



Saint Catherine of Siena Catholic Church

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OUR PARISH VISION

"A welcoming and dynamic faith-filled Catholic Community, living and sharing the Gospel, to set the world ablaze."

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Yr C) – 13 July 2025



'Go and do the same yourself.' (Gospel)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

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

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

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

Today's Scripture Readings

Dt 30:10-14; Ps 68; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

Next Sunday's Scripture Readings

Gen 18:1-10; Ps 14; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42

PRAYER REQUESTS

For the Sick

Lilian Song, Conchita Claudio, Patricia Muscat, Mary Buhagiar, Emmanuel Chime, Violeta Serimogan, Ezio Rischitelli, Alida Beric, Arturo De Jesus, Patricia McCarthy, Baby Luca, Obi Obi, Eleonor Rivera-Mendoza, Gloria Ng, Edwin Dragwidge, Sheldon Rodriques, Sam Simmons, Elba Synott, Anthony Ong, Nomer Yu, Marianne Lim, Dolores Grech, Alexander, Felipe, Anne, Wevina Azores-Galea, Mar Tristan Benitez, Divina Gracia Carbungco, Leanne Difesa, Teremoana Tagillima Sea, Aj Difesa, Noah Bonello, Wevina Galea, Baby Niko

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Mass Offering/Intention for the Dead – Please submit these not later than 12 noon on Thursdays | **Announcements & Notices** – Please submit these by the end of Wednesday. Thank you.

Church Finances for the Month of May 2025

Total Income: \$ 36,419.00 | Expenditure: \$ 25,558.00

Surplus: \$ 10,861.00

CAROLINE SPRINGS PARISH

Parish Priest: REV. FR RICHARD ROSSE

Parish Coordinator: MR ROBERT DURAI

Parish Secretary: MRS MAGGIE MAZZULLO (Tue - Thur)

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Evangelisation Coordinator (Discipleship): MR GAVIN MUSCAT

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday 9:30am–1:30pm

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday (Vigil): 6:00pm

Sunday: 8:30am, 10:30am & 12:30pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES, SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

Tuesday: 7:00pm (except on Public Holidays: 9:30am)

Monday, Wednesday - Saturday: 9:30am

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday: 6:00pm - 7:00pm (except on Public Holidays: 8:30am)

DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

1st Friday: 7:00pm (Mass followed by adoration of Bl. Sacrament)

DEVOTION TO IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

1st Saturday: 3:30pm

CONFESSIONS: Tuesdays: 6pm; Saturdays: 8:45am, 10am, 5pm, and 1st Friday: 7:30pm or by Appointment at any other time.

LEGION OF MARY

Every Monday: 7:00 – 8:30pm

SRM CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Every Thursday: 7:00 – 8:30pm

ABLAZE PLAYGROUP

Every Thursday: 10:30 – 12:00pm (except School Holidays)

ABLAZE YOUTH GROUP

Every Friday (during School Term) for Youth (Year 7 to 12): 6:00 - 8:00pm

ABLAZE YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Every 1st & 3rd Sunday: 5:00 - 7:00pm

ABLAZE MEN'S GROUP

2nd Friday of the Month: 7:00pm

SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISH

CHRIST THE PRIEST PRIMARY SCHOOL (Prep-Yr. 6)

54 Caroline Springs Blvd. | Phone: 93618600

(PRINCIPAL: Mrs Adele Vesty)

ST GEORGE PRECA PRIMARY SCHOOL (Prep-Yr. 6)

22-48 Lancefield Drive | Phone: 7378 5500

(PRINCIPAL: Mr Michael Ozbun)

CRC CAROLINE SPRINGS (Year 7-10)

10 College Street | Phone: 9217 8000

(PRINCIPAL: Mr Jamie Madigan)

For the latest updates, please visit our Parish Website and other social media platforms

Website: www.stcatherinecarolinesprings.org.au

Facebook: @St.Catherine.Siena.CarolineSprings.Australia



ST CATHERINE OF SIENA CAROLINE SPRINGS

"Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world ablaze"

Friday 4th July 2025.

My dear people,

While this is not the week of a message from me, I thought I'd still give you an outline of Bishop Martin's pastoral visitation to us on the weekend of the 26th and 27th July.

On Friday the 25th July, Bishop Martin will start his visitation with the celebration of the 9:30am Mass. He will then visit the two primary schools of the parish. In the afternoon, he will meet with the parish staff. In the evening, he will meet with the PLT, the Finance Committee and then have dinner with members of these groups.

On Saturday morning, he will celebrate the 9:30am Mass and then meet with volunteers involved in ministries at 10am. That meeting will be followed by a morning tea at 11am to which you are all invited. An open forum at 11:30am with all parishioners, to which you are all invited, will follow the morning tea. The open forum will conclude at 12:30pm. In the afternoon, Bishop Martin will visit some of our parishioners who are housebound and then meet with the young people of the parish. The day will finish with Bishop Martin celebrating the 6pm Mass and having dinner with the ministry coordinators.

Finally, Bishop Martin's pastoral visitation will conclude on Sunday 27th July with him celebrating the three parish Masses and have an opportunity to meet people between Masses.

In Christ,

Fr Richard Rosse

DEACON IAN VERGEL'S ORDINATION

Deacon Ian is going to be ordained to the priesthood on Saturday 20 September at St Patrick's Cathedral. Parishioners are welcome to attend. More details soon.

CHURCH BULLETIN

We appreciate if could return any bulletin to the gathering space if you are not taking it home, rather than leaving them on the pews or throwing them away.

FRIDAY 8:00AM MASS

Please note that the next 8:00 am Mass will be when school term starts.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

SVDP (Deer Park/Caroline Springs Conference) thank everyone in the parish for their generous contribution towards the Winter Appeal. The society has received enough food items to help families who are in need this winter. Thank You!



JUNIOR LEGION OF MARY

The Junior Legion of Mary Praesidium meets every Saturday from 2pm to 3pm in the church meeting room. Those who are 10 to 17 yrs old are welcome to join and be a soldier of Mary. For more details, please contact **Mary Rose Peeters on 0412 797 005**.

PARISH TOWN HALL: THURSDAY 17 JULY

There will be a parish Town Hall on Thursday 17 July at 7pm. We invite parishioners to attend this very important gathering.

We will be presenting our parish financial status, and there will be an opportunity to ask questions relating to the parish. We hope you will attend.

ST BERNADETTE CHURCH: Nth SUNSHINE

Change to Saturday Evening Mass Time

St Bernadette's Parish has advised that there will be a change of Saturday evening Mass time. Currently, Mass is celebrated at 6:30pm. With effect from Saturday 12 July, Mass will be celebrated at 6:00pm instead on a permanent basis.

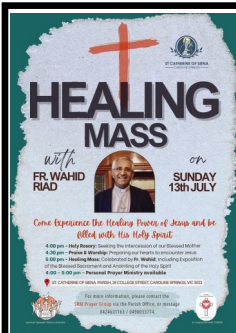


JUBILEE OF YOUTH: HOPE NIGHT

Fr James Baptist, Asst Priest in St Andrew Parish, Werribee invites all youth from the ages of 11 (Grade 6) to 25 to attend this special event on **Saturday 2 August, 7pm to 10pm**.

Join young people from around Melbourne to celebrate the

Jubilee of Youth, with vibrant music from Catholic artist Kyle Correya and an inspiring keynote delivered by special guest speaker Gary Pinto, concluding with Adoration & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Confession available. To register, go to <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1428098?qr=true&qr=true>



HEALING MASS INVITATION

We warmly invite you to a Healing Mass **this Sunday 13th July**. The celebrant for the Mass will be **Fr Wahid Riad**. Prayer Ministry will be available before Mass for individuals and families seeking personal prayers.

Evening Schedule:

4:00pm - Holy Rosary: Seeking the intercession of our Blessed Mother

4:30pm - Praise & Worship: Preparing our hearts to encounter Jesus

5:00pm - Healing Mass

4:00 - 5:00pm - Personal prayers for individuals and families by Prayer Ministry members.

It is an opportunity for those seeking physical, emotional or spiritual healing. Let us place our lives in the hands of our Jesus, Divine Healer, trusting in His power to renew and restore us in body and spirit.

For more details, contact the Charismatic Prayer Group

HOSPITALITY - THIS WEEKEND



After Mass, we have coffee, tea, biscuits and cakes. It is an opportunity to enjoy a cuppa with your fellow parishioners.

Please join us after Mass in the Gathering Space.

25TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION:

FR DAVID CARTWRIGHT

Fr David will be celebrating his 25th Anniversary of Ordination with Mass at **St John Bosco Church, 29 Muriel Street, Niddrie, on Sunday 20 July 2025 at 2pm**, followed by afternoon tea in the parish hall. He has warmly invited parishioners to attend.

To assist with catering, please **RSVP** to niddrie@cam.org.au



CATHOLIC DATING QnA

"Swipe Right on God's Plan"

Are you looking for love that reflects your faith? Join Spiritual Renewal Ministry for Young Adults between the ages of 18 and 35 for a fun, honest, and insightful session tackling real questions about dating, relationships, the waiting

season, and God's plan for your love like. Whether you're single, dating, or simply curious—this is the place to connect, laugh, and learn. **Event details:**

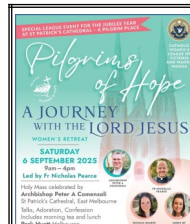
■ **Wednesday 23rd July 2025**

■ **8PM-9PM (Melbourne time)**

■ **Online via Zoom; register for Zoom link @**

<https://forms.gle/gPhc1VJAzZC8NUoCA>

■ **Speakers: Bobby Joseph (SRM), Sue & Greg Murray (Alpha)**



WOMEN'S RETREAT

6 Sept 2025

The Catholic Women's League of Victoria invites you to a Women's Retreat at **St Patrick's Cathedral on Sat 6 Sept, 9am-4pm**.

Morning tea and lunch at the Park Hyatt. **'Pilgrims of Hope: A journey with the Lord Jesus':** \$60

(League members discount). 2-for-1 deal under 35's. The day will be led by Fr Nicholas Pearce,

Parish Priest of St Michael's, North Melbourne. It includes: spiritual talks by Fr Nicholas and Silvana Scarfe (Formation Specialist for the Archdiocese of Melbourne); Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction, Confession. Morning tea and lunch will be at the Park Hyatt. Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Comensoli. Register: www.trybooking.com/DCBKR or for enquiries: info@cwlvicww.org.au

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