

Dear Parishioners,

This week in the Gospel, Jesus gives us His best known and best loved teachings, the parable of the lost sheep, the lost coin, and the prodigal son. Why do we love these stories so much? Because, like the parable of the good shepherd, we can identify so readily with what Jesus is trying to say. We are all sinners, we all need rescuing; we long for someone to come and find us and return us to our rightful place with God. And Jesus tells us today that we have someone; Himself. It is Jesus Who will search for us when we stray from the right path and get tangled in the thorns of this world; it is Jesus Who will sweep away all the obstacles which we see as keeping us from God. What a wonderful message this is for us! Let us pray that we will make His task easier by constantly calling out to Him to come and find us, to shine his light into the dark corners of our lives so that we may be revealed and heaven may rejoice. Let us pray for all our lost brothers and sisters who have strayed but do not know they are lost; for God longs for them to be returned to Him.

Welcome to Fr. Paul Fox and supporters of his new school in Chittering, Who are visiting us today and selling raffle tickets after Mass. Please give generously and help them complete the building of the school. – Fr. Sunny

CARITAS SAYS SYRIAN REFUGEES AND HOST COMMUNITIES URGENTLY NEED OUR HELP

Ongoing conflict in Syria has led to one of the **worst humanitarian crises in the world today**. Over 100,000 people have died, and over 8.3 million people are in need of urgent humanitarian assistance.

Caritas Australia is working with our Caritas partners on the ground to deliver humanitarian support to Syrian refugees including; food, rent assistance, heaters and blankets, primary medical care, counselling and schooling for children.

To donate, call 1800 024 413 or visit www.caritas.org.au/syria



ARCHBISHOP TIMOTHY COSTELLOE, SDB

“Encountering Christ: The call of Vatican II”

hosted by
Infant Jesus Parish
Tuesday, 24 September
7.00pm

Our parish is very privileged to be hosting this talk, the last of four talks on the important documents which came out of the 2nd Vatican council and what they mean to us as lay people or consecrated people in the Church today. It will be the first time the Archbishop has visited our parish. As the previous talks have attracted large crowds, we will be holding the talk in the church. After the talk you can discuss what you have heard over a cup of tea or coffee in the parish centre.

PLEASE MARK YOUR DIARY NOW.

This will be a great opportunity for the people to gather around their bishop and listen to his teaching.



CHILDREN'S MOVIE MORNING “THE STORY OF ST. THERESE”

Tuesday, 1st October 2013
at 10am - 1pm

Come and celebrate the Feast Day of St. Therese of Lisieux.

Lunch and games for the kids.

Please ring the Parish Office on 9276 8500 to register your child.

Kids under 6 years to be accompanied by an adult.

Communication Skills And Effective Presentation Techniques Workshop

Presented by Chris Maxwell.

Chris is a very experienced public speaker and has been offering workshops around Perth for many years. This is your opportunity to come and learn from him for a very small cost.

Infant Jesus Parish Centre, 47 Wellington Rd, Morley WA
Saturday the 12th of October 2013, 8.30am – 3.30pm.

Cost: \$25.00 pp. Light lunch included.

Registration essential – phone Anna or Pearl on 9276 8500.

More information on Church Foyer Board



Returning to Our Parish...

The **Walker Trio** Mission Concert will again be held at the Infant Jesus Church on
Sunday the 13th of October
2pm - 4pm

Entry by donation
(proceeds to Catholic Mission)

Proceeds from the concert will go towards helping a care programme for abandoned and orphaned children in Mongolia and similar catholic mission projects around the world.

The Walker Trio are three of Western Australia's leading musicians presenting a unique eclectic blend of jazz and classical music to inspire the missionary heart and spirit of your parish.

For more information or to register your interest in attending, contact the Infant Jesus Parish office on 9276 8500.

If you would like to assist us in promoting this musical mission event more widely, please contact the Catholic Mission Office on cm@perthcatholic.org.au.



Padre Pio Feast Day

Monday, 23rd September

Infant Jesus Parish

6pm: Exposition
7pm: Holy Mass (Celebrated by Emeritus Archbishop Barry Hickey).

Check flyer on foyer boards for more details.

Fundraiser RAFFLE TICKETS FOR SALE after Masses this weekend

Please help a new little country school in Chittering - Immaculate Heart College - to provide much needed infrastructure.

1st prize \$10,000
2nd prize \$2,000
3rd prize \$1,000

Tickets only \$2 each and will be drawn in October.

May God bless you for your support

CONFIRMATION PHOTOS

The professional photographer's photos are now available for viewing at the Parish Office. Office hours are Mon-Thurs. 9.30am—12.30pm. Prints are available in 7 x 5" (\$12) and 8 x 10" (\$26).

Please note that payment by cash or cheque is paid at the time of ordering.

Important
DATE!

To Do:

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Don't
FORGET!

Reminder!

Parish Prayer Concerns

Recently Deceased: Dean Pegrum, Joseph McNeill, Laura Albanese;

Anniversaries: Giocondo Colantonio, Vittoria Finis, Sr. Andrea Sawain, Simon Sawain, Wilfred Malyang, Achille Albanese, Carmela & Guiseppe Spiccia, Fred Perkins, Fillipo Vinciullo, Michael Lewis;

The Sick of the Parish: Jenny, Bette Wachtel, Terry Tierney, Mark Grant, John & Kathleen Power, Lisa Delaney, Thelma Di Conti, Nola & Scott Leckie, Tracey Demasson, Marilyn Butler, Yvonne & Norm and all who are in need of our prayers.

“Almighty God Our creator and guide, may we serve You with all our heart and know Your forgiveness in our lives.”



PILGRIM STATUE: This week in the home of P Belardo. 3/32 Camboon Road, Morley. Ph: 9275 4100

Calendar of Saints

- 16 Sept:** St Cornelius, Pope (258AD)
St. Cyprian, Bishop (258AD)
- 17 Sept:** St. Robert Bellarmine, Cardinal (1621AD)
- 19 Sept:** St. Januarius, Martyr (305AD)
- 20 Sept:** Sts Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Hasang & Companions, Martyrs (1846AD)
- 21 Sept:** **FEAST OF ST MATTHEW, APOSTLE & EVANGELIST**

Are you seeking peace in your life??

“Meditation is an experience of a relationship with our God in and through His Word.”

Our Meditation Group is up and running again after a short break.

If you are seeking Peace in your heart and some togetherness with others, then this may help you return to the peace we all long for and to interact with some lovely people for a cup of coffee/tea.

The mediation is directed by Fr. Justin Belitz's CDs and Norma Woodcock's Guided Imagery Cds based on the Ignatian Imaginative Method.

The Group meets every Wednesday (except School holidays) at 9.40am - 10.40am (after 9am Mass)

For further information please contact the Parish Office on 9276 8500



RECONCILIATION

Parents/guardians who wish to enrol their child/ren to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation at Infant Jesus Parish this year are advised that families are required to attend one of the below Masses. On arrival at the Church foyer, please register your child's name and a contact phone number on the list on the trestle. During Mass, the children will be called forward by the priest to receive an enrolment pack and a blessing. The pack will include all the necessary information, forms and dates. Please mark your diary as it is a requirement of the Sacramental Programme that all Reconciliation families attend **ONE** of the Masses below:

**Saturday 21 September at 6.30pm or
Sunday 22 September at 9.30am or
Sunday 22 September at 6.00pm.**

TRAINING OF NEW ALTAR SERVERS...



Training will commence on **Tuesday 22nd October** at 4pm in the church and the following three Tuesdays.

An information meeting for parents will be held on **Friday 18th October** at 7pm in the Parish Centre. At least one parent **MUST** attend for your child to qualify.

Consent forms are located in the foyer of the church. Please take one and return the completed form to the parish office by Friday 11th October at the latest.

- Doug Nathanielsz



Do You Own or Manage a Small Business?

The Chisholm College Alumni is preparing to offer a brand new initiative that will involve current students as well as local owners and managers of small businesses. The 'Student Small Business' program will be the first of its kind and will offer students the unique opportunity of owning and operating a real small business of their own. **Tuesday 17th September 2013**. **RSVP:** by 10th September alumni@chisholm.wa.edu.au. More info on the Church Foyer Board.



New in the Piety Stall.....

2014 Columban Calendars on sale now \$8.00.
Battery Operated LED Candles \$9.95.

LA SALLE COLLEGE 60TH ANNIVERSARY MEMORIES

If you are a past student or parent of La Salle (De La Salle) College and would like to be part of a short film, commemorating the life of the College for our upcoming 60th Anniversary in 2014, please contact Ms Danielle Calleja on dca@lasalle.wa.edu.au

Your Bible Questions Answered: "I know that the Lord's Prayer is in the Bible, but where does 'For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever' come from?" For the answer, to read the September issue of "At Home with Your Bible," or to submit your own Bible question, visit www.thebiblicalfoundation.org.au

In Our Church

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.

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

Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments:

Please contact the Parish Office.

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