### Dear parishioners,

This week I am pleased to welcome our new Sacramental Co-ordinator, Faith Rico. Faith is a young mother of a growing family and is deeply committed to her Catholic faith. She has been working closely with our office staff in recent weeks and I feel confident that she will fill the role with enthusiasm and commitment. Please pray for Faith as she begins her work with the young families of our parish in bringing their children to the God in the Sacraments.

On behalf of the parish I thank Angela for holding the reins in the Sacramental Programme over the past 18 months, while we waited for the Lord to send us the right person for the job!

This weekend at the Saturday Vigil we have the Third and final Scrutiny of our Elect and Candidates. It is wonderful to see so many people coming to our Church requesting baptism and wishing to come into full communion with the faith. We are a blessed community. I pray that you will come along to the Easter Vigil to witness their joy in receiving the grace of the Sacraments and join us afterwards for the celebration in the parish centre. Let us be a parish which truly celebrates the gift of faith.—Fr. Sunny.



### MAKE WAY FOR THE LORD 2nd Rite of Reconciliation for Lent Infant Jesus Church - Wed 25 March at 7:30pm St Columba Church, Bayswater - Tues 24 March at 7pm

Come to the Easter liturgies with a heart ready to meet the Risen Lord. The 2nd Rite is a communal celebration that allows for a communal expression of sorrow, an examination of conscience and individual confession. A number of priests will be available for confession on the night. If you have not been to confession for a while, please take this opportunity for spiritual renewal and lay all your burdens at the feet of Jesus, who is the Way, the Truth and the Life. Our Columbarium garden will be opened in the evening from 8:30pm to 9pm for quiet reflection.

NO STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON THIS DATE.

# WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS EASTER AT MORLEY?

Saturday 28th March - Vigil Mass for Palm Sunday at 6.30pm Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March - Palm Sunday: Masses at 7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am (Italian), & 6pm.

Procession of palms with the parish children at the 9.30am Mass.

# HOLY WEEK:

Monday 30th March - Morning Prayer of the Church 6.40am. Mass at 7am & 9am. Confessions 8.30am - 9.00am

**Tuesday 31st March** - Morning Prayer of the Church 6.40am. Mass at 7am & 9am. Confessions 8.30am - 9.00am **Wednesday 1 April -** Morning Prayer of the Church 6.40am.

Mass at 7am & 9am. Confessions 8.30am - 9.00am.

< Stations of the Cross 7.15pm

## EASTER TRIDUUM:

**Holy Thursday: 2<sup>nd</sup> April.** Morning Prayer of the Church 8.00am. No morning Masses. Mass at 7.30pm with the washing of feet. Confessions 8.30am - 9.30am

Good Friday: 3<sup>rd</sup> April. Morning Prayer of the Church 8.00am.
 No morning Masses. 9.30am Youth Stations of the Cross. 11.00am Via
 Croce (Italian). 3pm The Passion of the Lord. Confessions 8.30am 9.30am (English), 9.30am - 10.30am (English and Italian).
 Holy Saturday: 4<sup>th</sup> April. Morning Prayer of the Church 8.00am.
 No morning Mass. 7.30pm The Service of Light with adult Baptisms and
 Sacraments of Initiation (approx. 2 hour service). Celebration
 afterwards in the parish centre. Confessions 8.30am—9.30am
 Easter Sunday: 5<sup>th</sup> April. Masses at 7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am (Italian)

Caritas Fifth Sunday

In a remote Andean village in Peru, Caritas Huacho is

# New to Piety Stall

helping farmers like Cristian to grow and harvest a wide variety of high-value, sustainable fruit crops, which will provide a secure income and a wide variety of food for life. Please donate to Project Compassion 2015 and help farmers in Peru grow and harvest sustainable crops, providing their families with food for life. The Little White Book—six-minute reflections on the Resurrection Narrative according to John @\$4 per copy.

#### PALM SUNDAY PROCESSION-CHILDREN



Calling all parish's children to take part in the Palm Sunday procession at the 9:30am Palm Sunday Mass. Let your children be part of this special journey with the Lord. A practice session will be held on Saturday 28th March at 3:30pm in the church car park and will go for about half an hour. -

Nevelline Linquist

# PALM FRONDS NEEDED FOR PALM SUNDAY

# PLEASE NOTE CORRECT DATES BELOW!!

Can you help in any of the following ways? •If you have palms growing at home (not the prickly, thorny kinds!), we need donations of palm fronds which can be cut into pieces (you



are <u>very</u> welcome to bring them already cut); Our parish is large, so we need many, many fronds;

•Deliver your palm fronds, cut or uncut, on either Friday 27th or Saturday 28th April,

•and put them under the large fiddlewood tree between the church and the parish centre;

•Volunteer to be the parish Palm Co-ordinator, to ensure all the fronds are cut and put into the baskets ready for the Dession Sunday Masses

ready for the Passion Sunday Masses;
Volunteer to be a palm cutter – all you need is a sharp

pair of secateurs and time on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April or Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> April to cut the fronds into useable pieces; •If you have only small palms, or perhaps an olive tree at home, then bring fronds or small branches for your own family to Mass for Passion Sunday or the Passion Sunday vigil.

If you have any questions, please contact Billie at the parish office on 92768500.

## LETTER-BOX DROP FOR EASTER

Invitations to our Palm Sunday and Holy Week celebrations are now available in the foyer. Please help bring our brothers and sisters back to Mass this Easter

by letterbox dropping your area.

## PLEASE ONLY DELIVER WITHIN THE PARISH BOUNDARIES.

Check the map in the foyer if you are not sure where the boundaries are. Also, remember to mark off the streets you will

deliver to, so that we do not have any doubling-up. This is such a simple way for us to spread the Good News. If you have not joined in the letterbox drop in the past, why not do it this year?



# WHAT'S HAPPENING



## Parish Prayer Concerns

Recently deceased: Bert Rigg, Silvo Bezgovsek, Giovanni Rizzi and Jennifer Zverk:

Deceased: Denzel Owen, Rev. Fr. Peter Anthony, Forest Tucker, Justina Simeons, Frances Anthony, Henry Simeons, Josephine Anthony, Lourdes Anthony and Derrick De Souza:

The Sick of the Parish: Joy Coll and all who are in need of our prayers.

""Help us to embrace the world you have given us, that we may transform the darkness of its pain into life and joy of Easter"



CONFERENCE: Teresa— A Woman for our Times Friday 1 May – Sunday 3 May

Infant Jesus Parish Centre. Cost: \$50 (includes meals).

Keynote speakers Bishop David Walker and Fr Greg Burke OCD.

A conference to celebrate the 500th birthday of St. Teresa of Avila and to seek her spiritual wisdom for today. Registration forms are available in the church foyer or on our webpagewww.infantjesusparish.org.au. Further info: Infant Jesus Parish 08 9276 8500, ijparish@carmelite.com or Maranatha Centre for Adult Faith Formation 9241 5221, maranatha@ceo.wa.edu.au



## PARISH BUSY BEE FOR EASTER SATURDAY 28 MARCH 9AM TO 1PM

Only one week to go and if you have not put your name down on the list, now is the time as we need many hands to help make our parish grounds and centre clean and fresh for our celebrations at Easter. There will be gardening, cleaning and small maintenance jobs to be done. Children are very welcome to come with their parents to help. Morning tea and a sausage sizzle lunch will be provided to all the workers. Lists is in the foyer detailing the jobs that need to be done and the equipment required for each task. If you can bring your own equipment, that would be a help, but the parish will provide equipment if you do not have your own. It would be great to see some new faces!



## PROJECT COMPASSION RAFFLE TODAY

Thanks to Catholic Church Insurance, who have donated a lovely Easter Hamper (RRP\$150) to our parish, we will have a raffle outside the church this weekend after all Masses. All proceeds raised going to

Project Compassion as part of our Lenten almsgiving practice. Tickets are by gold coin donations. The raffle will be drawn on Wednesday, 25 of March and the winner will be advertised in the Parish Bulletin.



Do you know an older person who is living in their own home who would like to access support to assist them to stay living at home as they age? Or perhaps they would like support to get out and about to catch up with friends and family or to attend appointments. If this type of support would Don't forget our weekly youth meeting this Friday from 4pm

help someone you know to remain in their home, then give MYVISTA a call on 1800 698 478.

# In Our Church

Morning Praver of the Church: Mon-Fri, 6.40am; Sat 8.00am Morning Mass: Mon-Fri: 7am & 9am , Sat: 8.30am Saturday Vigil Mass: 6.30pm

Sunday Masses: 7.30am, 9.30am (Children's Liturgy during school terms), 11.30am (Italian), 6pm (Youth Mass 2nd & 4th Sundays)

Reconciliation: Saturday 10-11am and 5-6pm. Perpetual Novena in honour of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: Wednesday 7.15pm **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** Friday 9.30am - 10.30am and 7.30pm - 8.30pm Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments: Please contact the Parish Office.

#### Infant Jesus Parish

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Co-ordinator: Emma Passmore



**PILGRIM STATUE:** This week is in the home of Mrs Cecilia Khin Si, 12/86 Railway Parade, Bayswater. Ph. 0430 148 090

## **Calendar of Saints**

23 Mar: St Turibius de Mogrovejo (Bishop 1538-1606) **I 25 Mar: THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD** 28 Mar: PALM SUNDAY

### Coffee and Connect: Conversation and friendship for those who have experienced or are living with cancer. Tuesday 24th March from 9.30am -

11 00am

For those who have survived or are living with cancer, sometimes it can be difficult to talk with



those who have not been through this experience. Coffee and Connect is an opportunity to come together with others who have shared the journey and to talk in complete confidence and con-

fidentiality with those who can really understand. We will meet in the library in the parish centre monthly, sharing tea, coffee and friendship. If you would like to know more, please phone Linda 0411443631 or Percey 0452447169.

#### **Invitation From Archbishop Timothy Costelloe SDB To** The Annual Chrism Mass

Our Parish Team



Inviting you to attend the Chrism Mass

which he will concelebrate with the priests of the Archdiocese of Perth at St Mary's Cathedral on Tuesday 31 March 2015 at 7pm

During this Mass the Holy Oils will be blessed and the Oil of Chrism consecrated. The priests will also renew their Ordination commitment. The Laity are invited to renew their commitment to holiness of life and to service of the Church and society.

> and Sunday after 6pm Mass with Pizza for gold coin donations.

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