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 Sandra Long

Altar Servers **Tony Summers** Gail Finch **Ambience Group**

Shirley Blackwell

Music Liturgy

Munashe Chaita

Saturday Night Choir

Paulette Pettitt (6pm Sat)

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

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

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



26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME; YEAR A

30 SEPT/1 OCT 2023

Mass Times

WEEKEND

6.00pm Saturday

Sunday 7.30am, 9.00am, 5.00pm

WEEKDAYS

Mon. Tues. Wed. Fri. Sat 8.00am

THURSDAYS

5 & 19 Oct 10am - RAAFA Estate Chapel (Hughie Edwards Dr, Merriwa) 10am - Cambrai Village Chapel 12 & 26 Oct

(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

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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

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A - Mt 21:28-32

The context for today's Gospel is the mounting tension between Jesus and the Jewish religious leaders. Jesus has entered Jerusalem and overturned the money changers' tables in the Temple. Jesus has caught the attention of the religious authorities; the chief priests and elders question Jesus about the source of his authority. Jesus refuses to name for these religious leaders the source of his authority. Instead, he questions the priests and elders through the parable we hear in today's Gospel. The answer given by the religious leaders is correct, but it convicts them for their failure to heed the call of John the Baptist and for their inability to recognize the Kingdom of God. The situation Jesus poses is rather straightforward. Given the same task by their father, one son asserts his disobedience in words, but then obeys in his actions; the second son obeys with his words, but disobeys in his actions. The question that Jesus poses is pointed and direct: Which son did what the father wanted? All would agree that "actions speak louder than words" and that even if his words were disobedient, the son who did the work as ordered did the father's will. Jesus' conclusion is also direct. The chief priests and elders, the ones who speak most often about God, did not act accordingly. They did not respond to the message of repentance announced by John the Baptist with a change of heart. Instead, John's message was heeded by those one would not expect to repent-tax collectors, prostitutes, and other sinners. Because of their actions, these sinners will enter the Kingdom of God ahead of the religious leaders. Jesus could ask us the same question. Do our words indicate our obedience to God? If not our words, do our actions? God desires a full conversion of heart, that our actions (and our words as well) will give evidence of our love for God. (Source: www.loyolapress.com)

October - the Month for Mary and the Holy Rosary

The Mysteries of the Holy Rosary are designed to help focus our prayer on the life, ministry and Passion of Our Lord. Pope Pius XII described the rosary prayer as "the compendium of the entire Gospel." There are four rosary mysteries (Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and Luminous) and five parts of each mystery which correspond to the five decades of the Rosary. It is recommended that you meditate on mysteries of the rosary based upon the days of the week. This method was recommended to the faithful by Pope St John Paul II. Meditating on the life of Christ with the prayers of the Holy Rosary through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary - is a sure way of growing in faith and in your understanding of the faith, deepening your relationship with Christ, increasing in holiness and virtue, and avoiding sin.



- The Joyful Mysteries (suggested to be prayed on Monday and Saturday): focus on the joyful events related to the Incarnation of Jesus Christ.
- The Sorrowful Mysteries (suggested to be prayed on Tuesday and Friday): focus on the events related to the Passion and Death of Jesus Christ.
- The Glorious Mysteries (suggested to be prayed on Wednesday and Sunday): focus on the glorious events related to the Resurrection and the reigning of Christ in heaven with our Lady.
 - The Luminous Mysteries (suggested to be prayed on Thursday): focus on the life and ministry of Jesus Christ.

Make the month of October a special one by Praying the Rosary.



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 21st October 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.



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

Next Weekend (30 Sep/1 Oct): 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A Next Weekend (7/8 Oct): 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A Phil 2:1-11 Is 5:1-7 Phil 4:6-9 Mt 21:33-43 Ezek 18:25-28 Mt 21:28-32 30 Sept/ 7/8 Oct **Acolytes** Altar Servers Readers **Acolytes Altar Servers** Readers 1 Oct Saturday Ivan D'Souza Saturday Chiara D'Costa Des Blackwell Frrol Raftos Kirk Cipirano Zac Humski 6pm Errol Raftos Sandy Baker 6pm Tony Summers Carys D'Costa David Pettitt Sunday Ney Enriquez Elvis Macedonio Cherry Nguyen Sunday Andrew Keane Chelsea Keane Jerry De Rozario Luc Nguyen (SS) 7.30am Luc Nguyen (SS) Tanya Vandermark 7.30am Merry Nguyen Sandra Long James Du Alo Summer Richardson Sunday **Tony Summers Tony Summers** Amariah Vandermark Simon Furneau Tammy Sparks Sunday Alicia Ridley Toni D Richards 9am Lumoro Bella 9am Michael Finch Malia Mbotto Gail Finch Suzie Chol Sunday Nancy Enriquez Sunday Maxwell Johnson Marco D'Ovidio Gordon Jansen Marilyn Davies Adele Baker 5pm 5pm Cleaning Roster 7 Oct Dee, Janet, Bronagh & Scott 14 Oct Gail, Linda & Shane

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, Roslyn Carlson, Ray Daglish, Phil Doyle, Sam & Josephine Ebejer, Gerard Gimblett, Jenny Grace, Mary Hosking, Angie Moore, Dorothy Noronha, Brian O'Loughlin, David Pettitt, Maria Romanelli, Edward Pozarowszczyk, Debbie Smith & Sean Winters.

Please help keep this list up to date, contact Kathy on 0499 901 202



Baptisms

Welcome to Cody McCrory and Lorenzo Carrijo who are being baptised this weekend into our Parish family.



1st Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Friday 6 October after morning mass.

1st Saturday to the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Saturday 7 October after morning mass.

St. Andrew's Care

St Andrew's Care, the Pastoral Care Program of our Parish, is here to help you with short term emergency assistance eg. transport to an appointment or Mass or a home cooked meal as you recover from surgery or while dealing with illness or bereavement; a sympathetic ear and a friendly chat. If you or someone you know needs help, call one of the Coordinators on the St Andrew's Care brochure (found at the back of the Church) or the Parish office.



Caritas Australia's Emergency Appeals - Morocco / Libya

Caritas Australia needs your support to respond to the devasting earthquake in Morocco and floods in Libya. Thousands of people have died and others have been injured. Communities need shelter, food, water and medical assistance. Please support Caritas Australia's emergency appeals. Please visit www.caritas.org.au to donate.



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

the Parish and Priests. Thank you for your generosity!





Parish Second Collection

Envelopes: \$606 Loose Money: \$622 Direct Debit: \$819

Dear Parishioners, thank you for your continued contribution and support to

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



Morning Tea - Sunday 1 October, after 9am Mass

Please stay for morning tea and fellowship, after the 9am Mass this Sunday, 1 October.

Meetings - October

- Liturgy Committee Friday 13 October at 4pm
- Parish Pastoral Council Wednesday 25 October at 7pm
- RCIA Wednesdays at 7pm
 - * These meetings will take place in the Church.

• Proclaimers of the Word (Readers) Workshop

There will be a Training Workshop for all current and any new Readers on Tuesday 17 October, 6.30pm - 8.30pm, in the Church. Attendance at this workshop is necessary as there will be only one held for our Parish. Please confirm your attendance by emailing the Paris (clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au) by Friday 13 October. Thank you.

Safeguarding Induction for all Church workers

ALL church workers (volunteers or paid) are to attend a 1-hour safeguarding induction. If you haven't attended the induction in the last 3 years, please register for one of the upcoming in person or online sessions. For Session dates and registration please vist https://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/ training/#induction or call 9221 7762.

Days of Prayer and Contemplation

Come to spend time reflecting on how God is calling you forward in your life right now. Held at Kilmolee in Safety Bay, the next Prayer Days are Thursday 12 October & Tuesday 5 December. Please RSVP by the Friday before. Cost is \$20 pp. The days begin at 9.30am with Morning tea and conclude at 1pm. A Light lunch is provided. Please contact Dianne Colborne rsj on 9527 3240 or safety.bay@sosj.org.au.

Living Rosary during October

In honour of Mary, our Mother, there is an opportunity to be part of a Living Rosary group in the tradition of Blessed Pauline Jaricot. Parishioners are invited to join us online each Wednesday during October at 12.30pm. For more information please contact Spirituality Hub coordinator Deborah Robertson on 0419 939 864 or deborahmrobertson@bigpond.com

2023 WBC Conference - BEHOLD (12 - 14 October)

Can you imagine all the Catholics in Perth gathering in prayer, thanksgiving and adoration of Our What graces will be afforded to us as a 📑 📑 🚺 The 2023 Behold Conference is that invitation, to gather as the Body of Christ in prayer



and discovery - through liturgy, reflection and adoration - of the mystery that is the Most Holy Eucharist. Featuring Tim Staples, Cy Kellett and Dr Stacy Trasancos from Catholic Answer; jointly hosted by Sacred Heart, Highgate and Our Lady of the Mission, Whitford. We hope to see you there! For more information and registration, visit www.evangelisationaustralia.com/events

Irene McCormack Catholic College (IMCC) - Instrumental Music and Choral Scholarships

IMCC invites students entering Years 7 or 8 in 2024 to submit their applications for their Instrumental Music and Choral Scholarships. Applications close Friday 20 October. For more information or to apply online ant www.imcc.wa.edu.au

Church Projects

If you would like to contribute towards the next project for the Church: Window Film on the external windows & doors. The film will provide privacy to the Church. Installation of this project will be done on

Tuesday 3rd October. A donation can be made to the following

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

