

HOLY TRINITY PARISH QUEENSLIFF

HOLY TRINITY PARISH INCORPORATING THE MASS CENTRES AND COMMUNITIES OF



**HOLY FAMILY
CHURCH**
101 Hitchcock Av
Barwon Heads

**OUR LADY STAR OF
THE SEA**
68 John Dory Drive
Ocean Grove

**HOLY TRINITY CHURCH,
QUEENSLIFF**
**A PLACE OF PILGRIMAGE
FOR JUBILEE
YEAR 2025**



THE MOST HOLY BODY and BLOOD of CHRIST, YR C

Sunday 22nd June 2025

PARISH TEAM

Fr Linh Pham PP
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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday from 10:00am to 1:00pm
(closed public holidays)

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm — BARWON HEADS
Sunday: 9:00am — OCEAN GROVE
Sunday: 11:00am — QUEENSLIFF

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tuesday: 9:15am — Ocean Grove
Wednesday: 9:15am — Queenscliff
Thursday: 9:15am — Ocean Grove
Friday: 9:15am — Queenscliff
*Please see: Liturgy in our Parish This Week
for others events and activities*

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

is available prior to each weekend Mass,
and before or after weekday Masses if needed.

PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOLS

St. Aloysius, Queenscliff
Principal: Ms. Miriam Leahy, Tel: 5258 1736

Our Lady Star of the Sea, Ocean Grove
Principal: Ms. Kerryn Sells, Tel: 5255 4308

LITURGY IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

Tuesday 24th June — The NATIVITY of ST JOHN THE BAPTIST

9:15am Mass at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Ocean Grove
11:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion at Sea
View Manor, Ocean Grove (subject to change)

Wednesday 25th June — Weekday, Ordinary Time 12

9:15am Mass at Holy Trinity, Queenscliff, followed by
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (until 11:00am)
11:00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion at
Arcare, Point Lonsdale (subject to change)

Thursday 26th June — Weekday, Ordinary Time 12

9:15am Mass at Our Lady Star of the Sea, Ocean Grove

Friday 27th June — The Most SACRED HEART of Jesus

9:15am Mass at Holy Trinity, Queenscliff followed by
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (until 11:00am)

Saturday 28th June — Weekday, Ordinary Time 12

Sunday 29th June — Sts PETER and PAUL

REFLECTION

by Dianne Bergant CSA

This Feast combines the previous feasts of Corpus Christi and the Precious Blood of Christ. It reminds us that the body and blood of Christ were offered as a sacrifice for us, and every time we re-enact this sacrifice, we renew his sacrifice. The Body and Blood of Jesus is the interim meal for the Christian community. We are to feed on it until the Lord returns. We see again the already-but-not-yet character of Christian eschatology, for the Lord has already returned. That means that the Eucharist meal is a re-enactment of Christ's death, an anticipatory celebration of his coming, and a thanksgiving banquet with him present.

The multiplication of the loaves and the fishes prefigures the eschatological banquet of fulfilment. Its miraculous bounty assures us of the abundance of that future banquet.

Its miracle of multiplication prefigures the miracle of Jesus as he changed the bread and wine into his own body and blood. Jesus handed himself over as food and drink on the very night that he was handed over by others. The banquet that he prepared was a celebration of the new covenant; it was an eschatological banquet of thanksgiving. This feast invites us to enter through either the past, the present or the future, for each one will lead us to the mystery that we celebrate: the mystery of the sacrifice of Christ; the mystery of the sacred bread and wine of the future; the mystery of the eschatological banquet of the present.

We acknowledge the Wathaurong people as the traditional custodians of the land upon which our three churches stand

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Genesis 14:18-20

A reading from the book of Genesis

Melchizedek king of Salem brought bread and wine; he was a priest of God Most High. He pronounced this blessing:

‘Blessed be Abraham by God Most High, creator of heaven and earth,
and blessed be God Most High for handing over your enemies to you.’

And Abraham gave him a tithe of everything.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 109:1-4. R. v.4

(R.) *You are a priest for ever,
in the line of Melchizedek.*

1. The Lord’s revelation to my Master:
‘Sit on my right:
I will put your foes beneath your feet.’ **(R.)**
2. The Lord will send from Zion
your sceptre of power:
rule in the midst of all your foes. **(R.)**
3. A prince from the day of your birth
on the holy mountains;
from the womb before the daybreak I begot you.
(R.)
4. The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change.
‘You are a priest for ever,
a priest like Melchizedek of old.’ **(R.)**

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

This is what I received from the Lord, and in turn passed on to you: that on the same night that he was betrayed, the Lord Jesus took some bread, and thanked God for it and broke it, and he said, ‘This is my body, which is for you; do this as a memorial of me.’ In the same way he took the cup after supper, and said, ‘This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Whenever you drink it, do this as a memorial of me.’ Until the Lord comes, therefore, every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, you are proclaiming his death.

Gospel Acclamation

John 6:51-52

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;
whoever eats this bread will live for ever .

Alleluia!

Gospel

Luke 9:11-17

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them about the kingdom of God; and he cured those who were in need of healing.

It was late afternoon when the Twelve came to him and said, ‘Send the people away, and they can go to the villages and farms round about to find lodging and food; for we are in a lonely place here.’ He replied, ‘Give them something to eat yourselves.’ But they said, ‘We have no more than five loaves and two fish, unless we are to go ourselves and buy food for all these people.’ For there were about five thousand men. But he said to his disciples, ‘Get them to sit down in parties of about fifty.’ They did so and made them all sit down. Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them; then he broke them and handed them to his disciples to distribute among the crowd. They all ate as much as they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were collected they filled twelve baskets.

PRAYERS OF INTENTION

Recently Deceased:

Czeslawa 'Cecila' Piec.

Anniversaries 22nd June to 28th June:

Fr Lyle Young, Frank Nelson and Grace Considine.

Please pray for those who are Sick:

Naomi Bianco, Frances Blaine, Jacqueline Blake, Matthew Blake, Mary Blonk, Peter Bourke, Helen Carter, Sam Caruana, Sue Casey, Ian Downing, Robert Drummond & Patti Semler, Nell Fraigneux, Kay Freyne, Ross Gilham, Margaret Gladstone, Mary Gladwin, Martin & Mary Grundy, Justin Hanan, Stephen Hanan, Susan Hardy, Peter Harrington, Jeanette Hodgkinson, Gregory Holien, Robert & Lyne Horner, Melissa Keogh, Hilda Koerntjes, Margaret Leahy, Margaret Lomas, Michelle Mahoney, Belinda Monterosso, Christine Naulty, Helen Pearce, Mavourneen Ray, Geraldine Richards, Betty Rushton, Kevin Teasdale, Richard Vaughan, Deanne Warren and Cathy Williams.

THANKSGIVING PROGRAM	JUBILEE YEAR 2025 - NEWS
<p>Dear Friends,</p> <p>Stewardship of parish resources and finances is a high priority because it ensures that the legacy of Holy Trinity Parish, entrusted to us, is maintained for the future.</p> <p>I do appreciate that many families and individuals are struggling with financial pressures due to inflation and the cost of living during this time. Our parish community of Holy Trinity Parish is no exception.</p> <p>I am grateful for your commitment to continue supporting Holy Trinity Parish financially. Your contributions help enormously with the upkeep of the parish. This enables the parish to continue to provide its services and to reach out.</p> <p>Your new series of Thanksgiving envelopes for 2025 – 2026 is now available. If you are new to the parish and would like to join the parish stewardship program, please contact the parish office to obtain Thanksgiving envelopes or to make your contribution direct via EFT.</p> <p>I am looking forward to a fruitful ministry with you, your family and all parishioners of Holy Trinity Parish. I pray that God may continue to bless you and your family, with many graces.</p> <p>- Fr Linh Pham PP</p>	<p>SAVE THE DATE - JUBILEE 2025, PILGRIMS OF HOPE</p> <p>The Peace Camino: “The Way to War becomes the Prayerful Path to Peace and Hope” from Sunday 9 November to Tuesday 11 November. Pilgrims follow the Bellarine Rail Trail, from South Geelong Railway Station to Drysdale, staying overnight before continuing on to Queenscliff with an opportunity to attend an 11am Remembrance Day Service, followed by a gathering and lunch at Holy Trinity Church Queenscliff.</p> <p>JUBILEE YEAR 2025 AT HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, QUEENSCLIFF</p> <p>During Jubilee Year Holy Trinity Church, Queenscliff, will be open for private/group prayer during the week: Tuesdays to Fridays and Sundays from 9am to 3pm. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will follow 9:15am Mass until 11:00am on Wednesdays and Fridays.</p> <p>ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY WINTER APPEAL</p> <p>Vinnies Winter Appeal will take place this weekend, 21-22 June. This Winter, help people break free from the cycle of poverty and homelessness. Your support of the Vinnies Winter Appeal will ensure people have somewhere to turn to in times of need. Show your support at www.vinnies.org.au/vic or calling 13 18 12.</p> <p>PETER’S PENCE ANNUAL APPEAL</p> <p>The Archdiocesan annual appeal will take place next weekend, 28-29 June.</p>
ROSTERS	<p>THE WELCOME PLACE</p> <p>The Welcome Place for Refugees and Asylum Seekers, which operates from Wesley Church in Geelong, needs more volunteers for the programs to run. Could you help on either Friday afternoons 1-5pm in our food bank (which TAR contributes to), or Friday evenings 5-9pm, when dinner and hospitality is provided for our refugee and asylum seeker friends?</p> <p>If you can help, please contact the Wesley Centre Welcome Place by email wesleycentrewelcomeplace@gmail.com.</p>
<p>OCEAN GROVE: Sunday 29th June at 9:00am: (C) Maureen Earls (L) Monica Meagher (SM) Jo Ballard, Marg Lucas (W) Judy Considine, Brenda Bissinella.</p> <p>QUEENSCLIFF: Sunday 29th June at 11:00am: (C) Bob Merriman (L) John Hanan (SM) Lisa Piasente (W) Paul Doolan.</p> <p>COUNTERS: Tuesday 24th June at 10:00am: Sam & Maria Sammut.</p>	
THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK	<p>CHILDREN RECEIVING SACRAMENTS THIS WEEKEND</p> <p>Together we pray for the children receiving the Sacrament of Baptism and the Sacrament of First Eucharist (Parish Sacramental Program) this weekend. Please keep the children and their families in your prayers.</p>
<p>Choose being kind over being right and you’ll be right every time.</p> <p>- Richard Carlson.</p>	

VOLUNTEERING NEWS

Thank you to all our wonderful volunteers who support the parish. We appreciate your time, skillset and value your support.

All volunteers must complete the following requirements to continue volunteering in the parish:

- ♦ **Have a current Working With Children Check (WWCC).** You can apply or renew online: [Working with Children Check](#). Remember to register Holy Trinity Parish and details on your account.
- ♦ **Sign a Parish Code of Conduct.** Forms available at the parish office and on the parish website: [Code of Conduct for Parish Volunteers – Holy Trinity Parish Queenscliff](#).
- ♦ **Have a current National Police Check.** Applications via the parish office. Police Checks are only required for counters, religious education & children's liturgy (including all Sacramental Programs and RCIA), communion to the sick, aged care facility visits, pastoral care and Finance Committee members.
- ♦ **Complete Safeguarding Essentials online training.**

Safeguarding Essentials is a 30-minute online compulsory training module for all volunteers (in any capacity) and will provide you with foundational knowledge in relation to safeguarding children, young people and vulnerable persons. You will receive a certificate of completion, and the parish will also receive notification that the module has been completed successfully. To register you will need your unique Working with Children Check (WWCC) ID and an email address. Please see the parish website for all information and training link:

[Parish Volunteers – Holy Trinity Parish Queenscliff](#).

You are welcome to complete training at home or the parish office has an available computer. If you would like to attempt the training at home, please click on the above link. Scroll down to SAFEGUARDING TRAINING GUIDELINES to find the link for the online training. Once you have completed the training, please forward a copy of your certificate to the parish office. If you would like to use the parish resources, contact the parish office to book a time (a cuppa will be included).

We are looking at hosted two in-person safeguarding training group sessions, possibly in August and November 2025. Once dates are available, contact the parish office to book your place. What this space!

If you require any assistance or have any questions at all, please contact the parish office. We are here to support you through this process! As always, if you are interested in becoming a volunteer, please contact the parish office.

- Safeguarding Committee

BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS

Visit our website for all information:

www.holytrinityqueenscliff.org.au/sacraments/

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN ATTENDING NON-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Visit our website for all information:

www.holytrinityqueenscliff.org.au/sacraments/sacramental-program-1/

COLUMBARIUM

Visit our website for all information:

www.holytrinityqueenscliff.org.au/about-us/parish-columbarium/

THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

We are welcoming enquiries for new members to join the Catholic Church. RCIA workshops for 2025-2026 will start in October 2025. Enquiries to parish office via 5258 673 or queenscliff@cam.org.au



Anthony & Letitia Dowling with the friendly team you know and trust.

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Contact Charlie on 0413 609 170

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BULLETIN NOTICES

If a loved one has recently died or if you would like a deceased loved one prayed for as their anniversary is occurring, please contact the parish office on 5258 1673 or queenscliff@cam.org.au by 1:00pm on Thursdays to have your loved one(s) remembered in the weekly bulletin.