

Dear Parishioners,

I want to thank you all for your warm welcome to me as I begin my new term as your parish priest. It was very encouraging for me to speak with so many of you as we celebrated the Silver Jubilee of the dedication of our parish church. The celebrations were magnificent and I am grateful to all who worked so hard to make them the success they were. Morley Parish is very special community, one close to my heart.

This Saturday we will have a farewell celebration for Fr Sunny as he prepares to take up his new position as the superior of the Carmelite community at St Ives in Sydney. I want to pay tribute to Fr Sunny for the wholehearted commitment he has made to the parish over the last eight and a half years. We owe him a great debt and wish him every blessing in his new role and community. Pope Francis speaks of the need for the members of the church to walk together, listening to one another and discerning the way into the future together. This is my hope for the parish over the next three years. Every blessing, Fr Greg

### FAREWELL, FR. SUNNY

Fr. Sunny will be with us for three more weeks. If you wish to give a farewell gift, there are envelopes on the pews for you to use. Please place your monetary gift in these envelopes and drop them into the collection bags. They will be gathered and presented to Fr. Sunny before he leaves. There is also a **FAREWELL CARD** in the foyer if you want to write a message for him.



### YOUTH GROUP RAFFLE

This Weekend our Youth group will be holding a raffle outside all Masses. Funds raised will be for the support of the group. Please help our young ones by buying some tickets if you can.

### PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

Many thanks to all the First Eucharist families, school staff and catechists teachers who came along to the Parent and Child Workshop last Monday, the 28th of Aug. It turned out to be a successful night ,all because you were there selflessly sharing your time for the good of our children.

### Important Reminders-

#### First Eucharist Retreat and final practice:

Friday, 8th of September starts at 9:00am at Infant Jesus Parish Centre

#### First Eucharist Masses:

Saturday 9th of September at 6.30pm  
Sunday 10th of September at 9.30am  
and at 11.30am

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION-

#### ENROLMENT MASSES:

- Saturday 16 Sept at 6.30pm **OR**
- Sunday 17 Sept at 9.30am **OR**  
Sunday 17 Sept at 6.00pm

#### COMMITMENT MASSES:

- Saturday 14 Oct at 6.30pm **OR**
- Sunday 15 Oct at 9.30am **OR**
- Sunday 15 Oct at 6.00pm



We welcome with great joy the following children baptised in our church: Benjamin Phiriram, Jasmine Ross, Aldrin Joseph Sulit, Alira Josephine Graham, Sadie Amelia Tartaglia, Adele Barzasi, Erin Margaret Kelly, Savanna Louise Taylor, Alyssa Isabelle Waclawik, Massimo Vincenzo Martino, Allison Argawanon, Emma Kate Bohan, Alyssa Cecchele, Kali Ahsley Tunstead, Brandon Karpinski, Jackson Tyler Kirkpatrick, Jack Foley, Eliezer Primavera, Milana Giacinta Trinca, Luca Alexander Vinciullo, Eli John Huynh, Dean Charles Moraly, Charlie Fang Cruikshank, Hunter Ray Palmer, Ronnie Titan Palmer and Mia Rosemary Trifon. Please pray for these little ones and their families.

### HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Wishing all our Dads, old and new, a very happy Father's Day.



Fathers everywhere,  
We honour you and wish to say  
May God's blessings be with you  
in a special way today!

### FIRST COMMUNION MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

Next weekend the children of the parish will receive the Sacrament of the Eucharist for the first time at the Saturday evening Vigil Mass, the 9.30am Mass and the 11.30am Mass. It will be a very exciting day for them and their families.

- Please be aware that the front rows in the centre pews will be reserved for the First Communion children and their families.
- The 11.30am Mass **will be celebrated in English, not Italian.**



Please pray for the children and their families as they make their final preparation for the Sacrament and welcome them with joy when you come to Mass next weekend.

### From the PPC

On behalf of the Parish Pastoral Council, I gratefully thank everyone who was involved in the wonderful celebrations over the weekend, especially those who reached out to people who are not usually in the church on weekends and to those who contributed by giving of their time, funds or expertise.

The music and presence of the students, their families and the teachers from Infant Jesus school were greatly appreciated by many as well.

I pray many new relationships were forged.

If your community spirit has been stirred and you are keen to contribute to your community in some way, please contact the office or the priests for guidance as to how your gifts may best be shared.

—Jocelyn, PPC Chair

### CHILD PROTECTION WEEK

#### Child Protection Sunday, September 10th, 2017

To mark this day, next weekend at all Masses we will have available

- *Protecting God's Children—A Catholic Parent's Guide to Keeping their Kids Safe*
- *Helping Hand Activity*

Please look for these on the bulletin stands and take one home.



To Declan Heneghan and Natasha Spykerman who were recently married in our church. May they be blessed always.

Important  
DATE!

To Do:

# WHAT'S HAPPENING



## Parish Prayer Concerns

**Recently Deceased:** Giuseppe Monasta, Vince Italiano, Luciano Moris, Thelma de Kauwe, Annamaria Mannur;

**Anniversaries:** Fr Angelo Gatto OCD; George Rosario, John Doherty, Gaetano Puglia, Adeline Chan, George & Helen Budge, Lilianne Connier, Laura Albanese;

**The Sick of the Parish:** Ashley Roze, Denzel Browne, Priscilla Grainger, Denise & Clem Bendotti, Bernard Spears, Ossie Gonsalves.

*"My soul clings to you; your right hand holds me fast."*



**PILGRIM STATUE:** This week in the home of Mrs G Herft, 49 Camden St, Dianella—Ph: 9276 4188

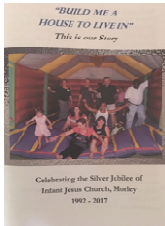
### CALENDAR OF SAINTS

**8 Sept: The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**9 Sept: St Peter Claver**

### CYM Teens Camp 2017 – Heart of a champion

4 days of games, adventure activities, inspirational talks, prayer and making new friends! Teens (grades 7-12) are invited to attend. Cost is \$200 for your first child and \$170 for siblings. Includes all accommodation, food, transport and adventure activities. Date: 25th-28th September at Manjedal Activities Centre. Regos close on Monday 11th Sept 2017. Don't miss out! Contact [admin@cym.com.au](mailto:admin@cym.com.au), 9422 7912 or visit [www.cym.com.au](http://www.cym.com.au) to register.



### "BUILD ME A HOUSE TO LIVE IN—THIS IS OUR STORY"

To mark the Silver Jubilee, we collected your stories from your time in the parish. These are now available as a booklet from the stands at the back of the church. To help us cover the cost of printing, you may wish to put \$3.00 into "The Record" box on the back wall of the church.



### SCHOLARSHIPS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME AUSTRALIA

The Trustees of the KESC Education Foundation Inc (a project of the Knights of the Southern Cross) takes pleasure in again inviting applications from teachers of Religious Education in Catholic Schools in Western Australia to undertake further study for units in religious education and theology at the University of Notre Dame Australia in 2018.

Application forms and further information are available from:

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Applications open on 1 September 2017  
and close on 3 November 2017

### EAST AFRICA FOOD CRISIS APPEAL 2017

23 million people are currently on the brink of famine in South Sudan and other areas of East Africa. Caritas Australia and their partners are delivering life-saving food and water to countries most in need. This crisis may be worse than the famine in Ethiopia in the 1980s. You can deliver emergency relief by donating online [www.caritas.org.au/foodcrisis](http://www.caritas.org.au/foodcrisis) or by calling 1800 024 413 or use the envelopes on the bulletin stands in the foyer.



### Rosary Beads Wanted

A request has been received from Fr. Adrian Meaney, MSC, for rosary beads for the Missions in many nations around the world. Rosary beads may be left in the marked box in the foyer or dropped into the parish office. Thank you so much!



# Congratulations

to Eamon and Leslie Delaney on the occasion of their 48th wedding anniversary during the week. May you continue to experience God's grace in your lives.

## 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 Sundays)

**Reconciliation:** Saturday 10am -11am and 5pm - 6pm.

**Perpetual Novena in Honour of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel:**

Wednesday 7.00pm

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** Friday 9.30 - 10.30am and 7pm - 8pm

**Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments:** Please contact the Parish Office.

## Our Parish Team

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