

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
Saturday Night Choir (6pm Sat) Paulette Pettitt
St Andrew's Angels Choir (9am Sun) Munashe Chaita Cathy Leon
Cantores Christi Choir (5pm Sun) Edward Amante Marilyn Ball
Eucharistic Adoration Beryl Rahman

PARISH GROUPS

African Community Group Christine Dominic
Children Classes (PREP) Tammy Sparks
Children's Liturgy Tanya Vandermark
Church Cleaning Ney Enriquez
RCIA Gail Finch
Sunday Morning Tea Group Veronica Scully
St Vincent de Paul Society Tony Ratcliffe
Craft Group Bev Macri
Piety Stall Ronnie Oborn
Gardening Armando Romanelli

SAFEGUARDING OFFICERS

Tony Summers summers.tony@imcc.wa.edu.au
Sandra Long sandra1965@iinet.net.au

PARISH SCHOOLS

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St Francis of Assisi CPS (Ph) 9562 9500 admin@stfrancisbutler.wa.edu.au
Irene McCormack College (Ph) 9562 2400 admin@imcc.wa.edu.au

St Andrew's Catholic Parish, Clarkson

SERVED BY THE SALVATORIAN FATHERS

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



3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT; YEAR A 10/11 DEC 2022

Mass Times

WEEKEND

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

WEEKDAYS

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri, Sat 8.00am

THURSDAYS

15,29 Dec 10am - RAAFA Estate Chapel
(Hughie Edwards Dr, Merriwa)
22 Dec 10am - Cambrai Village Chapel
(Hester Ave, Merriwa)

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

1st Thursday of the month at Mass.

RECONCILIATION Sat 5.00 - 5.45pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Friday 8.30am - 4pm followed by Benediction.

Contact Us

PRESBYTERY

Add: 53 Belleville Gardens;
Clarkson WA 6030

Email: pp.clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au

Web: www.clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au

HOUSE BLESSING OR IN CASE OF EMERGENCIES

Please contact Fr Darek and Fr Marian on
(08) 9407 7512.

BAPTISM, MARRIAGE*

Please contact the Parish Office.

*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

Third Sunday of Advent

'Lord Jesus, master of both the light and the darkness, send your Holy Spirit upon our preparations for Christmas.

We who have so much to do, seek quiet spaces to hear your voice each day.

We who are anxious over many things, look forward to your coming among us.

We who are blessed in so many ways, long for the complete joy of your kingdom.

We whose hearts are heavy, seek the joy of your presence.

We are your people, walking in darkness, yet seeking the light.

To you we say, "Come Lord Jesus!"

Amen



Advent Pink Candle Liturgy

Presider Lord Jesus Christ, you are our Saviour, the true light that has come into our world. On this Third Sunday of Advent we rejoice and know you are near.

Presider Lord Jesus we are full of joy at the thought of your coming.

All Come, Lord Jesus

Presider "Be patient, do not lose heart" for the Lord our God is coming. It is he who will bring us to safety.

All Come, Lord Jesus

Presider "Happy are the people who do not lose faith" they will be great in the sight of God.

All Come, Lord Jesus

Parish Advent Reconciliation Service

As a part of our preparation for Christmas our Advent Reconciliation will be held on Thursday 15th December at 7 pm in the Church. There will be a few visiting Priests available for confession. Everyone is welcome.

St Andrew's Parish Christmas Masses Timetable

Christmas Masses

Saturday 24 Dec 6pm - Christmas Eve Family Mass

Sunday 25 Dec
12am - Midnight Mass
7.30am - Christmas Day Mass
9.30am - Christmas Day Mass
5.00pm - Christmas Day Mass



Volunteers needed for Christmas

Please fill in your name on the sheet in the Church Foyer which will be provided this weekend if you wish to participate in the Christmas Masses. Thank you so much for your ongoing support.

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Friday from 8.30am - 4pm, with the Divine Mercy Chaplet recited at 3pm.

Please join us to worship Jesus.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

Pre-Baptismal Class
17th December 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 (10/11Dec): 3rd Sunday of Advent; Year A				Next Weekend (17/18Dec): 4th Sunday of Advent; Year A							
Is 35:1-6,10		James 5:7-10		Mt 11:2-11		Is 7:10-14		Romans 1:1-7		Mt 1:18-24	
10/11 Dec	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers	17/18 Dec	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers				
Saturday 6pm	David Pettitt Ivan D'Souza	Chiara D'Costa Carys D'Costa	Sandy Baker	Saturday 6pm	Wil Higo Errol Raftos	Sasha Humski Zac Humski	Des Blackwell				
Sunday 7.30am	Andrew Keane	Muna Ezeonwu	Tanya Vandermark Fay Stanley	Sunday 7.30am	John Vandermark	Muna Ezeonwu	Sandra Long Jerry De Rossario				
Sunday 9am	Tony Summers Lumora Bella	Summer Richardson	Kathy McGurk Tammy Sparks	Sunday 9am	Tony Summers Lumora Bella		Gail Finch Toni D Richards				
Sunday 5pm	Gordon Jansen	Vivienne Baker	Marilyn Davies Beryl Rahman	Sunday 5pm	Marco D'Ovidio		Nancy Enriquez				

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 and Josephine Ebejer
 Angela Elliot, Jennifer Grace, Mary Hosking, Angie Moore,
 John Mulholland, Brian O'Loughlin, Edward Pozarowszczyk,
 Maria Romanelli, Debbie Smith & Sean Winters.

Please help keep this list up to date, contact Kathy on 0499 901 202 or 9407 8238.

Thanksgiving Mass - Sunday 11 December at 9am

This special Mass is for ALL parishioners who volunteer in our parish and who are on the different committees, Parish Councilors, Altar Servers, Readers, Extraordinary Minister, Acolytes, Catechists, Morning Tea Groups, Piety Stall organisers, Craft group, cleaners, choir members, Altar/flower arrangements, and all who look after the Church grounds and gardens. A Light lunch will be provided following the Mass.

The Record

Your free copy of the Record is on the table in the foyer of the Church. Feel free to take one if you would like a copy.

World Youth Day Lisbon, Portugal - August 2023

World Youth Day is an open invitation from our Pope to all young people in our Church, to come together, share our Faith and be a witness of the Good News to the world. It is a festive encounter centered on Jesus Christ and an opportunity to personally experience and celebrate the diversity of our Catholic Church. World Youth Day is a unique way to deepen your faith and grow closer to Christ, through prayer and sacraments, together with hundreds of thousands of other young people from around the world. **Expressions of interest are now being taken by Catholic Youth Ministry** for those who are keen to attend. Further information can be found by visiting the website at cym.com.au



Baptisms



Welcome to **Reaiah Frances Vandermark, Eli Thurman Orange, Grace Iris Bertrand and Billie Roni Constantine** who are being baptised this weekend into our Parish family.

2023

2023 Calendars

2023 Calendars are now available for sale from the Piety Stall at \$9 each. There are two options available.

Christmas Cake Raffle

Christmas Cake raffle on sale from this Saturday, 10th December for 2 weekends. Tickets are 3 for \$5



Thank you

Thank you to the members of the Finance Committee who presented the yearly financial report at the Masses last weekend.

Federation of Catholic Bishops Conferences of Oceania (FCBCO)

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference is a member of the Federation of Catholic Bishops Conferences of Oceania, along with the Bishops Conferences of the Pacific, New Zealand, and Papua New Guinea – Solomon Islands.

The bishops of the Federation gather for an Assembly every four years. The last Assembly was held in Port Moresby; the next Assembly will be held in Suva in February 2023.

The Assembly next February will primarily focus on care for the oceans, which is an important part of caring for our common home, as set forth by Pope Francis in *Laudato si'*. Another important focus of the Assembly will be finalising the continental (Oceania region) response to the Synod of Bishops 'Document for the Continental Stage' – see <https://www.catholic.au/s/article/XVI-Ordinary-General-Assembly-of-the-Synod-of-Bishops>.

Parish Second Collection

Envelopes: \$967

Loose Money: \$722 Direct Debit: \$668

Dear Parishioners, thank you for your continued contribution and support to the Parish and 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: **CHF; 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.

Prayer For Ukraine

Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for World leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen



Christmas Eve/Day Parking on Church Grounds

Please be mindful when parking at the Church for our Christmas Masses that you **are not to park or obstruct the footpaths or driveways of neighbouring houses** as you may be fined by the Wanneroo Shire Rangers. Thank you.

You've got a lot to give beyond Christmas gifts. In January you can prepare for mission at home or abroad.



Palms Australia has trained Australians to live and work within cultures and communities overseas since 1961. Now four days of that training will be available for parishioners interested to assist harness the diverse gifts of our community and make it stronger.

At Home

Palms' **Neighbours Without Borders** program (January 7 – 11) will **focus on building communities that are welcoming to all, with particular attention to those on the margins of society and the church** as urged by the recent Plenary Council.

Overseas

Completing a further four days (January 12 – 15) will prepare you to meet one of the **many requests Palms has from communities** in Africa, Asia and the Pacific who need educators; health professionals; administrators and others to assist build on the strengths of their people who otherwise have little opportunity for training. Enquire about Palms Orientation for mission via www.palms.org.au or call 02 9560 533 or 0422 472 567.

Church Projects

If you would like to contribute towards planned and upcoming projects for the Church, a donation can be made to the following account;

ACC Name: **St Andrew's Projects** Bank: **NAB**
 BSB: **086-006** ACC No: **867962405**

