

Dear brothers and sisters,

All of us live by stories which embody our beliefs and values. In today's Gospel Jesus rebukes Peter who has just been praised for identifying Jesus' true identity ("You are the Christ, the Son of the Living God"). Jesus now rebukes him and calls him Satan! Peter is so stuck in the story of power as success over others that he cannot cope with the thought that Jesus must die and to all appearances be a failure. In stories of power and success there are winners and losers. What Peter fails to understand is that Jesus lives by a different story- the story of self-sacrificing love where everyone is welcome and everyone is a winner. The political and religious rightly saw Jesus' new story of love as a threat to their power and domination.

So, the missions of Jesus in the Gospel (Mat 16:21-27) and Jeremiah in the First Reading (Jer, 20:7-9) are met with incomprehension and violent rejection. Jeremiah's painful destiny is to prophesy the coming of 'violence and ruin' to a people who, understandably, wanted a more positive message. Jeremiah resists his prophetic duty by simply remaining silent. But there is no escape from his vocation to speak the truth.

Jesus accepts the cross because of his love and his fidelity to his divine mission. He invites all who would follow him to take up their own cross and lose their life in order to find true life. Both Peter's and Jeremiah's complaints in today's readings may find an echo in our daily struggle to go with Jesus along the costly way of love. Peter fails to understand that new story of love shown in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus is the end of the old story of peace through violence and domination.

The way of the cross is not the way of the world of consumption and accumulation, nor of violence and domination nor is it the glorification of suffering and victimhood. It is the way of costly service, healing and reconciliation that excludes no one. There are no First Class or Second and Third Class Catholics. We are all equal, all loved. The Church has room for everyone. Everyone. So, we are called to hear the voices of those who are different from us and to invite all to share the table of abundant divine gifts given in the death and resurrection of the Lord. It is the story of shared Life without limits. It is religious but has, as shown in Catholic Social Teaching and the Magisterium, of Pope Francis, personal, social, economic and political consequences.

*Blessings,
Greg*

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Wishing all Fathers a wonderful Father's Day!

Blessed is the Father who lets the Lord be his guiding hand,
whose faith brings his family courage,
whose wisdom comes from God,
and whose children still stand and honor him.



Congratulations to our 66 parish children who will receive Jesus for the first time this weekend.

Please continue to keep them in your prayers that they will come to appreciate ever more fully the treasure they will receive and continue to enjoy the many blessings that come from this gift of Christ.

ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING

All children that have made their First Holy Communion are invited to become Altar Servers. On September 23rd, there will be a training session for those wishing to join. We will meet at 8:30am for morning mass and then we can gather in the hall. If you cannot make it for 8:30am mass, feel free to join me at 9am. The training session will last for about 90 minutes followed by morning tea. I would like all parents to join us for morning tea so I can get to know you too.—Chris Lambert, coordinator, julielambert@bigpond.com

MANY THANKS

I would like to thank Fr Greg for his kind words at 7.30am Sunday morning mass when he surprised me by presenting me with an inscribed crucifix made from the old altar wood to mark my retirement from Sunday Mass Acolyte Ministry after 39 years. It has been my privilege to serve the parish.
—Paul Wachtel

St John Bosco's Relic Perth Tour 15 - 20 September



An opportunity to pray
in the presence of St John Bosco's relics
and with his Salesian brethren
and supporters-admirers of his life and spirituality.

"Saint John Bosco's life and ministry remind us of the centrality of the young in the Church, and of our responsibility to welcome, support and encourage young people within our local communities. Hopefully the visit of Don Bosco's relics to our archdiocese will reconfirm us in our desire to do all we can to help our young people encounter the love of the Lord Jesus through their encounter with those communities who claim to bear his name." Archbishop T Costelloe

Full itinerary for the pilgrimage to Good Shepherd Church Kelmscott, St Mary's Cathedral Perth, St Patrick's Basilica Fremantle, St John Paul II Church Banksia Grove and Good Shepherd Church Lockridge can be found on the foyer boards.

Cornerstone Conference 23 – Christ Alone

22-24 Sept 2023

John XXIII College Auditorium, Mooro Drive, Mt Claremont

Cost: Full Price \$80 Concession \$40. Details -

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**Farewell
dear friend**

Memorial Mass for Remo Vincentini

Sunday 3rd September at 11.30am Mass.

All welcome.



BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

SEPTEMBER MEMORIAL MASS

Tuesday, 5 September 2023 at 9am

All welcome to join us at this Mass
to pray for our deceased family members
and friends.



ROLL OUT THE RED CARPET ** Collection point & ways to help

Other items needed are:

- * clean plastic strawberry containers
- * old Christmas cards

We would also love

- * someone to help by taking jars home and removing the sticky labels ready for jam making
- * people to make pickles or pickled vegetables, giardinieri etc. If you can help with this, please contact Angela at the parish office.

**Hopefully, you already have your "Collection Point" flier from the pews and have it on your fridge, to remind you of what we are needing for our fundraising. If not, please take one home today.



PILGRIM STATUE

This week at the home of

Clement Lawrence

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PARISH PRAYER CONCERNS

Recently Deceased: Rocco Pinneri and Maria Panizza;

Deceased: Fr Tadgh Tierney, Remo Vicentini, John Joseph Thornton, Peter Buis, Bill and Nettie Beukelaar;

Anniversaries: Joseph Vu, Thomas Truong, Markby Moore, Betty Griffiths, Gaetano Puglia, John Doherty, Raquel Carver, Lily Santa Maria,

The Sick of the Parish: and all who are in need of our prayers.

*"Truly my soul finds rest in God;
my salvation comes from Him."*



POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS—September 2023

For people living on the margins

We pray for those persons living on the margins of society,
in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by
institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

In Our Church

Morning Mass: Mon - Fri: 7am & 9am, Saturday and Public Holidays: 8.30am

Sunday Masses: 6pm (Saturday), 7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am (Italian), 6pm

Reconciliation: Saturday 10 - 11am and 5 - 5.30pm

Perpetual Novena in Honour of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: Wednesday 6.30pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday 9.30 - 10.30am

Eucharistic Prayer: Friday 6.30 - 7.30pm

Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments: Please contact the Parish Office - 9276 8500 | enquiries@infantjesusparish.org.au

Supporting Our Parish Financially

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BSB: 086 006

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Web: www.infantjesusparish.org.au



**40th Anniversary
Novena to
Our Lady of Good Health,
Vailankanni**
Wednesday 30th August to
Friday 8th September
Good Shepherd Church
Kiara WA 6054

See foyer board for programme details.

Enquiries to
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**DAY WITH MARY
- 2 DAY RETREAT
SEPTEMBER 9-10**
Good Shepherd Church,
42 Streich Avenue, Kelmscott
Saturday 1.00pm - 6.00pm
Sunday 9.45am Procession followed by 10.00am Mass

Speakers: Archbishop T Costelloe,
Br Jerome Mary, Fr Pavel Herda, Fr Robert Nixon,
Fr Elias Kilzi

Topics - see foyer board for details.
Retreat is free of charge. Refreshment and water
will be provided.

For more information, contact 08 949 51204 or
gspk@inet.net.au

**ST CHARLES
SEMINARY**

Vocations Sunday
Morning Tea
Sunday, 10th September
with Mass at 9.30am followed by
morning tea and chat

*Young men, aged 17yrs and above,
are you tired of trying to change the
world all by yourself?*

*Come along and have a chat, get a
glimpse into the life of a seminarian -
is this the life God is calling you?*

RSVP by 7th September -
phone: 9279 1310

See you at 30 Meadow Street, Guildford!



The Little Sisters of the Poor in Glendalough Food Fair 2023 Sunday 1 October 2023 from 10am till 4.00pm - a day of food, fun and fellowship. Pre-selling of food fair tickets will take place after all IJ Parish Masses on 16 / 17 September. Thank you for your support!

THIS WEEKEND — 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time—03 September 2023

Ministry	Sat 6pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes/Altar Ministers	Jeremy Nicoletto	Chris Lambert	Josephine McManus	Tung Nguyen
Altar Servers	Ethan; Meldon; Meghan; Naethan	Cyril	Andrei; Jules and Kim	Denver; Marcus and Noah
Proclaimers	Sabrina and Tang	Bernie and Rita	Rod and Sr Chitra	George and Pramila
Extr. Ministers of Communion	Tracy and Marie	Brian and Debbie	Marilyn and Pearl	Maureen and Teresa
Hospitality	Emily and Milly	Mavis and Sally	Marion O and Patrick	Maureen and Anthony
Church Cleaning	Team B—Thursday, 7 September 2023 @ 9.45am			

NEXT WEEKEND — 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time—10 September 2023

Ministry	Sat 6pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes/Altar Ministers	Peter Nguyen-Le	Chris Wray	Conan Dewitt	Chris Lambert
Altar Servers	Shawn; Josemiguel; Andres and Nathan	Elizabeth and Peter	Victoria; Manuel and Ruben	Alex; Dorothy; Bryant and Alden
Proclaimers	John and Sylvia	Sally and Clare	Mike and Barbara	Marion W and Anna
Extr. Ministers of Communion	Nevellene and Valerie	Josie and Carl	Aileen and Annette N	Ivor and Tristan
Hospitality	Roopa and Desmond	Quinn and Francisca	Roma and Jovana	Ancilla and Chrystal
Church Cleaning	Team C— Saturday, 16 September 2023 @ 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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