Dear Parishioners,

If you look at our calendar of saints on the opposite page, you will see that this is a very busy week! We have two major Feasts coming up, the Dedication of St. Mary Major Basilica and the Transfiguration. St. Mary Major is the largest Marian church in Rome and is one of the oldest Churches in that city, being originally raised in the mid 4th Century. The other great Feast is the Transfiguration, one of the great miracles associated with Jesus, where his Divinity was revealed to his closest disciples. Also this week, we have the Feasts of two great Carmelite saints, Edith Stein and Albert of Trapani and St. John Vianney, patron saint of the priesthood. Then, of course, we also have the Feast of our own Australian saint, Mary of the Cross, next Saturday. There are other great names in this week's calendar too, holy men and women who have been working and dying for Christ as far back as the second century. Their stories and these Feasts are a reminder to us of the great diversity of the universal Church, of its long history and the beauty of our faith, which connects us all in Christ, Jesus.-Fr. Sunny

Do You Know the History of Our Church? Come and find out more (its not too late!) **Infant Jesus Parish**

Maranatha presenter Dr Robert Andrews will be discussing MEDIEVAL CHURCH HISTORY at our parish on Thursday evenings: 6 August, 13 August and 20 August from 7-9pm at a cost of only \$25.

To know ourselves—we must know our history. From the fall of the Roman Empire in the West and the rise of the Byzantine Empire in the East, the history of Medieval Christianity is a story of rich diversity set within the rise of Western civilisation, Byzantium and Islam.

Please register your intention to attend on the board in the foyer or contact the Parish Office on 9276 8500 or email to ijparish@carmelite.com

NOTE: Participants will need to negotiate a flight of stairs to get to the conference room.

...and for yet another opportunity to learn, come to the...

2015 RCIA State Conference — All Welcome Saturday 15th August 10.00am - 4.30pm

"Build The City Of God" — Infant Jesus Morley: Parish Centre Mass at 8.30am (Feast of the Assumption—holy day of obligation) For all who are interested in our faith and spreading the Good News. Key Note Speakers: Archbishop Costelloe SDB, Fr Gerard Totanes of Geraldton Diocese, Fr Geoff Aldous of Baldivis Parish, Cost\$60.00 includes coffee/tea on arrival, Morning & Afternoon Tea & Lunch.

TIME OUT FOR BUSY WOMEN **MEDITATION SUPPORT GROUP**

Feeling frayed? Come and join us for an hour of peace and prayer, followed by a cup of coffee with friends. Term Three commences I July 22nd.

RSVP 9207 3350 Karen Hart

WEDNESDAYS 9.30AM-10.30AM Infant Jesus Parish Centre.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

The new planned giving year has commenced. Please ensure you are using only your NEW box of envelopes and throw out the old ones, as your PG number has changed.

It would also be most helpful if, when catching up on missed contributions, you use only a single envelope for all the missed contributions, rather than multiple envelopes.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND If you know of anyone who is unable to attend Mass because of illness or advanced age, please do not hesitate to contact the Parish Office so that we may arrange for a Minister of the Eucharist to visit them on a regular basis.





SUNSHINE SINGERS INTER - PARISH SINGING CONTEST (NON-PROFESSIONAL) **AT INFANT JESUS PARISH from 2-5pm**

Open to All Ages–Solo, Duo, Trio Performances Sing an evergreen song or hymn- it should be something spiritually based

Three Sections—A Prize for Each Section

Junior Competition–Sunday 8 November 🌀 1. 2015



- Youth Competition—Sunday 15 November 2015
- 2. 3. Adult Competition–Sunday 22 November 2015



Please contact Margaret Box on 9272 8263 or email margaretbox7@bigpond.com or please pick up the contest flyer from the bulletin stand for more information.

St Rita Rosary Group and Friends from Infant Jesus Morley

Presents Fundraising Dance for Hung and his young family

On Saturday, 19 September 2015 at 7.30pm At Infant Jesus Parish Centre, 47 Wellington Rd, Morley Cost: \$15

Band: The Flames

Food and Drinks: BYO or they will be available for purchase on the night



For tickets, please contact Stella Filose 0401 065 406 or Teresa Nguyen 0438 104 260



HUNG'S LAST WISH

If you would still like to lend your support to Hung & Tracy and their family, please go to

www.gofundme.com/hungslastwish

FIRST COMMUNION PARENT MEETING

Parents of children who are to receive the Sacrament of First Communion this year are reminded that the parent



meeting will be held on MONDAY AUGUST 3 at 7pm in the Parish Hall. Attendance at this meeting is a requirement of the Parish Sacramental Program. Please do not bring your children, this meeting is for parents only. The meeting should last no more than one hour.

FIRST COMMUNION PARENT-CHILD WORKSHOP

All First Communion families need to attend the parentchild workshop being held on MONDAY AUGUST 10 at 7pm in the Parish Hall. Please arrive prior to 7pm. As the workshops will begin promptly.



WHAT'S HAPPENING



Parish Prayer Concerns

Recently Deceased: Robin Reynolds;

Can't get there?

Consider car-pooling or

sharing a taxi!

Deceased: Val Tomerini;

Anniversaries: Allan Lean, Christopher Etty, Bob & Melvyn Fosberry, Ivan Peter Quadros, Jane Pight;

The Sick of the Parish: Graham Sharp, Adelaide Caracciolo, Marta Colli, Antonietta Murabito, Alfonzo & Lilly Formica, Tindara Cincotta, Reginald Jolly, Betsy Carlin, Hung Nguyen, Priscilla Grainger, George Rosario, Edwin Bowers.

"Nothing can come between us And the love of Christ"

INTERESTING SHORT COURSES FOR ADULTS

The Lowdown on the On-High for Parents: ONLINE course (3 weeks): Wednesday afternoons

The Mystery of God & Suffering: ONLINE course (3 weeks) Wednesday evenings



The Book of Isaiah: (6 weeks) Wednesday mornings at Newman Siena Centre, Doubleview.

Islam: An Introduction: (3 weeks) Sunday Afternoons at St. Denis Parish, Joondana.

Jesus and the Church: The Two Great Sacraments of Love: (4 weeks) Tuesday evenings at Mary MacKillop Parish, Ballajura <u>OR</u> Wednesday evenings, St. Joseph's Parish, Queens Park.

Eastern Catholicism: (4 weeks) Friday mornings, Newman Siena Centre, Doubleview.

AND THERE IS MORE! For more information on these and other courses, please see Maranatha Centre program and fliers on the "Faith Education" board in the foyer.

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH FESTIVAL: DEC 3RD—5TH 2015 A national event (in Adelaide) for those not yet old enough or unable to attend World Youth Day! Great Catholic speakers from around Australia and an interactive faith experience for young people. You can either travel as a parish group or register to travel with CYM (Perth Catholic Youth Ministry). Please email cym.com.au for more info. Target age: Year 9 to 25yo.

Children's Liturgy is Back— Every Sunday at 9.30am Mass during school terms. Children are invited to gather at the beginning of the Mass, when a leader will take them to the Parish Centre for the special Liturgy of the Word. The children will be taught about the reading of the Gospel at their level and enjoy some colouring activities. Then, they will join us again before the Communion. If your child is shy, parents are welcome to go along with their child until the child becomes more comfortable.

In Our Church

Morning Prayer of the Church: Mon-Fri, 6.40am; Sat 8.00am Morning Mass: Mon-Fri: 7am & 9am , Sat: 8.30am Saturday Vigil Mass: 6.30pm

Sunday Masses: 7.30am, 9.30am (Children's Liturgy during school terms), 11.30am (Italian), 6pm (Youth Mass 2nd & 4th Sundays)

Reconciliation: Saturday 10-11am and 5-6pm. Perpetual Novena in honour of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: Wednesday 7.15pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday 9.30 - 10.30am and 7.30 - 8.30pm Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments: Please contact the Parish Office.

Infant Jesus Parish

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PILGRIM STATUE: This week is in the home of Jackie Sbrocco, 51 Fitzgerald Road, Morley. Phone: 9276 4085 Calendar of Saints

4 Aug: St. John Vianney, Priest (1859AD)
5 Aug: The Dedication of St. Mary Major
6 Aug: The Transfiguration of the Lord
7 Aug: St. Albert of Trapani, Priest (1306AD) St. Sixtus II & companions, Martyrs (258AD)
St. Cajetan, Priest (1557AD)
St. Dominic, Founder (1221AD)
8 Aug: St. Mary of the Cross, Virgin (1909AD)
9 Aug: St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein), Martyr (1942AD)
NO MORE READING GLASSES, THANK YOU.

After many years, we will no longer be collecting reading glasses, as the agency which was collecting them has ceased to do so. Thank you to everyone who contributed to this project for people in third world countries over the years.



DON'T THROW THEM AWAY!

We are collecting shoe boxes and plastic vegetable boxes (from Coles, etc;). Please drop them off to the Parish Office, if you have any, or leave them on the foyer

benches in the church. Thank you

HAVE A CUPPA

You are all very welcome to stay for a cuppa after the 9:30am Mass on Sunday at the Parish Centre. Our Parish Library will also be opened during that time.



An elderly gentleman, living on Drake St, Morley, is looking for a lift to attend Sunday, 9:30am Mass. If you could help, please contact Parish Office on 9276 8500.



Our Lady's Assumption Dianella will have a celebratory dinner on Saturday 15 August to celebrate their Patron's Feast Day that happily coincides with their 50th Anniversary. All parishioners; new and old, are invited to

attend a celebratory dinner. Mass 6.00p. Dinner 7.00pm in the Parish Centre, 356 Grand Promenade Dianella. Please bring a plate to share.

Our Parish Team

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YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE— VOCATIONS PRAYER

2015

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Loving Father,

Every life created by you has a purpose.

By our baptism you call us by name and invite us to fullness of life in you. ONSECRATED LIFE Guide us as we prayerfully choose to live the lives we are called to. Help us to support one another in discerning and living out our Christian vocation. We pray especially today for those who are considering your invitation to the priestly or religious life. May they open their hearts and minds to this call and be encouraged and strengthened through our enthusiasm, our prayer and loving support. Bless and protect all priests and religious, whose joy it is to do your will. We pray especially for our Carmelite friars

who serve us so faithfully, in Your name, here at Morley. We make this prayer through Jesus your Son. Amen.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

IGNITE LIVE- CATHOLIC YOUTH EVENT

Ignite Live is a large Catholic concert event that brings together parish youth groups and young adults, in partnership with Catholic Youth Ministry. The upcoming event is the fourth time Ignite Live has been held this year and hundreds of people have attended the previous nights. Bishop Don Sproxton will also be a special part of the upcoming event. Anyone and everyone is welcome to attend on Friday night 14th August at Seton College Theatre (7-9pm). This is a Catholic youth event totally different to anything held before and to get an idea of what to expect visit the website igniteyouth.com/Perth

RIDING THE ROLLERCOASTER—How to maintain a connection with your child. Are you on that rollercoaster ride of adolescence with your son or daughter? One moment everything is great and you are feeling close; the next minute plunged into conflict, confusion and disappointment.... A free parent seminar proudly presented by Servite College on Tuesday 4 August at 6.30-8.30pm at Servite College Seven Holy Founders Centre (Auditorium). Register online at http://tiny.cc/serviterollercoaster.

Men & Abortion Trauma Help Line volunteer training: Abortion Grief Australia has recieved a Mental Health Grant to integrate the community into the healing, early intervention and prevention of abortion related mental illness. Training will also focus on community engagement in responding to those traumatised and those at risk, not just crisis line work. Volunteers (male/female) need to be mature, compassionate, good listeners with a desire to learn. Evening weekly training begins Thurs 13th August, 7weeks. Erica 0432 879 826 Email erica.williams@abortiongrief.asn.au

THE JOURNEY CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM: Go to www.jcr.org.au or www.itunes.jcr.org.au where you can listen anytime and subscribe to weekly shows by email.

Stronger Teens Camp 2nd - 4th October 2015 at Fairbridge Village Pinjarra. An amazing weekend with huge games and activities, inspiring talks about faith and life, prayer and worship, and time to chill with friends. Cost \$150 incl. all accommodation, meals, adventure activities and bus transport to/from Perth. Open to all high school aged teenagers. For more info visit cym.com.au or contact Catholic Youth Ministry 9422 7912 admin@cym.com.au