

## 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 Readers** Patsy Appelbee Sandra Long  
**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

**Filipino Choir** (5pm Sun) Nancy Enriquez 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 Andrew's Care Program** Parish Office

**St Vincent de Paul Society** Sheelagh Humphries

**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

**24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME; YEAR B**

**14/15 SEPT 2024**

### Mass Times

#### WEEKEND

Saturday 6pm  
Sunday 8am, 10am, 5pm

#### WEEKDAYS

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri, Sat 8.00am

#### THURSDAYS

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

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Clarkson WA 6030

**Email:** [pp.clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:pp.clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au)

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

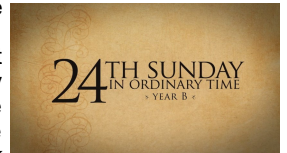
#### PARISH SECRETARY

Mrs Tanya Vandermark  
9407 9815 / [clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:clarkson@perthcatholic.org.au)  
**Office hours:** Tues & Fri: 9am - 2.30pm

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

### 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B - Mark 8:27-35

Today's reading is the turning point in Mark's Gospel. In the presentation of the life and ministry of Jesus found in the Gospel of Mark, the deeds of Jesus have shown Jesus to be the Son of God. Yet many, including Jesus' disciples, have not yet realized his identity. In today's Gospel, Jesus asks the disciples for a field report by asking what others say about him. He then turns the question directly to the disciples and asks what they believe. Peter speaks for all of them when he announces that they believe Jesus to be the Christ. The word *Christ* is the Greek translation of the Hebrew word for Messiah, which means "the anointed one." At the time of Jesus, the image of the Messiah was laden with popular expectations, most of which looked for a political leader who would free the Jewish people from Roman occupation. Jesus does not appear to have used this term for himself. As we see in today's reading, Jesus refers to himself instead as the Son of Man, a term derived from the Jewish Scriptures, found in the Book of Daniel and in other apocryphal writings. Many scholars suggest that the phrase Son of Man is best understood to mean "human being." Now that the disciples have acknowledged Jesus as the Christ, Jesus confides in them the outcome of his ministry: he will be rejected, must suffer and die, and will rise after three days. Peter rejects this prediction, and Jesus rebukes him severely. The image of Christ that Jesus is giving is not the image of the Messiah that Peter was expecting. Jesus then teaches the crowd and the disciples about the path of discipleship: To be Christ's disciple is to follow in the way of the cross. We can easily miss the fear that Jesus' words must have evoked in his disciples. Death by crucifixion was all too familiar as a method of execution in Roman-occupied territories. It was also an omnipresent danger to the Christian community for whom Mark wrote. The path that Jesus was inviting his disciples to share meant tremendous suffering and death. This is the kind of radical commitment and sacrifice that Jesus calls us to adopt for the sake of the Gospel.



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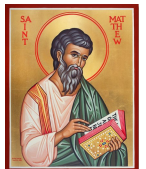
### Feast of St Matthew, apostle - Thursday 21 September

Matthew was also known as Levi and son of Alphaeus, was a Galilean. A tax-gatherer at Capernaum, he was despised by the Pharisees. When summoned by Jesus, Matthew got up and followed Him. At a feast in his house, tax-gatherers and sinners sat at table with Christ and His disciples. This drew forth a protest from the Pharisees whom Jesus rebuked in these consoling words: 'I came not to call the just, but sinners.' Matthew's Gospel is given pride of place in the canon of the New Testament, and was written to convince Jewish readers that their anticipated Messiah had come in the person of Jesus.

#### Prayer to Saint Matthew the Apostle

*O Glorious Saint Matthew, in your Gospel you portray Jesus as the longed-for Messiah who fulfilled the Prophets of the Old Covenant and as the new Lawgiver who founded a Church of the New Covenant. Obtain for us the grace to see Jesus living in His Church and to follow His teachings in our lives on earth so that we may live forever with Him in heaven. Amen*

**St Matthew the Apostle, pray for us!**



#### 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 September 2024 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.



QUIET PLEASE


#### Respectful Silence and Reverence 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. Please note, caps must not be worn in the Church. 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.clarksonperthcatholic.org.au](http://www.clarksonperthcatholic.org.au)**

This Weekend (14/15 Sep): 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Year B				Next Weekend (21/22 Sep): 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Year B							
Is 50:5-9		James 2:14-18		Mk 8:27-35		Wis 2:12, 17-20		James 3:16 - 4:3		Mk 9:30-37	
14/15 Sep	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers	21/22 Sep	Acolytes	Altar Servers	Readers				
<b>Saturday 6pm</b>	Wil Higo David Pettitt	Nathan Heath Courtney Heath	Sandy Baker Andrew Leitch	<b>Saturday 6pm</b>	Tony Summers Ivan D'Souza	Carys D'Costa Anna Nabubie Toby Tuando	Des Blackwell Andrew Leitch				
<b>Sunday 8am</b>	John Vandermark Luc Nguyen (SAM)	Amariah Vandermark Merry Nguyen	Grace Terranova Sandra Long	<b>Sunday 8am</b>	Ney Enriquez Luc Nguyen (SAM)	Elvis Macedonio James (Migy) Du Alo	Carys D'Costa Andrew Keane				
<b>Sunday 10am</b>	Tony Summers Lumoro Bella	Malia Mbotto Raffael De Varra Elora Guelfi	Simon Furneau Toni D Richards	<b>Sunday 10am</b>	Tony Summers Michael Finch	Alicia Ridley Amariah Vandermark Daincurt Laoyan	Geneve Bastian Moses Goodrich				
<b>Sunday 5pm</b>	Marco D'Ovidio		Meagan Reyes Marilyn Davies	<b>Sunday 5pm</b>	Marco D'Ovidio		Nancy Enriquez Adele Baker				

Cleaning Roster			
<b>21 Sep</b>	Tony & Thomas		
<b>28 Sep</b>	Ney, Linda & Joseph Ridley		



**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.*

Joan Basso, Lyn Birkelbach, Hazel Bird, Roslyn Carlson, Ray Daglish, Phil Doyle, Sam & Josephine Ebejer, Jenny Grace, Moses Goodrich, Angie Moore, Dorothy Noronha, Brian O'Loughlin, Kaine Morawski, Gianni Mazella, David Pettitt, Maria Romanelli, Myla Timmer, Sean Winters.



**In Loving Memory**

Our condolences to the family of late Patricia Anne Davenport, who passed away recently. The Requiem Funeral Mass for Patricia will be Monday 16 September at 2pm here at St Andrew's Parish. 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.*

**A Thank You Note for the Vinnie's 2024 Winter Appeal**

Thank you so much to everyone for your very kind donations to our recent Winter Appeal. Not only did we raise **\$3,204.55** which is fantastic, we also have two new members. We are overwhelmed by your generosity. Thank you again on behalf of all those less fortunate that we assist. - *Clarkson Vinnies*





**Eucharistic Adoration - Fridays 8.30am - 4pm**  
**'Could you not watch with me one hour' (Matthew 26:40)**

Eucharistic Adoration is the practice of praying before Jesus in the form of the Eucharistic host. The host is exposed in a special vessel known as a monstrance. At St Andrew's Parish **Eucharistic Adoration** is offered **every Friday 8.30am - 4pm**. We are **seeking regular Adorers for the 12-1pm and 1pm - 2pm** time slots. Please contact one of the team: Carla 0422 705 677, Joan 0408 882 052 or Beryl at clarksonadoration@gmail.com.

**St Andrew's Care Program**

We are always on the lookout for new members to join our small group of volunteers. If you would like to become involved in our care program, then please contact any of the coordinators on the leaflet available at the back of the Church.



**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

**Parish Second Collection**  
 Envelopes: \$562  
 Loose Money: \$615    Direct Debit: \$694

Dear Parishioners, thank you for your continued contribution and support to the Parish and Priests. Thank you for your generosity!

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

**Prayer for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life**

O Loving and Gracious God, Father of all. You bless your people in every time and season and provide for their needs through Your providential care. Your Church is continually in need of Priests, Sisters and Brothers who offer themselves in the service of the Gospel, by lives of dedicated love. Open the hearts of Your sons and daughters to listen to Your call in their lives. Give them the courage to follow Your call. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

**Mary Help of Christians**    Pray for us  
**St John Vianney**            Pray for us  
**St Mary of the Cross**       Pray for us  
**St Andrew**                    Pray for us

**Upcoming Events**

**September Meetings**

- **St Andrew's Craft & Friendship Group** - Wednesdays 10am - 12pm
- **RCIA** - Wednesdays, 7pm
- **Liturgy Committee** - Saturday 21 September, 8.30am
- **Strategic Planning Meeting** - Wednesday 25 September, 7pm

\* These meetings will take place in the Church.

**Medisure Cocktails for Charity**

Taking place on 20 September at 7pm at Government House on St George's TCE. Cost is \$50. All proceeds benefit surgical procedures in Kenya. For more information visit [www.medisure.com.au](http://www.medisure.com.au) or contact Linda Sweeney on 0449 101 720. Donations can also be made.



**Irene McCormack Catholic College**  
**- Instrumental & Choral Scholarships**

Applications are welcomed from students entering Year 7 in 2025 for our Instrumental Music & Choral Scholarships. For more information visit [www.imcc.wa.edu.au](http://www.imcc.wa.edu.au). Applications close on Friday 20 September.

**Catholic Charismatic Retreat 11-13 October, 2024**

Catholic Charismatic Renewal is conducting a **weekend live-in retreat** with a number of presenters, at the **Orchard Glory Farm Resort**. The retreat aims to renew our Charismatic spirituality and to help us reclaim our God-given peace, hope and joy which have been so challenged by the world events of the past few years. Accommodation is in twin share chalets and, at **\$160** total per person, this is excellent value for a soul-restoring weekend! All meals are supplied. Accommodation setup is perfect for spouses or friends to sign up together. For further details please see notice board flyer or contact Dan on 0409 849 049 or [daniel.hewitt5@bigpond.com](mailto:daniel.hewitt5@bigpond.com)

**Godly Women with Faith; Calling all Women 35yrs +**

Wanting to meet like minded faithful Women of God. Come join us for a cuppa and a day filled with building new connections, inspiration, prayer and fellowship. The Inaugural Gathering of Godly Women with Faith, Sunday, 13 October 2024; 11:00AM to 1:00PM at the Disciples of Jesus Covenant Community. Please register at [godlywomenwithfaith.com/upcomingevents/](http://godlywomenwithfaith.com/upcomingevents/)

**Pilgrimage to Vietnam; 19 - 30 November 2024**

Join Mgr Michael Keating on an enriching journey of culture and faith in the land of the martyrs of Vietnam. Explore Saigon, Hanoi, Danang, Hue etc. Experience the deep Catholic faith of the Vietnamese people. (People of all faiths are welcome). Full board cost is \$4545 per person (includes all meals 4\* hotel accommodation & all airfares. For the itinerary and booking form, call Anawim Journeys on 6118 7313 or call 0433 771 979 (Sheila) / 0402 290 827 (Veronica) or email [mail@anawimjourneys.com](mailto:mail@anawimjourneys.com)

**Church Projects**

If you would like to contribute towards 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**

