Dear Parishioners,

The Feast of the Holy Trinity is an opportunity for us to reflect on how well our Christian community reflects the perfect community which is the Trinity. Between the three persons of our one God, there is no division, no separation, no sin, only perfect love. If we are to truly witness to this, then there is no place in our community for taking offence or resentment; no place for spreading division or gossip; no place for nursing hurt or anger. Rather, our relationships should be based on open communication and loving responses; remembering that what we do to each other we do to our Lord, Jesus.

In such a large community, this is not always easy, but it is possible if we act with wisdom, right judgement, knowledge, understanding and courage; if with due reverence and awe, we take the Holy Trinity as our model.

If we wish to see how to live as a just community, we need only read the Acts of the Apostles or the letters of Paul and meditate on the way they addressed problems and offered advice to each other.

As we celebrate this wonderful Feast, let us strive to be truly one with our brothers and sisters, so that others may look at us and say "look how they love one another." - Fr. Sunny



THE HOLY TRINITY

Three Persons in One God. How in the world can anyone explain that? The answer is that we, in this world, cannot. It is a mystery beyond our comprehension. How can there be three separate persons- The Father, The Son, and The Holy Spirit - but yet still all be the same God? This is truly a question that we take on faith as Catholics, because our limited human brains simply cannot understand it. And while we cannot fathom this mystery, as Catholics we know and love this fact of three persons in one God. And by the way, the word "Trinity" does not appear in the Bible. This doctrine of the Trinity was formulated over time, which fulfils the words of Jesus in John 16:12-13:

"I have yet many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come."

- http://www.catholicbible101.com/theholytrinity.htm

MAY— MONTH OF MARY

The Hail Holy Queen (also commonly known by its Latin name, the Salve Regina) is one of four special anthems to the Mother of God that have traditionally been part of the Liturgy of the Hours, and which vary depending on the season. This prayer is also commonly said at the end of the rosary and in morning prayers.

Hail Holy Queen, Mother of mercy
Hail our life, our sweetness and our hope!
To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve,
To thee do we send up our sighs,
Mourning and weeping in this valley of tears.
Turn, then, O most gracious advocate,
Thine eyes of mercy towards us, and after this our exile
Show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.
Pray for us O Holy Mother of God,
That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ. Amen



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"I am the Bread of Life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry."

RCIA PROGRAMME - 2013

If you know someone who would like to know more about the Catholic Faith, wishes to join the Catholic Church or has not completed the Sacraments of Initiation into the Church, please encourage them to join the

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults programme at Infant Jesus parish...

People of all faiths (or none!) are welcome to come and learn the beliefs and practices of our Church. For Catholics, this programme is also a great way to discover much, much more about Catholicism than you ever thought possible; and companions on the journey are always welcome to walk with our new enquirers. Prayer support is also much needed and appreciated.

New Planned Giving Cycle...

Next week sees the commencement of the campaign for the new three year Planned Giving cycle, which will commence on the first weekend of July. We will be requesting that all current contributors complete a new pledge card for the new cycle.

Next weekend as you leave Mass, please take one of the leaflets which we will be handing out and read it during the week. Any queries may be directed to Bob Collopy on 9276 2958.

PLANNED GIVING PROGRAMME

The current three year programme is rapidly drawing to an end.

It would be good if you could catch up on any missed contributions over the next eight weeks, which would allow us to reach our budgeting targets for the parish.

If you are unsure how you are going with your contributions, please phone the office and we will be happy to help.



Propagation of the Faith Appeal

Pentecost is the celebration of God's gift of the Holy Spirit to the world. It is the birthday of our missionary Church. This week-end, Catholic Mission's Propagation of the Faith Appeal invites us to lovingly respond to this gift by connecting with and participating in the missionary work of our Church through prayer and generous donations so that the message of God's love can be proclaimed and fulfilled throughout the world.



PROJECT COMPASSION RECEIPTS

All those who requested receipts may collect them from the Sacristy after Mass. Please ask the acolyte to assist you.



CONFIRMATION ENROLMENT MASSES

All parents who wish to enrol their child for Confirmation at us Church this year please mark

Infant Jesus Church this year please mark your diary to attend ONE of these enrolment Masses:-

Sat 8 June at 6.30pm OR
Sun 9 June at 9.30am OR
Sun 9 June at 6.00pm



No More Stamps Please.....

Unfortunately after many years of voluntary service our parishioner is moving away from the parish and will

no longer be able to collect stamps. This means we can no longer offer this collection service so please do not leave any more stamps in the church foyer. Thank you to everyone who has contributed.



Our Parish Events





Parish Prayer Concerns

Recently Deceased: Nick D'Amico;

Anniversaries: Peter Wise, Shean Solomonsz, Tony Copeland, Giuseppe Casotti, Subash Fernando, Laurence Martins;

The Sick of the Parish: Dorothy Vigar, Lisa Delaney, Pat Merrills, Anne Stapleton and all who are in need of our prayers.

"God we praise You: Father all-powerful, Christ Lord and Saviour, Spirit of Love."

ALL PARISHIONERS PLEASE NOTE...... FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 15th and 16th JUNE

The Sacrament of First Communion will be celebrated at Infant Jesus Parish in two weeks time at the following weekend Masses:

Saturday 9th June at 6.30pm Vigil (34 First Communicants) Sunday 10th June at 9.30am (20 First Communicants) Sunday 10th June at 6.00pm (20 First Communicants)

Please expect larger congregations than normal at these Masses. The 9.30am Mass is also a Personal Advocacy Mass, which means the church will be especially full.

TEACHERS PARENTS AND FRIENDS MISSION OUTREACH AND SOCIAL CLUB

MISSION PARTNERS MORLEY have expanded the above outreach to include parents and friends, inviting them to donate their time and organising skills in three areas - SOCIAL - (morning teas, bus outings etc) SPIRITUAL - (monthly meeting to include prayer and a short bible reflection session). FUNDRAISING - Green Fingers Plant Stall, Parish Concert, etc.

Plans to build a **REFUGE for INDIAN WOMEN** in Attoor, Kanyakumari Southern India are presently on the drawing board and a wonderful opportunity for parishioners to become involved Mission Partner Envelopes are available on the right-hand side wall of the church porch and can be placed in weekend mass collection bags.

The MAKE READING FUN program (covering primary level - speed reading, writing, word building, spelling, comprehension and grammar) will begin shortly in the Joseph Room of the Parish Centre **Placement tests** are ongoing for interested families. Bookings essential Proceeds to: MISSION PARTNERS - MORLEY projects.

One more teacher and teacher-aide required - moderate remuneration offered depending on class size. Enquiries. margaretbox7@icloud.com or Phone: 9272 8263

PILGRIM STATUE:

This week in the home of Mrs F. Savy. 36a Lingfield Way, Morley. Tel: 9275 3288

Calendar of Saints

27 May: St. Augustine of Canterbury, Monk (605AD) 31 MAY: FEAST OF THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED

■1 June: St. Justin, Apologist (165AD)

Rental Property — Help Needed

One of our parishioners, a mature single gentleman of modest means, has just been advised that he needs to quit his rental home, as the property is to be sold. He is in need of a small 3 bed home in the area at a reasonable and just rent. If you can help, please contact Angela at the Parish Office on 9276 8500.



Australia's **Biggest Morning Tea**

Infant Jesus Parish Hall Sunday, 2nd June 2013 10.30am - 2pm

There will be a sausage sizzle, drinks, tea and coffee, and sweets to purchase. Amazing raffle draw prizes.

All proceeds will go directly to the Cancer Council.



Entertainment Books Now Available at Personal Advocacy Service

A sample book is available in the church foyer (and parish centre on the weekdays) for your perusal. You only have to use your Entertainment Book a few times and it would have paid for itself. For only \$65, it's great value for money and filled chock-a-block with offers from Woolworths, Coles, local fast food joints, family & fine dining restaurants, cafe & bistro outlets, cinemas, chemists, arts, sports and attractions venues - the list goes on and on. A typical family can save hundreds of dollars each year with the book. Please contact Pearl Chin or Michelle Gunning on 9275 5388 or email admin@paswa.org.au for more information or to order your copy. The funds raised enables PAS to support people with intellectual disabilities in the many small parish groups in our Archdiocese.

Our Liturgical Life

Morning Prayer of the Church: Mon-Fri, 6.40am; Sat, 7.45am

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.

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

OUR DEVOTIONAL LIFE

Perpetual Novena in honour of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel:

Wednesday 7.15pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday 9.30am - 10.30am and 7.30pm - 8.30pm

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