PARISH TEAMS

Parish Council Tony Summers **Finance Committee**

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Iwona Kazmierczak

Social Committee

Veronica Scully

Youth Ambassadors

Vacant

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Acolytes **Errol Raftos Extraordinary Ministers of** the Eucharist

Communion to the Sick & Patsy Appelbee House-bound

Sandra Long Readers **Tony Summers** Altar Servers

Ambience Group Gail Finch Shirley Blackwell

Music Liturgy

Munashe Chaita

Saturday Night Choir

Paulette Pettitt (6pm Sat) St Andrew's Angels Choir

(9am Sun) Munashe Chaita Cathy Leon

Filipino Choir

Nancy Enriquez (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

Ronnie Oborn

RCIA Gail Finch

Sunday Morning Tea Group Veronica Scully

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25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME; YEAR B

21/22 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) 10am - Cambrai Village Chapel 12 & 26 Sept

(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

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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 & Fri: 9am - 2.30pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B - Mark 9:30-37

In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus again predict his passion, death, and Resurrection to his disciples. The setting here is important. Jesus and his disciples are preparing to journey through Galilee, a Jewish territory in which Jesus has already encountered problems with the Pharisees. Perhaps this is why Mark indicates that Jesus was trying to journey in secret. In predicting his passion, Jesus is acknowledging the danger they will face and is trying to preparing his disciples for it. Yet Mark tells us that the disciples did not understand what Jesus was saying and were afraid to ask what he meant. Such hesitation on the part of the disciples is not characteristic behavior. Peter had no fear about rebuking Jesus in last week's Gospel. Perhaps this is an indication that the disciples were aware that a new situation was emerging. Mark paints a vivid



picture in today's Gospel. Having arrived at Capernaum, Jesus and his disciples enter a house. In this private place, Jesus asks his disciples about the argument they had while they were journeying. Again, the disciples are uncharacteristically silent and afraid to answer. They have been found out. Jesus then summons the Twelve, whom Mark identified earlier in his Gospel as those chosen by Jesus to preach and to drive out demons. To this select group of disciples, Jesus teaches that those who would be first in God's kingdom must be servants of all. Jesus then calls forward a child and teaches the Twelve that to receive a child in Jesus' name is to receive both Jesus and the One who sent him. We might easily fail to understand the significance of this action. In first-century Palestine, children were without status or power, possessing no legal rights. In this action, Jesus is teaching his disciples and us that when we serve the least ones among us, we serve Jesus himself. Who are the people without power or status in our society that Jesus is calling us to serve? Do we do so willingly? Jesus teaches that God's judgment of us will be based on this criterion alone.

(Source - www.loyolapress.com)

110th World Day of Migrants and Refugees - Sunday 29 September

Next week Sunday is World Day of Migrants and Refugees. The theme for this year is 'God Walks with His people.' World Day of Migrants and Refugees Sunday provides a calendarized event for our Church to acknowledge:

- there are people in our parish community who are migrants and there are people who are refugees
- Cultural and linguistic diversity can enrich faith and build a parish community when opportunities are provided.

Next week more information and resources will be shared in recognition of this day.





Eucharistic Adoration

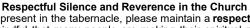
Every Friday from 8.30am - 4pm, with the Divine Mercy Chaplet recited at 3pm.

Please join us to worship Jesus.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

Pre-Baptismal Class 19th October 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.



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.clarkson.perthcatholic.org.au

This Weekend (21/22 Sep): 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Year B Next Weekend (28/29 Sep): 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Year B Wis 2:12, 17-20 James 3:16 - 4:3 Mk 9:30-37 Num 11:25-29 Mk9:38-43, 45, 47-48 James 5:1-6 21/22 Sep **Acolytes Altar Servers** Readers 28/29 Sep **Acolytes Altar Servers** Readers Carys D'Costa Wil Higo David Pettitt Des Blackwell Saturday Saturday **Tony Summers** Nathan Heath Anna Nabubie Ivan D'Souza Andrew Leitch 6pm Ivan D'Souza Courtney Heath Sandy Baker 6pm Toby Tuando Elvis Macedonio Carys D'Costa Sunday Ney Enriquez Sunday Andrew Keane Muna Ezeonwu Cherry Nguyen Luc Nguyen (SAM) Luc Nguyen (SAM) 8am James (Migy) Du Alo Andrew Keane 8am Chelsea Keane Val Brown Alicia Ridley Vianny Quiem Bradley Rocillo Sunday Tony Summers Geneve Bastian Sunday **Tony Summers** Tammy Sparks Amariah Vandermark Michael Finch Moses Goodrich 10am Lumoro Bella Kathy McGurk 10am Amariah Vandermark Daincurt Laoyan Sunday Nancy Enriquez Sunday Marilyn Davies Marco D'Ovidio Marco D'Ovidio Adele Baker 5pm Meagan Reyes 5pm Cleaning Roster Ney, Linda & Joseph Ridley 5 Oct Gail, Bronagh and Scott 28 Sep



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.

Term 3 School Break

We wish the school staff, students and families of our Parish Community a safe and peaceful break. Come back refreshed and renewed. May God bless you all.



Children's Liturgy - Holidays
There will be no Children's Liturgy of the Word during the Term 3 break. We will recommence in Term 4 on Sunday 12 October. We are seeking volunteers to assist with leading Children's Liturgy of the Word, contact the Parish Office for more information. Full training is available to those interested.

Holy Water

For us Catholics, Holy Water is a powerful reminder of our baptism and by blessing ourselves with it, God keeps us safe and protects us from all evil. If you would like to take some Holy Water home, it is available from the jar in the Church Foyer. Please bring your own container to fill.



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: \$749 Loose Money: \$469 Direct Debit: \$1019

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

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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

Discernment Retreat

Men aged 18+ are invited to a Discernment Retreat from 18-20 October 2024 at St. Charles Seminary, Guildford. This retreat offers spiritual formation, vocations talks, and more to help participants discern God's call. spots remain, registration details can be found at vocations.perthcatholic.org.au/discernment-retreat-2024.

Piety Stall - Open (after every weekend Mass)

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

Upcoming Events

September Meetings

- St Andrew's Craft & Friendship Group Wednesdays 10am 12pm
- RCIA Wednesdays, 7pm
- Strategic Planning Meeting Wednesday 25 September, 7pm
 - * These meetings will take place in the Church.

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"

Entertainment Membership Fundraising

Support our Parish Fundraising by purchasing an Entertainment Membership. A **Bonus \$40 Visa eGift Card** with a Multi-City Membership or a \$20 Visa eGift Card with a Single City Membership is currently on offer. To purchase an Entertainment Membership and support our Parish, visit https://subscribe.entertainment.com.au/fundraiser913851a



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/

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

