

BUSSELTON CATHOLIC PARISH

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***GROWING IN FAITH, INCLUSIVITY & OUTREACH,
THROUGH OPENNESS.***

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Nominations are being called for a position on next year's Parish Pastoral Council. The Council shares in the responsibility for the ongoing life and development of the faith community. You are each invited to recommend one member (of the Parish) for consideration. *(Forms are in the foyer)* Look within the various Parish ministries, small groups and those next to you on the pews for someone who can enthusiastically support, guide and move forward with our Parish vision. Or just maybe you would like to consider the position for yourself?

32nd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

First Reading

2 Macc 7:1-2, 9-14

There were seven brothers who were arrested with their mother. The king tried to force them to taste pig's flesh, which the Law forbids, by torturing them with whips and scourges. One of them, acting as spokesman for the others, said, 'What are you trying to find out from us? We are prepared to die rather than break the Law of our ancestors.' With his last breath the second brother exclaimed, 'Inhuman fiend, you may discharge us from this present life, but the King of the world will raise us up, since it is for his laws that we die, to live again for ever.' After him, they amused themselves with the third, who on being asked for his tongue promptly thrust it out and boldly held out his hands, with these honourable words, 'It was heaven that gave me these limbs; for the sake of his laws I disdain them; from him I hope to receive them again.' The king and his attendants were astounded at the young man's courage and his utter indifference to suffering. When this one was dead they subjected the fourth to the same savage torture. When he neared his end he cried, 'Ours is the better choice, to meet death at men's hands, yet relying on God's promise that we shall be raised up by him; whereas for you there can be no resurrection, no new life.'

Responsorial Psalm

Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full.

Second Reading

2 Thess 2:16-3:5

May our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father who has given us his love and, through his grace, such inexhaustible comfort and such sure hope, comfort you and strengthen you in everything good that you do or say. Finally, brothers, pray for us; pray that the Lord's message may spread quickly, and be received with honour as it was among you; and pray that we may be preserved from the interference of bigoted and evil people, for faith is not given to everyone. But the Lord is faithful, and he will give you strength and guard you from the evil one, and we, in the Lord, have every confidence that you are doing and will go on doing all that we tell you. May the Lord turn your hearts towards the love of God and the fortitude of Christ.

Gospel Acclamation *(When there is a musician the Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! will be sung)*

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus Christ is the firstborn of the dead;
glory and kingship be his for ever and ever.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Lk 20:27-38

Some Sadducees - those who say that there is no resurrection - approached Jesus and they put this question to him, 'Master, we have it from Moses in writing, that if a man's married brother dies childless, the man must marry the widow to raise up children for his brother. Well, then, there were seven brothers. The first, having married a wife, died childless. The second and then the third married the widow. And the same with all seven, they died leaving no children. Finally the woman herself died. Now, at the resurrection, to which of them will she be wife since she had been married to all seven?' Jesus replied, 'The children of this world take wives and husbands, but those who are judged worthy of a place in the other world and in the resurrection from the dead do not marry because they can no longer die, for they are the same as the angels, and being children of the resurrection they are sons of God. And Moses himself implies that the dead rise again, in the passage about the bush where he calls the Lord the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob. Now he is God, not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all men are in fact alive.'

Communion Antiphon:

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose, near restful waters he leads me.

Next Week's Readings (Year C): Mal 3:19-20; 2 Thess 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19

**Parish Masses & Devotions
7 November—13 November**

Monday	10.00am	Rosary Cenacle (all welcome)	St. Joseph's
Tuesday	9.00am	Mass	St. Joseph's
Wednesday	11.00am	Acies Ceremony	St. Joseph's
	12.00pm	Mass	St. Joseph's
Thursday	8am-5pm	Exposition	St. Joseph's
	5.00pm	Mass	St. Joseph's
Friday	11.00am	Holy Hour	St. Joseph's
	11.30am	Reconciliation	St. Joseph's
	12.00pm	Mass	St. Joseph's
Saturday	5.30pm	Reconciliation	St. Joseph's
	6.00pm	Mass	St. Joseph's
Sunday	9.00am	Mass	Our Lady of the Bay
	5.30pm	Reconciliation	Our Lady of the Bay
	6.00pm	Mass	Our Lady of the Bay



Parish Priest
Fr Jaybee

Presbytery
97512515

Deacons

Barry Cruickshank
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Greg Dudley
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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
OF COUNTRY**

We acknowledge the Wadandi people of the Noongar nation as the traditional custodians of this land on which we gather. We recognise their continuing connection to the land and waters, and thank them for protecting this coastline and its ecosystems since time immemorial. We pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging, and extend that respect to all First Nations people who might be present today.

NOVEMBER INTENTION

Children Who Suffer

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

LECTORS

Could the Lectors at each weekend Mass, please meet in the Sacristy 10 minutes prior to Mass beginning.

**WHEN
ENTERING
THE CHURCH**



Please
Turn off Your
Mobile Phones

PRISON SUNDAY

Commenced in 2016, during the Year of Mercy, as an initiative of Pope Francis to observe the Jubilee for Prisoners. ***"We need to nourish the roots of our hope so that they can bear fruit ... despite whatever evil we have done. There is no corner of our heart that cannot be touched by God's love,"*** Pope Francis said at the time. Each year on the first Sunday of November, the Catholic Church in Australia marks Prison Sunday, bringing attention to the plight of prisoners and highlighting the important work that prison chaplains undertake. As Pope Francis has said: *"The task of a chaplain is to let the prisoners know that the Lord is inside them. No cell is so isolated that it can keep the Lord out. He is there. He cries with them, works with them, hopes with them. His paternal and maternal love arrives everywhere."* (Source: catholic.org.au)

**"Bury my body wherever you will, only one thing I ask,
remember me at the altar of the Lord."**

St Monica +387AD

NOVEMBER MASSES

November is traditionally a month of remembrance of the dead where we pray for the holy souls, those who have gone before us in faith. All Masses celebrated throughout November will be with the intention of praying for the faithful departed. If you wish to include your loved ones in these collective November Masses offered for the deceased, please fill out the November Mass Envelopes which are available in the Church foyers.

Aid To The Church in Need: Both Scripture and Tradition remind us to pray for the dead that they may be loosed from their sins and enter the joy of Heaven. *Offering Masses therefore is the greatest gift we can give to them.* For over 50 years, Aid to the Church in Need has passed on the Mass offerings of the Catholic people to poor priests, who have no other material support. Masses can be offered for those we knew and loved, or for the souls that have nobody to pray for them. Mass cards can also be arranged for the families of the deceased, bringing them hope and support in their grief. Slips for arranging a Mass offering through Aid to the Church in Need can be found in the foyer. **One hundred percent** of every Mass offering is sent directly to the priest in need, no administration costs are taken.

TUESDAY GALS

The next gathering of the Tuesday Gals will be held **Tuesday, November 8** at 5 Kalgaritch Avenue. This will be a pizza night and is always a great night. Why not join us? For further details or to **RSVP** please phone Julie 0429976602.

LEGION OF MARY

You are warmly invited to the Legion's Acies ceremony which takes place at 11am this Wednesday, (9 November) in St Joseph's Church. Every year, the members both individually and collectively examine their relationship to Mary and specifically their practice of true devotion to her in the spirit of St. Louise Marie de Montfort. It is at this Acies ceremony that they renew and express publicly their Consecration to Mary. The ceremony will be followed by the 12 noon Mass and light refreshments will then be served in the Ned Kenny Centre.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Come, eat and have a chat with other 'Holy Romans on **Wednesday, 16 November**, at 8.30am @ 'The Good Egg Café' on Albert Street.

FAREWELL FOR FR BRIAN MORGAN

Fr Brian's 21 years of faithful, monthly service to God's Farm and Bove Farm will sadly cease in November. Please join us for his final celebrations. **Sunday, 6 November: Bove Farm - 11am Holy Mass** followed by shared lunch (please bring a plate). **2.30pm** Exposition and Cenacle as per usual. **Monday, 7 November: God's Farm - 11am Holy Mass** followed by shared lunch celebrating his 90th birthday! Enq: God's Farm - Mary 0438 054 199

FROM THE BISHOP

Dear Brothers and Sisters

With the lifting of all Covid restrictions by the State Government, the Diocesan restrictions related to Covid are now lifted also. The Diocese has always followed public health advice and is doing so again. This means that now there are no restrictions in the celebrations of liturgies. This includes the reception of Holy Communion on the tongue. However, I ask those receiving Holy Communion on the tongue to approach the priest or minister last out of loving consideration for others who will still be nervous about receiving Communion in the normal way after them. I realise that there remains controversy about this idea in other places, but our priority needs to be love for each other and leaving debates outside of our churches. In conclusion, as a painful chapter in world history is closing in Australia, let us remember that many Catholics across the world are deprived of the Eucharist for persecution and other reasons. Let us pray for them daily.

God bless, Bishop Gerard

From the Parish Office: Although the Bishop did not change his letter, a further email from him had the following restrictions for Parishes to be aware of: No Communion from the Chalice, Unvaccinated Deacons, Acolytes and EMHC **cannot** distribute Communion; and Baptismal Water should be fresh for each person. *(So not quite no restrictions, okay?)*

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

CWL meet on Friday 11 November after Midday Mass. Members are encouraged to attend as it is the AGM on that day. New ladies in the Parish are cordially invited to join us.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Many thanks to the parishioners who so generously support the St Vincent de Paul conference with the provision of food and cash donations. We have had a much increased call for food over the past few weeks and last weekend when I made mention of this, many parishioners gave me cash donations on the spot. Your generosity has no bounds. Thank you very, very much!! Keep it up! Our Christmas appeal will commence shortly. *(Maria Parkinson, President SVdP Busselton)*

THERE'S A CHANGE OF MASS TIME SOON!

Beginning the **16 November**, the Wednesday Mass will be held at **9am**. This will make it much easier for both Father and the office to arrange appointments and any bookings for himself and the Church. You are thanked for your understanding and support.

CRAFT GROUP

The craft group would welcome your donations of hand made items for our **Parish Christmas Stall** to be held on **December 11**. Why not pop into craft group and either drop off your items or spend some time with like minded ladies while you continue creating? We are especially setting aside **Tuesday November 15** for Christmas stall preparations. Craft group meets Tuesdays 1 - 4pm in the Ned Kenny Centre. Contact Fran 0428 220 822 or Julie 0429976602.



**WELCOME BACK FR JAYBEE!
You were missed!**

**AND A FINAL THANK YOU TO
Fr Ian Johnson & Fr Wally Kevis
for your ministry and service over the last 6 weeks.
Without your support, Fr Jaybee would not have left
for his much needed and long overdue holiday.
MANY, MANY THANKS !**

Death

Carmen Portelli (*Ellenvale*) passed away in hospital on Thursday. Her funeral will take place at St. Joseph's Church on **Friday, 18 November at 2pm**. Our thoughts and prayers are with Carmel (husband) and their family and we pray that Carmen's Soul and the Souls of all the Faithful departed, rest in the peace of Christ.

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

The Sick

Please pray for:

- Sione Hehea;**
- Doris Byrne;**
- Ev Brand;**
- Roma Barrett;**
- Damien Philp;**
- Fr Johnny Arattukulan;**
- Chris Johnson;**

Memorial Anniversary

- 2007: Dawn Foot**
- 2008: Sheila Edwards**
- 2012: Ann Power**
- 2015: Jamie Craigie**
- 2020: Blake Wilson**
- 2021: Antonio Pelle**



Baptism

With joy we welcome :

Dallas Prestidge



Church Collections

Weekend 29/30 October

Envelopes: \$ 1,200.00
Loose: \$ 975.80

WEEKEND ROSTER FOR 12/13 NOVEMBER

Saturday 6pm

- Acolyte:** Murray
- Greeters:** Di , Lily
- Commentator:** Di
- Readers:** George, Evangeline
- Musician:** Carmelina
- Projectionist:** Angela
- EMHC:** -
- Cleaning:** Rosary Group
- Laundry:** Sylvia

Sunday 9am

- Acolyte:** Joe
- Greeters:** Patricia R, Peter
- Commentator:** Barb
- Readers:** Julie, Judy
- Musician:** John G
- Projectionist:** Veronica
- EMHC:** Kaye C
- Sacristan:** Julie

Sunday 6pm

- Acolyte:** Tim
- Greeters:** Joan
- Commentator:** Robyn
- Readers:** Joan, Mona
- Recorded Music:** Nola
- Projectionist:** Jo

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Rosary Group

Monday, 10am: St. Joseph's

Legion of Mary

Tuesday 9.30am: Ned Kenny Centre

Pilgrim Statue

Is escorted to a Parishioner's home. Please call Loly Scott 0411 080 141 to schedule a visit

Craft & Coffee Group

Tuesday 1-4pm: Ned Kenny Centre.

Meditation

Wednesday 4pm: Ned Kenny Centre

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday 8am-5pm - St Joseph's

Catenian Koffee Klub

Meets the **4th Sunday** of each month at 11.30am at 'The Esplanade' for coffee and/or a meal.

CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE

There are several options if you wish to donate the proceeds from your eligible bottles and cans (**showing the 10c refund logo**) to the Parish.

- **Take them to the Wright Street Depot and quote the identification Code C10344169.**
- **Bag it, Tag it** (with the above identification code) **and Drop it, at the Rendezvous Road Waste Facility.**
- **Bring the cleaned bottles and cans into the Parish Office.**

Many thanks to those getting behind this Parish Fundraising initiative.

50TH ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION

The Dunsborough Parish kindly invite you to join them for Fr Ian's 50th anniversary of Ordination on **Sunday, 4 December. 10am Mass** at Our Lady of the Southern Cross Church followed by lunch at St George's Community (Naturaliste Terrace). No gifts just your presence or prayers! **Please RSVP to Angela 0402 853 062 or paulange@westnet.com.au by 15 November.**

PRE KINDY 2023 AND KINDY 2024 – HAVE YOU ENROLLED YOUR CHILD?

St Mary MacKillop College will conduct interviews for Kindy 2024 starting April 2023. Interviews will be conducted as per Catholic Education guidelines, starting with Catholic children, siblings of current St Mary MacKillop College students and then children of past students of the College, followed by all other children. If you have not yet applied for enrolment:

- Download and complete an application form online from the College website (www.mackillop.wa.edu.au/entry-to-mackillop/choose-mackillop)
- Follow the checklist on page 1 of the application for documents required.
- Submit your application to Natalie Gordon, Enrolments Officer at St Mary MacKillop College, as soon as possible.

ROLL UP YOUR SLEEVES; MAKE A DIFFERENCE OVERSEAS

Do you require professional renewal, or are you seeking a retirement challenge? Communities abroad are asking for qualified and experienced Australians able to mentor their people in education, health, administration, trades, agriculture and more.

Imagine yourself re-engaging your vocational passion in Africa, Asia or the Pacific. Since 1961 Palms Australia has been recruiting Australians able to offer mentoring that will allow overseas counterparts opportunities otherwise unattainable. Sharing your skills will strengthen the capacity of workers overseas to serve their communities for generations to come, long after you return home.

Communities in American Samoa, Cambodia, Kiribati, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tanzania, Thailand, Timor-Leste, and Zambia are seeking to fill a variety of roles.

Enquire about those roles via www.palms.org.au or by calling 02 9560 533 or 0422 472 567.

MINISTRIES

SAFEGUARDING OFFICER

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E.M.H.C.
Musicians/Choir
Sacristan

SPIRITUAL LIFE

Legion of Mary
Rosary Group

FAITH FORMATION LIFE

Catenians
Catholic Women's League
RCIA
RCIC
Catechists

JOSEPH CARE

St Vincent de Paul

SOCIAL LIFE

Parish Finance Committee

Parish Pastoral Council:

CO-ORDINATOR

Tim Murphy

Catherine Christie
Sylvia O'Neill
Jo Cammilleri (OLB)
Di Mas (SJ)

Loly Scott
Judy Mason

George Bazzica
Jill Manning
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