



ST PATRICK'S, ST JOHN VIANNEY'S, STELLA MARIS & ST JOSEPH'S

Partnered Parishes of Mentone-Parkdale and Ricketts Point (Beaumaris & Black Rock)

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 5th October 2025

St Patrick's, 10 Rogers St, Mentone

St John Vianney's, Cnr Warren Rd & Brisbane Tce, Parkdale

Stella Maris, 2 Charlotte Rd, Beaumaris

St Joseph's, 542 Balcombe Rd, Black Rock

SUNDAY MASS

Saturday Vigil: 6:00pm (Mentone)
Sunday: 8:00am (Black Rock)
Sunday: 9:00am (Parkdale)
Sunday: 10:30am (Beaumaris)
Sunday: 11:00am (Mentone)
Sunday: 5:00pm (Mentone)

October, Month of the Holy Rosary: Daily Rosary for Peace

The Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV, has invited everyone to pray the Rosary for peace, every day of this month of October - personally, in the family, in the community.



ACYF Bake Sale!!

FROM MIDDAY SUNDAY 5th OCTOBER
ST. PATRICK'S MENTONE

Come along and treat yourself today, assisting the youth in our parish to attend the Australian Catholic Youth Festival later this year.



12th-26th
OCTOBER

ST. CARLO ACUTIS EXHIBITION

First-class Relic of Carlo Acutis & his International Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles.

Program Schedule



Stella Maris Church
2 Charlotte Road, Beaumaris VIC 3193

Sunday 12th to Sunday 26th October 1:00 - 5:00pm

Public Viewing of 1st Class Relic w/ Exhibition &
SCHOOL VISITATIONS

Tuesday 14th October

6:00pm Adoration & Confession
7:00pm Mass
7:30pm Talk: "Art of the Cross: Carlo's understanding of the reality of the Cross by his love for the Eucharist" by Fr. Matthew Timonera

Wednesday 15th October

6:00pm Adoration & Confession
7:00pm Mass
7:30pm Talk: "Pilgrims of Hope – Walking Towards Heaven: Tips and Tools for Discernment and Growth in Holiness" by Fr Nicholas Pearce

Thursday 16th October

6:00pm Adoration & Confession
7:00pm Mass
7:30pm Talk: "Universal call to holiness in the modern world" by Fr. Francis Denton

Tuesday 21st October

6:00pm Adoration & Confession
7:00pm Mass
7:30pm Talk: "Sacred music & the Eucharist" by Fr. Nicholas Dillon

Wednesday 22nd October

6:00pm Adoration & Confession
7:00pm Mass
7:30pm Talk: "The Eucharist: Presence, Sacrifice and Communion" by Fr. Marcus Goulding

Thursday 23rd October

6:00pm Adoration & Confession
7:00pm Mass
7:30pm Talk: "It is always the era of Saints" by Josephine Plazzer

Saturday 25th October

7:00pm Choral music by our Youth Choir
7:30pm Mass w/ Youth Choir



St Joseph's Hall
544 Balcombe Rd, Black Rock VIC 3193

Friday 17th October

6:30-7:00pm Choral music by a performance ensemble.
7:30pm Film screening: "Carlo Acutis: Roadmap to Reality" w/ light refreshment.

Friday 24th October

6:30-7:00pm Choral music by a performance ensemble.
7:30pm Film screening: "Carlo Acutis: Roadmap to Reality" w/ light refreshment.

New Film: Carlo Acutis- Roadmap to Reality

Discover the incredible life of Saint Carlo Acutis in Carlo Acutis: Roadmap to Reality. This powerful new documentary film explores his life, legacy, and the impact of technology on young people today. Through firsthand accounts from family and friends, plus insights from Catholic leaders and tech experts, the film tackles urgent questions about technology's impact on humanity, holding up Carlo as a model for young people as they engage the digital world.

Parish Priest: Rev Fr Justin Ford **Assistant Priest:** Rev Fr Joseph Nguyen

Presbytery: 10 Rogers St, Mentone 3194 **Office:** 3 Mitchell St, Mentone 3194 **Office hours:** 9am-5pm, Monday - Thursday.

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WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon 6th Oct	11:00am (<i>Mentone</i>)
Tue 7th Oct	Memorial: Our Lady of the Rosary 9:15am (<i>Mentone</i>)
Wed 8th Oct	9:15am (<i>Mentone</i>) No Mass at Black Rock today.
Thu 9th Oct	9:15am (<i>Mentone</i>) 9:15am (<i>Beaumaris</i>) (<i>Class Mass</i>)
Fri 10th Oct	9:15am (<i>Mentone & Black Rock</i>)
Sat 11th Oct	9:15am (<i>Mentone & Beaumaris</i>)

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
at **St Patrick's Mentone**
every Friday following 9:15am Mass
until 4:30pm **Benediction.**
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
at **Stella Maris Beaumaris**
every Saturday 9:45-10:15am.

RECONCILIATION / CONFESSION

Wednesdays following 9:15am Mass (*Mentone*),
Saturdays following 9:15am Mass
(*Mentone & Beaumaris*) and at 5:15pm (*Mentone*).

Recently Deceased:

Jill Murphy

Anniversaries:

Patrick McCarthy, John & Frances Howe, Tom Morton,
Jim Cummins

We pray for those who are sick:

Joan Pobjoy, Angela Iorianni, Max Byers, Janis Williams,
Alan Laver, Ching Price, Delia Fisher, Joyce Woodward,
Jim Lacey, John Nicholson, Mirella Townsend, Michael
Papworth, Margaret Rose Durston

Upcoming Ordinate Masses

The Ordinate Mass will be celebrated at St Patrick's
Mentone, next **Sunday 12th October at 9:30 am**
(*Celebrant: Fr Stephen Hill, Vicar General of the*
Personal Ordinate of Our Lady of the Southern Cross);
and on **Sunday 26th October at 9:30 am**
(*Celebrant: Bishop Anthony Randazzo,*
Apostolic Administrator of the Ordinate).

BANKING DETAILS

For direct credit to Parish accounts-

Presbytery account:	083347 6808 76937
Mentone-Parkdale - Church account:	083347 6815 62913
Nazareth Parish - Church account:	083347 6864 78067

*Our Parishes are committed to the safety, well-being and dignity
of all persons. A copy of our Child Safety policy is on the
noticeboard in our churches and on our website www.sspjv.org*

ROSTERS 11/12 October 2025

St Patrick's - Mentone

6:00pm	Commentator/Reader	K Ady
	Extraordinary Minister	B Razga
11:00am	Commentator/Reader	S Mathias
	Extraordinary Minister	M Ly
5:00pm	Commentator/Reader	J Hughes
	Extraordinary Minister	C Giosis

St Joseph's - Black Rock

8:00am	Reader	A Traeger
	Commentator	W Maher
	Extraordinary Minister	J Short

St John Vianney's - Parkdale

9:00am	Reader	C Beck
	Commentator	B Fitchet
	Extraordinary Minister	G Sullivan
	Extraordinary Minister to the sick	D Kidner
	Flowers	B John
	Pilgrim Statue	P Edkins

Stella Maris - Beaumaris

10:30am	Reader	F Yu
	Commentator	M Chenhall
	Extraordinary Minister	F Winkelmann

Readings next week: 28th Sunday Ordinary Time yr C

2 Kings:	5: 14-17
2 Timothy:	2: 8-13
Luke:	17: 11-19

MARCH FOR THE BABIES

Come and show your support and march for the
babies at 1.00pm this Saturday, 11th October -
Treasury Gardens, Cnr Spring St and Wellington Pde,
Melbourne.

Wear pink and blue for the babies!

www.marchforthebabies.com

This is the 17th annual March for the Babies, and
every year since 2009, thousands of Victorians have
gathered peacefully with grief and hope to
remember the ever-increasing number of babies
killed by abortion in this state since the Government
legalised abortion-till-birth on October 10, 2008.

St Patrick's Young Catholics Gathering

Next meeting **Sunday 12th October**, following 5:00pm
Mass in St Patrick's Catholic Parish Centre, 3 Mitchell St,
Mentone (enter via the gate next to the church).
Any questions stpatrickycg@gmail.com

**The St Vincent de Paul Parkdale conference invites you
to join with them for Morning Tea at St John Vianney's
following 9:00am Mass, today, Sunday, 5th October.
All Welcome!**
**Morning tea after 10:30am Mass at Stella Maris today,
Sunday, 5th October. All Welcome!**

October, Month of the Holy Rosary: Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary

The **Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary** is a worldwide movement of prayer established about 1470, and entrusted to the Dominican Order by the Holy See. It is governed by Pope Leo XIII's Apostolic Constitution *Ubi Primum* (1898).

Your name must be inscribed in the Register of the Confraternity, but there are no meetings or dues. Members strive to pray all the mysteries of the Rosary at least once over the course of the week. These can be prayed all on one occasion, or as three five-decade rosaries, or even just as one or more decades at a time on different occasions. This is not a vow, so it is not a sin if it is not done; though the spiritual benefits of the Confraternity are missed out on for that period.

Fifteen decades in total are thus recited weekly, of the Joyful, Sorrowful and Glorious Mysteries – using the rosary beads and devoutly meditating on each mystery as the prayers are said. (When the Confraternity was established, the Luminous Mysteries did not yet exist. Members are encouraged to pray the Luminous Mysteries in addition to the others, but are not obliged to do so in order to fulfil their pledge and gain its benefits.)

The distinctive feature is that when you pray your **fifteen decades of the Rosary, you include in your prayer intention all your fellow Confraternity members, living and deceased. So all round the world, countless thousands are praying for you also, even after death.**

Many popes have spoken and acted in favour of the Confraternity, and have provided members with further spiritual benefits. Members also share in all the prayers, Masses and good works of the entire Dominican Order.

Do you already pray a Rosary a few times a week? Membership of the Confraternity multiplies the spiritual benefits and power of these prayers with no extra effort. God especially likes us to do things as a unified body, as a spiritual community, so he is pleased to encourage this by giving us special blessings when we do so.

You can enrol online here:

<https://www.op.org.au/confraternities>

(Please note that more than one application from the same email address will not be accepted.)

SAINT OF THE WEEK 6 October: Saint Bruno, Priest, Founder of the Carthusian Order

St Bruno was born in Cologne, Germany, about 1030. He studied theology at Reims in France, before being ordained priest in Cologne about 1055. After teaching theology and philosophy at Reims until 1075, he became chancellor of the diocese. A new archbishop was corrupt, and Bruno helped lead opposition until the archbishop was deposed by the reforming Pope St Gregory VII in 1080.

Bruno then wished to retire from worldly affairs and in 1084, with six companions, he founded a hermitage at Chartreuse in the lower Alps, north of Grenoble – then in the Holy Roman Empire, today in south-east France – under the patronage of St Hugh, Bishop of Grenoble. This was the beginning of the Carthusian Order (named for Chartreuse, from which the word 'charterhouse' also derives). The monks lived in individual cells or dwellings a short distance from each other, and were devoted to prayer and study. This first establishment is today 'la Grande Chartreuse', Mother House of the Order.

One of Bruno's pupils from Reims had become Pope as Urban II, and called Bruno to Rome as advisor in 1090. In 1091, Bruno was again able to return to monastic life in Calabria. He died on 6 October 1101 at what is now the Serra San Bruno charterhouse in Calabria, that he established in 1095. In 1623 Pope Gregory XV extended Bruno's feast from the Carthusian Order to the whole Church, equivalently canonising him. He is a patron of Calabria and of Germany.

The motto of the Carthusians is *Stat Crux Dum Volvitur Orbis* – 'The Cross is steady while the world is turning'. The 2005 documentary film *Into Great Silence* gave an unprecedented portrayal of the life of the monks. Today there are 23 charterhouses in the world. The hermit priests are assisted by lay brothers. Among religious orders, the Carthusians stand out for silence, fasting, minimal outside contact, and mostly solitude even within their community; and their rules have not been relaxed even today.

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HYMNS: Mentone 6:00pm Vigil Saturday

Parkdale 9:00am Sunday

Mentone 5:00pm Sunday

Mass Setting: Mass in Honor of St Ralph Sherwin

Entrance: 528 Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

Offertory: *Priere (Prayer)* - J. Langlais

Communion: 486 Firmly I Believe and Truly

Recessional: 494 Go Now You Are Sent Forth

Mentone 11:00am Sunday Choral Mass

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Communion: 486 Firmly I Believe and Truly

Recessional: 494 Go Now You Are Sent Forth

Postlude: *Nimrod* - E. Elgar

Black Rock 8:00am Sunday

Entrance: 611 All The Earth Proclaim The Lord

Offertory: 738 Lord of All Hopefulness

Communion: 811 Soul of My Saviour

Recessional: 840 This Day God Gives Me

Beaumaris 10:30am Sunday

Entrance: Glory and Praise to Our God

Offertory: Lord of All Hopefulness

Communion: Soul of My Saviour

Recessional: This Day God Gives Me



Responsorial Psalm: If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! The word of the Lord stands for ever:
it is the word given to you, the Good News. Alleluia!

Memorial Acclamation: We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection, until you come again.



ROSARY BEADS

Do you have a spare set of Rosary Beads tucked away at home that you would be willing to donate to St Patrick's school? We would love to give our students the opportunity to pray the Rosary together and aim to have full sets of beads in each classroom.

These can be dropped off at either the school office or the Parish office.

Your generosity will help our children grow in faith and love of Mary.

Thank you for supporting them on their prayer journey.

L'Arche Melbourne communities
Patty St, Mentone – Balcombe St, Black Rock – Cavanagh St, Cheltenham
invite you to join us in the spring event

Join us for a special time together as we gather to share a simple BBQ after our annual walk

Walking together

Saturday
11th October
11am

Please RSVP by Monday 6th Oct
carla.hutchinson-reade@larche.org.au

Join us

Venue: Black Rock Gardens, opposite Clock Tower roundabout (beach side)

Gentle walk south along upper Coast Path.

"Donations on the day supporting L'Arche Bangladesh"

L'ARCHE Melbourne

WALKING



Month of the Most Holy Rosary

Our annual Rosary Procession in honour of Our Lady will take place on this Saturday, 11th October.

Starting from the St Patrick's school grounds at 5:00pm sharp, the procession will go around the school sports ground, ending at Our Lady's altar in time for the 6:00pm Vigil Mass.

With Fr Ford again on leave this week, there is no 9:15am Mass at St Joseph's this Wednesday 8th October.