stay over me, and that is why I am quite content with my weaknesses, and with insults, hardships, persecutions, and the agonies I go through for Christ's sake. For it is when I am weak that I am strong.

**The Word of the Lord.**

Thanks be to God.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*See Lk 4:18*

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me;  
he sent me to bring Good News to the poor.  
Alleluia!

## GOSPEL

*Mk 6:1-6*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

*A prophet is despised only in his own country.*

Jesus went to his home town and his disciples accompanied him. With the coming of the sabbath he began teaching in the synagogue and most of them were astonished when they heard him. They said, 'Where did the man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been granted him, and these miracles that are worked through him? This is the carpenter, surely, the son of Mary, the brother of James and Joset and

Jude and Simon? His sisters, too, are they not here with us?' And they would not accept him. And Jesus said to them, 'A prophet is only despised in his own country among his own relations and in his own house'; and he could work no miracle there, though he cured a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of faith.

### The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



## APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, (ALL BOW) born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to Judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

## COMMUNION ANTIPHON

*Ps 33:9*

Taste and see that the Lord is good;  
blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.

## St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal



**YOUR HELP WILL RESCUE A CHILD FROM HOMELESSNESS THIS WINTER**  
You can donate us by calling 131812 or visiting [vinnies.org.au](http://vinnies.org.au) or by using the envelopes kept at the back of the church.  
Thank you.

### COLLECTION – 20/06/2021

	<i>St Ignatius</i>	<i>St James</i>
<i>Thanksgiving Envelope</i>	<b>\$316.00</b>	<b>\$87.00</b>
<i>Loose Collection</i>	<b>\$1173.05</b>	<b>\$113.80</b>

## July 3: Friendship and the International Day of Cooperatives

Few things are more precious in life than good friends. People who love us, listen to us, all us to love and listen to them, and who enjoy spending time with us and sharing our interests, are a great gift. As we are the people whom we love and to whom we listen.

With friends our relationship goes beyond work and business. We don't pay friends for the time they give to us or for the advice we offer. If we move up the financial ladder, we don't leave our friends behind us and look for new friends who can help our career. We don't build our friendships on self-interest, but on care for our friends' wellbeing. We do not possess our friends, trade them in when their use-by date has arrived, sell them out, not buy their time and affection. Friends are a gift, and we relate to them with respect. This means respecting that they, too are at the centre of their own lives. Their lives are precious independent of their relationship to us, just as our lives do not depend on their friendship. All is gift.

We rightly think of friendship as personal. But we can also speak, as Pope Francis does, about social friendship in our public life. It is opposed to a view of the world which thinks that in our work and in our business, we are individuals who must compete with other individuals, and that in all our dealing we should first of all ask what is in it for us. In this view there is no social friendship in public life, but only social rivalries. We do not make friends but alliances when it is in our own interest.

This is a very bleak view of business and politics. Social friendship is based on the conviction that each human being is precious, and that we may not use people to secure our own interests. Our relationships must be based on respect. In our public lives, too, we cannot thrive or even survive if we are always competitors. We have all needed others to bring us in the world, to survive childhood, to educate us, and to invent and produce the electricity and internet we take for granted. Our good fortune and welfare depend on the health and welfare of others in our community. It follows that all relationships between people in society should be governed by concern for one another. When we recognize this, we shall want to build a society in which all people flourish, beginning with the most disadvantaged.

Where social friendship flourishes businesses will look to the good of their employees and of society in their planning. Governments will also look to the good of the environment on whose health all human beings and their future depend.

Cooperatives, which are remembered on July 3, offer an enticing view of the possibilities that are created when social friendship is taken seriously. In them employees share ownership and decisions about the company, so that they are involved in management as well as in receiving remuneration. All workers, too, keep an eye out for the good of all others and of their society, and have responsibility for securing it. It is an exacting ideal, but one that can work in practice.

Social friendship is embodied, too, in not-for-profit organizations like Jesuit Social Services that exist to accompany and serve people who might otherwise be neglected. They are built not on competition but on friendship.

*Fr Andy Hamilton SJ*

## READERS ROSTER

### ST IGNATIUS' CHURCH

Saturday 03/07/2021 6.00pm Mass	Marlene D'Souza	Sunday 04/07/2021 9.30am Mass	Liza Recto
Saturday 10/07/2021 6.00pm Mass	Therese Keogh	Sunday 11/07/2021 9.30am Mass	Kaye Hogan

### ST JAMES' CHURCH

Sunday 04/07/21 11.00am Mass	Greg Strange	Sunday 11/07/2021 11.00am Mass	Shane Healy
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Let us pray for all those who have gone before us marked with sign of faith.

**Recently Deceased:** Amparo Gido & Adelina Leyva

Pope Francis' Prayer Intention

July 2021

Social friendship.  
We pray that, in social,  
economic and political  
situations of conflict, we may be  
courageous and passionate  
architects of dialogue and  
friendship.

### Dates to Remember

**July is the month of the Most Precious Blood**

Sun. 25 - Feast of St. James the Great

Mon. 26 - Feast of Sts. Joachim and Anne – Parents of Our Lady

Sat. 31 - Feast of St. Ignatius

**August is the month of the Immaculate Heart of Mary**

Sun. 1 - 9.30am Mass at St. Ignatius – Installation of

Fr. Trung Nguyen SJ as Parish Priest of Richmond Catholic Parish by Bishop Terence Curtin. A morning tea will follow.

More information as the date nears.

Sun. 8 - Feast Day of St. Mary of the Cross Mackillop

Sun. 15 - Feast of the Assumption - 9.30am Mass at St.

Ignatius - Students from Trinity Catholic School will be making their First Eucharist

### Restoration Work – St Ignatius' Church



The setting up of the scaffolding to restore the St Ignatius' Church spire is underway. This essential project will take about 5 months and costs the parish around \$1.2 million dollars. The restoration is in part possible due to the generosity of parishioners. Your ongoing financial support is much appreciated. If you need more information, please contact the parish office.

We would like to thank two donors for donating \$500 and \$1000 to the restoration of the church.



### A PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH THE GREAT PROTECTOR

“Year of Saint Joseph”

8<sup>th</sup> December 2020 – 8<sup>th</sup> December 2021

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,  
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.  
To you God entrusted his only Son;  
in you Mary placed her trust;  
with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too,  
show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life.  
Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage,  
and defend us from every evil. Amen.

### School Building Fund

The School Building Fund, which was set up to support Trinity Catholic School will terminate at the end of June 2021. This is due to the fact that Trinity is now directly under the administration of Melbourne Archdiocese Catholic School (MACS). Hence the School Building Fund is no longer needed. Therefore, the parish will no longer be able to provide tax receipts as of the end of this financial year.