

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

6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME; YEAR C 12/13 February 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 Feb 10am - **RAAFA Estate Chapel**
(Hughie Edwards Dr, Merriwa)
10 & 24 Feb 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

Add: 53 Belleville Gardens;
Clarkson WA 6030
Ph: 9407 7512

Email: pp.clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au
Web: www.clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au

BAPTISM, MARRIAGE*, HOUSE BLESSING

Please contact Fr Darek and Fr Marian on 9407 7512.

*Marriage: 6 months notice

PARISH SECRETARY

Mrs Tanya Vandermark
9407 9815 / clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au
Office hours: Tues & Wed: 9am - 1.30pm
Fri: 9am - 12pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Happy Valentine's Day - 14 February



Valentine's Day started in the time of the Roman Empire. In ancient Rome, February the 14th was a holiday day to honour Juno. Juno was the Queen of the Roman gods and goddesses. The Romans also knew her as the goddess of women and marriage. The following day, February the 15th, began the feast of Lupercalia.

The lives of young boys and girls were strictly separate. However, one of the customs of the young people was name drawing. On the eve of the festival of Lupercalia, the names of Roman girls were written on slips of paper and placed into jars. Each young man would draw a girl's name from the jar and would then be partners for the duration of the festival with the girl whom he chose. Sometimes the pairing of the children lasted an entire year, and often, they would fall in love and would later marry. Under the rule of Emperor Claudius II, Rome was involved in many bloody and unpopular campaigns, Claudius the Cruel was having a difficult time getting soldiers to join his military leagues. During that time Claudius cancelled all marriages and engagements in Rome. The good Saint Valentine, was a priest in Rome, in the days of Claudius II. He and Saint Marius aided Christian martyrs and secretly married couples, and for this kind deed Saint Valentine was apprehended and dragged before the Prefect of Rome, who condemned him to be beaten to death with clubs and to have his head cut off. He suffered martyrdom on the 14th day of February, about the year 269 and was buried on the Flaminian Way. He is the Patron Saint of affianced couples, bee keepers, engaged couples, epilepsy, fainting, greetings, happy marriages, love, lovers, plagues, travellers and young people.

Dear Saint Valentine, and glorious martyr; teach us to love unselfishly and to find great joy in giving, enable all true lovers to bring out the best in each other. Let them love each other in God and in God each other. Give us strength, courage, and patience to deal with the difficulties of our life and time. Help us to come together again, to have faith and not give up.

Amen

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 and Nuala O'Loughlin,

Special intention for Mick & Mel Waters

Please help us keep this list up to date by contacting Kathy on either - 0499 901 202 or 94078238.

In Loving Memory

Our condolences to the family of Pat Newby who passed away recently. Pat was well known in the Parish having also served on several committees and ministries during her time in the Parish. Please keep the repose of her soul in your prayers.

Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen.

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Friday afternoon 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 the age." - Matthew 28:20

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

Pre-Baptismal Class
19th February 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 Feb): 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C
 Jer 17:5-8 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20 Lk 6:17, 20-26

Next Weekend (19/20 Feb): 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C
 1 Sam 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23 1 Cor 15:45-49 Lk 6:27-38

12/13 Feb	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers
Saturday 6pm	Greg Shimmen Tony Summers	Chiara D'Costa Carys D'Costa	Emma Pettitt Des Blackwell
Sunday 7.30pm	Marco D'Ovidio		Jerry DeRosario Sandra Long
Sunday 9am	Tony Summers Lumoro Bella	Sophia Di Giovanni Summer Richardson	Simon Furneau Kathy McGurk
Sunday 5pm	Gordan Jansen	Vivienne Baker	Adele Baker

19/20 Feb	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers
Saturday 6pm	Ivan D'Souza Wil Higo	Sasha Humksi Irela Atad Lara Cipriano	Sandy Baker Mel Leedham
Sunday 7.30pm	John Vandermark		Andrew Keane Jerry DeRosario
Sunday 9am	Tony Summers Lumoro Bella	Desmond Dullaghan Dayna Neill	Tammy Sparks Geneve Bastian
Sunday 5pm	Gordan Jansen	Vivienne Baker	Marilyn Davies

Working With Children Verification

This is probably a timely reminder that any Parishioner who works with children whilst engaging in Parish activities is **required by law to hold a valid WWC card**. COVID restrictions have interrupted our normal practices, however if you are currently serving the Church in any of the following voluntary capacities, then you must hold an up-to-date card: Acolytes, Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist, Communion to the Sick and House Bound, Catechists, Children's Liturgy and Choir.

Please forward a copy of your current WWC card to Tanya in the Parish Office (clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au) - many of those on file are out of date. Many thanks for your understanding regarding this important matter.

- Tony Summers, Safeguarding Officer

Call for new Altar Servers

We are once again on the lookout for children keen to become more involved in the church. With many children having received the sacrament of First Holy Communion, they are now eligible to become an Altar Server. Training will be provided in the form of three 45-minute sessions which will prepare your daughter/son for the duties they will carry out during weekend Masses.

Please email me (tony.summers@cewa.edu.au) if your daughter/son is interested in joining this Ministry and once I have an idea as to the number of children interested, I will organise the first training session and advertise the date accordingly, although I anticipate session one will take place on Sunday 27 February at 10am, immediately following the 9am Mass. Many thanks.

- Tony Summers, Safeguarding Officer and Altar Server Coordinator

Blessing of Parish Pastoral Council of St Andrew's - Sunday 13 February at the 9am Mass



This weekend on Sunday 13 February, at the 9am Mass all newly elected and re-elected members of the St Andrew's Parish Pastoral Council will receive a special blessing. May God bless you in your role to serve the Parish.

First Reconciliation Commitment Masses



Parents are welcome to bring their children who will be receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation in March this year to one of the weekend masses on 19/20 February.

Please keep in your prayers all the children and their families who will be receiving this Sacrament in March.

Parish Second Collection



Envelopes: \$757
 Loose Money: \$494
 Direct Debit: \$830

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

Bank: **CDF; BSB: 086-006;**
 Account No: **714293247**
 Account Name: **St Andrews First Collection**

Second Collection Details

Bank: **CDF; BSB: 086-006;**
 Account No: **665794757**
 Account Name: **St Andrews Parish Clarkson**

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



Parents Information Evening - Wednesday 16 February at 6pm in the Church.

This meeting is now **cancelled** in line with the new regulations regarding large gathering for schools.

Meetings - February

Finance Committee - Thursday 17 February at 7pm

Parish Council - Thursday 24 February at 7pm

Liturgy Committee - Friday 25 February at 4pm

* The following meetings will all take place in the Church.

Fundraising Events (March to July)

Raffle - 12/13 & 19/20 March at all weekend Masses

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 at all weekend Masses

Dinner/Dance - Saturday 30 July

* more information will follow for each event closer to the date.



World Day of Prayer Friday 4 March, 10am - St Andrew's Parish

World Day of Prayer is a worldwide ecumenical Christian movement initiated by women. It provides an opportunity to set aside time to pray around a designated theme for the needs identified by the women of a specific country. This year's theme is "*I know the plans I have for you*". Please come along to join in prayer and action for peace and justice.

Listening to the Cry of the Earth and the Cry of the Poor: A Consideration of *Laudato Si*

Presenter, Carol Mitchell (Director - JEDO) will explore the current Social Justice Statement from the national Bishops, '*Cry of the Earth, Cry of the Poor*' over two workshops. These free workshops will take place on Thursdays 17 - 24 February, 9:30am - 11:30am, at the Newman Siena Centre, Doubleview. Contact 9278 0261 or visit www.cfe.perthcatholic.org.au for more information.



Safeguarding Induction for all Church workers

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference have broadened safeguarding to include adults at risk. ALL church workers (volunteers or paid) are to attend a 2-hour safeguarding induction. A church worker is **anyone** in the parish in **any role** - paid or voluntary. This induction provides an overview of the Safeguarding Policies and Procedures, the role of the Parish Safeguarding Officer and the importance of Safeguarding within the parish.

The upcoming session is on **Wednesday, 23 February 2022 from 5pm - 7pm at Mary Of The Cross Mackillop Church, Ballajura**

To register call 9221 7762 or book online at :

<http://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training-calendar-church-workers/>

Parish Office Phone - is now back in working order. Thank you for your patience with this matter.

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.

