



Morphett Vale Catholic Parish Bulletin

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

5TH MAY 2024

Parish Priest: Fr Christopher Matala - (Currently on annual leave)
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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 6.00pm Vigil

Sunday 8.00am

Sunday 9.30am

Sunday 11.00am - Polish

NO POLISH MASS 5TH MAY

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 9.15am

Wednesday No Masses for May 2024

Thursday 9.15am

Friday 9.15am

Saturday 9.00am (Confessions after Mass)

REGULAR PARISH MASSES AND EVENTS

ROSARY: Monday 7.30pm and after weekday Masses
ADORATION: Every Friday following 9.15am Mass until 12 noon.
PASTORAL CARE - SICK: Contact Parish Office or Fr Christopher
BAPTISM: All enquiries through the Parish Office
MARRIAGE: Six months notice - enquiries to the Parish Office
FIRST FRIDAY MASS: Sacred Heart of Jesus: - Mass at 9.15am
FIRST SATURDAY MASS: Immaculate Heart of Mary: - Mass at 9.00am
FIRST SUNDAY: Divine Mercy Devotion : - 3.00pm
MORNING TEAS: 2nd Sunday after 11.00am Mass - Polish
4th Sunday of the month after 9.30am Mass

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER - YEAR B

	6th Sunday of Easter 5th May 2024	Ascension of the Lord 12th May 2024
First Reading	Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48	Acts 1:1-11
Second Reading	1 John 4:7-10	Ephesians 1:17-23
Gospel	John 15:9-17	Mark 16:15-20

PSALM RESPONSE: The Lord has revealed to the nations His saving power

GOSPEL ACCL: Alleluia, alleluia!
All who love Me will keep My words,
and My Father will love them and We will come to them.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Jesus said to his disciples:

“As the Father has loved Me, so have I loved you. Remain in My love. If you keep My commandments you will remain in My love, just as I have kept My Father’s will and remain in His love. I have told you this so that My own joy may be in you and your joy be complete. This is My commandment: Love one another as I have loved you. A man can have no greater love than to lay down his life for his friends. You are My friends, if you do as I command you. I shall not call you servants anymore, because a servant does not know his master’s business; I call you friends because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from My Father. You did not choose Me, no, I chose you; and I commissioned you to go out and to bear fruit, fruit that will last; and then the Father will give you anything you ask Him in My Name. What I command you is to love one another.”

Fr Noe Navarrete will be celebrating Masses for our Parish and Fr Roman or Fr Jack will be celebrating Polish Masses on the weekends ONLY.

If Fr Noe is unavailable for weekday Masses there maybe a prayer service or the Rosary in the church.

PARISH WORKING BEE –THANK YOU

A very big thank you for all those who attended the working bee last Saturday. Also many thanks again to the ladies for providing a wonderful morning tea.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING

SICK: Paul Fisher, Elsy, Catherine Clark

RECENTLY DECEASED:

ANNIVERSARIES: Hannah & Youseff Moussa, Adam & George Adam, Paul, Luke & Norman Zadey, Adam Zadey, Saba & Khoury families, Peggy Cowie, Beryl Horne

If you wish the names of your family members to be included in the Prayers for the Sick, Recently Deceased or Anniversaries please contact the Parish Office. Due to privacy laws, names will not be published on the sick list in the bulletin without prior permission of the person involved.

Parishioner Update Form

**In the foyer there are still forms if you haven't as yet completed the update to help us keep our records current. Forms can be placed in the collection plates.
For those Parishioners who require envelopes for our Planned Giving Program please let the office know as we need to order new packs for the 2024/2025 year.**



A wonderful celebration was held last weekend for Fr Roman's 50th Ordination Anniversary

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Polish Celebration this weekend for anniversary of Fr Roman's Ordination
Marian Procession
19th Sunday May 2024 at 2.00pm

Liturgy and Music Ministry Focus Day

Where: Nazareth Catholic College Middle Years Campus
1 Hartley Road, Flinders Park, SA 5025

When: Monday, 20 May 2024 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Cost: \$100 for non-SRELA members.

Includes general admission to the full-day event, and morning tea and lunch

Please register at: <https://www.trybooking.com/CRHED>

or contact convener@srela.com.au



St Vincent de Paul Society
good works

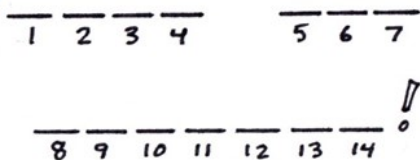
LEAVING COLLECTION—NEXT WEEKEND **St. Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal**

**It is that time again for the S.V.D.P winter appeal it is being launched on May 11th. With the cost of living forever rising, the need for assistance is constantly increasing, so if you are able, please give generously to our appeal. Envelopes will be available in the foyer thank you and God Bless.
(Brenda dos Santos Morphett Vale president).**

The Kids' Bulletin

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 5th, 2024



*What does Jesus ask us to do
in today's Gospel reading?
Put the letters in the spaces that match
to find out!*

Love One Another

Jesus wants us to love each other just like God the Father loves us. Can you think of some ways to show you love the people around you?



1. What can you do to show you love your parents?

2. How can you be loving to your brothers and sisters?

3. What can you do for your grandparents to show you love them?



4. How do you show your friends you love them?

5. What can you do to love someone that doesn't like you?

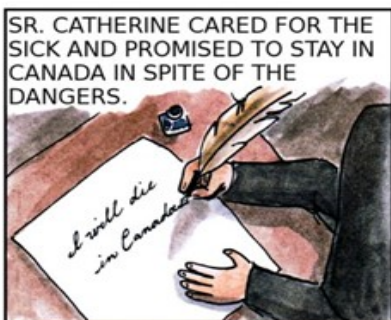
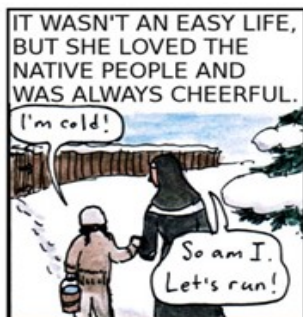
When someone is loving toward you, think of how that person is being like God the Father and try to be like them!



Answer to front page puzzle: Love one another!
Answer to Word-Find: To lay down one's life

Blessed Catherine of St. Augustine

May 8



BLESSED CATHERINE LOVED THE SICK PEOPLE AND CARED FOR THEM BECAUSE SHE KNEW THAT BY HELPING OTHERS SHE WAS BEING KIND TO JESUS. WHEN YOU SEE SOMEONE WHO IS POOR OR SICK OR LONELY, REMEMBER THAT BY BEING KIND TO THAT PERSON YOU ARE BEING KIND TO JESUS.

Love One Another Word Find

Find the words in CAPITALS from today's Gospel reading in the puzzle. Use the left-over letters to fill in the blanks.

As the FATHER has loved me, so have I loved you; REMAIN in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be COMPLETE. "This is my COMMANDMENT, that you love one another as I have loved you. GREATER love has no man than this, that a man lay DOWN his LIFE for his friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. No LONGER do I call you SLAVES, for the slave does NOT KNOW what his MASTER is DOING; but I have CALLED you FRIENDS, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I CHOSE you and appointed you that you should go and bear FRUIT and that your fruit should abide; so that whatever you ASK the Father in my NAME, he may GIVE it to you. This I command you, to love one ANOTHER.

G C T S L A V E S O L
I O A N O T C L G A Y
V M N D N O H I R F M
E M O W G N O F E R A
F A T H E R S E A U S
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E T C A L L E D A S K

No one has greater love than this:

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for one's friends.

