



OLW NEWS 2025

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Dear Parents & Families,

Welcome to the 2025 School Year! We hope that the break has been enjoyable for families and everyone is feeling refreshed and rested.

It has been great to have the opportunity to connect with staff, students and families as well as meet our wonderful new Preps who have settled in so well. I would like to extend a special thank you to you all for making me feel so welcome. I am so grateful to Kevin for ensuring that the transition process has been smooth and for all that he has done for the OLW community.

I look forward to the school year and the adventures that it will surely bring!

NEWSLETTER UPDATE

Please note that the Newsletter will be sent fortnightly each Monday. The Parish Newsletter will continue to be sent each week.

STAFFING UPDATE

We welcome Mrs Clare Bisby who is teaching Year 3/4 (Wed – Fri). Clare comes to us from Our Lady Help of Christians in Eltham. We also welcome Hannah Walsh back from Maternity Leave (Hannah is running our Futurescapes Program.) Please find a full 2025 staff list below.

ENTRY & EXIT TIMES

8.40am: Gates Open (families are welcome to enter the school grounds).

8.48am: The bell will ring for the classrooms to open so that students may enter and unpack their bag.

3.20pm: School Day ends

The gates will open at 3.15pm to allow parents to enter the school grounds. We ask that parents remain off the deck outside the classrooms until the 3.20pm bell rings so that there is no distraction for the students and so that doorways are kept clear.

Our Whole School Assembly will commence at 3.00pm each Monday.

OLW SCHOOL APP – AUDIRI

OLW uses the Audiri App for notifications to families, school newsletters and general post about school activities. Please follow the YouTube tutorial below or see overleaf for how to install the app. Current users will need to update their child's class details for 2025. ***Please note: the fortnightly school newsletter will only be available electronically through AUDIRI or our school website.***

Audiri School Communication App

We have created a short YouTube tutorial on how to subscribe to our school and add your child's class group on the AUDIRI school communication app. In this video, we'll walk you through the simple steps to get you connected and stay updated with all the important information about your child's education.

The link to the video is below. Alternatively, you can head over to the OLW YouTube Learning Channel to view the video listed under 'current videos'.

<https://youtu.be/dpr-l1KjjNw>

- Never miss an update
- Stay informed on events
- Leave a message for the school office or teacher
- Submit an absent note for your child



CONTACT & EMERGENCY DETAILS

If there is a change of address, mobile number, home, work phone number or email please notify the office so that our records can be updated. You must also make the change in Operoo so that all forms for school extra-curricular activities reach the correct email address.

CSEF

Families who hold a current Health Care Card are eligible to apply for CSEF support. Please contact the school office for an application form. Please note that closure dates apply.

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE

If your child is attending the Before and/or After School Care Program, please notify the school Office as soon as possible. We also keep a list of students who attend the Program, showing on what days of the week they attend. This reduces confusion and enables us to know where each child is after school.

Parents who use the Kingsbury staff car park must enter and exit the carpark slowly and safely - being mindful of students who may be around and other cars in the carpark.

MEDICATION REGISTER:

All schools are required by law to have a medication register book. When your child requires medication, we require a parent / guardian to fill out this book on what medication your child requires and when the medication is required. **Medication must be in its original packaging and the dosage must be specified on the packet and confirmed by the parent in writing.**

All medication must be kept at the School Office.

As a general rule, if your child requires medication for an illness, then they are not well enough to attend school.

BE SUNSMART – WEAR A HAT!

The School Hat must be worn during Term 1 and in Term 4. Children who do not have a school hat are required to sit under the veranda or on the deck at recess and Lunchtime. (i.e. No Hat, No Play)

SCHOOL PHOTOS

School Photos will be on **Thursday March 13**. Children will be required to wear their full Summer School Uniform on the day.

Please see the attached flyer for information.

2025 SACRAMENTAL DATES

Our Sacramental Dates for 2025 have been set together with Fr John.

**Sacrament of Confirmation (Year 6):
Thursday, 5th June at 5 pm.**

**Sacrament of First Eucharist (Year 3):
Sunday, 3rd August at 1 pm.**

**First Reconciliation (Year 2):
Tuesday, 21st October at 2 pm.**

Families are also most welcome to join us at the following masses:

**Beginning of School Year Mass at 10 am:
Friday, 21st February.**

**Ash Wednesday Mass at 9 am:
Wednesday, 5th March.**

COMMUNICATION

If you wish to communicate with either myself or your child's teacher you may request a time by either:

- Talking to either myself, Melanie or your child's teacher before or after school.
- Leaving a message at the school office.
- Leaving a message via the School App.
- Sending an email to principal@olwkingsbury.catholic.edu.au

PHYS ED LESSONS

Physical Education lessons will be held on WEDNESDAY this year. Students are asked to wear their sports uniform and runners each WEDNESDAY.



NO FOOD SHARING / BIRTHDAY TREATS

In order to minimise risk in the school in relation to food and allergies, I ask that parents do not send along cakes, lolly bags or any other food treat on special celebration days. I suggest stickers, pencils, stamps or novelty items such as silly straws. Whilst this may seem unfortunate, I ask for your support with this. It is in the best interest of our children.

PREP TESTING

We will be sending out an Interview Booking form for our Prep families via Audiri this week. Interviews will be held on Wednesday 12th, 19th, 26th February and Wednesday, 5th March. Prep students will only need to attend one session.

ATHLETICS TRIALS DAY

As part of our selection process for our District Athletics Team, we are holding an Athletics Trials day for Years 3 – 6 on **Friday, February 14**. Students will need to wear their sports uniform on this day.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC PROGRAM

At the end of 2024, we were informed that Excel Music have decided to close their business and will therefore not be offering instrumental music lessons.

Fortunately, I have been able to secure a keyboard and guitar teacher if parents are still interested. If you could please email me with your expression of interest by this **Friday, 7th February**.

*Have a great week!
Grace Lucic*

OLW SCHOOL CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

- MON 10 Year 5/6 Parliament House Excursion
- FRI 14 Year 3 – 6 Athletics Trial
- FRI 21 Beginning of School Year Mass (10 am)

MARCH

- WED 5 Ash Wednesday Mass (9 am)
- MON 10 Labour Day Holiday
- WED 12 NAPLAN Testing Period Commences Years 3 & 5
- THURS 13 School Photo Day
- WED 19 Open Evening (4 – 6 pm)
- MON 24 NAPLAN Testing Period Concludes
- WED 26 District Athletics
- MON 31 School Closure Day for Parent Teacher Interviews

APRIL

- FRI 4 Term 1 Ends – Dismissal 1 pm
- FRI 18 Good Friday
- SUN 20 Easter Sunday
- MON 21 Easter Monday
- TUES 22 Term 2 Commences

BEFORE / AFTER CARE REPLY SLIP:

Please return this reply slip to the OLW School Office.

Yes, my child / children will use the after school care / before school care on:

PLEASE TICK (✓)

MONDAY	A.M.....	P.M.....
TUESDAY	A.M.....	P.M.....
WEDNESDAY	A.M.....	P.M.....
THURSDAY	A.M.....	P.M.....
FRIDAY	A.M.....	P.M.....

FAMILY SURNAME:

CHILD/REN:

SIGNATURE:

Our Lady of the Way Staff, 2025	
Grace Lucic	Principal
Melanie Thomson	Acting Deputy Principal & Learning Leader
Huong Lamont*	Deputy Principal & Maths Leader
Bradley Hall	Prep & Wellbeing
Shirley Schroeder	Year 1/2
Lisa Micomonaco	Year 1/2 & Religious Education Leader
Catherine Laycock	Year 3/4
Rebekah Zammit	Year 3/4 (Monday & Tuesday)
Clare Bisby	Year 3/4 (Wednesday – Friday)
Chris Tormey	Year 5/6
Christine Moore	Year 5/6 (Monday & Tuesday) /Extension Program Years 3 - 6 (Thursday)
Erin Mithen	Year 5/6 (Wednesday – Friday)
Lisa Hrisikos	Art, Library, SRC, Fire Carriers
Hannah Walsh	Futurescapes (Monday & Tuesday)
Grace Ciorcari	Italian (Wednesday)
Lucy Van Ballegooy	PE, Sport & Training (Wednesday & Friday)
Jacqui Driscoll	Learning Diversity Leader & MacqLit (Monday – Wednesday)
Alicia Burchfield	MiniLit (Monday – Thursday)
Kathy Pullen, Leanne Pulic, Claudia Sanchez, Rosemary Keppel & Ange Apostopoulos	LSOs
Elaine Jeffree	Library Technician
Matthew Jones	Counsellor (Monday – Wednesday)
Jacinta Cashen	Admin Officer
Kathryn Zammit	Office Manager
*Parental Leave Terms 1 & 2	

School Photos 2025 - Important Registration Information

School Photographs will be taken at

Our Lady of the Way Primary School

Thursday 13th March 2025

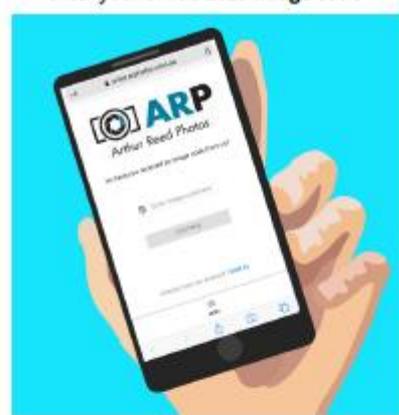
There is no need to return any forms or payment to school before photo day

Flyers with Unique Image Codes will be issued to all students on or after photo day

When you receive your child's 2025 image code **Follow these 3 simple steps**



1 Go to order.arphotos.com.au and enter your child's 2025 image code



2 Tap on 'Add another child' to enter the image codes of any siblings



3 Fill in your contact details & review before confirming your registration*



*This information will only be used for distribution of personal image codes and ordering details.

That's it!

It's important to register each year to link your child's NEW images to your contact details. When 2025 images are ready to view in our secure webshop you'll be notified by email and SMS

- Create photo packages with any layout & YOUR choice of images + Multiple Image Downloads
- Order on any mobile device
- Share the images with family & friends for FREE

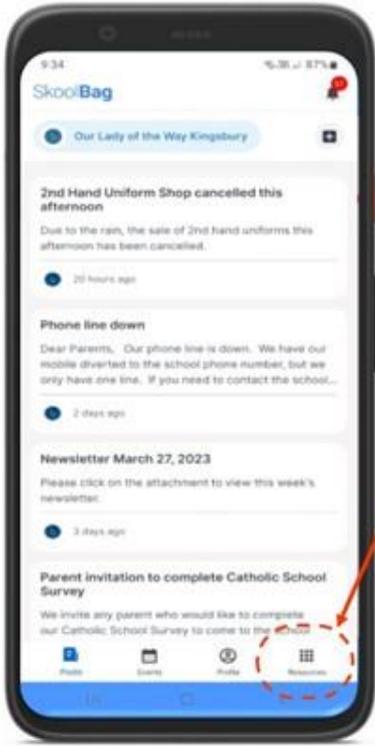
**** Please wait to receive notifications that new images are online BEFORE ordering for 2025****



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AUDIRI APP – Adding your child’s new class group

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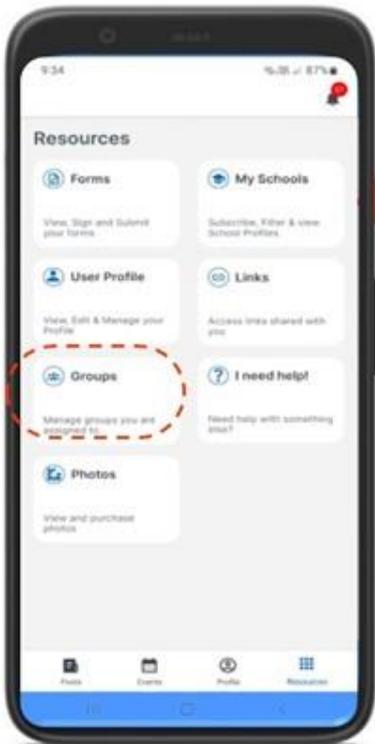


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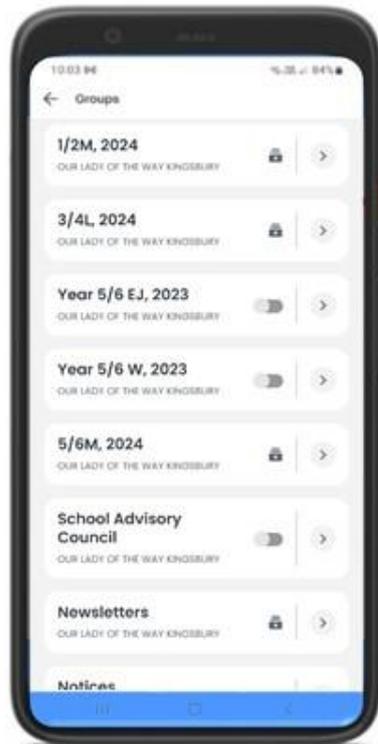
2. Select **Groups** to view all groups that you can subscribe to

3. Scroll through the list to find your child's class group. Turn on notifications (button will turn blue). You can subscribe to more than one class group if you have more than one child in the school.

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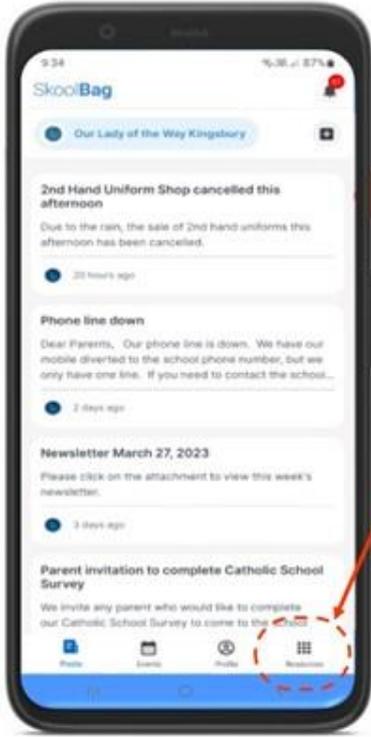


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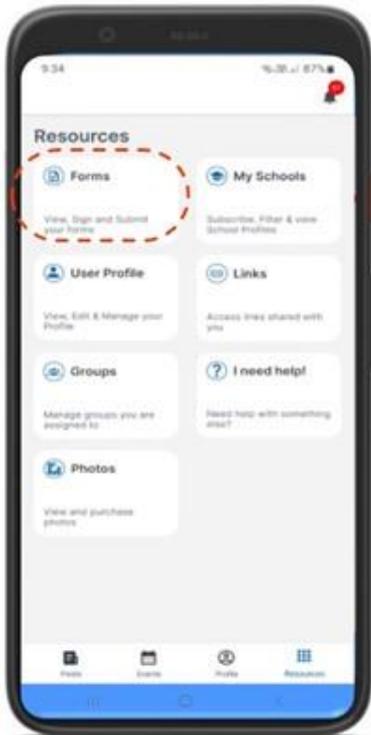


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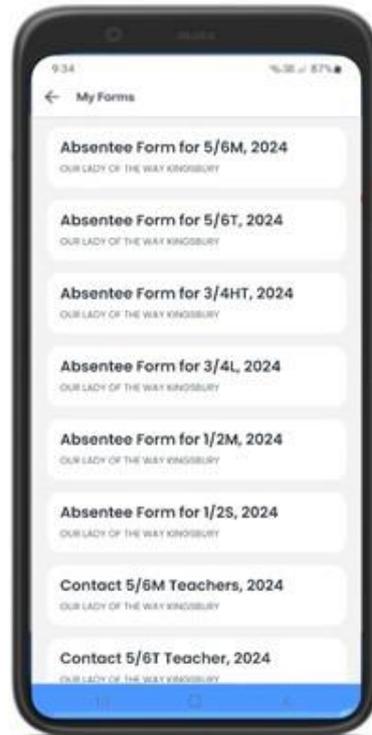
5. Select **Forms** to view the Teacher Contact and Absent eForms for child's class group

6. You can submit an absent form for you child, leave a message for the teacher or the office.

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The Living Word

The Presentation of the Lord

2 February 2025

First Reading Mal 3:1-4

The Lord whom you seek will come to his temple.

The Lord God says this: Look, I am going to send my messenger to prepare a way before me. And the Lord you are seeking will suddenly enter his temple; and the angel of the covenant whom you are longing for, yes, he is coming, says the Lord of hosts. Who will be able to resist the day of his coming? Who will remain standing when he appears? For he is like the refiner's fire and the fuller's alkali. He will take his seat as refiner and purifier; he will purify the sons of Levi and refine them like gold and silver, and then they will make the offering to the Lord as it should be made. The offering of Judah and Jerusalem will then be welcomed by the Lord as in former days, as in the years of old.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 23:7-10. R. v.10

*(R.) Who is this king of glory?
It is the Lord!*

1. O gates, lift up your heads;
grow higher, ancient doors.
Let him enter, the king of glory! (R.)
2. Who is the king of glory?
The Lord, the mighty, the valiant, the
Lord, the valiant in war. (R.)
3. O gates, lift high your heads; grow
higher, ancient doors.
Let him enter, the king of glory! (R.)
4. Who is he, the king of glory?
He, the Lord of armies,
he is the king of glory. (R.)

Second Reading Heb 2:14-18

He had to be made like us in all things.

Since all the children share the same blood and flesh, Jesus too shared equally in it, so that by his death he could take away all the power of the devil, who had power over death, and set free all those who had been held in slavery all their lives by the fear of death. For it was not the angels that he took to himself; he took to himself descent from Abraham. It was essential that he should in this way become completely like his brothers so that he could be a compassionate and trustworthy high priest of God's religion, able to atone for human sins. That is, because he has himself been through temptation he is able to help others who are tempted.

Gospel Acclamation Lk 2:32

Alleluia, alleluia!

*This is the light of revelation to
the nations,*

and the glory of your people Israel.

Alleluia!

Gospel Lk 2:22-40

My eyes have seen your saving power.

When the day came for them to be purified as laid down by the Law of Moses, the parents of Jesus took him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord - observing what stands written in the Law of the Lord: Every first-born male must be consecrated to the Lord - and also to offer in sacrifice, in accordance with what is said in the Law of the Lord, a pair of turtle-doves or two young pigeons. Now in Jerusalem there was a man named Simeon. He was an upright and devout man; he looked forward to Israel's comforting and the Holy Spirit rested on him. It had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not see death until he had set eyes on the Christ of the Lord. Prompted by the Spirit he came to the Temple; and when the parents brought in the child Jesus to do for him what the Law required, he took him into his arms and blessed God, and he said:

'Now, Master, you can let your servant go in peace,
just as you promised;
because my eyes have seen the
salvation which you have prepared for all
the nations
to see,
a light to enlighten the pagans
and the glory of your people Israel.'

As the child's father and mother stood there wondering at the things that were being said about him, Simeon blessed them and said to Mary his mother, 'You see this child: he is destined for the fall and for the rising of many in Israel, destined to be a sign that is rejected - and a sword will pierce your own soul too - so that the secret thoughts of many may be laid bare.'

There was a prophetess also, Anna the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher. She was well on in years. Her days of girlhood over, she had been married for seven years before becoming a widow. She was now eighty-four years old and never left the Temple, serving God night and day with fasting and prayer. She came by just at that moment and began to praise God; and she spoke of the child to all who looked forward to the deliverance of Jerusalem.

When they had done everything the Law of the Lord required, they went back to Galilee, to their own town of Nazareth. Meanwhile the child grew to maturity, and he was filled with wisdom; and God's favour was with him.

Reflection by Loyola Press

Traditionally this is the fortieth day of Christmas. Though the Christmas season closed with the Epiphany, the Presentation brings us back to some of the Christmas themes. The feast is on the edge, a kind of hinge between the seasons of Christmas and Lent.

Today the Church celebrates the Feast of the Presentation of Jesus in the temple. The Presentation is not mentioned in the other Gospels. Only Luke tells the story, most likely because he writes for Gentile Christians who are not familiar with the Jewish rite of presentation and purification. In addition, the intent of Luke's Gospel is to show that God's promise to Israel, fulfilled in Jesus, extends to Gentiles.

According to Exodus 13:1 and 13:11-16, all first-born males, animal and human, belonged to the Lord and had to be 'redeemed', that is, bought back from the Lord through a sum paid to the Temple.

The temple is not merely a building where believers gather to worship God. It is sacred because it is the dwelling place of God on earth. Therefore, the coming of God to the temple was always a time of great anticipation and excitement. It promised blessing and rejoicing.

Luke recognizes Joseph and Mary as faithful Jews who bring Jesus to the Temple in Jerusalem. Here they present their firstborn son to the Lord. Jesus is thus consecrated as required by the Law of Moses. Present in the temple at this time are Simeon and Anna. Both are awaiting the restoration of God's rule in Israel.

Simeon had been promised by the Holy Spirit that he would see Christ the Lord, the Messiah, before he died. The holy man immediately recognized the infant Jesus as the promised Savior, a "light for revelation to the Gentiles, and glory for your people Israel." Anna also recognized Jesus as the fulfillment of the promise of redemption and spoke about him to all.

It took the eyes of the old man and the faith of an old woman to recognise that the Lord had indeed come into the temple. Ritually, it was the child who was redeemed. In fact, it is the world that will be redeemed by this child. He is the light that shines in the darkness of the world; he will enlighten all people, Jew and Gentile alike.

This feast shares the theme of universality so prominent on the feast of the Epiphany. The king of glory opens the portals for the entire universe to enter.



Parish of Our Lady of the Way Kingsbury

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 Email: Kingsbury@cam.org.au
 Parish Website: <http://www.olwkingsbury.org.au/>
 Our Parish Primary Schools and churches:
 ♦ Our Lady of the Way Kingsbury (Principal- Grace Lucic): 03 9460 6684
 ♦ Holy Name East Preston (Principal –Caroline Galea): 03 9471 0883
 ♦ Holy Name Preston East: 28 Rob St, Reservoir - 03 9471 0832
 Baptisms and Marriages by appointment: Please ring 0488 020 364

Date: 1st and 2nd of February: Feast of the Presentation of the Lord (Year C)

Mass Times
WEEKEND Saturday Evening: 6:00pm at Our Lady of the Way Sunday Morning: 9:00am at Our Lady of the Way Sunday Morning: 10:30am at Holy Name East Preston Sunday Afternoon: 4:00pm at Holy Name East Preston (Vietnamese)
WEEKDAY Our Lady of the Way: Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:00am Holy Name East Preston: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 9:00am
Prayer Groups
Rosary Before morning Masses: Our Lady of the Way: 9:20am Holy Name East Preston: 8.30am Morning Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Our Lady of the Way: Friday at 9:15am to 9:45 am before 10am Mass
Confession Times
Holy Name East Preston: Saturday after 9:00 am mass Our Lady of the Way: Saturday 5:15-5:45pm before 6pm Mass

Entrance Antiphon: Cf Psalm 47:10-11
 Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.

Communion Antiphon: Luke 2:30-31
 My eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in the sight of all the peoples.

♦ **FAITH REFLECTION: 'CANDLEMASS' BY WORDPRESS**

Forty days after the celebration of Christ's birth we interrupt the ordinary Sunday cycle to celebrate the Presentation of the Lord. Also known as 'Candlemas', it marks the end of the Christmas season, it embodies peace and hope for the future and is a moment of light and revelation. It sits in the Church's year like a ship leaving harbour, still just connected to Christmas and rather tremulously looking out to sea to the months that lie ahead.

We witness Mary and Joseph bringing the infant Jesus to the temple in accordance with Jewish law. This simple yet profound act of obedience becomes an encounter with two figures—Simeon and Anna—whose faith and patience are richly rewarded. Candlemas is a time of transition from darkness to light - It's not difficult to see why this is so. Just picture what it might have felt like to be Simeon or Anna. Both have waited a life-time to see God's Messiah, as they were promised – but they may not have expected the moment to occur quite in the way it does. They have probably been looking for some sort of great revelation of the Messiah, rather than a young quite inconspicuous couple walking towards them through the darkened temple in the very early morning.

Simeon's words reveal that Jesus is the light to the Gentiles, not just the Messiah of Israel but the Savior of all people. Here, the theme of light emerges powerfully, which is why this feast is associated with candles—symbolising Christ as the Light of the World.

At what point, then, do Simeon and Anna realise that something quite out of the ordinary is going on, something they are not at all prepared for? This is, after all, an ordinary morning. Simeon and Anna are just two faithful people on the temple rota, going about their business in the way they have always done, just as so many people do in our own parish communities.

This is why Candlemas is so special- It invites us to encounter Christ in the ordinariness of the present moment. The encounter that takes place between Simeon, Anna and the young couple is an intensely 'now' moment.

This passage calls us to recognise the presence of Christ in our own lives. Like Simeon and Anna, we are invited to wait in hope, trust in God's promises, and remain faithful in prayer. Do we see Jesus in the ordinary moments of life, in the people around us, in the sacraments? Are we prepared to carry His light into the world, even when it comes with trials?

As we celebrate Candlemas, let us ask for the grace to carry Christ's light into our homes, and communities.

♦ **PRAYERS FOR THE COMMUNITY**

Anniversary: We pray for all anniversaries about this time especially: Rita Cavaggion Lauriecella (1st of February)

At Our Lady of the Way, Kingsbury Parish we hold the care, safety and wellbeing of children and young people as a central and fundamental responsibility of our parish.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED	PARISH SUGGESTIONS
Would you like to serve as a Special Minister, a Reader, Alter Server, or a be a part of the Welcome Party? Do you have musical talent or would like to be part of cleaning roster? Please let Fr John know.	Do you see a need in the community? Thank you for your on-going suggestions and comments. We value your voice and feedback. If parishioners have any suggestions for: events and talks, retreats, or gatherings. Please forward suggestions to PLT. <u>Next Meeting TBC</u>

◆ PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

Save the Date: Opening of the Year Mass

There will be an opening of the year mass here at Our Lady of the Way Kingsbury on Sunday the 9th of February at 9am All parishioners are welcomed. Hospitality will follow Mass- Please bring a plate to share. This will be a wonderful opportunity to gather and to catch up with one another.

Weekday Masses: Morning Masses will resume from Monday the 10th of February at both Our Lady of the Way Kingsbury and Holy Name East Preston.

Weekend Masses: We welcome Fr Brian Glasheen this weekend. We invite parishioners to assist with setup and other tasks to help support the church during this time.

◆ ARCHDIOCESE NEWS

Vale Kevin Andrews AM, man of faith, family and service

The Hon Kevin Andrews AM, who served in the Australian Parliament from 1991 to 2022 as member for the Victorian seat of Menzies in the House of Representatives, died from cancer on 14 December 2024, aged 69 years. A little over a month later, in the 2025 Australia Day honours, he was posthumously appointed a Member of the Order of Australia (AM) for 'significant service to the people and Parliament of Australia, to the Catholic Church, and to the community'.

Over three decades, Kevin served in numerous ministerial and cabinet appointments. His legislative achievements and policy initiatives reflected his commitment to protecting the dignity of human life, supporting families and fostering social cohesion. Faith, love and service were the cornerstone of Kevin's life, shaping his worldview and guiding his actions, whether in the political or private realm. He was a lifelong parishioner at St John's Catholic Church in Heidelberg, contributing tirelessly to the parish community.

View a recording of the state funeral: <https://tobin.5stream.com/webcast/133851>

Supporting future priests in Timor-Leste in the spirit of the Jubilee of Hope

In the spirit of the Jubilee Year 2025, dedicated to hope and renewal, Pope Francis has reminded us that 'in the pilgrimage of Christian life, a new beginning is always possible.' They are words that resonate particularly with Clintino, a seminarian in Timor-Leste. Growing up in a family who experience significant financial constraints, Clintino decided to follow his calling to make a new beginning and to serve others, despite the financial struggles this entails. Inspired by the words of Jesus, Clintino hopes to become a priest, providing pastoral and other support to communities and ensuring everyone hears the word of God. 'The thing that inspires me every day is the word of Jesus: "I am the way, the truth and the life," says Clintino. As well as being leaders in faith, priests play a vital role in supporting communities around the world through education, health and social services. Despite the need for their support, aspiring priests often face a long learning timeframe, and with limited resources in the seminary. Timor-Leste has a population that is 97 per cent Catholic making it one of the most Catholic countries in the world, reflecting the deep integration of faith into everyday life. Priests in Timor-Leste not only play a significant role in the spiritual life but also support community development, especially in remote and underserved areas. Clintino's story shows how pursuing a calling can come with financial strain for seminarians and their families. By choosing a different path, Clintino faces mounting struggles, including difficulties meeting the costs of seminary education. Catholic Mission invites you to support future Church leaders like Clintino and their communities. Visit: www.catholicmission.org.au/lent

◆ ROSTER:

Eucharistic Ministers:

1st Feb: 6pm – G Tombs & Special Minister
8th Feb: 6pm – J Vandenberg & Special Minister

2nd Feb: 9am – G Dowling & A Crupi
9th Feb: 9am – M Lenoard & S Goonetilleke

Readers:

1st Feb: 6pm – Elizabeth Becker
8th Feb: 6pm – Gabriel Becker

2nd Feb: 9am – Joan Vandenberg
9th Feb: 9am – Wendy Theunissen

Cleaning:

2nd Feb: J Cassar & J Goonetilleke & N Stephens

15th Feb: Cleaners

CHURCH OFFERINGS: WOULD YOU LIKE TO MAKE A DONATION?	FORTNIGHTLY OFFERINGS
<p>1st Collection Thanks-giving offering: for the support of our parish, its welfare and maintenance. (Taken up after the homily). Name: Kingsbury Parish Church BSB: 083 347 A/C: 68643 0901</p> <p>2nd Collection- Presbytery offering for the support of our Parish Priest, the Archbishop, the sick and retired priests and priests in less fortunate areas of the Archdiocese of Melbourne. (Taken up after the prayers of the faithful). Name: Our Lady of the Way Parish Presbytery BSB: 083 347 A/C: 66765 5224</p>	<p>Weekend of 19th and 26th of January 1st collection: \$1672.50 2nd collection: \$1088.50</p> <p><i>We appreciate your generous support to the parish and priest of Our Lady of the Way.</i></p>



Paul Miki was a Japanese Jesuit priest who was well known for his preaching. During his life the number of Christians in Japan was steadily growing. This displeased the Japanese ruler, Hideyoshi. He ordered the execution of Paul Miki and 25 of his companions. They were all crucified near Nagasaki in 1597; the first Christian martyrs in Japan. It is said that Paul Miki gave his last sermon from the cross, during which he forgave his persecutors as Christ had done.



Wordsearch

Try to find these words:

arms	dove	Mary	servant
baby	eyes	peace	Simeon
Christ	Jerusalem	sacrifice	Spirit

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W	H	V	H	R	O	J	M	H	A	P	Y	R	I	A
A	J	E	R	U	S	A	L	E	M	A	R	M	S	E
K	H	J	G	H	Y	J	S	P	I	R	I	T	J	W
Z	H	H	N	S	E	R	V	A	N	T	S	M	J	W
S	A	C	R	I	F	I	C	E	B	F	Z	T	O	C



Mary and Joseph had to travel from Nazareth to Jerusalem to take baby Jesus to the temple. Help them find their way.

