

PARISH TEAMS

Parish Council Tony Summers
Finance Committee
Michael Winters
Liturgy Committee
Iwona Kazmierczak
Social Committee
Veronica Scully
Youth Ambassadors
Vacant

LITURGICAL COMMITTEES

Acolytes Errol Raftos
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist
Communion to the Sick & House-bound Michele Pierre
Readers Kathy McGurk
Altar Servers Tony Summers
Ambience Group Gail Finch
Shirley Blackwell
Music Liturgy
Munashe Chaita
St Cecilia Singers Choir
(6pm Sat) Lynda Henning
Paulette Pettitt
St Andrew's Angels Choir
(9am Sun) Munashe Chaita
Cathy Leon
Cantores Christi Choir
(5pm Sun) Edward Amante
Marilyn Ball

PARISH GROUPS

African Community Group
Christine Dominic
Children Classes (PREP)
Tammy Sparks
Children's Liturgy
Tanya Vandermark
Church Cleaning
Ney Enriquez
RCIA Tania de Sousa;
Gail Finch
Sunday Morning Tea Group
Veronica Scully
St Vincent de Paul Society
Tony Ratcliffe
Craft Group Bev Macri
Gardening Armando Romanelli
Parish Website Beryl Rahman

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St Andrew's Catholic Parish

SERVED BY THE SALVATORIAN FATHERS



Fr Darek Krzysztalowicz SDS, PP & Fr Marian Brzozowski SDS, APP

2ND SUNDAY OF LENT; YEAR C

12/13 March 2022

Mass Times

WEEKEND

Saturday 6.00pm
Sunday 7.30am, 9.00am, 5.00pm

WEEKDAYS

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri, Sat 8.00am

THURSDAYS

3, 17 & 31 Mar 10am - RAAFA Estate Chapel
(Hughie Edwards Dr, Merriwa)
10 & 24 Mar 10am - Cambrai Village Chapel
(Hester Ave, Merriwa)

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

1st Thursday of the month at Mass.

RECONCILIATION Sat 5.00 - 5.45pm

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Friday 3.00 - 4.00pm followed by Benediction.

Contact Us

PRESBYTERY

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BAPTISM, MARRIAGE*, HOUSE BLESSING

Please contact Fr Darek and Fr Marian on 9407 7512.

*Marriage: 6 months notice

PARISH SECRETARY

Mrs Tanya Vandermark

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Office hours: Tues & Wed: 9am - 1.30pm

Fri: 9am - 12pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

2nd Sunday of Lent Reflection - Weekend of 12 & 13 March



Apparently, there is an old Syrian saying 'inside the people you know there is a person you don't know.' One of God's gifts is the grace to keep discovering beautiful things about the people close to us. If you talk to people who have been married for a long time, they will often mention the way their partner surprises them, even after twenty years of sharing the same kitchen sink. Likewise, our children and our friends. If we put them in a box with a label, we can become blind to some unexpected wonders God wants us to see.

Perhaps it was like this for Peter, James and John on the occasion of the transfiguration which we hear about in the Gospel today. By this stage, they have been on the road with Jesus for quite some time. They have seen the storm calmed, the demoniac brought to peace, the woman healed of her haemorrhage, the daughter of Jairus raised to life. They have heard outrageous things. You'd think they'd be getting the picture by now. The experience on the mountain allows them to understand that they have hardly begun to understand the depth of the mystery of Jesus. A voice from the cloud says 'this is my Son, the Chosen One. Listen to him.'

This week, as part of Project Compassion, Biru, a young man from the Ho ethnic minority in India, lives with a disability. But there is so much more to him that needs to be seen. Our support of Caritas Australia has empowered him to become an entrepreneur, to meet his future with pride, confidence and hope. Project Compassion challenges us to see beyond the immediate situation of people such as Biru and discover the person we don't yet know, to celebrate the possibilities of life *For All Future Generations*.

Both before and after the great experience on the mountain top, Luke's Gospel reminds us that the disciples still face a challenging road. Life will teach them more and more about Jesus. Let us all be open to the lessons of a real relationship with the God of justice and love.

Prayer of Intercession

We pray for all those who live disability, especially those who stigmatised in any way. May we do all we can to support their flourishing as truly equal participants in human family.

Source: Caritas Australia

Caritas Australia's Project Compassion

You can help people like Biru continue to thrive by making a donation through Project Compassion boxes and envelopes, visiting lent.caritas.org.au or phoning 1800 024 413.



St Patrick's Day - 17 March

Born in Roman Britain around the end of the 4th Century. Died in Ireland about the middle of the 5th Century. Faced hardships as a missionary bishop - in Ireland, and opposition even from his friends & fellow Christians. Yet worked to conciliate, to evangelise & to educate local chieftains, & their families. Remembered for his simplicity and pastoral care, for his humble trust in God, & for his fearless preaching of the gospel to those who had enslaved him in his youth. Specially honoured in Australia because the many Irish families who came to settle here brought with them the faith & zeal of St Patrick.



St Joseph - 19 March

A carpenter, though born of the royal house of David, Joseph was an upright man, as husband of the Virgin Mary, cared for Mary & the child Jesus. Venerated in the east after the 4th Century & his cult flourished in the west during the 15th Century, following the development of medieval nativity plays, the Christmas crib and increase devotion to Mary.

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Friday from 3 - 4 pm. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed. Please join us to worship Jesus.

"...And remember, I am with you always, to the end of age" - Matthew 28:20

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

**Pre-Baptismal Class
19th March 2022 at 11am.**

This class is for all parents who would like to baptise their child and whose children are younger than 7 years of age. The class will take place in the Church.

Please take a bulletin home with you to keep informed with what is happening in the parish and for more information visit our website: www.clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au

This Weekend (12/13 March): 2 nd Sunday of Lent, Year C				Next Weekend (19-20 March): 3 rd Sunday of Lent, Year C							
Gen 15:5-12, 17-18		Phil 3:17-4:1		Lk 9:28-36		Ex 3:1-8, 13-15		1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12		Lk 13:1-9	
12/13 Mar	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers	19/20 Mar	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers				
Saturday 6pm	Ivan D'Souza Greg Shimmen	Sasha Humski Irela Atad Lara Cipriano	Des Blackwell Mel Leedham	Saturday 6pm	David Pettitt Errol Raftos	Nathan Heath Courtney Heath	Kirk Cipriano Sandy Baker				
Sunday 7.30pm	Marco D'Ovidio		Tanya Vandermark Sandra Long	Sunday 7.30pm	John Vandermark		Fay Stanley Cherry Nguyen				
Sunday 9am	Tony Summers Lumoro Bella	Sophia Di Giovanni Summer Richardson	Toni D Richards Gail Finch	Sunday 9am	Tony Summers Lumoro Bella	Desmond Dullaghan Dayna Neill	Simon Furneau Kathy McGurk				
Sunday 5pm	Gordon Jansen	Vivienne Baker	Meagan Reyes	Sunday 5pm	Gordon Jansen	Vivienne Baker	Adele Baker				

Lenten Season Stations of the Cross
There will be Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent at 7pm.

"Come and See" Lenten Eucharistic Retreat
A special Lenten Eucharistic Retreat presented by the Apostles of Perpetual Adoration will be held at our St Andrew's Parish, Clarkson on **Saturday 26 March, 9am - 3pm**. The day commences with Holy Mass at 8am and concludes with the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm. There is no cost for this retreat, light refreshments will be provided, please BYO lunch. During the weekend of 26 & 27 March at all weekend Masses, Fr Doug Harris will also be speaking about Eucharistic Adoration and the importance of having a personal Holy Hour. More information will be available in upcoming bulletins. Thank you.

Parish Lenten Reconciliation
The Second Rite of Reconciliation for the Parish will be held on **Thursday 7 April at 7pm** in the Church.

Lenten Prayer
God of all peoples and nations, as you accompany us on our Lenten Journey, may our fasting strengthen our commitment to live in solidarity, our almsgiving be an act of justice, and our prayers anchors us in love and compassion. Awaken our hearts and minds that we may be one human family as we all go further together. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen



Prayer For Ukraine
We turn to you, Lord Jesus Christ, Word of God made flesh for us, and we entrust the people of Ukraine to you who once said to your disciples, "Peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you" (Jn 14:27). Hear the cry of your people; change the hearts of those who have unleashed such suffering on the innocent; strengthen the resolve of those who are working to bring the conflict to an end; be close to those who have been driven from their homes and from their homeland; heal the wounds of mind and heart inflicted on the children; comfort the frightened and the lost; strengthen the faith of those who are bereaved; give eternal rest and joy to those who have died. In your agony on the cross you entrusted your mother to the beloved disciple, entrusted him and all disciples to your mother's care (Jn 19:26). It was through Mary's faith that you, the Word made flesh, came to dwell among us. That same faith strengthened Mary as she stood at the foot of the cross. We pray that your suffering people in Ukraine may know and experience that Mary stands with them, too, in this time of their great distress. You have given Mary to us as the Mother of the Church and the Help of Christians. With great confidence in the power of her communion with our bishop and all the Holy People of God, we consecrate and entrust the people of Ukraine to Mary and ask that our prayers might be joined with hers as we come before you now in hope and in trusting faith. Hear our prayers, O Lord, and raise up champions of peace, of justice and of healing, so that the weapons of war may be silenced and the people of Ukraine may know the peace that only you can give.

Mary, Mother of the Church, Help of Christians, Mother of Ukrainian people, pray for us.

Parish Second Collection
Envelopes: \$724
Loose Money: \$646 Direct Debit: \$875

Dear Parishioners, the coronavirus crisis has impacted our liturgies and church celebrations, however, we still want to provide you with spiritual support and we must continue to pay the bills. Please continue your monetary support to the parish and the priests. Thank you for your generosity!

First Collection Details	Second Collection Details
Bank: CDF; BSB: 086-006;	Bank: CDF; BSB: 086-006;
Account No: 714293247	Account No: 665794757
Account Name: St Andrews First Collection	Account Name: St Andrews Parish Clarkson

Please use your full name and envelope (if you have one) as a reference for the transaction.

Baptisms
Welcome to Cruz McDonnell who is being baptised this weekend into our Parish family.

Please Pray for the Sick of Our Parish
Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need.
Lyn Birkelbach, Phil Doyle, Sam & Josephine Ebejer, Angela Elliot, Jennifer Grace, Mary Hosking, Angie Moore, John Mulholland, Brian & Nuala O'Loughlin,
Special intention for Mick & Mel Waters
Please help keep this list up to date by contacting Kathy on - 0499 901 202 or 9407 8238.

Sacrament of First Reconciliation
Please keep in your prayers the children from our Parish Schools and PREP classes who will be receiving the Sacrament of First Reconciliation on the 22 March.

Fundraising Raffle
During the weekends of **12/13 & 19/20 March** the Social & Fundraising Committee will be selling raffle tickets after all weekend masses. Please support them in fundraising for the Church Air Conditioning Project. Thank you.



Entertainment Memberships
Support St Andrew's Parish with the purchase of an Entertainment Membership, 20% of your Membership purchase prices goes directly to our fundraising projects. Memberships unlock huge savings and for a limited time you get a bonus eGift Card valued up to \$30! For more information visit: <https://www.entertainment.com.au/orderbooks/913851a>

Upcoming EVENTS

- **Meetings - March**
Parish Council - 23 March at 7pm
* Meeting will take place in the Church.
- **Fundraising Events (April to July)**
Healing Mass - Saturday 2 April at 10am, followed by Morning Tea
Cake Stall - 7/8 May at all weekend Masses
Bingo Night - Saturday 28 May at 7pm
Craft Stall - 11/12 June (All masses)
Dinner Dance - 23 July at 7pm
*more information will follow for each event closer to the date.

Safeguarding Induction for All Church Workers - Online
We invite ALL church workers (**anyone** in the parish in **any role** that is **voluntary** or **paid**) to attend an online safeguarding induction. There are 8 ZOOM sessions available until June 2022, that will cover the Safeguarding Policies and Procedures, the importance of Safeguarding in the parish and the role of the Parish Safeguarding Officer.

- Wednesday 23 March - 7pm
- Wednesday 13 April - 10am
- Friday 6 May - 10am
- Tuesday 17 May - 1pm
- Friday 3 June - 10am
- Tuesday 14 June - 7pm
- Thursday 30 June - 1pm

A link to each meeting will be provided closer to the date. To register visit: www.safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au or phone 9221 7762.

Mandatory Contact Registers
When entering the CHURCH, please fill in your contact details (16yrs & over) in the Mandatory Contact Registration from or scan the QR code with your SafeWA App.

