Dear Parishioners,

This weekend we welcome all the parish families who have come to make their commitment to the preparation for the Sacrament of First Communion. As a parish community, we too will be asked to pledge our commitment to supporting the children and their families in this important task. How do we do this well? By praying for the families and by being faithful witnesses to the Good News of Christ, in our words, our warm hospitality and our joyful and prayerful reception of the Blessed Eucharist at communion time. A very good adage for us to remember, as mature role models for the children of our community is "Our children are not listening to what we say - they are watching what we do."

In the second reading today, St. Paul tells us: "Bear with one another charitably, in complete selflessness, gentleness and patience. Do all that you can to preserve the unity of the Spirit by the peace that binds you together." If we truly live these words, our children will find our parish community a place of love in a troubled world, a place that they will always want to return to; a place where their hearts will be truly at home. - Fr. Sunny

## Do You Know the History of Our Church? Come and find out more!

**Infant Jesus Parish** 

Maranatha presenter Dr Robert Andrews will be discussing MEDIEVAL CHURCH HISTORY at our parish on Thursday evenings: **30 July, 6 August, 13 August and 20 August from 7-9pm** at a cost of only \$25.

To know ourselves—we must know our history. From the fall of the Roman Empire in the West and the rise of the Byzantine Empire in the East, the history of Medieval Christianity is a story of rich diversity set within the rise of Western civilisation, Byzantium and Islam.

Please register your intention to attend on the board in the foyer or contact the parish office on 9276 8500 or email to iiparish@carmelite.com

NOTE: Participants will need to negotiate a flight of stairs to get to the conference room.



### HOLY HOUR FOR THE PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE THIS Sunday 26 July, 2-3pm.

Please join us in our church as we pray for more men and women to respond to God's call and consecrate their entire lives to Christ. **ALL WELCOME** 

#### PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

The new planned giving year has commenced. Please ensure you are using only your NEW box of envelopes and throw out the old ones, as your PG number has changed.

It would also be most helpful if, when catching up on missed contributions, you use only a single envelope for all the missed contributions, rather than multiple envelopes.

## 2015 RCIA State Conference — All Welcome Saturday 15th August 10.00am - 4.30pm

"Build The City Of God" — Infant Jesus Morley: Parish Centre

Mass at 8.30am (Feast of the Assumption—holy day of obligation) For all who are interested in our faith and spreading the Good News. Key Note Speakers: Archbishop Costelloe SDB, Fr Gerard Totanes of Geraldton Diocese, Fr Geoff Aldous of Baldivis Parish, Cost\$60.00 includes coffee/tea on arrival, Morning & Afternoon Tea & Lunch. RSVP 9207 3350 Karen Hart

## TIME OUT FOR BUSY WOMEN 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 three commences July 22nd.

WEDNESDAYS 9.30AM-10.30AM

Infant Jesus Parish Centre.



SUNSHINE SINGERS INTER - PARISH SINGING CONTEST (NON-PROFESSIONAL)
AT INFANT JESUS PARISH from 2-5pm

**Open to All Ages–Solo, Duo, Trio Performances**Sing an evergreen song or hymn– it should be something

Sing an evergreen song or hymn— it should be something spiritually based

Three Sections—A Prize for Each Section

- 1. Junior Competition–Sunday 8 November 2015
- 2. Youth Competition—Sunday 15 November 2015
- 3. Adult Competition—Sunday 22 November 2015



Please contact Margaret Box on 9272 8263 or email margaretbox7@bigpond.com or please pick up the contest flyer from the bulletin stand for more information.

## St Rita Rosary Group and Friends from Infant Jesus Morley

Presents Fundraising Dance for Hung and his young family

On Saturday, 19 September 2015 at 7.30pm
At Infant Jesus Parish Centre, 47 Wellington Rd, Morley

Cost: \$15

Band: The Flames
Food and Drinks: BYO or they will be available for
purchase on the night



For tickets, please contact Stella Filose 0401 065 406 or Teresa Nguyen 0438 104 260

### **HUNG'S LAST WISH**

If you would still like to lend your support to Hung & Tracy and their family, please go to

www.gofundme.com/hungslastwish

### FIRST COMMUNION PARENT MEETING

Parents of children who are to recieve the Sacrament of First Communion this year are reminded that the parent



meeting will be held on MONDAY AUGUST 3 at 7pm in the parish hall. Attendance at this meeting is a requirement of the parish Sacramental Programme. Please do not bring your children, this meeting is for parents only.

# COMMUNION TO THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

If you know of anyone who is unable to attend Mass because of illness or advanced age, please do not hesitate to contact the parish office so that we may arrange for a Minister of the Eucharist to visit them on a regular basis.





## WHAT'S HAPPENING





## **Parish Prayer Concerns**

Recently Deceased: Joan Joyce, Tony Stella, Amerigo Colonico;

**Deceased:** Solomon, Mary, Desmond & Gladys Hessing, Raymond Jolly, Renato Sales, Matias Sales, Eduardo Sales, Giacomo Galluccio;

**Anniversaries:** Denzil Owen, Richard Fosberry, Laura Leembruggen, Joe Byrne, Sr. Germaine, Lucy & Thomas Warrier, Rex Wilson, Robert Bruske:

The Sick of the Parish: Graham Sharp, Adelaide Caracciolo, Marta Colli, Antonietta Murabito, Alfonzo Formica, Tindara Cincotta, Reginald Jolly, Betsy Carlin, Hung Nguyen and all the sick who are in need of our prayers.

"Blessed are the clean of heart, For they shall see God."

# INTERESTING SHORT COURSES FOR ADULTS



Besides the wonderful course being offered here in our parish (see notice

under Fr. Sunny's note on previous page), there are some great courses being offered by the Maranatha Centre this term.

The Lowdown on the On-High for Parents: ONLINE course (3 weeks): Wednesday afternoons

**The Mystery of God & Suffering: ONLINE course** (3 weeks) Wednesday evenings

**The Book of Isaiah:** (6 weeks) Wednesday mornings at Newman Siena Centre, Doubleview.

Islam: An Introduction: (3 weeks) Sunday Afternoons at St. Denis Parish, loondana

**Jesus and the Church: The Two Great Sacraments of Love:** (4 weeks) Tuesday evenings at Mary MacKillop Parish, Ballajura <u>OR</u> Wednesday evenings, St. Joseph's Parish, Queens Park.

**Eastern Catholicism:** ( 4 weeks) Friday mornings, Newman Siena Centre, Doubleview.

AND THERE IS MORE! For more information on these and other courses, please see Maranatha Centre program and fliers on the "Faith Education" board in the foyer.

## Children's Liturgy is Back

Every Sunday at 9.30am Mass during school terms. Children are invited to gather at the beginning of the Mass, when a leader will take them to the Parish Centre for the special Liturgy of the Word. The children will be taught about the reading of the Gospel at their level and enjoy some colouring activities. Then, they will join us again before the Communion. If your child is shy, parents are welcome to go along with their child until the child becomes more comfortable.



PILGRIM STATUE: This week is in Mr. Darryl Miranda, 71 Camden Street, Dianella. Ph: 0409370638

#### **Calendar of Saints**

29 July: St. Martha, Disciple (1st Century)
30 July: St. Peter Chysologus, Bishop (450?AD)
31 July: St. Ingantius of Loyola, Mystic (1556AD)

## AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC YOUTH FESTIVAL DEC 3RD—DEC 5TH 2015 IN ADELAIDE

A national event for those not yet old enough or unable to attend World Youth Day! Great Catholic speakers from around Australia and an interactive faith experience for young people. You can either travel as a parish group or register to travel with CYM (Perth Catholic Youth Ministry). Please email cym.com.au for more info. Target age: Year 9 to 25yo.

#### NO MORE READING GLASSES, THANK YOU.

After many years, we will no longer be collecting reading glasses, as the agency which was collecting them has ceased to do so. Thank you to everyone who contributed to this project for people in third world countries over the years.



### DON'T THROW THEM AWAY!

We are collecting shoe boxes and plastic vegetable boxes (from Coles, etc;). Please drop them off to the Parish Office, if you have any or leave them on the

foyer benches in the church. Thank you

#### **HAVE A CUPPA**

You are all very welcome to stay for a cuppa after the 9:30am Mass on Sunday at the Parish Centre.

Our Parish Library will also be opened during that time.

An elderly gentleman is looking for a lift to attend Sunday, 9:30am Mass. He lives on Drake Street, Morley. If you could help, please contact Parish Office on 9276 8500.

### In Our Church Our Parish Team

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

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday 9.30 - 10.30am and 7.30 - 8.30pm Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments: Please contact the Parish Office. **Infant Jesus Parish** 

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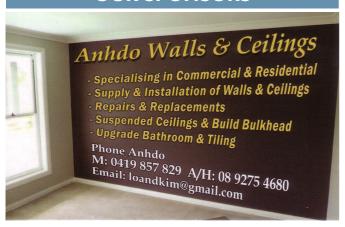
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## SPRINKLER REPAIR



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Help You

Are any of your reticulation sprinklers blocked? Don't buy new ones, let me breathe life into the ones you already have!

All types, incl brass (costly to replace), pop-ups, fixed, 1/2,



Apart from any materials which may be needed, there will be no charge. If you are satisfied with my work, and are in a position to do so, please make a contribution to a charity of your choosing.

**SEASONS FOR GROWTH**—An adult grief and loss program to help people cope with death, separation, divorce, any loss in our lives, will commence Wednesday 29th July,5th,12th,19th August at Mater Dei College, 7-9.30pm. There are only six participants in each program please contact Sr Margaret Kane, rsj, as soon as possible

9440 3914 email margk2@bigpond.net.au

THE JOURNEY CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM: Go to www.jcr.org.au or www.itunes.jcr.org.au where you can listen anytime and subscribe to weekly shows by email.

### YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE— VOCATIONS PRAYER

Loving Father,

Every life created by you has a purpose.

By our baptism you call us by name and invite us to fullness of life in you. Guide us as we prayerfully

choose to live the lives we are called to.

Help us to support one another

in discerning and living out our Christian vocation.

We pray especially today

for those who are considering your invitation

to the priestly or religious life.

May they open their hearts and minds to this call and be encouraged and strengthened through our enthusiasm, our prayer and loving support.

Bless and protect all priests and religious,

whose joy it is to do your will.

We pray especially for our Carmelite friars

who serve us so faithfully, in Your name, here at Morley.

We make this prayer through Jesus your Son. Amen.

## **AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE**

### West Australian CHAPLAINS



2015

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ONSECRATED LIFE

Are you interested in making a difference in school communities across WA? YouthCARE is looking for a number of chaplains in the Bayswater-Morley-Maylands region. YouthCARE chaplains focus on providing a supportive environment for children and young people, irrespective of their faith or cultural backgrounds. To find out more, please contact Jean on 9275 1394 or YouthCARE Head Office: 9376 5000.

### **NEW NORCIA –Institute for Benedictine Studies**

Light and Darkness —exploring Truth and Meaning in the Universe through Ethics, Theology, Art and Music. On 29 Aug 2015 at 10am.

Cost: \$60 Concession: \$35 (includes lunch, morning and afternoon tea)

For all enquiries and bookings, please contact 9654 8371 or

email: carmel.posa@newnorcia.wa.edu.au

RIDING THE ROLLERCOASTER—How to maintain a connection with your **child.** Are you on that rollercoaster ride of adolescence with your son or daughter? One moment everything is great and you are feeling close; the next minute plunged into conflict, confusion and disappointment.... A free parent seminar proudly presented by Servite College on Tuesday 4 August at 6.30-8.30pm at Servite College Seven Holy Founders Centre (Auditorium). Register online at http://tiny.cc/serviterollercoaster.

### 31 Jul - 2 Aug 'MYSTICISM' AT NEW NORCIA

Reading Weekend: Mysticism – Retreat guide, Dr Carmel Posa SGS, will share how most of us tend to think of mystics and mystical experience as associated with great saints of the past who had weird and wonderful experiences of God; however, the Christian mystical tradition is grounded in the spiritual quest to which we are called. This Reading Weekend will explore this mystical tradition and how it intersects with our own experiences of God today. The text for this reading weekend is: Mystics, by William Harmless SJ. Recommended cost for the weekend: \$300. Further info: Dr Carmel Posa sgs, 08 9654 8371, carmel.posa@newnorcia.wa.edu.au

Men & Abortion Trauma Help Line volunteer training: Abortion Grief Australia has achieved a Mental Health Grant to integrate the community into the healing, early intervention and prevention of abortion related mental illness. Training will also focus on community engagement in responding to those traumatised and those at risk, not just crisis line work. Volunteers (male/female) need to be mature, compassionate, good listeners with a desire to learn. Evening weekly training begins Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> August, 7 weeks. Erica 0432 879 826 Email erica.williams@abortiongrief.asn.au