

BUSSELTON CATHOLIC PARISH

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

NOTICE FROM THE BISHOP

IN THE BUNBURY DIOCESE, HOLY COMMUNION CAN ONLY BE RECEIVED IN THE HAND DURING THIS PANDEMIC. *The option of receiving Holy Communion on the tongue will resume when it is safe to do so.*

16th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

First Reading

Gen 18:1-10

The Lord appeared to Abraham at the Oak of Mamre while he was sitting by the entrance of the tent during the hottest part of the day. He looked up, and there he saw three men standing near him. As soon as he saw them he ran from the entrance of the tent to meet them, and bowed to the ground. 'My Lord,' he said 'I beg you, if I find favour with you, kindly do not pass your servant by. A little water shall be brought; you shall wash your feet and lie down under the tree. Let me fetch a little bread and you shall refresh yourselves before going further. That is why you have come in your servant's direction.' They replied, 'Do as you say.' Abraham hastened to the tent to find Sarah. 'Hurry,' he said 'knead three bushels of flour and make loaves.' Then running to the cattle Abraham took a fine and tender calf and gave it to the servant, who hurried to prepare it. Then taking cream, milk and the calf he had prepared, he laid all before them, and they ate while he remained standing near them under the tree. 'Where is your wife Sarah?' he asked him. 'She is in the tent' he replied. Then his guest said, 'I shall visit you again next year without fail, and your wife will then have a son.'

Responsorial Psalm

The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

Second Reading

Col 1:24-28

It makes me happy to suffer for you, as I am suffering now, and in my own body to do what I can to make up all that has still to be undergone by Christ for the sake of his body, the Church. I became the servant of the Church when God made me responsible for delivering God's message to you, the message which was a mystery hidden for generations and centuries and has now been revealed to his saints. It was God's purpose to reveal it to them and to show all the rich glory of this mystery to pagans. The mystery is Christ among you, your hope of glory: this is the Christ we proclaim, this is the wisdom in which we thoroughly train everyone and instruct everyone, to make them all perfect in Christ.

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

Alleluia, alleluia!

Happy are they who have kept the word with a generous heart
and yield a harvest through perseverance.

Alleluia!

Gospel

Lk 10:38-42

Jesus came to a village, and a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. She had a sister called Mary, who sat down at the Lord's feet and listened to him speaking. Now Martha who was distracted with all the serving said, 'Lord, do you not care that my sister is leaving me to do the serving all by myself? Please tell her to help me.' But the Lord answered: 'Martha, Martha,' he said, 'you worry and fret about so many things, and yet few are needed, indeed only one. It is Mary who has chosen the better part; it is not to be taken from her.'



Communion Antiphon:

The Lord, the gracious, the merciful, has made a memorial of his wonders; he gives food to those who fear him.

Next Week's Readings (Year C): Gen 18:20-32; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13

**Parish Masses & Devotions
18 July - 25 July**

Monday	10.00am	Rosary Cenacle (all welcome)	St. Joseph's
Tuesday	9.00am	Liturgy of the Word + HC	St. Joseph's
Wednesday	12.00pm	Liturgy of the Word + HC	St. Joseph's
Thursday	8am-5pm	Exposition	St. Joseph's
	5.00pm	Liturgy of the Word + HC	St. Joseph's
Friday	11.00am	Holy Hour	St. Joseph's
	12.00pm	Liturgy of the Word + HC	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



Parish Priest
Fr Jaybee

Presbytery
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Deacons
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THIS WEEKEND



We welcome Fr Tony (our very own Vicar General) this weekend. He is very kindly stepping in for Fr Jaybee who is recuperating from co-vid. (He tested positive on Thursday.) For those who have been in close contact with Fr Jaybee please wear a mask as a safety measurement for others and get tested if showing any symptoms. And everyone, please keep him in your prayers. It's no fun being sick at the best of times, but being sick on your birthday would have to be the pits! All are invited to stay for the morning tea after the Sunday 9am Mass. Not a birthday celebration now but a thank you to Fr Tony for helping us out.

CONGRATULATIONS FR PIERRE REPUYAN

After several years of study and research Fr Pierre will be awarded a Doctoral Degree by Notre Dame University this coming Tuesday in Perth. This Doctorate is in recognition of his significant and original research in the field of Moral Theology. We join in congratulating Fr Pierre and his family, and we look forward to sharing in the fruits of his scholarship within our Diocese.

God bless you Fr Pierre!

FROM THE BISHOP

Dear Parishioners

I want to thank you all most sincerely for your prayerful support this past three years for the success of the Plenary Council. It was a deeply touching experience of the Lord guiding his Church in Australia.

It was also a deeply unifying experience of the Holy Spirit - an experience I doubt anyone present can express in words. It was a grace filled moment in Church history in Australia. People with very different views at the start found themselves more unified and understanding of alternative views. This was due to the many moments of silent and shared prayer during discussions.

I am aware of the media comment on the Council by 'experts' who were not present at the Plenary Council and there has been much misrepresentation. Please take all media reports with a heavy dose of salt.

Next week I will write to you all about the real Council. It was a marvellous once in a life time celebration.

But I did not want to delay my sincerest thanks to all of you for your prayers and support.

God bless, Bishop Gerard

TUESDAY GALS

The next get together of the Tuesday Gals will be on **19 July** at 7pm. We are gathering at the home of Denise McMillan 16 Blue Manna Mews Port Geographe for a soup evening. Any ladies interested in joining us will be most welcome to come along for an evening of delicious soup and lots of chat! Please phone Denise 0419195713 or Julie 0429976602 for details or to rsvp.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The St. Vincent de Paul Society has launched its Annual Winter Appeal. **To donate and help make a positive difference in people's lives, donation envelopes can be found in the foyer of the church.**

A HEADS UP!

The Craft and Coffee group are planning another Christmas Stall and Morning Tea for **Sunday, 4th December**. If you like to make, bake or plant—you may wish to get those little fingers moving and start creating a donation for the stall. Our last stall was very successful as a fundraiser for the parish as well as being a fun morning of laughs and chatter. Come on! Be a part of it this year! Julie 0429976602

**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.

JULY INTENTION

Elderly

We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

LECTORS

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

The wearing of masks inside the Church is no longer mandatory.



SINGIN' IN THE RAIN JR

St. Mary Mackillop College presents 'Singin' in the Rain'. A musical about when the 'talkies' were introduced, and the excitement and problems they caused. Playing **27-30 July** (Wednesday-Saturday) in the SMMC Gymnasium from 7.00-8.30pm. Tickets available on the college website mackillop.wa.edu.au/essentials/events for **\$20** or contact central administration on **9752 7400**.

CAPE HARMONY

Sings the Musicals! Let us take you on a "Musical" journey with songs from some of your favourite musicals old and new. \$25 including afternoon tea. Tickets available www.trybooking.com Limited door sales so come early to avoid disappointment. Contact Jane on 0414 707 788
Saturday 13 August: Uniting Church Busselton 2pm
Sunday 14 August: Dunsborough Catholic Church 2pm

PLANNED GIVING

The July 2022-June 2023 Planned Giving envelopes are now ready for collection in the foyer of the Church. You may wish to make your contribution via Direct Debit either from your credit card or through arranging a monthly scheduled transaction from your account into our Parish Account. Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to join in the coming years Planned Giving.

**Fear not
the inevitable changes
in life and
try not to miss
opportunities to be kind.**

(Meath Conlan, PhD Reflections Newsletter 14.04.22)

Last Instalment!

CARING FOR YOUR PARISH PRIEST

Tip 6. Celebrate Them. When was the last time you told your Parish Priest that you appreciate all the hard work and service that they have given to the parish? Once in a while, take a few minutes to give them the recognition they deserve.



Ministry is stressful, and burnout is a constant danger. The people who run your parish need your prayers, your help, and reminders of your love and appreciation. They say, "A happy wife – a happy life! My experience is, "A happy priest – a happy parish!" When a priest feels supported, appreciated, and encouraged, they are far better able to live their vocations with authenticity and fervour. As Catholic Archbishop of Portland, John Vlazny once wrote, "**We priests are only human. The more welcome and supported we feel, the more effective we will be in carrying out our ministry.**"

Finally, remember that Jesus makes Himself present to us in a special way through His priests so whatever you do for your priest, you also do for the Lord, and whatever you do for the Lord helps to build the Kingdom of God right here!
(newcastleanglican.org.au)

INTERCESSORY PRAYER SEMINAR

Date: Saturday 6th & Sunday 7th August
Venue: KARRIHOLM - Ellis St, Pemberton.
Presenter: Mrs Kay Rollings, of Flame Ministries International. See flyer for more details for accommodation and meals.
Contact: Mrs Betty Namnik on **0427 711 916** or email: bnhsf@gmail.com for Registration, accommodation inquiries or for further info.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL REQUEST

The PPC are asking for all the groups and committees to send through a report (to include what your group does, who are the members and a contact person and their number) which can be published in the bulletin over the coming months. Please send your report to Tim Murphy (timpaulamurphy@gmail.com)

The Sick

Please pray for:

- Sione Hehea;**
- Doris Byrne;**
- Ev Brand;**
- Damien Philp;**
- Fr Johny Arattukulan**



Memorial Anniversary

- 2009: Maria Piai**
- 2010: Patricia Beswick**
- 2014: John Crothers**
- 2021: Jo Grace**



Death

Maureen Kerrigan (from Nova) passed away on 1st July. Her funeral took place in Duderin on Wednesday. Our prayers are with the family and we pray that Maureen'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."

WEEKEND ROSTER FOR 23/24 JULY

Saturday 6pm

- Acolyte:** Tim Murphy
- Greeters:** Di, Trish
- Commentator:** Robyn
- Readers:** Mary, Sylvia
- Musician:** Carmelina
- Projectionist:** Trish
- EMHC:** -
- Cleaning:** Janet, Di
- Laundry:** Sylvia

Sunday 9am

- Acolyte:** Allen Christie
- Greeters:** Kaye C, Volunteer
- Commentator:** Patricia E
- Readers:** Barb, Judy
- Musician:** James G
- Projectionist:** Mario, Peta
- EMHC:** Catherine
- Sacristan:** Debbie

Church Collections

Weekend 9/10 July

Envelopes: \$2,235.00
Loose: \$ 873.35

Containers for Change: \$3.50



ALL ARE WELCOME!

Rosary Group

Monday, 10am: St. Joseph's

Legion of Mary

Tuesday 9.30am: Ned Kenny Centre

Craft & Coffee Group

Tuesday 1-4pm: Ned Kenny Centre.

Pilgrim Statue

On hold until further notice.

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.

KINDY 2023 - HAVE YOU ENROLLED YOUR CHILD?

St Mary MacKillop College has started interviewing for Kindy 2023. Download and complete an application form from the College website www.mackillop.wa.edu.au/entry-to-mackillop/choose-mackillop Follow the checklist on page 2 of the application for documents required. Submit your application to Natalie Gordon, Enrolments Officer at St Mary MacKillop College, as soon as possible – places are filling quickly.

PALMS AUSTRALIA

CELEBRATING A RETURN TO GLOBAL MISSION

Once again Australian Catholics are being offered deep re-engagement with our sisters and brothers globally. Covid challenged our ability to reach beyond but now you can again consider **Mission opportunities abroad**. If you respond to the call to share your skills; to mentor those with little other opportunity, you will be prepared and supported by Palms Australia who have engaged Australian Catholics in this mission since 1961. **Enquire online** or **Ph: 0422 742 567** about a placement to engage your skills and **Register** for a Webinar on **Monday August 1st at 7:00 pm** for the chance to talk directly with Palms' partner communities abroad and two Australian program participants recently posted to work with them. Invite your friends. **The stories will inspire.**

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED AUSTRALIA

The diocese of Huancavelica is one of the poorest in Peru. Until recently the people here have had little spiritual formation and infrequent visits from a priest since the villages are far apart. Two priests are managing to visit every village once a month, celebrating Holy Mass, administering the Sacrament of the sick, and preparing people for the reception of the Sacraments. This pastoral care is now bearing fruit, and more and more Catholics are returning to the practice of their faith, but a robust all-terrain vehicle would make it much easier for these priests to minister more intensively to the Catholic faithful in Peru. Can you provide transport so priests can reach the faithful in Peru? Visit: www.aidtochurch.org/monthlyproject

NATURAL FERTILITY AWARENESS WEEK

Natural Fertility Awareness Week (August 22-28) is dedicated to helping women understand their fertility and manage it without the need for drugs, devices or invasive techniques. Once learned, fertility awareness can be used throughout a woman's reproductive life, even when her cycles are not regular. The theme for Natural Fertility Awareness Week 2022 is **"Fertility Literacy – Get the Know How"** Monitoring your fertility health is easy when you know how to do it accurately. Visit www.billings.life for more information on events in your area.

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