



# OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY, DOUBLEVIEW PARISH

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## SPREAD THE WORD

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### OFFICE HOURS

Tues-Friday: 9.30am to 12.00pm

### MASS TIMES

Monday-Friday 9am  
Saturday 8am (Convent)  
6pm  
Sunday 8am, 10am  
5:30pm

### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesday 8am

### RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 8.30-8.50  
Saturday 5.00-5.45pm

**Twenty-Third Sunday  
in Ordinary Time  
Year B**

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### PARISH SCHOOL

Holy Rosary Primary  
Ph: 9203 4500  
Principal: Mark de Kluyver

### TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Those who have been baptised as infants — and that's most of us — have no recollection of the ceremony. We have no personal memory of the gesture that originated in today's gospel story. But if you have been at a baptism recently you will recall that immediately after the child's immersion or washing there's a series of short rituals. The infant is anointed with chrism, robed in a white garment, given a baptismal candle, and touched on the ears and the mouth. This last action is directly inspired by today's gospel reading.

The words that accompany the gesture are worth revisiting: "The Lord Jesus made the deaf hear and the dumb speak. May he soon touch your ears to receive his word, and your mouth to proclaim his faith, to the praise and glory of God the Father". This is our baptismal calling, to hear the words of God, take it to heart, and speak it forth in all we say and do. Is today an opportunity to reflect on how true we are to our baptismal vocation?

### TEMPORARY OFFICE HOURS

For the next 3 weeks the office will only be attended on Thursday and Friday from 10.30am - 12.30pm

### THANK YOU

Father Peter would like to thank everyone who generously supported the gerbera fund raiser over the past two weeks. A total of \$3,000 was raised which will help to purchase plants for the Rosary Garden. Thanks again to **Mardon Gardens** in Carmel for donating all the potted plants.



### HAVE YOU CONSIDERED PRIESTHOOD?

Men (18-35), who are considering priesthood, are invited to St Charles' Seminary for a day of enquiry. It will be held on **Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> of September** from 9:30am to 3pm. The day includes Mass, morning tea, discussion, lunch & a Holy Hour. Please RSVP by phoning the seminary on 9279 1310 or email the vocation office [vocations@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:vocations@perthcatholic.org.au).

### What's On

Sept: 12 Craft Group -- 9.30am  
16 Morning tea after 8am Mass  
19 'Stay On Your Feet' — 9.30am  
20 School Mass — 9am  
23 Morning tea after 10am Mass  
24 Mass at Regis — 10.30am  
30 Youth Mass — 6pm

## A READING FROM THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MARK

Returning from the district of Tyre, Jesus went by way of Sidon towards the Sea of Galilee, right through the Decapolis region. And they brought him a deaf man who had an impediment in his speech; and they asked him to lay his hand on him. He took him aside in private, away from the crowd, put his fingers into the man's ears and touched his tongue with spittle. Then looking up to heaven he sighed; and he said to him, 'Ephphatha,' that is, 'Be opened.' And his ears were opened, and the ligament of his tongue was loosened and he spoke clearly. And Jesus ordered them to tell no one about it, but the more he insisted, the more widely they published it. Their admiration was unbounded. 'He has done all things well' they said 'he makes the deaf hear and the dumb speak.'

## Commentary on the Gospel

In the gospel today we hear of the story of a cure that only Mark describes in detail. He begins by ascribing an itinerary to Jesus that is peculiarly roundabout. It may be that by having Jesus travel through so much Gentile territory Mark is foreshadowing the later mission of the Church.

There are two indications of Jesus' wish to avoid being characterised as no more than an itinerant healer. He takes the afflicted man aside to cure him in private, and then forbids everyone to say anything about it (to no avail). Mark's constant intent is on getting his readers to see Jesus as the Crucified Messiah, not as a wonder-worker.

Jesus' actions — putting his fingers in the man's ears and touching his tongue with spittle — are firmly in the Catholic sacramental tradition. It is no wonder that this gesture of Jesus along with the word that accompanies it has found its way into the rite of baptism.

The crowd's admiring acclamation of Jesus draws on the glorious vision of renewal in Isaiah 35 that served as the first reading. The message is clear: all that the prophet promised to the exiled Israelites has come to fulfilment in Jesus.

## UFO CRAFT GROUP



We have now handed on four rugs to St Vincent de Paul and Fred Symons tells us two have already found homes.

If still you haven't cleaned out your excess wool, the basket in the church is still there awaiting donations. We have grown to about 20 knitters, some of us working at home. If you are knitting for us at home you can deliver squares to the blue basket in the church entrance and I will collect them for the group to assemble.

If you can't knit or crochet *we will teach you!*

**Next meeting:** Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> Sept  
9.30am to 12.00 noon  
Rosary Community Centre

*Dorothy Johnston*  
Ph 0478 397 934

## **Rosary Community Centre** **presents . . . . .**

### **STAY ON YOUR FEET**

<b>Move</b>	<b>Improve</b>	<b>Remove</b>
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Learn some simple, key tips to help prevent slips, trips and falls

**Wednesday 19 September 2018**  
**Rosary Community Centre**  
**17 Angelico St Woodlands 6018**

**9.30am:** Morning tea  
**10.00 – 11.00am:** Presentation by  
**Stay On Your Feet WA**

All welcome – please RSVP for catering purposes to 0422 965 696 or [rosarycommunitytalks@gmail.com](mailto:rosarycommunitytalks@gmail.com)

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**Rosary Care**  
**Short Term Assistance**  
(Brochure available on notice board)  
Phone: Catherine – 0410 019 556

## **SPECIAL FEASTS**

### **September 13: SAINT JOHN CHRYSOSTOM**

Born in Antioch about 347 and died in exile in Comana (Turkey) on 14 September 407. After some years as a hermit, he was a priest at Antioch, where his brilliant preaching and catechesis earned him the sobriquet 'Chrysostom' (Golden-mouthed). He was appointed patriarch of Constantinople in 397. His reforms, preaching, and ascetic life led to opposition from court and clergy and eventual banishment. He is remembered for his simplicity of life, his care of the poor, the courage of his witness, and his effective preaching of the Scriptures.

### **September 14 : THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS.**

Originally this day commemorated the dedication of Constantine's Basilica of the Holy Sepulchre in the fourth century; after the celebration, the wood of the cross was venerated. The feast spread in the West after the recovery of the relics of the cross from Persia in the seventh century. A feast of the Lord, it celebrates the 'lifting up' of the Son of Man on the cross, into glory, and the paradox of the cross as a sign of humiliation and death, yet the source of victory and life.

### **September 15 : OUR LADY OF SORROWS**

This commemoration originated in the medieval devotion to the seven sorrows of Mary. Approved for the Servite order in the seventeenth century, it was extended to the whole Western Church in 1814 by Pius VII in thanksgiving for his release from captivity under Napoleon. In the light of Simeon's prophecy about a sword piercing Mary's soul (Luke 2:35), the feast celebrates Mary, first disciple and first to share in the pain and triumph of the cross.

## **RECOMMENDED READING**

- Archbishop Costelloe's Pastoral Statement regarding the Church's formal response to the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse  
[www.perthcatholic.org.au](http://www.perthcatholic.org.au)
- The recent letter from Pope Francis, addressed to the People of God, which deals with the abuse crisis within the Catholic Church. The letter can be accessed online at: <https://www.vaticannews.va/en/pope/news/2018-08/pope-francis-letter-people-of-god-sexual-abuse.html>
- Archbishop Costelloe's Pastoral Letter regarding the presentation of the End-of-Life Care Report in Western Australia by a Committee of Inquiry  
[www.perthcatholic.org.au](http://www.perthcatholic.org.au)

## **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

### **DIRECTOR CATHOLIC OUTREACH AN AGENCY OF THE CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF PERTH**

Applications are being sought for the Director for Catholic Outreach, an agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Perth. The position is full time, with an anticipated commencement date of late 2018. The Director provides support to assist parishes to develop and maintain care programs thereby enabling parish volunteers to provide practical emergency short term support for people in need in their local community.

The successful applicant will have a well-developed pastoral understanding of the needs of people, an appropriate degree or experience of working in a Catholic environment, experience using Microsoft Office Suite and the ability to work with staff and volunteers. An understanding of the Catholic Outreach program, knowledge of websites, WordPress and Campaign Monitor would be an advantage.

Salary package includes a fully maintained vehicle and mobile telephone. Applications close Tuesday 25 September 2018. To receive the Job Description and submit your application please email Julie Fuge, Manager Governance & Corporate Services:  
[julie.fuge@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:julie.fuge@perthcatholic.org.au)



## **SATURDAY WINE & CHEESE**

We are running rather low on the supply of white wine in our cellar. If anyone would like to donate a bottle or two it would be greatly appreciated.

## **WELCOME to our PARISH**

We extend a very warm welcome to visitors and new parishioners to our Parish. Please introduce yourself to Fr Peter or Fr Chinh after Mass and if you are joining our Parish, please complete a Parishioner Information form available on the table at the front of the church.

## **2018 Sacramental Program**

### **RECONCILIATION:**

**Parent talk** (Fr Greg Donovan)  
Wednesday 10 October 7pm  
in the Rosary Community Centre

### **Commitment Masses:**

Saturday 13 October 6pm **or**  
Sunday 14 October 10am

### **Parent/Student Workshop:**

Wednesday 17 October 5pm **or** 6.30pm

### **Reconciliation:**

27 October 5pm

## **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Barbara Antonetti, Aiden Blechynden,  
Chloe Birtles, Justin & Katrina Boylan,  
Leith Bowman, Kerry Capelli, Carmel Charlton,  
Fr Kevin Condon, Kit Doran, Megan Garner,  
Lisa Hanley, Mary Hayes, Barbara Hickey,  
Terry Hopson, Jim Kenny, Rosemary Ledger,  
Noelene le Couteur, Benjamin Lopez,  
Rossco Malm, Fr Bernie Maxwell OP,  
Sophie Martin, Joan Meade, Joyce Moss,  
Henry Porter, Mary Pusey, Anthony Samy,  
Peter Scales, Lisa Skrollys, Bob Stidwell,  
Anne Tan, Julie-Anne Taylor, Di Watts,  
Greg Titterton, Hauxley Wood,  
Bro. Marius Woulfe, Jenny Zorich

## **RECENTLY DECEASED**

Enid King

## **TO BE REMEMBERED**

Fred Borg, Catherine & Jim Cummings,  
Vincenzo De Luca, Jan Kordyl, Kath Lamond,  
David Lindsay, Fr Eamon McKenna,  
Les Myszka, Peter O'Dea,  
Petronila & Januario Pereira,  
Domenico Siciliano, Ken Tondut, Bill Walters

*May they rest in peace*

<b>Roster</b>	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 8/9 September</b>	<b>24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 15/16 September</b>
<b>Readers</b> Saturday 6 pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am	<b>Ray Teakle/Liz Crowe</b> <b>Sarah Hammond</b> <b>Dorothy Johnston &amp; Terese Johnston</b>	<b>Helen Murray</b> <b>Miriam Peachey</b> <b>Susanne &amp; Peter Whyte</b>
<b>Acolytes:</b> Saturday 6 pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am	<b>Allan Dwyer</b> <b>Pat Kirwan</b> <b>Brian Gotts, Gordon Kendall</b>	<b>Laurie Smith</b> <b>John Mordini</b> <b>Kevin Susai, Joseph Wong</b>
<b>EMoHC:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am	<b>Teresa &amp; Bern Willett, Tony Wong</b> <b>Peta Berry, Ann Bucat, Elizabeth Re</b> <b>Claudette De Silva, Glenda Gotts</b>	<b>Lina Vinci, Teresa &amp; Bern Willett</b> <b>Ann Bucat, Elizabeth Re, Anne Taylor</b> <b>Elizabeth Susai, Kaye ???</b>
<b>Power Point:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10 am	<b>Sr Imelda</b> <b>Doris Zambonetti</b> <b>Simon Wong</b>	<b>Sr Imelda</b> <b>Margaret Lobo</b> <b>Simon Wong</b>
<b>Music:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10 am	<b>Andy Sambuaga</b> <b>Lexi Wilkinson</b> <b>Choir</b>	<b>Giuliano Vinci</b> <b>Choir</b>
<b>Counters:</b>	<b>(7) Terry Lark, Frank McCabe</b>	<b>(1) Johnston Family</b>
<b>Altar Society:</b>	<b>(1) Susan Feletti, Laraine Penberthy,</b> <b>Teresa Willett (14 September))</b>	<b>(2) Doris &amp; Lucy Zambonetti,</b> <b>Kelly Tahan (21September)</b>
<b>Pilgrim Statue:</b>	<b>Geraldine Drew</b>	<b>Rosemary &amp; Mark Ledger</b>
<b>Children's Liturgy:</b>	<b>Alison &amp; Monica</b>	<b>Carli &amp; Yen</b>