

Dear Parishioners,

We have a great deal to be grateful for in this parish; the collection taken by the Dominican nuns two weeks ago for their orphanages in Vietnam was an example of great generosity of heart; we have over 300 volunteers working in over 30 ministries and groups; we have two daily Masses each weekday and four each weekend. We are known as a vibrant, welcoming community amongst other Catholics in our Archdiocese. Indeed, there are things that we are doing very well. As a priest, I am very grateful for the support you all give to me.

However, such a community as ours should never get too comfortable; "From everyone to whom much has been given, much will be required; and from one to whom much has been entrusted, even more will be demanded." (Luke 12:48)

Are we living up to our parish Vision and Mission statement? Do we even know what it is? I suspect that many of us do not even know that we have one!

Below you will find a copy of the statement. This week I ask all of you to take the bulletin home and read over our parish mission and vision for the next couple of weeks and pray with it. Is it a good statement for this community? See what Jesus has to say to you about what should be happening in our parish; about what you should be doing to bring this about. Let us not be afraid to say "yes" to Him, for His plans for us will only ever bring joy. I would gladly welcome hearing the results of your prayerful reflections.

- Fr. Sunny



Infant Jesus Parish

VISION

We the Parish of Infant Jesus Morley
affirm our faith in Jesus Christ
and our baptismal call to
bring His presence into our world
as a sign of hope and joy.

We embrace the holiness of family life
and the need of all people
to develop their relationship with God.

We value the presence of the
Discalced Carmelite friars who minister
to the life of our community.

As we grow in their care,
may we follow their example
of prayerful living.

MISSION

The Parish of Infant Jesus Morley
strives to be a warm, open, welcoming family of faith.
Each of us share the responsibility for building up the
Body of Christ

and we show this through our
Christian love and compassion.

We act upon this commitment
by reaching out to the needs of the world.



PARENT AND CHILD NIGHT FOR CONFIRMATION

THIS MONDAY 26 MAY AT 7PM

A reminder that this Monday 26 May is the Confirmation Parent and Child workshop in the Parish Centre starting at 7pm. The workshop will be about one hour and is a requirement of the Sacramental Programme that at least one parent/guardian/sponsor attends with the confirmation candidate. Please remind your children to bring their pencils case along.

Do you want to **know more** about the Catholic Faith?
Do you desire to be **baptised** into the Catholic Church?
Are you baptised, but not **Confirmed**?



ENQUIRY NIGHT
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
TUESDAY 27TH MAY AT 7PM
Infant Jesus parish centre

If you, or anyone you know, is interested in knowing more about the Catholic faith or receiving the Sacraments of Initiation, then please come along to the enquiry night for an informal chat.

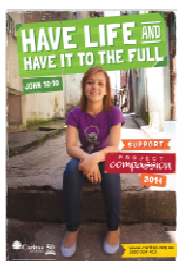
Please call the office on 92768500 if you have any questions about this evening.

MARANATHA COURSE IN JUNE POPE FRANCIS: "MR POPE"/ BISHOP OF ROME

Pope Francis has said he wants the church to be "of the poor, for the poor". 'Mr Pope', as he jokingly calls himself, is going to bring out of the storeroom 'things both new and old'. Can the church be known for love (more than some 'disciplinary' or 'doctrinal' matters)? Can the church pray with and for him, as requested from Day 1? Also is he going to the active support and co-operation of church members?



**HOLY HOUR OF VOCATIONS
THIS SUNDAY 25 MAY 2014
AT 2PM TO 3PM
INFANT JESUS CHURCH**



PROJECT COMPASSION RECEIPTS

Thank you all for your generosity in supporting Project Compassion this year. All those who requested receipts may collect them from Sacristy after Mass. Please ask the acolyte to assist you.

Thank you

**Pope Francis: "Mr Pope"/Bishop of Rome
Presented by Fr Stephen Astill SJ on Wednesday, 9th of July at
7pm to 8:30pm for three weeks.**

Sessions will be held in the Parish Centre at a cost of \$20 person. Please register your interest on the sheet in the foyer, or contact the parish office on 9276 8500.

Important
DATE!

To Do:

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Don't
FORGET!

Reminder!

Parish Prayer Concerns

Recently Deceased: Bennardina Dichiera, Margaret Mactaggart, Maureen Behrmann, Carmelo (Charlie) Scalisi, Cedric Fosberry and Noeleen Wickens;

Anniversaries: Subash Fernando, Nick D'Amico, Syn Fung Lee, Lloyd D'Cruz, Frances Mahoney, Martha Nguyen, Teodora Orrina and Peter Wise;

Deceased: Maria Nguyen, Rodney McGuinness, Giuseppina and Angelo Menchetti;

The Sick of the Parish: Connie Reardon, Lisa Delaney, and all who are in need of our prayers.

"May our mortal lives be crowned with the ultimate joy of rising with Him, Who is Lord for ever and ever"



The Helping Hands Society of WA will be conducting a cake and food stall in the Parish Hall **THIS WEEKEND** on Sunday, 25th May after the 7.30am and 9.30am Masses. Come and enjoy our Mauritian savoury foods, cakes and more. All funds will go towards the Helping Hands's continuing work in helping the poor and underprivileged children in Mauritius.

MUSICAL AFTERNOON TEA

Featuring Perth's newest gospel/jazz band

"MISSION TRAVELLERS"

On Sunday, 8th of June at 2pm to 4pm
47 Wellington Road, Morley Parish Hall

Talented singers and Musicians

No booking required and children are welcome.

Entry by Donation.

Enquiries to Maggie Box: 9272 8263/0438 946 621 or to Gwen Clunies-Ross on 0432 655 304

A Mission Partners Morley Production - established 1988



VOLUNTEERS WANTED DAYDAWN ADVOCACY CENTRE

Unit 2/5 Aberdeen Street, Piccadilly Square Central, Perth 6000

Daydawn Advocacy Centre is an initiative of Emeritus Archbishop Hickey established as an advocacy, referral and support service for Aboriginal people. Mary McComish, the Director is seeking volunteers to assist this Archdiocesan LifeLink agency. If you are interested in volunteering please contact Mary on 9218 8035 or email daydawn@perthcatholic.org.au



PILGRIM STATUE: This week is in the home of Mrs S Lychlander, 6/239 Crimea Street NORANDA. Ph: 9275 8711

Calendar of Saints

26 May: St Philip Neri

27 May: St Augustine of Canterbury

31 May: The Visitation of Blessed Virgin-Mary

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS FUNDRAISING



Support Personal Advocacy Services (PAS)'s fundraising by purchasing the Entertainment Membership. Discover thousands of valuable up to 50% off and 2-for-1 offers for many of the best restaurants, arts, attractions, hotels, travels, shopping and much, much more. To purchase, please contact Michelle or Pearl on 9275 5388 or email: admin@paswa.org.au



CANCER RESEARCH APPEAL NEXT WEEKEND SAT, 31 MAY/ SUN, 1 JUNE

The Catholic Women's League will be organising a cakeless cake stall to raise funds for this worthy cause. Envelopes will be placed in the pews and you are encouraged to place a donation of the price of a cake inside. Members will be at the church doors to collect the envelopes as you leave. Thank you for your generosity.

GLAUCOMA - PARISH SUPPORT GROUP

A parishioner with glaucoma is interested in forming a support group for other parishioners suffering from the same complaint.

If you would like to be part of such a group, please contact the parish office on 92768500. If enough interest is generated, a group will form. Place and time of meetings will be agreed amongst the group.



A man's gold and platinum ring was found in the church. Please contact the office on 9276 8500.

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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