

Dear sister and brothers,

There is a change in metaphor in this week's text for worship – at least somewhat. What is consistent is that we are still living out, or even embodying, the Resurrection. But we have moved away from the specific senses that help us access the risen Christ. In the fifth Sunday of Easter, we move to sustaining what we have seen, and touched, and heard.

How do we hold on to the Easter experience and live as those who have been resurrected with Christ? This is where John chapter 15 comes in. 'Abide', that is how we do it. We abide in Christ. And it is the only way to do it. We must stay connected to Christ, connected to the vine.

While worship this week begins with that declaration, it will be most helpful if we give some hints as to how that is done. How do we abide in Christ? How do we stay connected? Here is where we can point beyond the worship hour to some of the other ministries of the church. What other opportunities do we provide to keep people connected? What Bible studies and other mission opportunities are available for members of the parish and the wider community to stay connected?

Another way of giving people insight in what it means to be connected is through testimony (eg. Name tag Sunday). Who are the neighbours in your congregation that we could talk for a few minutes about devotional practices or the benefits of service? Who can we talk to about knowing Christ in our daily lives, not just on mountaintop moments? The mountaintop moments are great and wonderful to hear about during worship. But most of our lives are spent in the valleys. So, how do I abide in Christ as I live and work each day in my routine existence? That's what folks want and need to know.

Blessings of the risen Lord. Fr. John

IJ Youth
INITIATIVE

From me, Fr Adalbert, to all youth at Infant Jesus - God bless...and more -
Starting on THIS Sunday 28 April, 6pm and every fourth Sunday of the Month.

We are restarting the Youth Initiative at IJ Parish.

Please come along to the gathering after the Mass for some food, fun, and fraternity.

We have some activities planned for the year. Above all, we are looking at seeing how best to serve you, the young people of the parish, and give you a space to explore your faith.

Looking forward to seeing new and old familiar faces.



Welcome to Playgroup 2024!
Starting This Wednesday 1st May

This is a donation-led playgroup.

Please come join us every Wednesday 11am - 1pm, commencing Wednesday May 1st.

All parents with children aged 0-4 years old welcome.

Join us for free play, games, song and rhymes, outdoor playground time and more! Meet other parents in the community and school!

Please bring your child a snack as we will have snack time part way through the session as usual. As there are a few children with allergies it is important not to bring along any nuts and be mindful of not sharing food particularly if you have egg or gluten.

Looking forward to seeing you there. Please feel free to contact Lin 0432 942 483 for more details.



PARISH COLUMBARIUM
New conditions from 29 April

Members of the Columbarium Committee will be available in the parish centre on Monday mornings 9.30am-11.30am, or by appointment.

Appointments may be made by email: columbarium@infantjesusparish.org.au or contacting the parish office on 9276 8500.

Don't forget to join us!

NEW CRAFT GROUP - Let's ORIGAMI

Every Thursday from 9.30-11am in parish library. All welcome to join in whenever you can.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE SAFEGUARDING PROGRAM
New requirements for ALL parishes and church workers to complete for Archdiocesan Screening & Monitoring Policy by 1st August 2024

This updated screening and monitoring policy has been approved by the Archbishop, and he has advocated this new policy as a crucial step for fostering a secure and trustworthy Church for both our Perth Catholic community and the wider public. This new screening requirement extends the scope of previous requirement to include employees, volunteers, board members, and visitor (where required).

Our parish, with the support of the parish priests, safeguarding officers and parish office—is responsible for managing this new screening requirements. Our parish will need to meet the updated screening requirement for all ministries no later than 1 August 2024.

One of the requirement is for **ALL** those who volunteer in our parish ministries and groups to complete this new form 'Safeguarding Personal Declaration'. The form is available in the church foyer or on safeguarding website. If a minor (under 18 years old age) volunteers in a ministry, a parent consent form needs to be completed, and this form is also available in the church foyer. The completed form needs to be drop off to the parish office or email to secretary@infantjesusparish.org.au Should you need further information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact parish secretary, Billie at 9276 8500 in the parish office.



New and Preloved Piety Stall

All Masses this weekend

There will be a wide range of piety religious gifts and reflection booklets, including rosaries, crosses & crucifixes, assorted medals, statues, plaques, religious books, greeting cards, prayer cards, holy cards and prints for donation.



Parish Prayer Concerns

Recently Deceased: Gordon Ross, Sanna Scaffidi Gennarino, Bob Gomes, Terry Mohan, Mary D'Cruz, Bing Yee Au;

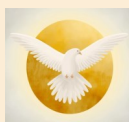
Deceased: Glorian and John Watts, Alan Summersett, Francis Wayne Fitzgerald and Peter Meek;

Anniversaries: Mr Jose, Josie Abreu, Joe Versace, Thomas Choo, J.B. Baotixita Nguyen Duy Phat, Maria Nguyen Thi Duyen and Geoffrey Gomeze;

The Sick of the Parish: Honey Rozario, Terry Flanagan and all those who are in need of our prayers.

*"Lord, I love the house where you live,
the place where your glory dwells."*

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION for Infant Jesus Church Parish Children



Confirmation Program dates are as follows:

Parents Night: 6 May (Monday) at 7.00pm
at the Parish Centre

Commitment Masses: 18 May (Saturday) at 6.00pm

& 19 May (Sunday) at 9.30am and 6.00pm

Parent & Child Workshop: 20 May (Monday) at 7pm at the Parish Centre

Retreat: 28 May (Tuesday) at the Parish Centre & Church

Confirmation Masses: 8 June (Saturday) at 11.00am OR 2.00pm

Should you have any enquiries, please email :
sacramental@infantjesusparish.org.au

Lifted Up for Mother's Day: A violin & piano recital on Sunday 12th May from 3pm in the Braham Auditorium at Trinity College, East Perth.

After the Mother's Day lunch or before the Mother's Day dinner, your mum and grandmum are sure to be lifted up by an hour of beautiful music from two highly regarded classical musicians in Daniel Carney on violin & Tommy Seah on piano. Tickets are available online for a donation to Catholic Mission in support of other mums and their children escaping domestic violence and homelessness at the House of Mercy refuge in Mongolia. To book online visit <https://www.trybooking.com/CQFOU> **Online bookings are essential because seating is limited.** For further details contact Francis at director.cm@perthcatholic.org.au



The Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady

This week in the home of:

Marlene Roze—Ph: 0421 489 584



CALENDAR OF SAINTS

29 Apr: St Catherine of Siena, virgin, doctor

02 May: St Athanasius, bishop, doctor

03 May: Sts Philip and James, apostles

May Pilgrimage at Schoenstatt Shrine Talus Drive, Mt Richon Sunday 5 May, 2.30-4.30pm

*Rosary procession, Reflections,
PMA Coordinators' Recommissioning, Ben-
ediction, Refreshments*

*You are welcome to bring flowers; children
are invited to dress in white for the proces-
sion.*

Year of Prayer 2024 - "Mary, Teach us to pray."



Infant Jesus School Share Your Memory

1954 - 2024 Celebrating 70 YEARS



Whether you are a current student, past student, parent, teacher or friend of the school we want to hear from you. A selection of stories will be featured throughout 2024 as we celebrate 70 years as a school.

Throughout the past 70 years, many colourful and lively characters have walked the grounds and shared our classrooms. It is those memories and stories which have shaped the community we are today.

We are inviting you to share your favourite or lasting memory of your time at Infant Jesus School. Please submit your story and image/s by completing the form <https://forms.office.com/r/yysH4BJ932> or via the QR code

Supporting Our Parish Financially

First Collection EFT Details

Account Name: Carmelite

BSB: 066 132

Account Number: 0080 0015

Second Collection EFT Details

Account Name: Infant Jesus Parish Morley

BSB: 086 006

Account Number: 66860 6029

In Our Church

Morning Mass: Monday - Friday: 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 **but not in Lent (Stations of the Cross 7pm)**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday 9.30 - 10.30am

Eucharistic Prayer: Friday 5.30 - 6.30pm

Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments: Please contact the Parish

Office - enquiries@infantjesusparish.org.au | Ph: 9276 8500

PARISH OFFICE: 47 Wellington Road, Morley 9276 8500

Office hours: Monday - Thursday 9.30am -12.30pm

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Our Parish Team

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Columbarium Committee: Angela Youens - columbarium@infantjesusparish.org.au

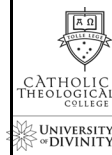
Parish Inclusion Coordinator: Sue Baile - 0497 163 387

Austin Cooper Symposium

Catholic Theological College invites you to a hybrid symposium in honour of the Rev Professor Austin Cooper OMI AM (1931 – 2023) founding Master of CTC, historian, formator, and ecumenical friend. The symposium will feature speakers exploring Fr Austin’s various contributions to Christian scholarship and formation, and as spiritual friend to so many.

Cost: \$60 (lunch included) or \$30 (online attendance)

For more details, please see the flyer in the notice board or go to their website.



Catholic Theological College

Sign up for one of 9 short, online sessions.

Engaging Your Faith: May 2024

Theology, Scripture, Meditation, Spirituality, Science & Faith.

Choose what interests you from \$25 per session.

For more information and to register:

ctc.edu.au/engaging-your-faith/



“Time to Consider the Priesthood”. A Priesthood Vocation Open Day for men from the age of 17 years and above at St Charles Seminary in Guildford, on Sunday 5th May 2024, from 9am to 1.30pm, including brunch.

This Open Day will answer questions about the Seminary and discernment into Priesthood.

For further information or to register attendance please call (08) 9279-1310 or email: stcharlesseminary@perthcatholic.org.au

THIS WEEKEND — 28 April 2024—5th Sunday of Easter

Ministry	Sat 6pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes/Altar Ministers	Jeremy	David	Josephine	Tung
Altar Servers	Shawn; Josemiguel and Andres	Aaron and Frank	Crissanto; Cesar and Leah	Tim and Dan
Proclaimers	Donna-Marie and Sabrina	Nevellene and Valerie	Rod and Mark	Dorothy and Anna
Extr. Ministers Of Communion	Tracy; Chris T; Betty and Sejin	Valerie; Nevellene; John and Kathleen	Magdalene; Anna; Roma; Errol; Tanya and Sr Justin	Emily; Sr Chau; Sr Le and Sr Oanh
Hospitality	Roopa and Desmond	Angela and Selina	Deb and Loretta	Julie and Adam
Church Cleaning	Team D— Friday, 3 May 2024 @ 10.30am			

NEXT WEEKEND — 05 May 2024—6th Sunday of Easter

Ministry	Sat 6pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes/Altar Ministers	Bruce Erneste	Cyril Mathew	Conan Dewitt	Chris Lambert
Altar Servers	Erin; Abigail; Savio and Ethan	Ria and Lia	Andrei; Jules and Kim	Alex; Dorothy; Bryant and Alden
Proclaimers	John and Sylvia	Sally and Bernie	Claire and Barbara	Pramila and Fely
Extr. Ministers Of Communion	Teresa; Betty; Sejin and Emily	Michael; Kerry; Margaret and Andrew	Aileen; Sr Chau; Patrick; Annette; Sr Le and Josephine	Maureen; Thuy; Ivor and Tristan
Hospitality	Ann and Donna-Marie	Mavis and Sally	Sophie and Patrick	Brenda and Ancilla
Church Cleaning	Team A— Saturday, 11 May 2024 @ 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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