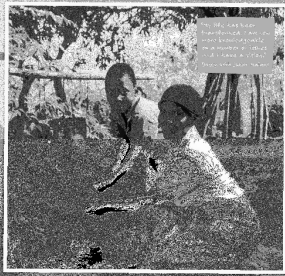




JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

This week, we continue to learn more about Pope Francis' call to "Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful". Pope Francis has asked the Church in this Jubilee Year to rediscover the richness encompassed by the spiritual and corporal works of mercy. The conditions for obtaining the "Jubilee Indulgence" are; Pilgrimage to the Holy Door, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Celebration of the Eucharist which includes the Profession of Faith, Prayers for the Holy Father, Prayers for the intentions of the Holy Father and Reflection on Mercy. For more information about Pope Francis' ways to experience and obtain the 'Jubilee Indulgence' for the Year of Mercy, please pick up your copy from the Bulletin stand in the foyer. "Each time that one of the faithful personally performs one or more of these actions, he or she shall surely obtain the Jubilee Indulgence" –**Pope Francis**



Project Compassion
Sunday

CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF
PROJECT
COMPASSION

Please take home a Project Compassion box and/or a set of donation envelopes and support Caritas Australia this Lenten season as we celebrate 50 years of Project Compassion.

In Pope Francis' words, "Lent is a time for drawing near to Christ."

You will be helping to empower the world's poorest children, women and men with vital learning and renewed hope. You can donate through Parish boxes and envelopes, by visiting www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion or phoning 1800 024 413.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICES Wednesday, 10th of February



Masses will be held at:

7am, 9am (Whole School Mass) and 7.30pm

****Please note that the Wednesday perpetual Novena will be cancelled on this day, due to the evening Mass.**



STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR LENT

Stations of the Cross start from Wednesday 17th of February and continue through Lent. The service will start at 7.30pm and conclude at 8pm.

PLEASE NOTE: The perpetual Novena to Our Lady of Mt Carmel will not be held during Lent. It will be replaced by Stations of the Cross.

Parish Religious Education Program (PREP) 2016

Classes resume on Wednesday, 10th Feb from 4.15 - 5.20pm

New families are welcome, please contact Parish office on 9276 8500

THE LECTIO DIVINA GROUP

The Group meets in the Parish Centre on Thursday's mornings at approx 9.30am (after 9am Mass). Anyone interested in experiencing what is described as the Church's oldest method of prayer is welcome to join us for one or more occasions in examining and discussing the following Sunday's Gospel.

The Group will start again this year on Thursday, 18 February for the Lenten Series. The papers for the current participants are in the Hospitality cupboards in the Church foyer. For more information, Please contact Brendan Clifford on 9276 8336.



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY



Our parish has many events planned for the coming months. Your help is needed for these events. Please offer your support if you can.

- **Parish Volunteers BBQ**—Friday, 26 Feb from 5pm for setting up, serving and cleaning up.
- **Parish Busy Bee**—Saturday, 12 March from 9am to 1pm, many hands are needed to spruce up the Church and the parish for Easter celebration.
- **Jubilee Dinner**—Saturday, 9 April from 9am to 11pm for setting up, serving and cleaning up.
- **Giant Garage Sale**—from Monday 11 April to Saturday 16 April (school holidays) from 9am for unpacking, sorting, setting up stall, cleaning and assisting on the day.

If you are interested to support in any of the above events and ready to give us a hand, please contact Billie at the Parish Office on 9276 8500.

RESOURCES FOR LENT 2016

MERCY

A beautiful weekly reflection with Fr Ken Barker, MGL, and Sr Hilda Scott, OSB, based on the Sunday Scripture readings during Lent. The book is available to purchase as a Digital PDF for you to download and print your own copy from bishop@dow.org.au You can do this program at home, either individually or form your own small group.

LENT IN THE YEAR OF MERCY

This short course will explore the four great passages in the Book of Isaiah known as "The Songs of the Suffering Servant". These "Songs" call us to contemplate God's merciful love in our lives, on Tuesdays 16th February - 8th March, 7pm-8.45pm. At St Peter the Apostle Parish Hall, 91 Wood Street, Bedford. Presenters: Sr Shelley Barlow, RNDM and Mr Terry Quinn. Total Cost: \$25. For more information or to register, call the Centre for Faith Enrichment on 9241, 5221, or email cfe@perthcatholic.org.au, or visit www.cfe.org.au

COME TO THE WATERS OF MERCY

A wonderful weekly Lenten reflection program, available free to download from www.liturgy.perthcatholic.org.au

THE LITTLE BLACK BOOK FOR LENT

The daily six-minute reflection on the weekday Gospels of Lent. Available to purchase from the Parish office and piety stall for \$4 a copy.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Our first meeting for this year will be held on Tuesday, 9 Feb after 9am Mass and Rosary. We meet in the Parish Library once a month and would love to have some new members to join the group. Ladies of all ages welcome.

MEDITATION SUPPORT GROUP

Feeling frayed? Come and join us for an hour of peace and prayer, followed by a cup of coffee with friends. Term one starts on Wed, 10th Feb at 9.40-10.40am at the Parish Centre.

Important
DATE!

To Do:

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Don't
FORGET!

Reminder!

Parish Prayer Concerns

Deceased: Georges Joseph Chedid;

Anniversaries: Kay Falla, Barbara Hunt, Helen Pittaway, Damiana and Alain Martinet, Emilio and Marie-Angela Tassone, Norman and Kathleen Keyson;

The Sick of the Parish: Wally Bamford, Thi Tuyet Nguyen, Priscilla Grainger, Shirley Teo and all the sick who are in need of our prayers.

"I am putting water in the wilderness to give my chosen people drink, The people I have formed for myself will sing my praises"

GIANT GARAGE SALE—UPDATE

Now that the New Year has begun we can start to get serious! Only three months to go and we need lots of stuff to sell.

Please pick up some **"Garage Sale—Can You Help"**

leaflets from the bulletin stands and pass them out to your family, friends and neighbours. Let's work together to make this major fundraiser for our parish a success.



HELP NEEDED:

- Please ask your fruit & veg vendor if they have any small cherry boxes, which are perfect for packing and selling all the books we have received. Other similar strong small cartons would also be welcome
- We continue to sort items on Monday and Thursday mornings from 9.30am, but more willing hands are needed. If you ever have some spare time on either of these mornings, please drop into the parish centre.

LOST AND FOUND

We have a large urn missing from the Flower Room in the Church. It is one of a set which is used a lot. If you have borrowed it or know its whereabouts, could you please see the urn is returned. Also, there are many small vases left in the Church. If they belong to you and you would like them back, could you please collect your vases soon as uncollected vases will be put into the upcoming garage sale.

Morley Youth Upcoming Events

We are back on **this week** with Youth Groups and some fun activities.

This Sunday 7th of Feb—Welcome Back **Youth Night**. With a Guest Speaker! From 7-8:30pm for all youth in High School.

Sunday 14th Feb—Music at 6pm Mass followed by dinner and board Games.

Friday 19th Feb—**Movie Night** for all Youth! in the Loft in the Parish Centre.

Sunday 28th Feb—**Youth Night** with a Guest Speaker, 7-8:30pm.

Saturday 5th March—**Adventure World Trip**, cost is \$40 which needs to be paid in advance so tickets can be ordered. For more information please grab a flyer from the back of the church. For information about the Youth Group Events happening in 2016 please contact Emma on 0419 094 433 or morley24-7@hotmail.com



PILGRIM STATUE: This week is in the home of P. Belardo, 5/32 Camboon Road, Morley. Ph: 9275 4100.

Calendar of Saints

- 08 Feb: St Jerome Emiliani, priest (1537)**
St Josephine Bakhita, nun (1947)
- 10 Feb: ASH WEDNESDAY**
- 11 Feb: Our Lady of Lourdes**

Gospel Reflections for Married Couples in the Jubilee of Mercy—5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In this week's Gospel, Jesus, after teaching at the shore asks some fishermen (Simon Peter and his companions) to put out their nets. They must have been thinking "what would a carpenter's son know about fishing?" Yet their catch was so extraordinary that they "left everything and followed him." We might wonder what Christ would know about our marriage and the challenges of married life. Perhaps his is also calling you to "not be afraid" and trust that He is with you and your spouse. How could you "follow" Him this week?
—**Catholic Marriage and Fertility Services**



Thank you Fr Tadgh, Fr John and parishioners for supporting Personal Advocacy. A new year! A new way to serve in the parish; working with people with intellectual disabilities. Following on from the brief talks at Mass, volunteers are needed for the Monday and Tuesday night groups that meet in Morley. The group is not a social group... but they love to socialise. It is not a friendship group... but they long to have friends. It is all about relationships, and faith, and hope, and love!
Phone 9275 5388 or please visit the website to find out more www.paswa.org.au then contact us.

A reminder to all **Hospitality Ministers**, please collect your new 2016 roster from the Church foyer this week. Thank you.

Lost: Last Sunday after 9.30am Mass, a parishioner lost a much-loved red plastic one decade-rosary. If found, would you please drop it off to the Parish office.

In Our Church

Morning Prayer 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 (cancelled until after Easter)

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday 9.30 - 10.30am and 7.30 - 8.30pm

Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments:

Please contact the Parish Office.

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