

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
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St Andrew's Catholic Parish, Clarkson

SERVED BY THE SALVATORIAN FATHERS

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



4TH SUNDAY OF LENT; YEAR C

26/27 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

4th Sunday of Lent Reflection - Weekend of 26 & 27 March



One of the most beautiful expressions in the Bible comes from the prophet Ezekiel. 'Thus says the Lord, I will take their hearts of stone and give them hearts of flesh.' It is a call to be tender and compassionate.

You would need a heart of stone not to be affected by the stories we encounter today. Most of us have heard the story of the two sons in today's Gospel over and over. The brilliance of the way Jesus tells stories is that it still gets under

our skin. Here are two young men who think they can live on their own terms. One has a sense of entitlement and demands his share of his father's estate which he then squanders. He is finally prepared to eat humble pie and find his way home. The other son has a different sense of entitlement. He believes that his hard work and reliability should provide him with a greater share of his father's love. At different times in our life, we can relate more to one or other of these people. Jesus implies that they are both blind to the way God's love works and they both need to grow. They have both been dead and need to come to life.

The story we encounter this week through Caritas Australia's Project Compassion is also deeply moving. Rosalie, aged 37, lives in one of the most damaged countries in the world, the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC). From the age of fifteen, she was forced to become a child soldier, exposed to violence and heartbreak. She actually says that she was forced into combat with a baby on her back. Now she has seven children and dreams of a better future for them. Thanks to your support of Project Compassion, she has been able to start a small business, save so her children might go to school and become an inspiration to others. Recovery from the trauma of the way affects people around the world.

Our second reading today reminds us that we are 'ambassadors for Christ'. St Paul says 'for anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation.' Let us all be part of building that new creation, setting the world to rights as best we can. God wants to reconcile the world to himself. Our part in this is to reach out in compassion and love to heal the wounds of the whole human family. The theme of Project Compassion this year asks us to think and act *For All Future Generations*. Our hearts need to be warm and strong.

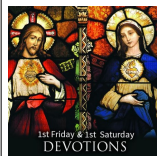
Prayer of Intercession

We pray for those driven away from their homes by violence, persecution or poverty. May our hearts be open to do all we can to rebuild the lives of others. May we be instruments of God's peace.

Source: Caritas Australia

Caritas Australia's Project Compassion

You can help to support people like Rosalie become leaders in their community by making a donation through Project Compassion boxes and envelopes, visiting lent.caritas.org.au or phoning 1800 024 413.



1st Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

- Friday 1 April after morning mass

1st Saturday to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

- Saturday 2 April after morning mass.

Healing Mass

On **Saturday 2 April at 10am** there will be a **Lenten Healing Mass in our Church**. If you are suffering from any kind of sickness - physical or emotional, please come to receive the Sacrament of Healing of the Sick. Coffee and tea will be served after mass.



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 9th April 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 (26/27 March): 4 th Sunday of Lent, Year C				Next Weekend (2/3 April): 5 th Sunday of Lent, Year C							
Joshua 5:9-12		2 Cor 5:17-21		Lk 15:1-3, 11-32		Is 43:16-21		Phil 3:8-14		Jn 8:1-11	
26/27 Mar	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers	2/3 April	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers	2/3 April	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers
Saturday 6pm	Tony Summers Ivan D'Souza	Chiara D'Costa Carys D'Costa	Mel Leedham Des Blackwell	Saturday 6pm	Wil Higo Errol Raftos		Sandy Baker Kirk Cipriano	Sunday 7.30pm	Ney Enriquez		Andrew Keane Jerry De Rosario
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Sunday 9am	Tony Summers Lumoro Bella	Sophia Di Giovanni Summer Richardson	Toni D Richards Geneve Bastian	Sunday 9am	Tony Summers Lumoro Bella			Sunday 5pm	Gordon Jansen		
Sunday 5pm	Gordon Jansen	Vivienne Baker	Marilyn Davies	Sunday 5pm	Gordon Jansen						

Sacrament of First Reconciliation
 Please keep in your prayers, the children from our PREP classes who will receive the Sacrament of First Reconciliation, on Wednesday 30 March. Thank you to the Catechists, families and everyone who helped prepare the children.

Baptisms
 Welcome to Aiden McKenna-Joyce, Xander John De Swardt, Paisley De Swardt and Beau Gabriel Jac Lynton who are being baptised this weekend into our Parish family.

Commissioning of Altar Server Candidates
 Next Sunday, our new Altar Server Candidates will be commissioned to their ministry at the 9am Mass. Please keep them in your prayers.

Fundraising Raffle
 Congratulations to our Raffle winners
- Cathy Leon and Yvonne.

 Thank you to the ladies from the Social & Fundraising Committee and to everyone who supported the raffle. **\$271 was raised**; this will go towards the Parish Airconditioning Project.

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, Andrew Carson, Phil Doyle, Sam & Josephine Ebejer, Angela Elliot, Jennifer Grace, Mary Hosking, Angie Moore, John Mulholland, Brian O'Loughlin, David Pettitt, Edward Pozarowszczyk, Armando & Maria Romanelli.
 Special intention for Mick & Mel Waters
 Please help keep this list up to date by contacting Kathy on - 0499 901 202 or 9407 8238.

Stations of the Cross
 There will be Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent at 7pm.
Parish Lenten Reconciliation
 The Second Rite of Reconciliation for the Parish will be held on **Thursday 7 April at 7pm** in the Church.
Holy Week and Easter Celebrations

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.

Palm Sunday (9/10 April):
 6pm - Vigil Mass
 7.30am, 9am & 5pm Mass
Holy Monday (11 April):
 8am Mass
Holy Tuesday (12 April):
 8am Mass
 7pm Chrim Mass at the Cathedral
Holy Wednesday (13 April):
 8am Mass,
Holy Thursday (14 April): **No morning Mass at the Village
 7pm - The Lord's Supper Mass,
 8pm - 10pm; Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Good Friday (15 April):
 10am - Stations of the Cross
 3pm - The Lord's Passion Celebration
Holy Saturday (16 April):
 10am - Blessing of the Food
 7pm - Easter Vigil Mass
Easter Sunday (17 April):
 7.30am, 9.30am & 5pm Mass
Divine Mercy Sunday (24 April):
 6pm - Vigil Mass
 7.30am, 9am & 5pm Mass
 3pm - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Chaplet of the Divine Mercy

Volunteers for Holy Week Celebrations
 Volunteers are need to participate in the Liturgy for all the Masses of Holy Week. We require Acolytes, Altar Servers, Readers, Collectors and Adorers for Holy Thursday. Please fill in your name on the spreadsheets displayed at the back on the church. Rehearsals will be as follows:

- Wednesday 13 April, 6.30pm** - rehearsal for Holy Thursday and Good Friday celebrations
- Friday 15 April after Stations of the Cross at 10am** - rehearsal for Holy Saturday celebration.

Parish Second Collection
 Envelopes: \$818
 Loose Money: \$487 Direct Debit: \$755

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.

Upcoming EVENTS

- Meetings - April**

Liturgy Committee - 1 April at 4pm
 * Meeting will take place in the Church.

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.

