

# Resurrection Parish Kings Park



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## 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C 5<sup>th</sup> September, 2010.

Resurrection Mass Times		Office Hours
<u>Weekends</u>	<u>Weekdays</u>	<u>Monday to Saturday</u>
<b>Saturday: 6.00 pm</b> <b>Sunday: 9.00 am</b> <b>10.30 am</b>	<b>Monday: 6.00 pm</b> <b>Tuesday: 9.20 am</b> <b>Thursday: 7.30 pm</b> <b>Friday: 8.30 am</b>	<b>8.30 am – 12.30 pm</b> <b>1.30 pm – 6.00 pm</b> <b>Closed 12.30 pm – 1.30 pm</b>  <b>Sunday 8.30 am – 12.30 pm</b>

### PARISH STAFF

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### PARISH LIBRARY

The library is open during office hours.

### OTHER REGULAR SERVICES

#### COMMUNION SERVICE

Wednesday 9.40 am

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9.30 am  
(or any time by appointment)

#### VIETNAMESE PRAYER GROUP

Monday 10.00 am

### PARISH MEETING NIGHT

Parish groups meet on the first Wednesday of the month at 7.15 pm in the Church for prayer prior to meeting.

### BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated first Sunday of each month. Prior enrolment and preparation is required.

### MARRIAGE

Preparation program for couples is required.

### NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome. Please collect your information package from the Welcome Desk or Parish Office.

### PARISH FINANCE

The parish is financially dependent on our Thanksgiving envelopes. Call the parish office for details or pick up a pledge card from the Welcome Desk.

### PARISH WEBSITES

<http://www.res-parish.org>

### Plus 22s

Visit our website at <http://plus22.res-parish.org>

### WEEKLY BULLETIN

Articles for the weekly bulletin may be emailed to [news@res-parish.org](mailto:news@res-parish.org) or handed into the parish office, preferably by the Wednesday prior to publication.

### MONTHLY BULLETIN

The monthly bulletin is published on the last weekend of the month. Contributions are appreciated at least a week before publication. Articles received after this will appear in the next month’s bulletin.

### THIS WEEK AT RESURRECTION

**MONDAY 6<sup>th</sup> September**  
10.00 am.....Vietnamese Communion Service

**TUESDAY 7<sup>th</sup> September**  
9.20 am.....Communion Service  
Seniors In-house  
7.00 pm.....Aerobics  
7.30 pm.....R.C.I.A.

**WEDNESDAY 8<sup>th</sup> September**  
**Birth of the Virgin Mary**  
9.30 am.....Communion Service  
10.00 am.....Rosary  
7.15 pm.....Youth Group

**THURSDAY 9<sup>th</sup> September**  
10.00 am.....Vietnamese Adoration  
10.00 am.....Playgroup

**FRIDAY 10<sup>th</sup> September**  
8.30 am.....Mass  
9.00 am.....Stations of the Cross  
7.30 pm.....Praise@Resurrection

**SATURDAY 11<sup>th</sup> September**  
8.30 am – 12.30 pm...3<sup>rd</sup> Working Bee  
6.00 pm.....Mass

**SUNDAY 12<sup>th</sup> September**  
**24<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
9.00 am.....Mass  
10.30 am.....Mass  
12.30 pm.....Vietnamese Mass

## THANKSGIVING

### LAST WEEK

THANKSGIVING:	\$ 6,317
NUMBER OF ENVELOPES:	342
PRESBYTERY:	\$ 385

We pray in thanksgiving for Lonza Muscat, Sam Cefai, Hanh To, Juan Esteban Martinez, Thelma Evans and Luigino Zenaro who have died recently.

We pray for Carmelo Augustin Santia Pillai, Augustin Mary Amma, Joseph Seguna, Joseph Busuttil, Vincent Seguna, Philip Agius, Carman Giordmaina, Alfred Galea, Teodoru Flores, Benjamin Wico, Rosalinda Reyes, Grace Sandrasagra, Maharajah Sandrasagra, Edward & Ignatius Gilford, Tony & Kevin Attard, Phillip Cricchiola, Francis Vellaand all those whose anniversary occurs at about this time.

Please also pray for Sam Scollo, Reno Tabone who are sick.

### WORKING BEE

This Saturday (11 September) is our next working bee. There is a dedicated group of parishioners who have been planning this working bee for the last three months. There is much to do. It will be very well organized. But we do need **you**. The working bee is from 8.30am till 12.30pm. Please make an effort to come. And please try to stay for lunch.

### FR NOEL

Fr Noel will be on holidays as from this Monday. Fr Paul Castley and Fr Gary Walker will be celebrating our weekend Masses and Fr Peter Carrucan will be celebrating our Friday Masses (except during School holidays). There will be a Communion Service on Tuesday mornings. Please note the Sacrament of Reconciliation will not be available on Saturday morning during Fr Noel's annual leave. Please refer to the September and October calendars in the Big Bulletin.

### LOURDES WATER

Last year Fr Noel brought some water back from Lourdes. If any parishioner would like a small quantity just bring a small container to the Parish Office.

### UNDERSTANDING THE NEW TESTAMENT

There is a new truly excellent book that has just been published called "A Friendly Guide to the New Testament". It is written by an Australian Scripture scholar Fr Frank Moloney. It is user friendly and well presented. Fr Moloney has written this book in such a way that it makes the New Testament accessible to a wide range of people including students for help with homework, parishioners interested in gaining an overview for a particular Gospel, and just a great resource to have on hand. We have purchased 20 copies and are selling them from the Parish Office at \$20 (We purchased them for \$19.95 each). A copy has been left at the Welcome Desk for you to browse.

### FOG CALL TO ACTION 2010

Those parishioners who responded to the FOG survey were largely of the view that a broad religious/spiritual education program was needed at the parish. The FOG group has lined up a few activities for the remainder of the year and ask you to support us with your presence and engagement, if you at all can. Please let the parish office know of your intentions for planning purposes.

September activities: There is an important e-conference held across the world on Thursday 16/9, between 10.00 and 3.30. The focus will be the key one of Jesus, the Christ. If we don't have the numbers, we'll present an earlier topic- Mary, First Disciple on Saturday 18/9 between 10.00 and 12.30.

October: Max Michel will lead a discussion on Mary Mackillop and the meaning of sainthood on Tuesday 12/10 at 7.30.

November: If unable to be held until then, the Jesus conference will be presented on Saturday 13/11 between 10.00 and 12.30.

Weekly: You are all invited to join the ongoing Friday meetings to reflect on the week's readings. [7.30-8.30]. How about giving it a go this week?

Details of more activities will follow. What is important for you, if you can at all manage it, is to show your active support- so that our

individual and collective faith can be enriched. And, please, do NOT forget to sign on and let us know in some way! Thank you and God bless!

Max Michel  
[Team Leader, FOG group]

### BALLROOM DANCING

Ballroom dancing classes resume on Wednesday 22nd September at 7.15pm, due to teachers being away at the moment. Any further details can be obtained by ringing Nadia on 9449 0976.

### RESURRECTION DINNER DANCE

The Social Group is holding a dinner dance. This will be a catered event, so it is important that you book. Tables of 10 available.  
WHEN: Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> October, 2010 at 7.30pm  
WHERE: Resurrection Parish Hall  
COST: \$35.00 Per Person (No children under 16)  
MEAL: 3 course dinner & BYO Drinks  
DRESS CODE: AFTER 5 WEAR  
ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCING INCLUDED  
Dance to the tunes of DJ Dino. Cabaret performance also included. Tickets on sale now!  
Ring Nadia on 9449 0976 for bookings.

### SCRIPTURE MEDITATION

Friday 10th September at 7.30pm in the Ray DeGabrielle room, there will be a meditation on the coming Sundays Gospel. Followed by a half hour Praise and Worship time with intercessory prayers. There will then be Scripture study/sharing on Mark Ch1 1:45. If you are interested in deepening your faith journey you are welcome to attend these sessions.

Praise@Resurrection  
A member of the FOG group

### SENIORS ACTIVITIES – SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2010

#### SEPTEMBER

**Tuesday, 7th** - Seniors In-house – "FATHERS DAY" – As Fr Noel will be away, there will be a Communion Service at 9.20 a.m. followed by morning tea, entertainment and a fun morning when a 'LUCKY SENIOR FATHER/GRANDFATHER' will be crowned. Cost: \$10 per person.

**Tuesday, 21<sup>st</sup>** - Visit to the Titanic Exhibition

Cost: Concession \$40.00 per person and non-concession \$46.00 per person. This includes the bus trip to and back; entry to the Exhibition and Lunch at Waterloo Hotel in Moonee Ponds. Departure time to be advised.

#### OCTOBER

**Tues 13th/Wed 14th** – Overnight Trip to Wangaratta

A trip to Wangaratta is proposed, leaving Resurrection at 7.30 a.m. (You should be at Resurrection at 7.15 a.m.) Accommodation will be twin-share. Cost of this trip will be as follows:

If we get 30 people, the cost would be \$115.00 per person  
If we get 40 people, the cost would be \$100.00 per person, and  
If we get 50 people, the cost would be \$90.00 per person.

There are about 10 seats left on the bus.

A DEPOSIT OF \$50.00 PER PERSON IS REQUIRED WHEN BOOKING.

**Tuesday, 26th** - Seniors – In-house - Bingo morning with morning tea and light refreshments. Cost: Gold coin donation.

**Please contact Jane Caruana for all Seniors Group bookings/enquiries on Mobile: 0421 593189 or 9366 6633.**

#### THEOLOGY@THE PUB IN SEPTEMBER

Come along for a drink, a chat, a great talk and meet some other young Catholics!

Speaker: Angela and Dennis Shanahan (Journalists)

Topic: Catholicism and the Media

When: 6.30pm (for a 7.30 start), Monday 6th Sept

Where: The Pumhouse Hotel, 128 Nicholson St., Fitzroy

Who for: Young adults 18-35 years old (age restriction doesn't apply to priests and religious)

More info: [theologyatthepub.com.au](http://theologyatthepub.com.au) or

John: [john@theologyatthepub.com.au](mailto:john@theologyatthepub.com.au)

# Next Week's Readings – 12<sup>th</sup> September

## 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C

### Reading 1

Ex 32:7-11, 13-14

The LORD said to Moses, "Go down at once to your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt, for they have become depraved. They have soon turned aside from the way I pointed out to them, making for themselves a molten calf and worshiping it, sacrificing to it and crying out, 'This is your God, O Israel, who brought you out of the land of Egypt!' "I see how stiff-necked this people is," continued the LORD to Moses. Let me alone, then, that my wrath may blaze up against them to consume them. Then I will make of you a great nation."

But Moses implored the LORD, his God, saying, "Why, O LORD, should your wrath blaze up against your own people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with such great power and with so strong a hand? Remember your servants Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, and how you swore to them by your own self, saying, 'I will make your descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky; and all this land that I promised, I will give your descendants as their perpetual heritage.'" So the LORD relented in the punishment he had threatened to inflict on his people.

### Responsorial Psalm

Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19

R. (Lk 15:18) I will rise and go to my father.

### Reading 2

1 Tm 1:12-17

Beloved: I am grateful to him who has strengthened me, Christ Jesus our Lord, because he considered me trustworthy in appointing me to the ministry. I was once a blasphemer and a persecutor and arrogant, but I have been mercifully treated because I acted out of ignorance in my unbelief. Indeed, the grace of our Lord has been abundant, along with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. This saying is trustworthy and deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. Of these I am the foremost. But for that reason I was mercifully treated, so that in me, as the foremost, Christ Jesus might display all his patience as an example for those who would come to believe in him for everlasting life. To the king of ages, incorruptible, invisible, the only God, honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

### Gospel

Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10

Tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to listen to Jesus, but the Pharisees and scribes began to complain, saying, "This man welcomes sinners and eats with them." So to them he addressed this parable, "What man among you having a hundred sheep and losing one of them would not leave the ninety-nine in the desert and go after the lost one until he finds it? And when he does find it, he sets it on his shoulders with great joy and, upon his arrival home he calls together his friends and neighbors and says to them, 'Rejoice with me because I have found my lost sheep.' I tell you, in just the same way there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance.

"Or what woman having ten coins and losing one would not light a lamp and sweep the house, searching carefully until she finds it? And when she does find it, she calls together her friends and neighbors and says to them, 'Rejoice with me because I have found the coin that I lost.' In just the same way, I tell you, there will be rejoicing among the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

Then he said, "A man had two sons, and the younger son said to his father, 'Father give me the share of your estate that should come to me.' So the father divided the property between them. After a few days, the younger son collected all his belongings and set off to a distant country where he

squandered his inheritance on a life of dissipation. When he had freely spent everything, a severe famine struck that country, and he found himself in dire need. So he hired himself out to one of the local citizens who sent him to his farm to tend the swine. And he longed to eat his fill of the pods on which the swine fed, but nobody gave him any. Coming to his senses he thought, 'How many of my father's hired workers have more than enough food to eat, but here am I, dying from hunger. I shall get up and go to my father and I shall say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you. I no longer deserve to be called your son: treat me as you would treat one of your hired workers.'" So he got up and went back to his father. While he was still a long way off, his father caught sight of him, and was filled with compassion. He ran to his son, embraced him and kissed him. His son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you: I no longer deserve to be called your son.' But his father ordered his servants, 'Quickly bring the finest robe and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. Take the fattened calf and slaughter it. Then let us celebrate with a feast, because this son of mine was dead, and has come to life again; he was lost, and has been found.' Then the celebration began.

Now the older son had been out in the field and, on his way back, as he neared the house, he heard the sound of music and dancing. He called one of the servants and asked what this might mean. The servant said to him, 'Your brother has returned and your father has slaughtered the fattened calf because he has him back safe and sound.' He became angry and when he refused to enter the house, his father came out and pleaded with him. He said to his father in reply, 'Look, all these years I served you and not once did I disobey your orders; yet you never gave me even a young goat to feast on with my friends. But when your son returns, who swallowed up your property with prostitutes, for him you slaughter the fattened calf.' He said to him, 'My son, you are here with me always; everything I have is yours. But now we must celebrate and rejoice, because your brother was dead and has come to life again; he was lost and has been found.'"



## Reflection

### Prayer for the Lost Lambs

*Lord Jesus, we pray for all the sheep that are lost,  
but our hearts go out especially to the lost lambs.*

*Have mercy on the human wolves who steal,  
exploit,*

*and sometimes kill the lambs of the Father's flock;  
help them to see the horror of what they are doing.*

*Comfort the grieving parents who in many cases  
don't even have the consolation of a burial service.*

*In your merciful love grant that those lambs,  
though lost here, may be found hereafter.*

*Watch over those who are still straying here below.*

*Guide them along paths that are safe.*

*Send shepherds to look for them.*

*And open the eyes of society  
so that we may cease to regard property  
as more important than people.*

*Amen.*

# ROSTERS FOR 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> September, 2010

## 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

	<b>6 P M</b>	<b>9 A M</b>	<b>10.30 A M</b>
<b>MASS OVERSEERS</b>	Gwen Hammett	Mani Gojevic	Ann Newland
<b>HOSPITALITY</b>	Jane Caruana Joe Caruana Michelle Camenzuli Lucas Borja Aaron Polidano Brandon Tedesco Tenique Borg	Kathie Lunn Bernadette Azzopardi Mary Gatt Anna Cassar	Richard Marshall Brenda Shafton Teresa Billon Peter Tauannu Gabriele & Orita Tuilaepa Owen D'Cruze Paulette Desveaux
<b>PROCLAIMERS</b>  1 <sup>st</sup> Response 2 <sup>nd</sup> Intercessions	Geraldine Holt Connie Attard Daniel D'Souza Marlene Axiak	Kristy Stojcevski Marian D'Rosario Julieta Basco Mary Carabott	Reana Cazar Linda Desveaux Ren Cazar Maria Lapid
<b>Emergencies</b>	Karen Colaco	Cherleen De Jesus	Remy Libang
<b>COLLECTORS</b>	George Borg Jarrod Borja Willy Hudson John Vassallo Joseph Xerri Jordan Tedesco John Polidano Pat Marek Dwayne & Donavan Hughes Andrea Misquith	Frank Gatt Ian McDonald Tony Renda Arnel Abuan Sebastiana Da Costa Teresita Komorrow Tuyen Le	Irene Vrhowec Andrew Morrison Jeffrey Squares Franciscus Nicart Janon Ternura Antonio Tuimauga Tony Tuimauga Mia Nguyen Ronnie Trance Ajieng Majith Deoh Atienza Tilo Matagi Nilo Lim Brian Tuimauga
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<b>SACRISTY DUTY</b>	Spira Attard	Pauline Debrincat	Kate Pedralvez & Cecilia Navarro
<b>COFFEE MAKERS</b>	John Borja	Tony Renda	Veronica Santiago, Suzanna Tienzo Gregg Soabas
<b>COFFEE CLEAN-UP</b>	Imelda Abrenica Roberto Abrenica	Rosa Rumbiolo Lena Renda	Luisa Fletcher Susan Espina Zenaída Magtoto Kate Pedralvez
<b>COUNTERS: 12<sup>th</sup> Sept</b> Terry Phelan Helen & Len Gatt Connie Attard Patricia Meyn Mario Debono Carmel Maisano <b>Collator Mon 13<sup>th</sup> Sept</b> Peter Gwynne	<b>CHURCH CLEANERS:</b> <b>Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> Sept</b>  No roster	<b>Sat. 11<sup>th</sup> September:</b> <b>Parish Office</b> <b>Cleaning:</b>  <b>Flowers:</b>  <b>Altar Linen:</b>	Mirjana Dutkowsky  Sr Kim  Lina Scicluna