



Our Lady of the Rosary Church  
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# Dominews

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time - C  
August 28, 2022  
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## Mass Timings

### Rosary Church

Thursday, Friday  
1st, 3rd, 5th Saturday:  
12 noon

Saturday Vigil:  
6pm

Sunday:  
8am, 10am, 5:30 pm

### St Laurence's

Monday, Tuesday,  
2nd & 4th Saturday:  
12 noon

Sunday:  
9 am, 11 am

### Calvary Chapel

Wednesday 12 noon

Confessions will be  
available  
before 12 pm Mass,  
Monday- Saturday and  
Saturday Vigil Mass

## Parish Office

If you need to visit the  
Parish Office, please  
note it will be open by  
appointment only.

Email:  
office@napparish.org.au  
8344 1347

If you need a priest  
urgently: contact  
St Laurence's Priory on  
08-8267 2674.



## Congratulations to 50 young people of our parish and parish schools.

They have completed their Christian initiation in the Catholic Church this weekend. (A few more are half way there and will complete next Sunday)



If everything has a beginning, a middle and an end, they have at the same moment completed the beginning and begun the middle. The middle is where the work is done.

We look forward to their contribution to the Church's life.

We expect to see a surge in evangelizing activity, telling people about Jesus.

We hope for an increase in participation in the sacraments.

We will join in much prayer for the healing of the world.

We foresee leadership amongst their peers for deepening the relationship with Jesus.

We will support parents and godparents and grandparents who will lead these people to life in Christ.

As I reviewed the Mass for this Sunday, I saw how appropriate are the readings and prayers for First Holy Communion. This is Providential, since the date was given to us, not chosen by us. The choice to make it a parish celebration meant that the liturgy was that of the occurring Sunday of the Year.

For example:

- the Opening Prayer (Collect) of the Mass calls on God 'the giver of every good gift' – above all, the Eucharist – to 'deepen our sense of reverence' – exactly how Holy Communion is to be received.
- The First Reading and the Gospel arouse in us humility, the only appropriate attitude to receive this holiest of gifts of the Creator to creatures such as we are.
- The Psalm expresses joy at the presence of God, really present in the Eucharist.
- The Psalm likewise praises God for care for the needy – that is ourselves - and whom we are called by his presence to love with his love.
- The Second Reading tells us how we are transported to heavenly company by our faith in the sacrament of Christ's Passion and Death.
- The Prayer over the Gifts asks that what is celebrated in mystery (sacrament) be accomplished in power.
- The Prayer after Communion reminds us that the Eucharist is the 'food of charity' and asks that we be stirred up to serve the Lord in our neighbour.

The Dominican Priory community, and Blackfriars Old Scholars with present staff and students, are grateful for your prayers and participation in the funeral rites for much-loved Br Brendan O'Hearn OP.

## St Laurence's Priory


Fr Kevin Saunders OP (Prior); Fr Kieran Adams OP  
Fr Ben Hensley OP; Fr Paul Rankin OP; Fr William Loh OP

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus was watching to see where the people sat when they were guests at a dinner. He thought it would be a good time to teach people about being humble. If we think we are better than others, or that we deserve to have nicer things than other people, then we are the opposite of humble. When we start to look down on everyone else, pretty soon we may start to think God isn't so great either.

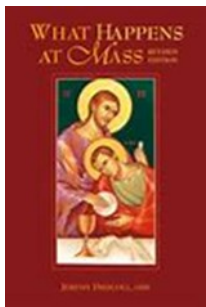
Being humble means knowing that we shouldn't be arrogant, even if we are better at some things than other people or have more money or a more important job than others. Being humble means knowing that God gave us these things to help other, not so that we could show off.

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WEDDING	FRIEND	EXALTS
HUMBLER	LUNCH	RELATIONS
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### More on 'the Mysteries'



"If we use a phrase like 'the mystery of the Eucharist,' this does not mean that which cannot be understood about the Eucharist. It means that the Eucharist is a concrete something in which a divine reality is hidden. If we use the word in the singular, 'mystery of the Eucharist,' it refers to the rite as a whole. But the Eucharist was and is also called 'the mysteries,' and here

the reference is to the various dimensions working together. The gestures, the words, the bread and wine, the members of the assembly in their various roles – all of these are mysteries. In them is hidden the Lord of Glory. This is why at the very beginning of the Mass, the bishop or priest urges the assembly 'To prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries, let us call to mind our sins.' Or in the very centre of the intensity of the Eucharistic Prayer, he exclaims, 'The Mystery of Faith!' and all the people proclaim what is hidden in the consecrated bread and wine; namely that Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again." *What Happens at Mass, Jeremy Driscoll OSB, Liturgy Training Publications, 2005. Pp 3-4.*



**We need to see each child as a gift to be welcomed, cherished, and protected.**

Homily of his Holiness Pope Francis, Rizal Park, Manila, 18 January 2015



### MARRIAGE MATTERS

Raised by our Love

We live in a world where self-promotion is at the heart of many superficial relationships. But ours is a New Covenant of love – Jesus refers to this in the Gospel. In this unique relationship we seek to encourage and raise each other higher. When we fail, as inevitably we do, He calls us to ask forgiveness of each other.

### MORNING TEA

There will be Morning Tea after the Sunday 10am Mass in the Rosary Church Hall. All are welcome.



Please contact the Parish office if you would like to be on the roster to help with setting up and packing up afterward.

## August 28 is Social Justice Sunday

This year's Social Justice Statement, Respect: Confronting Violence and Abuse, invites us to engage with a complex and confronting social reality. It explores the roots of violence and abuse, honours the voices of victims, offers a social and theological exploration of the reality of violence, especially against women and children, and invites us to develop relationships in all parts of our lives 'marked by equality and reciprocity rather than domination and violence, respect and freedom rather than coercion and control.' We welcome this urgent call from our Church to deepen our faith through full and frank discussion and dialogue, advocacy and action. The statement can be found on [socialjustice.catholic.org.au](http://socialjustice.catholic.org.au)

### PARISH

#### **Knitting and Craft Group**

The Parish Knitting and Craft Group will be meeting on Mondays at 1 pm in the Parish Hall. Contact Marie Whitehead for details: 0428 768 333



### ARCHDIOCESE

#### **Ecumenical Prayer Service – September 10 2022 – All Welcome!**

The Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide invites you to an afternoon of Prayer for Reconciliation, Unity, Peace and Harmony with the African Community in South Australia and Africa. This Ecumenical Prayer Service will be held on Saturday September 10 in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral at 2.30pm. Please join Archbishop Patrick O'Regan and Ecumenical Church Leaders for this special day of prayer.

#### **Let Us Dream**

You are invited to our "Let us Dream – Exploring Pope Francis' path to a better future" presented by Josh McDermid on Sunday September 11 from 4-5pm at the Lefevre Catholic Community Meeting Rooms, 253 Military Road, Semaphore. Enquiries to Fr Roderick O'Brien P: 8449 6378. A certificate of attendance is available for professional development. Please register with Fr Roderick before the day.

#### **Diocese of Broome - Kimberley Catholic Volunteer Service**

The Diocese of Broome, WA, urgently requires volunteers to assist in working with the local Church in various Aboriginal communities. There is a variety of important voluntary tasks in administration, building and vehicle maintenance, gardening, hospitality, general cleaning etc. Placements are preferred for a period of six months plus. In return for being part of the team, we offer accommodation, living expenses and a small weekly allowance. For further details, and an application form, please contact: Volunteer Coordinator, Janet Ryan: P: 08 9192 1060 or E: [volunteers@broomedioocese.org](mailto:volunteers@broomedioocese.org), Web: [www.broomedioocese.org](http://www.broomedioocese.org), Mail: PO Box 76, Broome WA 6725

### ARCHDIOCESE

#### **SALA At The Monastery**

This year, The Monastery is hosting two artists as a part of the South Australian Living Artists (SALA) festival. From July 25 – August 31 we will have Colleen Duffy's artwork on display. All are welcome during business hours.

#### **Catholic Tennis Centenary**

The SA Catholic Tennis Association will commemorate its centenary with an afternoon tea at its headquarters, Military Road, West Beach on Sunday October 23 from 2pm to 5pm. Tea will be provided and drinks are available for purchase. Past players, office bearers and their families are cordially invited to this milestone event. E: [westbeachtennisclub@gmail.com](mailto:westbeachtennisclub@gmail.com) or phone Peter Nelligan on M: 0405 720 795

#### **Please pray for:**

**The recently deceased:** Doreen Riley, Br Brendan O'Hearn OP, Michelina Romaldi, Maria Corsini, Waclaw "Victor" Szymaniak, Mary Marshall, Peter Modra, Salvatore Colangelo, Armando Ferraro, Zahra Morton, Gioconda Cavallaro, Brian McDonald, Maria Szumylo, Paul Mahoney, Marie Standish, Sr Mary Glowery LCM, Anthony Portman, Catherine Shinnick, Rosario Belpario, Magda Pindral, Erminia Iadanza

#### **Those whose Anniversaries occur about this time:**

Annie Colaco, Manuel D'Silva, Ted Milne, Karol Urbancic, Maria Dametto, Raffaella Maiorana, Lukasz & Chelsea Ireland, Michael Smiley, Angela Benincasa, Virginia Mehrtens, Domenico Stenta, Daniela Adami, Karol Urbancic, Alfred Copino, Jack McEvoy, Bill McEvoy, Maria Nguyen Thi Phuc, Marie Milne, Jesus Sale Snr, Joseph and Hazel Barry, William Vincent Candler OP, Andres Gelsano Sr, Lina & Vince Frasca, Patricia Marie Monaghan, Tiberio D'Angelis, Deceased members of the Quirino, Nave, and Borrelli families, Berta Sarunic, Rino Berno, Rocco Arlotta, Flavio Berno, Carmen and John Borg, Tomasso Iammarrone, Rosa Trinh Thi Dua

**Those who are sick:** Please keep in your prayers Angela, Tam Thi Thu Pham, Mark Newman, Anne Winders, Ray Bishop, Christine Ruth Leonard, Tracy Mifsud, Toni Iop, Berryl Wannut, Iolanda Pellegrini, the Olesinski family, Hank Dee, members of the Von der Borch family, David & Luciano Vignogna

**Baptisms:** Alyssia Tripodi

**Funerals:** Maria Corsini, Br Brendan O'Hearn OP

*To have the names of your loved ones printed in the weekend bulletin, please contact the office no later than Wednesday afternoon of that week.*

#### **2nd Collection August 20/21**

Planned Giving Envelopes:	\$ 590.00
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*Thank you for your continued support of the Parish.*

**Today's Readings  
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**Entrance Antiphon**

Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.

A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus

*Sirach 3:17-20,  
28-29*

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

*Hebrews 12:18-19,  
22-24*

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Take my yoke upon you;  
learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart.  
Alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

*Luke 14:1, 7-14*

**Communion Antiphon**

How great is the goodness, Lord,  
that you keep for those who fear you.

**Responsorial Psalm**

The just shall rejoice at the presence of God,  
they shall exult and dance for joy.

O sing to the Lord, make music to his name;  
rejoice in the Lord, exult at his presence.

Father of the orphan, defender of the widow,  
such is God in his holy place.

God gives the lonely a home to live in;  
he leads the prisoners forth into freedom.

You poured down, O God, a generous rain:  
when your people were starved you gave them new life.  
It was there that your people found a home,  
prepared in your goodness, O God, for the poor

**Next Week's Readings:**

Wisdom 9:13-18

Philemon 1: 9-10, 12-17

Luke 14:25-33



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