

Holy Family Parish Bulletin

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26th Sunday in Ordinary Time- Year B

Sunday 29th September 2024



The Liturgy of the Word

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgement, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy.

FIRST READING

Numbers 11:25-29

The Lord came down in the Cloud. He spoke with Moses, but took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. When the spirit came on them, they prophesied, but not again. Two men had stayed back in the camp: one was called Eldad and the other Medad. The spirit came down on them; though they had not gone to the Tent, their names were enrolled among the rest. These began to prophesy in the camp. The young man ran to tell this to Moses, "Look," he said, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp. " Then said Joshua the Son of Nun, who had served Moses from his youth, "My Lord Moses, stop them!" Moses answered him, "Are you jealous on my account? If only the whole people of the Lord were prophets, and the Lord gave his Spirit to them all!"

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R. The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.

SECOND READING

James 5:1-6

An answer for the rich. Start crying, weep for the miseries that are coming to you. Your wealth is all rotting, your clothes are all eaten up by moths. All your gold and your silver are corroding away, and the same corrosion will be your own sentence, and eat into your body. It was a burning fire that you stored up as your treasure for the last days. Labourers mowed your fields, and you cheated them - listen to the wages that you kept back, calling out; realize that the cries of the reapers have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. On earth you have had a life of comfort and luxury; in the time of slaughter you went on eating to your heart's content. It was you who condemned the innocent and killed them; they offered you no resistance.

Next Sunday's Readings

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Genesis 2: 18-24

Ps 127.R.v.5

Hebrews 2: 9-11

Mark 10: 2-16



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Your word, O Lord, is truth: make us holy in the truth.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

John said to Jesus, "Master, we saw a man who is not one of us casting out devils in your name; and because he was not one of us we tried to stop him." But Jesus said, "You must not stop him: no one who works a miracle in my name is likely to speak evil of me. Anyone who is not against us is for us. If anyone gives you a cup of water to drink just because you belong to Christ, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward. But anyone who is an obstacle to bring down one of these little ones who have faith, would be better thrown into the sea with a great millstone round his neck. And if your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life crippled, than to have two hands and go to hell, into the fire that cannot be put out. And if your foot should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life lame, than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. And if your eye should cause you to sin, tear it out; it is better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye, than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell where their worm does not die nor their fire go out!"

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Remember your word to your servant, O Lord, by which you have given me hope. This is my comfort when I am brought low.



PARISH DIARY

30th SEPT – 6th OCTOBER

MONDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER

No Mass

TUESDAY 1ST OCTOBER

9.00am Mass



WEDNESDAY 2ND OCTOBER

9.00am Mass

THURSDAY 3RD OCTOBER

9.00am Mass

9.30-10.30am Adoration

FRIDAY 4TH OCTOBER

9.00am Mass

SATURDAY 5TH OCTOBER

5.00-5.30pm Reconciliation

6.00pm Mass

SUNDAY 6TH OCTOBER

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8.30am Mass

10.00am Mass

We are challenged towards religious tolerance so that individually we also learn to discern about the faith we have received: what is truly to follow Christ and what does it really mean to be a Catholic?



We stand before you

MASS INTENTIONS:

Anniversary: Joffre Manricks

If you would like a mass offered, please pass your offering envelope to Father before mass on the day. *Father will read out the names at the beginning of Mass.*

THE POWER OF PRAYER

Norah Langshaw, Waminda Residents, Stella & Family, Reamae David, Dragutin Markovic, Maureen Galligan, Daisy Givens, Nadia O'Brien, Mary & Ben Bianchini, Mary Hippolite, Reg & Joyce Groutsch, Ed Devereux, Heather Jordan, Serafini Family, Josie Staude, Ng Choon Bee, Ng Chai Hong, Bridget Lewis, Paddy & Jackie Embry, Caroline, Wayne, Ethan, Liam & Scarlett, Sonali, Sachini, Norman Bickley, Amondo Robels & Fe Fontanini, Eric, Anthony, Yolanda, Kerry & John Hardwick, Declan & Family, Antonette & George, Bob Pruden, Ruth & Harsha, Gary & Saro, Daniel, Sam & Elizabeth Palermo, Jake Manricks, Debbie De Souza, Jeremy Leonard, Sarah, Laura, Jane, David, Garrett, Reg, May, Margaret, Arthur, Michael, Nadia, Adrian, Annie, Joe, Sarah, Yolanda, Anthony, Reg & May, Margaret & Arthur, Michael & Nadia, Adrian & Annie, Margaret Harrington, Rhonda Whyllie, Scott Bradley, Edith Johnson, Jessie Amphlett, Rita Anderson, Femia Family



AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC
MIGRANT & REFUGEE OFFICE

TODAY is the 110th World Day of Migrants & Refugees

Sunday, 29 September 2024

The theme of Pope Francis' Message for this year's World Day of Migrants and Refugees is "GOD WALKS WITH HIS PEOPLE." The Australian Catholic Migrant and Refugee Office has created online resources, including the liturgy homily notes, prayers of intercession, stories, and interviews, to help celebrate this special day. Resources available



<https://acmro.catholic.org.au/wdmr/2024>

or scan the QR code

***There is a copy of Pope Francis full message in the foyer.**

***There is also a prayer card for you to take home**

MORNING TEA TODAY

To celebrate this World Day of Migrants and Refugees, there will be morning tea after each mass today.



We invite all parishioners to come along and join in.



QUIZ NIGHT THANK YOU

Thank you to all who contributed to our Quiz night last Friday. We had 34 commercial sponsors, 11 individual and several anonymous sponsors with over \$5,000 in prize value given away on the night.

The quiz raised a record \$5,144 which will go towards the upkeep of the parish. Thanks also goes to our committee of 11 parishioners and additional helpers on the night. The average score per table was 74/100.

VOLUNTEERS FOR COUNTING 2ND COLLECTION

We need volunteers to help count the weekends 2nd collection on Sunday after 10am mass or Tuesday after 9am mass. Please contact the office if you can help.

1ST AND 2ND COLLECTION

Tap each machine selecting the amount you wish to offer OR insert cash into the 2 cash chutes next to each machine.

TAP AND GO MACHINE PLANNED GIVING CONTRIBUTIONS via DIRECT DEBIT

We offer the option of direct debit for the 1st collection (supports the Priest) and 2nd collection (supports the parish upkeep)

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A/C number 790041 Reference: Your Initial and Surname.



ENQUIRY SESSION "Come and See"

The Catholic Church is open to all.
We have scheduled a new session for anyone interested in joining the Church to attend this 1-hour session. There will be some information on what a 'Catholic Parish' is all about. This is mainly an opportunity to ask questions, voice difficulties or make comments in a relaxed atmosphere. There is no obligation to do anymore; you may simply come and listen.

When: Thurs 10th October 7–8pm
Where: Holy Family Catholic Church Hall, Thelma St, Como.

If there is a desire for anyone to move forward, the **RCIA** process is the way.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations to all who are celebrating their anniversary in September. The list of people is on the noticeboard in the foyer. God bless you all on your special day.



SAFEGUARDING COMMITMENT STATEMENT

Holy Family Parish Como is committed to providing a safe & secure environment for all its members, leaders, especially its children & vulnerable adults. The care, safety & welfare of children & vulnerable adults is a collective responsibility embedded in policies & practices of the Parish which reflect a commitment to a zero tolerance to abuse.

1 of 12 Safeguarding Messages:
Parents, help your child think of 5 adults they can talk to if they are feeling unsafe. These people are their trusted adults. (mum, dad, teacher, aunty grandma etc.)
This message is placed at the request of the Safeguarding Office of the Perth Archdiocese.

POPE FRANCIS GOSPEL REFLECTON

Today's Gospel recounts a brief dialogue between Jesus and the Apostle John, who speaks on behalf of all the entire group of disciples. They saw a man who was casting out demons in the name of the Lord, but they stopped him because he was not part of their group. Jesus invites them not to hinder those who do good, because they contribute to the fulfilment of God's plan. Then He admonishes them: instead of dividing people into good and bad, we are all called to watch be vigilant over our own hearts, lest we succumb to evil and bring scandal to others.

In short, Jesus' words reveal a temptation and offer an exhortation. The temptation is that of closedness. They think they have the "exclusive right over Jesus", and that they are the only ones authorised to work for the Kingdom of God. But in this way, they end up considering feeling that they are themselves privileged and consider others as outsiders, to the extent of becoming hostile towards them. We need to be vigilant about closure in the Church too. Because the devil, who is the divider always insinuates suspicions to divide and exclude people. Sometimes we too, instead of being humble and open communities, can give the impression of being the "top of the class" and keeping others at a distance; instead of trying to walk with everyone, we can display our "believer's license": "I am a believer", "I am Catholic", "I belong to this association, to that one", and the others, poor things, do not. This is a sin. Showing off one's "believer's license" to judge and exclude. All this runs the risk of turning Christian communities into places of separation and not of communion. The Holy Spirit does not want closedness; He wants openness, and welcoming communities where there is a place for everyone.

And then in the Gospel there is Jesus' exhortation: instead of judging everything and everyone, let us beware be careful of ourselves! Indeed, the risk is that of being inflexible towards others and indulgent towards ourselves.

Jesus urges us not to descend to making pacts with evil, "If something in you causes you to sin, cut it off!"

If something harms you, cut it off! He does not say, "If something is a reason for scandal, stop, think about it, improve a bit...". No: "Cut it off! Immediately! Every cut is so we can grow better and bear fruit in love.

Let us ask, what is it in me that is contrary to the Gospel? What does Jesus want me to cut out of my life?

Pope Francis, 26.09.2021 Angelus, St Peter's Square

ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

THE LEGION OF MARY

On 18th October at 7.00pm, the Legion of Mary Perth Comitium will hold our annual Torchlight Rosary Procession in honour of Our Lady, around Lake Monger. Everyone is welcome to attend, especially families, Legionaries and members of Rosary confraternities. Bring water, a hat and insect repellent. Those who cannot walk can meet at the gazebo at the Dodd St Carpark & say the Rosary with other non-walking members. Please bring a chair if you are not walking. For more information Log on to our website www.legionofmarywa.org



TO HOPE AND ACT WITH CREATION
SEASON OF CREATION 2024



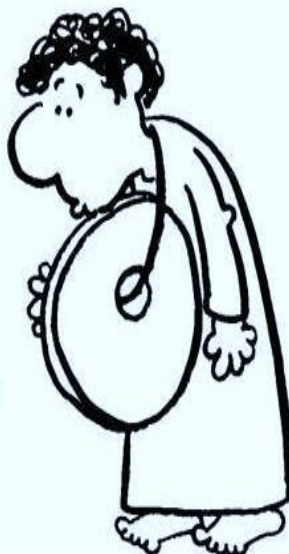
Many traditions view St Francis as an inspiration and guide for those who protect Creation. Friday, 4th October is his feast day and the last day in the Season of Creation. The faithful around the world will come together in an online event prepared by Season of Creation Ecumenical Youth Committee to celebrate our month-long journey together. You will find info on events at <https://seasonofcreation.org>

KIDS' CORNER

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"All goodness comes from God"

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CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The Children's Liturgy will be in recess during the school holidays, returning Sunday, 13th October 2024.



26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Anyone who knows Jesus and acts in his name, is filled with the goodness of God. Whatever our religion or race might be, God will see this goodness, and reward us with his love.

LET US PRAY

Let us pray that the spirit of God will work through our lives, so we can share Christ's love with the world.

WEEKEND ROSTER

		Saturday 6:00 pm	Sunday 8:30 am	Sunday 10:00 am
COMMENTATOR/READER				
28 th /29 th September	26 th Sunday in Ord	C. Amanda Johnson R. Frank Giannini EME. Patricia Cowley	C. Geraldine Taylor R. Annette Newman EME. Lyn Hope-Hume	C. Rebecca Machado R. Cecilia Yap EME. Vicki Ha
5 th /6 th October	27 th Sunday in Ord	C. Dimitrio Sidi R. Carolyn Watson EME. Rose Hart	C. Geraldine Taylor R. Jill Browne EME. Lyn Hope-Hume	C. Pascale Tin R. Fiona Wee EME. Pascale Tin
ACOLYTES				
28 th /29 th September	26 th Sunday in Ord	Hasan Sidi	Bill Staude	Tony Bray
5 th /6 th October	27 th Sunday in Ord	Dimitrio Sidi	John Newman	Leo Burke
ALTAR SERVER				
28 th /29 th September	26 th Sunday in Ord	Raegan Tanuwidjaja Hugh Morris	Claudia Taylor Beard Patrick Newman	Andy Tip Mary-Jane Yip
5 th /6 th October	27 th Sunday in Ord	Edith Johnson Vasana Boonyothayan	Palak Vadukoot Claudia Taylor-Beard	Ethan George Saheli D'Silva

DO YOU LIKE GARDENING If you can spare an hour or so on a Saturday from 8am the gardening group would love to hear from you. The Parish needs help to keep the parish gardens looking beautiful. Please bring along your gardening tools and your gloves and enjoy the great outdoors. If you can help, please contact the office, thank you.

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