

## 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

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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 A** **11/12 February 2023**

### Mass Times

#### WEEKEND

Saturday 6.00pm  
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)  
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

#### 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](mailto:pp.clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au)

**Web:** [www.clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au](http://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

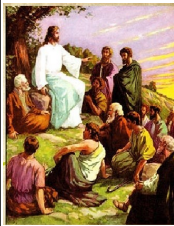
9407 9815 / [clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au)

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

Fri: 9am - 12pm

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

### Background to the Gospel Reading - 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A; Matthew 5:17 - 37



Matthew continues the Sermon on the Mount with a three part instruction by Jesus on the Way of Life in the kingdom of heaven. Today's reading is part one and deals with the Law. Part two deals with worship and religious practice and contains the Lord's Prayer. Part three deals with trusting God and deeds of loving service to our neighbor.

When Matthew speaks of "the Law and the prophets" he means the whole Scripture. When the Messiah brings the fullness of the kingdom none of scripture will be done away with. Instead it will be fulfilled. Matthew's Jesus does not overturn the Law of Moses, nor does he set his followers free from the Law. He requires his followers to go beyond the Law by doing more than the Law requires.

The Law condemned murder. Jesus condemns anger. The Law condemned adultery. Jesus condemns even lustful looks. As Jewish Christians who had always been faithful to the Law Matthew's community need a way to understand the difference Jesus and the kingdom he brings have made. They affirmed that God had always been at work in history through "the Law and the prophets." But God's work goes beyond that to be embodied by the Messiah who reveals the definitive will of God. The written scriptures and their interpretation in tradition are surpassed by Jesus whose life and teaching are the definitive revelation of the will of God. ([www.loyolapress.com](http://www.loyolapress.com))

### The Holy Father, Pope Francis' Prayer Intentions Month of February - Parishes

'We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.'

#### Parish Prayer

*St Andrew, lead us to Jesus as you once lead the people of Greece to Him. Teach us to follow Jesus with promptness, to speak with enthusiasm of Him to all those whom we meet, and above all, to cultivate a relationship of authentic familiarity with Him, conscious that only in Him can we find the ultimate meaning of our life and death. As Jesus to loving accept and use our efforts and gifts, as he once accepted and used a small boy's loaves and fish. Pray that His compassionate Heart will be touched by the longings of our hearts. St Andrew, join your prayers to those of St Peter, your brother, so that all Christians may achieve unity for which Jesus earnestly prayed at the Last Supper. Pray with St Peter that all human life will be united in their love for God, that we shall respect all human life, and that we shall respond as wholeheartedly and generously as you did when Jesus called you, "Come, follow me." St Andrew, pray for us. Amen*

### First Reconciliation Commitment Masses



Next weekend (18/19 February), the children and their families from our Parish Catholic Primary schools will be making their commitment at all Masses as part of their preparation to receive the Sacrament of First Reconciliation in March this year. Please keep them in your prayers.

#### 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**  
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.



#### Respectful Silence in the Church

Knowing that Jesus is really present in the tabernacle, please maintain a **respectful silence** in the Church **at all times**. Also, let us be mindful that many people are making their spiritual preparation and thanksgiving before and after Mass. Thank you for your understanding.

**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](http://www.clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au)**

**Next Weekend (11/12 Feb): 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A**  
**Sir 15:15-20      1 Cor 2:6-10      Mt 5:17-37**

11/12 Feb	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers
<b>Saturday 6pm</b>	David Pettitt Wil Higo	Chiara D'Costa Carys D'Costa	Sandy Baker Volunteer
<b>Sunday 7.30am</b>	Andrew Keane	Merry Nguyen Chelsea Keane	Cherry Nguyen Tanya Vandermark
<b>Sunday 9am</b>	Tony Summers Lumora Bella	Summer Richardson Alicia Ridley	Gail Finch Toni D Richards
<b>Sunday 5pm</b>	Gordan Jansen		Marilyn Davies Volunteer

**Next Weekend (18/19 Feb): 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A**  
**Lev 19:1-2. 17-18      1 Cor 3:16-23      Mt 5:38-48**

18/19 Feb	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers
<b>Saturday 6pm</b>	Tony Summers Ivan D'Souza	Sasha Humski Zac Humski	Des Blackwell Volunteer
<b>Sunday 7.30am</b>	John Vandermark	Muna Ezeonwu Merry Nguyen	Andrew Keane Fay Stanley
<b>Sunday 9am</b>	Tony Summers Lumora Bella		Geneve Bastian Tammy Sparks
<b>Sunday 5pm</b>	Marco D'Ovidio		Nancy Enriquez Volunteer

**Baptisms**



Welcome to *Luca Renato Suarez, Noah Hugo Suarez, Finlay Joseph George Moffatt, Harrison William Jeffrey Moffatt and Jasmine Mary Lily Moffatt* who are 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.*



Aaron Augustine, Lyn Birkelbach, Phil Doyle, Sam and Josephine Ebejer, Jenny Grace, Mary Hosking, Angie Moore, John Mulholland, Thomas Lowrie, 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.

**Children's Blessing - All Masses**

All children will be invited forward to receive a blessing from Fr Darek or Fr Marian **before the final blessing at the end of each Mass.**

**Piety Stall - Open**



The Piety Stall (located in the foyer) has a variety of religious books, cards, statues and medals available for sale. Baptismal Candles are also available to purchase.

**Prayer for the World**

*Lord, our Father, the beautiful and harmonious world that You have created for Your children has strayed so far from Your dream. Wars and divisions are still present, and are often caused and maintained only because of money. The arms trade is one of the main reasons for the prolongation of these wars, so often supported by rulers themselves. Lord, touch the hearts of the rulers, blinded by the arms trade, and may they consider the consequences of their greed: the destruction and death of so many innocents. Convert our hearts to the peace and good of every human being. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen*



**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



**First Second Collection**

Envelopes: \$687

Loose Money: \$669      Direct Debit: \$963

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.

**Parish Office**

- **Notices for the Bulletin** - If you have an event or notice that you would like to have mentioned in the bulletin, please submit your request no later than **Wednesday 12pm**, so it can be reviewed and approved. Please remember to include the 5 "Ws" (**Who, What, Where, When and Why**) as well as contact information. Thank you.
- **WWWC** - please check if your Working With Children Check is due for renewal. Once renewed, please forward a copy to Tanya in the Parish Office.

**Upcoming EVENTS**

- **Parents Sacramental Information Evening - Wednesday 15 February at 6pm in the Church.**

A parent information evening will be held for all children who will receive the Sacraments of 1st Reconciliation, 1st Holy Communion and/or Confirmation this year.

- **Meetings - February**

**Finance Committee** - Tuesday 14 February at 7pm

**Social Committee** - Wednesday 15 February at 7pm

**Parish Council** - Thursday 23 February at 7pm

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

**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](http://cym.com.au)



**Safeguarding Induction for all Church workers**

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference has broadened safeguarding to include adults at risk. ALL church workers (volunteers or paid) are to attend a 1-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.

**In person upcoming session:**

Wednesday 22 February / 6.30-7.30 pm at Our Lady of Mercy, 5 Patrick Court, Girrawheen.

**Online sessions:** 13 February - 2pm & 21 February - 7 pm

Register for either the in person or online session at: <https://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training/#induction> or call 9221 7762.

**Enrich your Marriage with the Marriage Kit by SmartLoving**

An enrichment course for married couples wanting a lasting, passionate relationship as God intended. Accessed from the privacy of your home on your own timetable, this online course will energise your relationship, revitalise your passion and equip you with practical tools for every day. To find out more visit: [smartloving.org/marriage-kit](http://smartloving.org/marriage-kit). Marriage Week Sale - Ends 15 February. For 50% off use coupon code: MarriageWeek2023

**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**

