#### **PARISH TEAMS**

Parish Council Tony Summers **Finance Committee** 

Michael Winters

**Liturgy Committee** 

Iwona Kazmierczak

**Social Committee** 

Veronica Scully

Youth Ambassadors

Vacant

## **LITURGICAL COMMITTEES**

**Errol Raftos** Acolytes **Extraordinary Ministers of** 

the Eucharist

Communion to the Sick & Michele Pierre House-bound Readers Kathy McGurk

**Altar Servers Tony Summers** 

Gail Finch Ambience Group Shirley Blackwell

Music Liturgy

Munashe Chaita

Saturday Night Choir

(6pm Sat) Paulette Pettitt

St Andrew's Angels Choir

Munashe Chaita (9am Sun) Cathy Leon

**Cantores Christi Choir** 

**Edward Amante** (5pm Sun) 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

Bev Macri **Craft Group** Piety Stall Ronnie Oborn

Gardening Armando Romanelli

### SAFEGUARDING OFFICERS

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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



## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME; YEAR A 21/22 Jan 23

#### **Mass Times**

WEEKEND

6.00pm Saturday

Sunday 7.30am, 9.00am, 5.00pm

**WEEKDAYS** 

Mon. Tues. Wed. Fri. Sat 8.00am

**THURSDAYS** 

2,16 Feb 10am - RAAFA Estate Chapel

(Hughie Edwards Dr, Merriwa) 26 Jan 9,23 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

**EUCHARISTIC 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**

## Australia Day Thursday 26 January

Australia Day is about reflecting on what it means to be Australian in the full sense. What defines us a nation and a people? What is it about Australia that makes this nation such a great place to live?

Whilst there is always room for discussion about the difficult or ugly aspects of our history, Australia Day is not about the "Black armband view of history" any more than it is about "Aussie Pride" in Cronulla. It's time the tiresome History Wars came to an end. Our National Day is about celebration, not guilt.

If we are truly to be our best nation, we need to be happy with who we are as Australians. To be happy with ourselves, we need to understand and appreciate what unites us rather than divides us.

On this occasion there will be Thursday Mass at 8 am in the Church. We will still celebrate Mass at 10 am at RAAFA Chapel.

## **Prayer for Australia**

O God, powerful and gentle, You love this southern land And all its peoples, old and new.

As the Cross shines in our heavens so may Christ bring light to our nation.

As the waves encircle our shores so may Your mercy enfold us all. O God, the wonders of our vast and rugged land Reflect your beauty, ever ancient, ever new. May Your blessings flow upon us as a stream in the desert, And may Your spirit prompt us to us Your gifts for the good of all.



May God who rules our southern seas keep us safe in every storm.

May God who made our southern skies turn our darkness into light.

## Feast Day of the Week The Conversion of St Paul, apostle Feast Day - 25 January

The early church faced a difficult first challenge. Persecutors like Saul attacked

believers, put them in jail, and they even killed some of them. Saul spoke "murderous threats" (Acts 9:1) and made evil plans against the Lord's disciples. But Jesus changed Saul's plans and chose him to become one of His greatest missionaries...As a "chosen instrument," Paul proclaimed the Gospel "to the Gentiles and their kings and to the people of Israel." While in prison, Paul wrote 13 letters that are in the Bible today, so he continues to proclaim Jesus' name around the world. (Source - The Story of Paul's Conversion | Kids Corner )

"For we walk by faith, not by sight." - 2 Corinthians 5:7

## **Eucharistic Adoration**

Every Friday from 8.30am - 4pm, with the Divine Mercy Chaplet recited at 3pm. Please join us to worship Jesus.



**Pre-Baptismal Class** 18<sup>th</sup> February 2023 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

Is 8:23-69:3 Zeph 2:,3:12-13 1 Cor 1:10-13,17 Mt 4:12-23 1 Cor 1:26-31 Mt 5:1-12 21/22 Jan **Acolytes Altar Servers** Readers 28/29 Jan Acolytes Altar Servers Readers Nathan Heath Des Blackwell Saturday **Tony Summers** Sasha Humski Saturday Ivan D'Souza Sandy Baker Courtney Heath Jayden Heath 6pm Errol Raftos Zac Humski David Pettitt 6pm Sunday Elvis Macedonio Sunday Merry Nguyen Sandra Long Ney Enriquez Andrew Keane Andrew Keane 7.30am Klarissa Mendoza 7.30am Muna Ezeonwu Jerry De Rosario Sunday **Tony Summers** Tammy Sparks Sunday **Tony Summers** Summer Richardson Toni D Richards 9am Lumora Bella Geneve Bastian Lumora Bella 9am Sunday Sunday Marco D'Ovidio Marilyn Davies Gordon Jansen Beryl Rahman 5pm 5pm

## Parish Religious Education Program, 2023

This Weekend (21/22 Jan): 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; Year A

St Andrew's, Clarkson Parish offers the Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) mandated by the Catholic Archdiocese of Perth. PREP is a comprehensive developmental and sequential Religious Education program designed especially for children who are attending Non-Catholic Schools. PREP also includes the preparation of children to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation. PREP classes are held every Wednesday during the school terms from 3.45pm to 4.45pm. Classes are held in the St Andrew's CPS Hall.

Catechists and parent helpers are urgently required to provide our volunteer service one hour a week. Catechists can receive training and will have lesson plans available. Working with children card is required.

Please contact Tammy (PREP Coordinator) on 0407 441 720 if you can assist.

'Begin once more in real earnestness' Mary MacKillop 1881

### 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.



Aaron Augustine, Lyn Birkelbach,
Phil Doyle, Sam and Josephine Ebejer, Jenny Grace,
Mary Hosking, Angie Moore, John Mulholland,
Brian O'Loughlin, David Pettitt, Maria Romanelli,
Debbie Smith & Sean Winters.

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



Baptisms
Welcome to Liam Matthieu Douce and Anthony Thomas
Korpak who are being baptised this weekend into our Parish
family.

## **ONLINE Safeguarding Induction Level 1 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 sessions are: 2 February 2023 at 10 am 13 February 2023 at 2 pm 21 February 2023 at 7 pm

To register or for more information call 9221 7762 or book online at : <a href="https://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training/">https://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training/</a>
EMAIL: <a href="mailto:safeguarding@perthcatholic.org.au">safeguarding@perthcatholic.org.au</a>



## **Parish Second Collection**

Envelopes: \$693

Loose Money: \$795 Direct Debit: \$761

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: 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.

## Children's Liturgy of the Word - Term Time during the 9am Mass

Next Weekend (28/229Jan): 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Year A

'Children's Liturgy of the Word covers the Sunday Gospel at a level children can understand and enjoy. Enriching this with discussion, prayers, activities and song.'

We will recommence Children's Liturgy for 2023 on Sunday 5 February. All children who are in **Kindy to Year 3** are welcome to attend.

We are **seeking** parishioners to **assist** as leaders (no prior training is necessary) please contact Tanya on 0449 040 054 for more information.

"Child of God" Getaway Weekend [10<sup>th</sup> Feb – 12<sup>th</sup> Feb] Join CYM for another exciting getaway weekend in February 2023 [from 6:00 pm Fri: 10/02 to 3:00 pm Sun: 12/02] with other young adults from around Perth. Held at Advent Park in Maida Vale, there will be lots of music, fellowship, prayer, talks, and discussions, on the baptismal calling of Priest, Prophet, and King. We will explore together what it means to live out our faith as a true Child of God. Registration is \$90.00 with the closing date on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup>January. We look forward to seeing you.

## In Loving Memory

Our condolences to the family (Philip, her husband and daughters Laura and Evie) of Mrs Julie Hodgson who passed away recently. The funeral Mass for Mrs Hodgson will be held this Tuesday, 24 January at 2:30 pm here at St Andrew's Church. Please keep the repose of her soul and the grieving family in your prayers.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen

Our condolences are extended to Enid whose husband Francis Hill passed away recently and also to Kathy McGurk and her family whose sister Angela Elliott passed away recently.

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

May they rest in peace.

Amen

## Caritas Ambassador - Parish Program

Join us for a three-part series where we will dive deeper into the heart and stories of Project Compassion 2023.

**DATE:** Tuesdays, 17th 31st January, Tuesday, 14<sup>th</sup> February 2023 **TIME:** 6:30PM to 8:00PM (light refreshments will be provided) **ADDRESS:** 40A MARY STREET, HIGHGATE (Please contact *Dcn Paul Reid* or *Shelby D'Souza* on **9422 7925** or email **perth@caritas.org.au** for more information.

## **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



## **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;



