

Dear parishioners,

At the 9.30am Mass this weekend the new chasubles, so kindly donated by many parishioners, will be blessed. In the *Book of Blessings* we may read, “(the Church) has established many forms of blessing. Through them, it calls us to praise God, encourages us to implore his protection, exhorts us to seek his mercy by our holiness of life and provides us with ways of praying that God will grant the favours”. “(Therefore) the Church has a profound concern that the celebration of blessings should truly contribute to God’s praise and glory and should serve to better God’s people.”

We can see from this that the Church does not take the ritual of Blessing lightly. In the blessing, our new liturgical vestments will be sanctified for use in the Mass, which is our highest form of praise to our God almighty.

In the month of November, we pray continuously for all the Holy Souls, those of our loved ones and members of our parish community who have gone before us. Praying for the Holy Souls in purgatory is one of our most important works of charity as a believing community, something which we need to teach our children, who will one day be praying for us! - Fr. Sunny.

### Parish Ministries Roster

#### 30th October SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME -


Ministry	Sat 6.30pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
<b>Acolytes</b>	Tan Nguyen	Paul Wachtel	Bob Collopy	Chris Lambert
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Elysha, Alexander, Josemiguel & Peter N.	Bao	Ancel, Waleska, Leandra	Chloe, Zali, Crissantto
<b>Proclaimers</b>	Donna Marie, Rosemary	Fleur, Stella	Pat, Barry	Anna, Joanne
<b>Extr. Ministers Of Communion</b>	Chris A, William C, John T, Thelma T, Lisa S, Tracy N.	Mike F, Frank S, Andrew D, Anna C., Lesley D., Bernadette D.,	Patrick M., Annette N., Jeanette S., Irene O., Naveen J., Shiny J.	Ivor B., Rita P., Marie McK., Maureen H., Larissa Y., Luisa & Glenn D.
<b>Hospitality</b>	Marilyn, Nicole	Barb, Veronica	Josephine, Patrick,	Maureen, Marie
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Team A.			

PLEASE NOTE: If you are unable to attend on your rostered day, please arrange for someone else in your Ministry to take your place.

### Annual Community Meeting Monday 7th November at 7pm

All parishioners are asked to note the date of our community ACM and to come along on the night. Ministry and group leaders are preparing their reports, which will be made available in the weeks leading up to the ACM. After the meeting, share a light supper and a cuppa or a wine while you chat with new and old friends.

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL NOMINATIONS

 Nominations for six positions on the Parish council are now open. Nomination forms are available in the foyer. If you have qualities which you feel would enable you to take a leadership role in the parish, then please seriously consider nominating yourself. If you wish to nominate, please complete the form and return to the parish office. If you know of somebody you think would make an excellent parish councillor, then please approach him/her to consider nominating. Nominations close on **MONDAY 21 NOVEMBER**.

*Thank You*

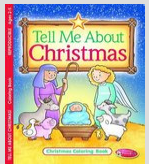
**Gert Harding RIP**

Chris and David Andrews and Vaughan and Lynn Harding and their families wish to thank Infant Jesus Parish for the loving support in the recent loss of our Mother Gert. Mum valued the Parish and it's parishioners. In particular we would like to thank Father Sunny, Father John and the Keeping in Touch Group for their spiritual support of Mum through a difficult time. Many parishioners also were praying for her and for us. We are very grateful for these prayers. Mum is at peace now in God's care. God bless you all.

### PIETY STALL FOR ADVENT

After all Masses THIS WEEKEND

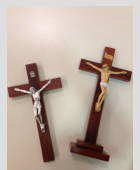
In order that you may purchase your Christmas cards, gifts, 2017 calendars and reflection resources, we will have a wide range available in the foyer for the next two weekends. We have Children's bibles & Christmas stories, Majellan and SVDP Christmas cards, Christmas ornaments, small nativities and reflection booklets to help you prepare during the Advent season. Please bring cash, as we do not have credit card or EFTPOS facilities.



### The Wood of the Cross

A generous parishioner has spent many hours producing beautiful jarrah crucifixes, using the wood from the original altar from our old church. There are a range of options of both hanging and standing crucifixes in different sizes.

These will be available to order at the Advent piety stall over the next two weekends (not today). Once ordered, you will be contacted when your order is ready. Please note that the crucifixes on display are not for purchase as they are our sample set.



### PLANNED GIVING UPDATE

1<sup>st</sup> July 2016—31<sup>st</sup> October 2016

Envelope Pledges Made \$ 59,234

Envelope Receipts: \$ 55,235

**Current Shortfall: \$ 3,999**

**Shortfall for year if**

**Trend Continues: \$ 11,553**

**Are your contributions up to date? Thank you!**

If you would like to join our program, membership cards are available in the church foyer. For further information, please call 9276 8500 or email [ijaccounts@carmelite.com](mailto:ijaccounts@carmelite.com).

**Vietnamese Translation for Sunday Readings:** Có các bài đọc Tiếng Việt cho ngày Chúa Nhật – Quý vị xử dụng và mang về nhà –Sr. Madeline Pham

Important DATE!

To Do:

# WHAT'S HAPPENING

Don't FORGET!

Reminder!

## Parish Prayer Concerns

**Recently Deceased:** Michael Collins, Ivor Joseph;

**Deceased:** All the Holy Souls in purgatory and Thomas Choo, Hung Nguyen-Le, Victor Raphael, Albert Num-Futt Hwee, Hwee Ngook Han, Deng Jeng How and family members, Loo Yat Hain, Yat Jeng How and family members, members of the Conier, Bouquet and Bru families;

**Anniversaries:** Francesca Pintabona, Raphael George Kuruppassery, Hilda, Rod & Robert Thompson, Mike Sokil, Anne Appadoo;

**The Sick of the Parish:** Ross Smith, Paul de Lergie, Sheila Jolly, Patricia Williams (mother-in-law of Peter Kora), Denise Bendotti, Ossie Gonsalves, Priscilla Grainger, Bernard Spears and all the sick who are in need of our prayers.

*"The souls of the virtuous are in the hands of God."*

## Congratulations

Congratulations to all the 77 children who received the Sacrament of First Reconciliation for the very first time on Monday 31st of October and on Thursday 3rd of

November. We thank all the families for coming and for supporting the children in their faith journey.

We thank everyone who has been involved in this very important celebration. We especially thank the children's teachers from both the Infant Jesus School and Parish Religious Education Programme, Miss Claire Dernie and Miss Melissa Myles Mrs. Linda Doyle and Mrs. Vera Usher for their wonderful work in the children's preparation.

Special thanks to our Parish Priest Fr Sunny Abraham and Parish Assistant Priest Fr John Pallipadan, School Principal Mr Paul Hille, PREP Co-ordinator Mrs. Sue Goodwin and to our school deputies, Miss Clare Moffat and Mr. Frank Colangelo for their continuous support in the programme. We also thank the school and catechist teachers and parish youth coordinators who helped in the retreat and ushered during the celebration. We also acknowledge the support and help of Mrs Angela Youens, Mrs. Cheryl Macpherson and all the parish and school staff and volunteers.

**Reminder:** Confirmation and First Communion Photographs are ready for viewing at the parish office from Monday to Thursday, 9.30am to 12.30pm. For enquiries, please contact the parish office at 92768500.

## WA Young Salesians Summer Camp 9-13 January 2017

Are you between 12-15 yrs or starting Year 7 in 2017?  
Come and join us for this 5 day fun filled camp at Nanga Bush Camp, Dwellingup. Only \$200 (\$40 a day)  
Contact your Parish Priest, Graham on 0418 979 600 or visit our website to register;  
[www.wayoungsalesians.com](http://www.wayoungsalesians.com)



## THREE EVENINGS WITH ELIZABETH OF THE TRINITY

Our newest Carmelite saint was beatified by Pope Francis last week on the 15th October. She was only 26 when she died, yet she reached such a depth of holiness and understanding that she is now being held up to us as an example of how to live a faithful Christian life. What can she teach us? You can find out, from the comfort of your own home, by enrolling in an on-line course, "Three Evenings with Elizabeth of the Trinity" presented by the Centre for Faith Enrichment. All you need is a computer and an internet connection. Check it out at [cfe.org.au](http://cfe.org.au)



**Abortion Trauma: Impact on Men & Relationships Forum:** Funded by the Knights of the Southern Cross, come and listen to inspirational speaker of his recover. Learn how we can turn lives around and save families from the destructive impact of abortion trauma. Wednesday 9th Nov, 7.30pm. East Perth venue with free parking. Registration & further info [MatesandRelationships.org.au](http://MatesandRelationships.org.au) or Ph Julie 9313 1784.



**PILGRIM STATUE:** This week in the home of Mr and Mrs Ashley Roze. 4/120 Alfreda Ave., Noranda. PH: 0407 389 583

## CALENDAR OF SAINTS

- 15 Nov: St. Albert the Great, Dominican (1280AD)
- 16 Nov: St. Margaret of Scotland, Queen (1093AD) St. Gertrude, Nun (1302AD)
- 17 Nov: St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Francisca (1231AD)
- 18 Nov: THE DEDICATION OF THE BASILICAS OF STs PETER & PAUL, APOSTLES

## Pray the Rosary with the Servite Sisters

The Servite Sisters are holding a Rosary group at 482B Lennard St, Dianella. If you would like to join us, give us a call on 9275 2400. Thank you and God bless.



## Infant Jesus Parish 24:7 Morley Youth Group

For all youth in Years 6-12. Meets every Friday night, 6-8pm in the Parish Hall.



Come along for a wonderful time of faith and fun! Call Roger 0434 988 711 or Jacinta

## Catholic Women's League

All members are reminded of our meeting this coming Tuesday, 8th November at 9.45am after the 9am Mass and Rosary in the parish library. Please bring something (toiletries etc) for Maggie's Christmas Hamper raffle. New ladies always welcome!

## HOSPITALITY MINISTRY MEETING

A meeting for all Hospitality Ministers will be held in the Atrium of the parish centre on Saturday 19 November at 9.30am. Looking forward to seeing you all there. - Josephine McManus, Co-ordinator



## MISSION PARTNERS CHRISTMAS STALL

Sunday 4th December after 9.30am Mass

Give the gift of hope to poverty stricken village folk in India, restoring huts and providing small business funding and training  
Silent Auction, Raffle.

Please make this annual event something to remember. Donations of cakes and scones gratefully accepted.

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