



We warmly welcome you to
St Paul's Catholic Church / Mt Lawley Parish

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Est. 1956

Parish Office
New Parishioners
Baptism
Reconciliation
Mass Intentions

Wednesday & Friday 9 am to 1 pm: or ring for an appointment.
 Please complete a census form, found in the church foyer, and return it to the office or sacristy.
 Sunday afternoons. Please contact the office to make an appointment for instruction.
 Saturdays 5 to 5.45 pm, or by appointment. Extra opportunities during Advent & Lent.
 Envelopes may be found in the church foyer. Please book your intentions well in advance.

THE FIFTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Day	Time	Mass	Intention
Monday	5.45 pm	Mass	St Bonaventure, bishop & doctor of the Church
Tuesday	5.45 pm	Mass	Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Wednesday	9.00 am - Mass - RSL 5.45 pm - Mass	Mass	Weekday in Ordinary Time † faithful departed
Thursday	5.45 pm	Mass	Weekday / St Camillus de Lellis, priest Fr Timothy E Deeter - 69 th birthday
Friday	9.00 am - Mass - RSL 5.45 pm - Mass	Mass	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Saturday	9.00 am	NO MASS	Weekday in Ordinary Time / St Apollinaris, bp & m

THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday	6.00 pm	Mass	Anne Francis - birthday
Sunday	8.00 am - Mass 9.30 am - Mass	Mass	for the parish

PARISH MINISTRIES ROSTER

13 - 14 July 2019	Saturday 6.00pm Mass		Sunday 8.00am Mass		Sunday 9.30am Mass	
Readers	E Gregory	A Iacopetta	K D'Cunha		L D'Orsogna	C Moore
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	A Tilbrook	S Brough	J Ryan	P Harries	J Cleary	A Leahy
Altar Servers	E & J Chatzimichail	J & L Brennan	N Faraone	G Pereira N Bowden-Jones	V Redclift	N Yap G Rose J O'Connor
Welcomers	M MacKay		J Sluchniak		C Novacsek	
Counters	F Farrington	J Pearce				

Thank You

Thank you for your contribution. The **First Collection** supports our parish priest and needy priests of the Archdiocese, while the **Second Collection** funds church maintenance, parish activities and outreach projects. For **Planned Giving envelopes**, please contact the Parish Office.

Last Sunday's Contributions 07/7	
Planned Giving	\$ 954.00
Loose	778.60
Direct Debit	142.00
Catholic Weekly	36.90
TOTAL	\$ 350.00



Entrance Antiphon: As for me, in justice I shall behold Your Face.
I shall be filled with the vision of Your glory.

Communion Antiphon: The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young:
by Your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.
Blest are they who dwell in Your House, for ever singing Your praise.

Liturgical Ministries

Acolytes	Jerry De Mello	0413 778 457
Altar Linens	Pat May	9371 9752
Altar Servers	Lilian Bellandi	0412 980 261
Collectors & Counters	Andrew Vajda	9275 9328
Extraordinary Ministers	Simon Hehir	043 778 6023
Flowers	Jasmin Biagioni	0411 123 575
Liturgy Committee	Anne Marie Leahy	9271 5330
Music - 9.30am Mass	Tina Jack	9271 6486
Music - 6pm Mass / Organist	Alessio Loiacono	0466 461 892
Readers	Genevieve Saldanha	0405 806 848
RSL Chapel	Bernadette Taylor	9272 8451
Sacristan	David Cleary	9272 5114

Parish Ministries & Activities

Finance Committee	Greg Brennan	9381 3399
Planned Giving	Andrew Vajda	9275 9328
St Paul's Primary School	Joanna Noonan, Principal	9462 6000
RCIA	Robyn & Peter Quinn	9375 1024
St Paul's Youth Ministry	Brad & Siobhan Hinton	0410 986 318
Parish Social Committee	Ingrid Vajda	9275 9328
Sunday Morning Tea	School P&F mothers	9462 6000
Bible Study	Fr Tim Deeter	9271 5253
PREP Co-ordinator	Grania Murphy	0407 082310
Social Justice	Tom Parker	9271 7584
St Paul's Community Care	John Ryan	9477 4910
St Vincent de Paul Society	Peter Quinn	9375 1024

Community News

PRAYING FOR OUR CHILDREN

Tue 16 July: Join us in praying the Rosary at 9.30am, followed by a cuppa together in the undercroft. All are welcome.

PARISH YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

Parishioner **Isobel Clare** wants to kick-start our young adults group back into action after a long hiatus. A sign-up sheet is in the porch, and she'll also contact people by e-mail. We're looking at a monthly gathering on a Thursday or other weeknight, maybe for 5.45pm Mass and then a good meal and discussion at a local café or restaurant.

GIVE US YOUR WOOLIES STICKERS!

St Paul's School is collecting Woolworth Earn & Learn stickers to exchange for some exciting new learning resources. Please put them in the box in the church foyer.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Only 5 boxed sets left!

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

1) We need volunteers to photocopy and fold the parish bulletin on Friday mornings in the school office. If you are available, we will train you! Please call **Anna** in the parish office (9271 5253) to let her know.

2) We also need people to bring Holy Communion to residents at Acacia (RSL) Home on Wednesday mornings after 9.00am Mass. Please let Fr Tim know if you can help in this rewarding ministry.

ARE YOU TRYING TO HAVE A BABY?

The Billings Ovulation Method can help. Please ring Billings LIFE - 1800 335 860 or check the website: www.billings.life, or check the shop: billings.ecwid.com/

HELP WITH THE PLENARY COUNCIL

The Bishops Commission for the Plenary Council 2020 is seeking people who are willing to be leaders and partners in the process of discernment. Opportunities are available to apply to be the Chair, or to be a member, of one of six Discernment and Writing Groups. For more information, visit the Office for Employment Relations: www.employmentrelations.catholic.org.au or contact **Ms Olivia Lee** - (02) 9919 7822 or olivia.lee@catholic.org.au - Apply by 22 July.

CALL TO ACTION: Write to Your MP

Mon 15 July: Join others in writing short letters to WA parliamentarians about what new euthanasia/assisted suicide legislation should look like. The wrong laws could put hundreds of thousands of Western Australians at risk. *It's not too late to stop this - your voice matters!* Come to the LJ Goody Bioethics Centre, 39 Jugan St, Mount Hawthorn either 2 - 4pm or 7 - 9pm. Write to your MPs because they vote on this, not you! Choose life, that you may live!

Please pray for **parishioners who are unwell:** Gerard Leahy, Tony Bonavita, Billy Francis, Terry Merchant, Blanche Pereira, Lori Valerio, Leonie Chidlow, Rebecca Webster, Thelma Hannigan, Franceska Fairclough, Tony Valerio, Thomas Mazza
parishioners whose anniversary of death occurs at this time: Helen Brophy, Marie Andersen, Kateryna Sluchniak, Frederick Wade, Annie Miller, Trixie Casey, Keith Wade, George Henry Grierson Jordon, Angelo Ferro, Sheila Hollier, Julia Bray, Barry Chidlow, Bernard Long

The Wisdom of the Saints: The Church

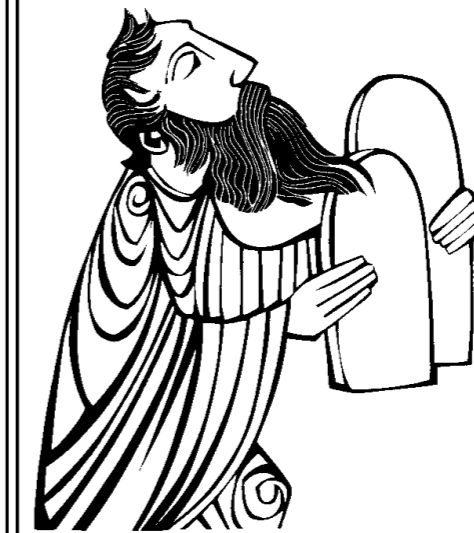
The Church is like a great ship being pounded by the waves of life's different stresses. Our duty is not to abandon ship, but to keep her on her course. - St Boniface

You cannot have God for your Father if you do not have the Church for your Mother. No one was able to escape the Flood by being outside Noah's Ark, so stay within the Ark of the Church. - St Cypryan

Remember how our ancestors worked out their salvation: the sufferings through which the Church has grown, and the storms the Ship of Peter has weathered, because it has Christ on board as its Captain. - St Thomas á Becket

Christianity is not dead, as the liberal thinkers like to think. I know some young people living in the world, in the very centre of the greatest riches and luxury, who are humble, good, devout, charitable and reverent. They serve the poor, and their manners are simple and natural, and all their lives are spent in doing good. They are true Christians. - Bl Theophane Venard

The Church is built upon the rock of the Apostles' faith; it therefore remains unmoved, despite all the world's constant crashing against Her. The Church offers the safest harbour of salvation. - St Ambrose



*The Word is very near to you.
It is in your mouth
and in your heart
for your observance.*

Archdiocesan News

ADULT FAITH FORMATION COURSES

Brochures for Term 3 at the Centre for Faith Enrichment are available in the porch.

HEART WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Fri-Sun, 25-27 July: Be refreshed & renewed at this gathering for Catholic women at the Stirling Community Centre, Tuart Hill. Register: Heart.TheCatholicGuy.com Info in the foyer, or ring: 1300 734 880

ARCHDIOCESAN MARRIAGE MASS

Sat 10 Aug: Married couples celebrating a milestone anniversary this year (25, 30, 40, 50, 60 or even 70 years), along with all of us, are invited to this Mass at the Cathedral at 10.00am. Archbishop Costelloe will give a special blessing to all married couples, and a special commemorative certificate to those celebrating milestone anniversaries. Info on the notice board. Please register for a certificate at www.brushfire.com/marriage-mass/455691

Pastoral Ponderings

Purgatory is surely akin to being crammed into a jetliner for back-to-back flights (11 hrs & 14 hrs), with babies screaming non-stop the entire time.

I was absolutely zonked by the time I arrived in the US. Thankfully, I had three nights in a hotel in New York City when I could 'decompress' before beginning my cross-country domestic flights to visit family members.

But I did meet up with several friends in NYC, started eating my favourite American foods (I have a regular 'food itinerary' that hits the major regional menu delicacies), did a bit of marriage counselling, and went to a fantastic Broadway musical, The Book of Mormon.

I had read great reviews of this musical, and I do have Mormon friends, so I thought this would be a nice diversion. Well! It was hilarious, but also very irreverent, yet hilarious, but a bit blasphemous, but really, really hilarious. Thank goodness I went to the theatre in civilian clothes! I probably got more of the jokes than anyone else in the audience. I'm on very good terms with the local Mormon leadership, lived for a week with a prominent Mormon family in Salt Lake City, Utah, and delivered a keynote address at a Mormon convocation held in New South Wales Parliament House in Sydney several years ago. So I was almost breathless from laughing at the subtle - and not so subtle - jokes about the beliefs and practices of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. Shame on me!

But I do love the Mormons. When I was teaching in Chicago, I 'adopted' some of their missionaries who came to our high school trying to convert our Catholic boys. These young men were very hungry, not just for souls, but also for food. So I fed them in our monastery dining room at least once or twice a week for a number of months. They came to my ordination to the priesthood (they were blown away by the magnificent liturgy), and it was one of those young men whose family invited me to stay with them for a week.

While with that family, I joined in their weekly 'Family Night', a practice of all Mormon families. It is their strong emphasis on family life, plus local church fellowship (refer back to my column in last weekend's newsletter) that makes the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints the fastest growing Christian community in the world.

It's my experience with the Mormons, plus my experience with my father's Christian church as a boy, that convinces me of the need for Catholics to embrace more of a community spirit. Even though it is school holiday time, check out the several items in this newsletter that provide opportunities for life together as a Christian community. Think about it.

