

Infant Jesus Parish

Welcome to Morley



28 June 2026

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary time, Year A.

Served by Teresian Carmelite Friars

Fr. Adalbert Imperial, OCD
Parish Priest

Fr. John Pallippadan, OCD
Assistant Priest



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✠ In Our Church

Morning Mass: Monday - Friday: 7am & 9am

Saturday and Public Holidays: 8.30am

Sunday Masses: 6pm (Saturday),

7.30am, 9.30am, 11.00am (English & Italian) and 6pm

Reconciliation: Saturday 10 - 11am and 5.00 - 5.30pm

Perpetual Novena in Honour of Our Lady of

Mt. Carmel: Wednesday 6.30pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Friday 9.30 - 10.30am

Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments:

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God bless you and all your family

Dear Parishioners,

Welcome!

The gracious and generous welcome of the woman of Shunem for the “holy man of God”, Elisha, points to the conclusion of what Jesus has to say about his Mission. Over the last three Sundays he has been preparing the Twelve “apostles” for their task of proclaiming the Gospel. He finishes with a wonderful affirmation of their ministry: “Anyone who welcomes you, welcomes me; and those who welcome me welcomes the one who sent me”. This links in beautifully with what he will tell us next Sunday: “... no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal Him” (Mt 11, 27?).

Having visited us, Jesus expects us to return the visit, even when and perhaps especially when we are in need: “Come to me all you who labour and are overburdened and I will give you rest, **shoulder my yoke and learn from me for I am meek and humble in heart and you will find rest for your souls**” (Mt 11, 28). His and His Father’s door is always open to us when we are in need, both of them and the Holy Spirit, are always at home and willing to help, “Ask and it will be given to you, seek and you will find, knock and the door will be opened to you...” (Mt 7, 4)

In the Book of Revelation, the same message is given to us: “Listen, I am standing at the door, knocking; if you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in to you and eat with you, and you with me”. (Rev 1, 20)

In Matthew again we are offered another access to Jesus and the Father, not through missionaries but through the poor. When the Risen Lord invites the “blessed” to enter into his Kingdom because they have welcomed Him when he was needy, they are bemused and ask, “... when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you... sick or in prison and visited you?... and He (Jesus) will answer them, “Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.”

Again, the author of the Letter to the Hebrews encourages those whom he is addressing: “Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that some have entertained angels without knowing it.” (Heb 13, 2) The scripture tells us again and again that in welcoming others we are welcoming Jesus, whom God has sent to seek us out and to bring us back to him: “God so loved the world that He sent His only Son so that those who believe in (i.e. welcome) Him will not be lost but will have eternal life.” (Jn 3, 16)

Finally, a personal testimony! Having returned to be with you again after an absence of 21 years, I have experienced a welcome to rival that of the woman at Shunem to Elisha. The parish of Infant Jesus welcomes those who proclaim Jesus’ word and those in need; they feel the welcome of Jesus here. I have experienced that over the last two months among you!

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Gerard.

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- Parish/Agency Support: Safeguarding Program –
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EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Our parish is seeking additional Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to assist in taking Holy Communion to parishioners who are unable to attend Mass due to illness, age, or frailty.

This beautiful ministry brings the presence of Christ and the prayers of the parish community to those confined to their homes or aged care facilities. Visits are generally brief and can be arranged to suit your availability.

If you are a commissioned Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion and would be willing to assist, or if you would like to find out more about becoming involved in this ministry, please contact the Parish Office on 9276 8500.

PLANNED GIVING CAMPAIGN 2026–2027



~If you are already a contributor to the Parish Planned Giving Program, thank you for your ongoing support.~
Envelopes for cash contributions are now available for collection today.

If you are not yet part of the Program, we invite you to consider joining this important parish initiative.



THE IMPORTANCE OF THE PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM

The Planned Giving (PG) Program, together with the Loose Second Collection at weekend Masses, is one of the main sources of parish income.

These funds support the day-to-day running of our parish, including maintenance and repairs, staff wages, insurance, utilities, and all that is needed to keep our parish functioning and flourishing.

In addition, parish collections also enable us to assist newer and less resourced parishes, as well as support seminarians, and retired and ill priests across the Perth Archdiocese. A regular income through Planned Giving assists greatly with parish planning and budgeting for each financial year.

PLEDGE CARDS AND GIVING OPTIONS

Green pledge cards are available in the foyer on the trestle table with the boxes of Planned Giving envelopes. Direct debit and direct bank transfer options are also available.

For more information, please contact Darren or Lucy at the parish office.

A SMALL REQUEST

If members are in a position to increase their contribution by \$1 per week, this would result in approximately \$16,000 additional support per year for the parish.

We understand that times are financially challenging, and there is absolutely no obligation to increase your contribution if you are not in a position to do so.

BEREAVEMENT MASS



Our next Bereavement Group Mass will be held on Tuesday, 7th July at 9:00am

Please join us in remembering those who have passed on in the last month and afterwards for tea & coffee in the parish centre.

Catholic Archdiocese of Perth

Employment Opportunities

The Catholic Archdiocese of Perth has employment opportunities for suitably qualified persons to join its team and continue the good work of the Church.

For details and how to apply, refer to

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- Assistant, Finance – Permanent, Full-time
- Pastoral Assistant, Aboriginal Catholic Ministry – Permanent, Full-time
- Program Facilitator: Family Life Education – CFJSS – Maximum Term, Part-time

Make 2026 Your Year of Spiritual Growth and Understanding

Join us on this enlightening journey at the Centre for Faith Enrichment, the adult faith formation agency of the Archdiocese of Perth, offering a wide range of courses and events on a variety of topics linked to the richness of our Catholic tradition, including Theology, Scripture, Church History, Christian Anthropology and much more.

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St Vincent de Paul Society
good works

The 2026 St Vincent de Paul Society's Annual Winter Appeal will again be held this year in our parish. The appeal is to ask for donations so that emergency assistance can be provided to needy people within the Morley/Dianella area. Often, these people, who are of all ages, in varying circumstances, with differing health problems, including children and the elderly, are in need of help because after spending limited money on increased rent and utility bills, do not have enough money left over to buy enough food.

In the past, the parishioners of the Infant Jesus Parish have been very generous with their donations. It is hoped that your generosity will again continue, so that we can keep helping those who are less fortunate and in need of the basics.

At the conclusion of each mass on the weekend of the 4th and 5th of July, 2026, our Vinnies members will be stationed in the foyer at the rear of the church to collect your donations. Envelopes will be provided in the pews of the church for those who wish to donate by credit/debit transfer. The completed envelopes may be placed in the collection baskets or mailed direct to the Vinnies Head Office in Canning Vale.

Remember, that with your assistance, we can help needy individuals and families by putting some extra food on the table and showing them that there are many caring people in our communities.

Thank you for your compassion and care - Gus Formato,
President Morley

Pope Leo's Prayer Intention for the month

June is dedicated to the values of sports.

Let us pray that sports be an instrument of peace, encounter, and dialogue among cultures and nations, and that they promote values such as respect, solidarity, and personal growth.



Calendar of Saints

29 June - Sts. Peter and Paul, apostles
3 July - St Thomas, apostle.
4 July - Saturday Mass of Virgin Mary
4 July - St Elizabeth of Portugal.



PILGRIM STATUE OF OUR LADY

This week is private devotion.

If you would like our Lady to visit your home, please write your name down on the list in the foyer.

Let Us Pray for One Another

Deceased: Fr Albert McKeogh, OCD, Amereco Colonico, Bill & Nettie Beukelaar, Rocco Tassone, Peter Meek;

Anniversaries: Tho Lon Chan, Paulus Sawian, Antony Ly & Lucy Le, Angela & Costantino, Carmela Puglia, Nicola Pezzotta, Dr Mathew Joseph;

Sick: Bernerdette & Roland Martins;

And all who are in need of our prayers.

"Guide me, Lord, along the everlasting way."

THIS WEEKEND - 28 June - Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ministry	Sat 6pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes/Altar Ministers	Jeremy	Chris L	John	Ruben
Altar Servers	Naethan, Meghan	Aaron, Frank	Crissanto, Cesar	- -
Proclaimers	John, Sylvia	Joanne, Nevellene	Chris, Tony	Alan, Judy
Extr. Ministers Of Communion	Chris, Sejin, Emily, Marcus	Margaret, Quinn, Kerryn, Noeline	Aileen, Marlene, Errol, Josephine, Linda, Patrick	Sr Chau, Sr Le, Sr Oanh, Ivor
Hospitality	John, Milly	Veronica	Sophie, Caroline	Joanne, Karina
Children's Liturgy	-	--	Dawn, Eboney	-
Church Cleaning	Team A, Saturday 4 July at 9.30am			

NEXT WEEKEND - 5 July - Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ministry	Sat 6pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes/Altar Ministers	Bruce	Cyril	Josephine	Chris L
Altar Servers	Nathan, Matthia	Elizabeth, Peter, Paul	Victoria, Kim	Amy, Megan
Proclaimers	Trang, Sylvia	Clare, Joanne	Mark, Barbara	Eloise, George
Extr. Ministers Of Communion	Aadi, Teresa, Tracy, Lucy	Clare, Shirley, Marie, Quinn	Sr Chau, Sr Le, Sr Oanh, Sr Vy, Joseph, Evelyn	Ivor, Fely, Maureen, Tristan
Hospitality	Roopa, Cristina	Angela, Selina	Jovana, Victoria	Rita, Olivia
Church Cleaning	Team B, Thursday 9 July at 10.00am			

PLEASE NOTE - If you are unable to attend on your rostered day, please arrange for someone else in your Ministry to take your place.

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The Living Word

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FIRST READING:

2 Kings 4:8-11. 14-16

That is the holy man of God, let him remain there.

One day as Elisha was on his way to Shunem, a woman of rank who lived there pressed him to stay and eat there. After this he always broke his journey for a meal when he passed that way. She said to her husband, 'Look, I am sure the man who is constantly passing our way must be a holy man of God. Let us build him a small room on the roof, and put him a bed in it, and a table and chair and lamp; whenever he comes to us he can rest there.'

One day when he came, he retired to the upper room and lay down. 'What can be done for her?' he asked. Gehazi (his servant) answered, 'Well, she has no son and her husband is old.' Elisha said, 'Call her.' The servant called her and she stood at the door. 'This time next year,' Elisha said 'you will hold a son in your arms.'

(Quiet Reflection Time)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 88:2-3. 16-19. R. v.2

R. Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

I will sing for ever of your love, O Lord; through all ages my mouth will proclaim your truth. Of this I am sure, that your love lasts for ever, that your truth is firmly established as the heavens. **R.**

Happy the people who acclaim such a king, who walk, O Lord, in the light of your face, who find their joy every day in your name, who make your justice the source of their bliss. **R.**

For it is you, O Lord, who are the glory of their strength; it is by your favour that our might is exalted: for our ruler is in the keeping of the Lord; our king in the keeping of the Holy One of Israel. **R.**

SECOND READING:

Romans 6:3-4. 8-11

Having been buried with him through baptism, we shall walk in a new life.

When we were baptised in Christ Jesus we were baptised in his death; in other words, when we were baptised we went into the tomb with him and joined him in death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the Father's glory, we too might live a new life.

But we believe that having died with Christ we shall return to life with him: Christ, as we know, having been raised from the dead will never die again. Death has no power over him any more. When he died, he died, once for all, to sin, so his life now is life with God; and in that way, you too must consider yourselves to be dead to sin but alive for God in Christ Jesus.

(Quiet Reflection Time)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

1 Peter 2:9

Alleluia, alleluia!

You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy people. Praise God who called you out of darkness and into his marvellous light. Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Matthew 10:37-42

Anyone who does not accept his cross is not worthy of me. Anyone who welcomes you, welcomes me.

Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: 'Anyone who prefers father or mother to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who prefers son or daughter to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who does not take his cross and follow in my footsteps is not worthy of me. Anyone who finds his life will lose it; anyone who loses his life for my sake will find it.

'Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me; and those who welcome me welcome the one who sent me.

'Anyone who welcomes a prophet because he is a prophet will have a prophet's reward; and anyone who welcomes a holy man because he is a holy man will have a holy man's reward.

'If anyone gives so much as a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is a disciple, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.' ✠



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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING: Zechariah 9:9-10

SECOND READING: Romans 8:9.11-13

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 144:1-2. 8-11. 13-14 R. v.1

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 11:25-30