

Dear Parishioners,

Corpus Christi Sunday

The readings for today's feast enable the Eucharist to be set in the context the 'blood of the covenant'. It is a good occasion to reflect on the symbolism of communion by receiving both the bread and wine of the Eucharist, the body and blood of Jesus, as the Lord asked us.

Today's first reading, Exod 24:3-8, describes the solemn ritual in which the Sinai covenant was sealed. Moses has received the Torah (Law) from God and put it in writing. In the context of a sacrificial ritual, he reads out the law to the people and following their consent to abide by the commandments of the Torah, he sprinkles them with blood from the sacrifices, saying 'This is the blood of the Covenant that the Lord has made with you.' The covenant that bound God to Israel and Israel to God is formally ratified and sealed through blood, a symbol of the life-force.

The reading from the Letter to the Hebrews (Heb 9:11-15) portrays Christ's saving action in terms of the Day of Atonement, while insisting upon its vastly superior efficacy and the fact that it is 'once for all', needing no repetition. The blood is not now the blood of animals but the precious blood of Jesus himself; the sanctuary that he has entered is not the earthly temple but the sanctuary of heaven itself, which he has entered in resurrection and exaltation to God's right hand.

On the night before he died, Christ shared a final Passover meal with his disciples. He gave a special meaning to the death he was to undergo the following day: the shedding of his blood, symbolised in the cup of wine, would be the inauguration of a 'new covenant in his blood'. When believers recall and repeat what the Lord did at that Last Supper, they place themselves in a situation similar to that of the Israelites whom Moses sprinkled with blood at the ratification of the first covenant. They appropriate to themselves all the saving benefits associated with the 'new covenant' established in Christ's blood.

The Gospels of Mark and Matthew specify that the blood is 'poured out for many'. The Eucharist, then, continually re-enacts the loving, costly outreach of God in Christ to draw (potentially, all) human beings into the life-giving covenant. The cleansed and renewed pilgrim People of God celebrate the Eucharist in anticipation of the 'new wine' of the Kingdom and as a means whereby it is continually cleansed and renewed on its journey.—*Blessings, Greg*



NAME TAG SUNDAY

Following the success of our first Name Tag Sunday at the 9.30am Mass last month, it has been decided to extend this idea to cover all Masses on the first Sunday of each month. So, today as you came in to the church, you would

have been asked to fill out your name tag and wear it for the Mass. Name tags are a very simple way of making ourselves known to one another and knowing each other is vital in building a true Christian community. So don't be shy, say hello to someone new today.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM 2018—CONFIRMATION

CONFIRMATION RETREAT, FORMAL VISITATION AND MASS PRACTICE

Thursday 7 June start at 9:00am at Infant Jesus Parish Centre

Attendance is a MUST! Please remember to bring a plate to share. Children will be having shared morning tea and lunch. Drinks will be provided. Please ensure that all food that your children will bring on the retreat day are nut free. Food Suggestion: girls to bring sweets and boys to bring savoury food.



CONFIRMATION MASS—Saturday, 9 June at 12.00pm and at 3.00pm

Please arrive at least 1 hour before the Mass. For your child's allocated Mass time, please check your enrolment confirmation email or ring the parish office at 9276 8500 from Mon to Thurs 9.30am-12.30pm.

CONFIRMATION SASH

Each child will receive a sash on Confirmation day but for those who ordered the embroidery service from Tony Nguyen, please contact him directly to arrange time and day of collection, as we do not keep your sash in the parish office. Tony Nguyen's contact number: 0432 106 404. Please remember to bring your sash on Confirmation day.

MORNING TEA FOR NEW PARISHIONERS

All new parishioners are invited to come for morning tea after the 9.30am Mass on Sunday 3rd of June. Anyone who 'feels' new is welcome!

Come along and meet some other newcomers and some of the "not so new"!

All parishioners welcome.



Welcome to the Catholic Church

This weekend we joyfully welcome new members into the Catholic Church. At the 9.30 mass on Sunday Shaun Joseph will be received into full communion with the Catholic Church. This is the culmination of a long and faith filled journey for Shaun and his family. On Sunday afternoon we will baptise a number of children who have freely asked to be baptised. Our best wishes go to Jai and Eli Joseph, Kevin and Joanna Chung and Jardyn Walker. Please remember them and their families in your prayers.



SCHOOL CHAPLAINCY APPEAL THIS WEEKEND



There will be a retiring collection at the end of all Masses as part of 'Chaplaincy Weekend'. The chaplains are our frontline emissaries, as they attend to the spiritual and temporal needs of students in public schools. They act as the eyes, ears and hands of Christ, looking out for the sad, the lonely and the suffering in the local schools. Please give generously to keep this Christian presence in our local high schools. Thank you.—*Jean Prendergast*



WHAT'S HAPPENING



Parish prayer concerns

Recently Deceased: Domenica Tonizzo, Anne Coleman,

Deceased: Jason Lo, Rebecca Yap, Gioffre Vincenzo and Filomena, Giosue D'Alessandro;

Anniversaries: Fr Jeremiah Arasathinam, Kenneth Santa Maria, Joseph Mathew, Elizabeth Joseph, Johan Williams, Rose Baynes and Lourenco Martins;

The Sick of the Parish: Pietro Colli, Bernard Spears, Denise Bendotti and all the sick who are in need of our prayers.

"In you, my God, I place my trust."

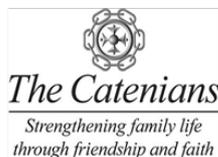
Mission Partners – Morley

A tape or CD of "One Hundred Children" sung by Kamal is urgently needed for an on-stage marching scene for school visitations and drama. Anti-Bullying concerts aid students and our Indian Mission Outreach.



Volunteers are needed to help with hearing student lines, prompting, dressing, sewing, stage management etc for lunchtime rehearsals at primary and secondary schools. The dual result will be wonderful and can be a tool for knowingly fighting the scourge of bullying and also restore Indian village huts.

I am available each Sunday after the 9.30am Mass near the rose bush seating area in front of the church. For more information, please pick up a flyer in the church foyer. Thank you.—Maggie 9272 8263 or 0438 946 621.



MORLEY/DIANELLA CATENIAN CIRCLE

Thank you for the opportunity to speak to you at Masses last week in about getting involved with our Catenian Circle. If you would to find out more please feel free to call me on 0419 953 507.

St Vincent De Paul Society

The final tally for our appeal is \$3,033.35. Once again thank you for your generosity and support.



PILGRIM STATUE: This week in the home of Mrs Clair Harris, 26 Lyndhurst Way, Dianella Ph: 9276 9124

CALENDAR OF SAINTS

- 5 June—St Boniface, bishop, martyr
- 8 June —The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
- 9 June—The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary



Columbarium Gardens

Please note: from 1st June, Committee members will be available only by appointment. You may contact the committee at columbarium@infantjesusparish.org.au or by phoning the parish office on 9276 8500.

LECTIO DIVINA

The Post Pentecost series of Lectio Divina will start in the parish library after 9am Mass on Mon 11th June. The papers are now available for collection from the hospitality cupboard. Anyone interested in finding out about Lectio Divina can enquire at the parish office or come and join us on Monday mornings.

Now Available to Use! Entertainment Books and Digital Membership Fundraiser by Personal Advocacy Service

The New Entertainment Books and Digital Memberships are now available and are able to be used immediately. The Morley Parish office has a few books in their office which can be purchased for \$70.00 or if you would like the digital membership you can order online now at this link to the Personal Advocacy Service page www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/917a52. For only \$70 you'll receive over \$20,000 worth of valuable offers from restaurants, events, attractions, hotel accommodation and much more. You can also pick up a book from Personal Advocacy Service, Morley, if that is more convenient. Our office hours are 9.00am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday. Please contact Michelle Gunning on 9275 5388 or email admin@paswa.org.au for more info.



In our church

Morning Prayer of the Church: Mon-Fri, 6.40am; Sat 8.00am
Morning Mass: Mon-Fri: 7am & 9am, Sat and Public Holidays: 8.30am
Sunday Masses: 6pm (Saturday), 7.30am, 9.30am (Children's Liturgy during school terms), 11.30am (Italian), 6pm (Youth Mass 2nd Sundays)
Reconciliation: Saturday 10 - 11am and 5pm - 5.30pm

Perpetual Novena in Honour of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: Wednesday 7.00pm
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday 9.30 - 10.30am & 7 - 8pm
Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments: Please contact the Parish Office.

Our parish team

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THIS WEEKEND— 2/3 June—The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Ministry	Sat 6pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes	Jeremy Nicoletto	Paul Wachtel	Naveen Joseph	Calvin Yapp
Altar Servers	Peter T; Teresa; Shawn and David	Bao; Marcus and Cyril	Kevin; Lyn and Ancel	Tin and Dylan
Proclaimers	Chris T and Thelma	Sacred Heart; Stella & Fleur	Sylvia and Mark	Maureen and Alan
Extr. Ministers Of Communion	Team A—Lenna; Rosemary; Chris A; Pearl and John T	Team A—Mike; Frank; Andrew; Anna; Lesley and Bernadette	Team D—Maureen; Marlene; Darryl; Joan; Patrick and Errol	Team B—Ivor; Rita; Tristan; Teresa; Josephine and Anna
Hospitality	Carmel and Ann	Barb and Veronica	Josephine M and Joshila	Rita and Marina
Church Cleaning	Team D—Friday, 8th June @ 10.30am			

NEXT WEEKEND—9/10 June—10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ministry	Sat 6pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes	Hari Geigenmuller	Eamon Delaney	Chris Yapp	Tung Nguyen
Altar Servers	Alexander; Tayla; Elysha and Carmen	Danielle and Alison	Conan; Ruben; Crissanto and Leandra	Connin; Alex and Fredrick
Proclaimers	John and Gerri	Joanne and Sjen	Pat and Barry	Teresa and Anna
Extr. Ministers Of Communion	Team B—Chris A; William; John T; Thelma and Tracey	Team B—Brian; Noeline; Kerry; Kathleen; Cheryl and Genevieve	Team A—Annette; Nevellene; Peter; Darryl; Tanya and Magdalene	Team A—Ivor; Rita; Marie; Luisa or Glenn and Thuy
Hospitality	Rose and Milly	Mary B and Mercia	Annette and Lucy	Rennet and Mercedes
Church Cleaning	Team A—Saturday, 16th June @ 9.30am			

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

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