

O sing to the Lord
 a new song, for he has
 done marvelous things:



Music Ministry

Psalm 98:1



Speak to one another with psalms, hymns and spiritual songs. Sing and make music in your heart to the Lord, always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

- Ephesians 5:19-20



**“HE (SHE) WHO SINGS
 PRAYS TWICE”
 St Augustine**



**What
 Return Can
 I Make?**

**HOW CAN I SHARE
 MY GOD GIVEN
 GIFTS AND TALENTS?**



**Infant Jesus Morley
 Our Ministry of Music**

- ◆ Our choirs are made up of people of all ages. Everyone is welcome.
- ◆ Our musicians have varied and different styles and talents—which adds richness and diversity to our Ministry.
- ◆ **Yet we are united**—and come together as one combined choir for special events and festivals.
- ◆ To sing, you don't have to be an 'Opera' Singer. All you need is a reasonable voice and the right spirit. God will do the rest!!
- ◆ We invite you to come and join us. **You will enjoy the experience.**
- ◆ There is something for everybody.
- ◆ If you can't sing every Saturday/ Sunday, we will be happy if you commit to even one day a month.
 - ◆ **YOU WILL NEVER KNOW, UNLESS YOU GIVE IT A TRY**
 - ◆ **GIVE US A RING.**





St Cecilia
 Patron
 Saint of
 Music
PRAY FOR US

Feast Day
 22nd November

**AND WHAT MIGHT MUSIC
 DO FOR YOU ?**

- ◆ Your gift will be of service to other people
- ◆ Singing will make you feel happy
- ◆ There is so much joy in playing an instrument
- ◆ You will meet other people
- ◆ You will be part of a community
- ◆ And so much more

**MUSIC CONTACT PERSONS
 for our Masses:**

Saturday 6.30pm
 Bernie Kolay

Sunday 9.30am
 Linda D'Cruz

Sunday 11.30am
Italian Choir
 Gabriella Bonjiovani

Sunday 6pm (2nd/4th)
 Lenny Ong

**You can contact our choir
 leaders**

by emailing the parish or leaving a message on the parish phone and they will get in touch with you.

Parish details are below.

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A EASTER STORY ABOUT MUSIC

“One year, after an exhausting Holy Week and Easter Triduum, I received a letter from a 35-year-old mother of two. She had participated in the Easter Services. Most of the music, including familiar Easter hymns, was sung robustly by the whole assembly. The choir also sang solos but more importantly, were very aware they were there to encourage the assembly to participate. After weeks of intense rehearsals and three days of singing for the major liturgies of the Triduum, the choir was tired but exhilarated. The congregation sang the liturgy vigorously, and the choir led them with a joy that transcended physical weariness.

This woman had come to Mass that Easter after a long absence from the church and was expecting very little. But she found herself enveloped in an assembly that participated energetically in singing the Masses and was inspired by the music, which communicated a profound sense of faith in the power of Christ's new life. Not only did this woman return to the practice of the faith, but she also soon found her way into music ministry as a member of the parish choir.”

Pastoral musicians can cite many such examples of the ways music helps people connect the celebration of the liturgy with their own life of faith.

You can be a part of it too!

