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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday

9.30am - 12pm

MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday: 9am

Saturday: 8am (convent)

6pm

Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5.30pm

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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PERTH WEBSITE:

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**Third Sunday
of Advent
Year B**

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PARISH SCHOOL

Holy Rosary Primary

Ph: 9203 4500

ACTING PRINCIPAL:

Geordie Thuijs.

Please use the hand sanitiser on the table in the foyer, and sign-in as you enter.

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Today's readings (apart from the gospel) are filled with an infectious spirit of joy.

At this mid-point of the season our hopes and expectations are intensifying. The feast of Christmas will soon be here. Today's celebration gives us the opportunity to look beyond the hectic demands that December makes of us. It invites us to find a deeper well-spring of joy than that offered by all our end-of-the-year activities! This joy is truly the gift of God.

PARISH CHRISTMAS CARDS

As in previous years, we would like to have a Parish Christmas card delivered to every home in the Parish.

To make this happen **we need your help!**

Please take the cards relevant to your street and streets near you, and distribute them to your neighbours. Please take extra cards if you were short last year.

COVID-19 UPDATE

Do your part to keep WA safe

In keeping with the new government guidelines made to ensure our state is kept safe from a covid outbreak, parishioners and visitors to our church now need to sign-in. If you have the app on your phone you can scan at the door or on the QR image below. If you don't have the app you need to write your name & phone number on the form provided on the table in the foyer and at the side entrances to the church.



See over for more information.

CHRISTMAS MORNING TEA

There will be morning tea after the 10am Mass on **Sunday 20th December.** Please bring a plate to share.





CHRISTMAS TIMETABLE

Christmas Eve:

Family Mass: 6:00 pm

Due to the maximum number of parishioners allowed in the church under new covid regulations, this mass will be celebrated on the **St Dominic's Playground** up at the school. You might want to bring a chair or rug to sit on.

Christmas Vigil:

Carols: 8:30 pm

Vigil Mass: 9:00 pm

Christmas Day:

8:00 am & 10:00 am

There will be no 5.30pm Mass

A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MARK

A man came, sent by God.
His name was John.
He came as a witness,
as a witness to speak for the light,
so that everyone might believe through him.
He was not the light,
only a witness to speak for the light.

This is how John appeared as a witness.
When the Jews sent priests and Levites from Jerusalem to ask him, 'Who are you?' he not only declared, but he declared quite openly, 'I am not the Christ.' 'Well then,' they asked 'are you Elijah?' 'I am not' he said. 'Are you the Prophet?' He answered 'No.' So they said to him, 'Who are you? We must take back an answer to those who sent us. What have you to say about yourself?' So John said, 'I am, as Isaiah prophesied:

a voice that cries in the wilderness:
Make a straight way for the Lord.'

Now these men had been sent by the Pharisees, and they put this further question to him, 'Why are you baptising if you are not the Christ, and not Eijah, and not the prophet?' John replied, 'I baptise with water; but there stands among you unknown to you the one who is coming after me; and I am not fit to undo his sandal-strap.' This happened at Bethany, on the far side of the Jordan, where John was baptising.

MASS AT THE CONVENT

Parishioners can again attend Mass in the convent on Saturdays at 8am.



St Vincent de Paul Society
(WA) INC
good works

CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

Thank you for returning your baskets this weekend. Your generous support every year is very much appreciated.

The Woodlands Conference of St Vincent de Paul

are in need of new members in order to continue working to help our community. We meet twice a month and assist those who reach out for help in various ways. Should you wish to join our group please contact Fred Symons on 9446 4631 or Libby Dimmer 0401730153.



ROSARY CARE

Do You Need Help?
Brochure available on notice board.
Phone: Catherine – 0410 019 556

SPECIAL OFFER ON SOLAR POWER



Any parishioner of the Our Lady of the Rosary Parish who wants a solar system installed will get a \$100 discount plus a \$100 donation will be made to the Parish.
Contact the director, Allan Sharkey
on 041 669 1888 or email:
allan@get-green.com.au

WA GOVERNMENT UPDATE:
Places of Worship are now exempt from the 2 square metre rule and are able to operate at a 60 percent capacity.

Following the latest WA public health advice, places of worship are now exempt from the 2 square metre rule. They can operate at 60 per cent capacity if this is a larger number than what was allowed under the 2 square metre rule.

This change comes into effect immediately.

From Saturday, 5 December 2020, places of worship will be required to maintain a contact register, in electronic or written form. Maintaining a contact register will assist the WA Health Department with COVID-19 contact tracing, which is one of the most effective measures in controlling the spread of COVID-19 if an outbreak occurred.

A free, simple and secure contact register app, SafeWA, has been developed by the WA Government to make it easy for businesses and venues to check in patrons. It can be downloaded from the [Apple App Store](#) or [Google Play Store](#).

A written contact register must also be available for people who choose not to use the SafeWA app to register attendance.

ADVENT 2020 MOTHERS PRAYERS

We meet in the Parish Community Centre on Tuesdays from 1.30 – 3.00pm. Our reflection is based on the Sunday readings and the Booklet *Adore*. The final meeting is on December 15. Enquiries to Dorothy 0478 397 934.

PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS

While the current Covid-19 restrictions are in place, the collection baskets will not be handed around the pews, however you can continue to support our parish by placing your contributions in the baskets on the table at each entrance of the church. If you prefer to contribute directly into the bank accounts, **see the back page for details.**



This weekend we welcome
**Sebastian Edwards,
Xavier Edwards,
Kora Hookway &
Matilda Hookway**
into our faith community.

FREE FANS

Now that our church has air-conditioning installed, there are a number of pedestal fans which are no longer needed. If you would like to take one (or more!) of these please contact Kaye.



FLOWER ARRANGING

Joyce is still hoping someone will offer their services to help her with the flowers.

Please contact Kaye if you can help Joyce continue her great work.



COUNTERS URGENTLY REQUIRED

I would be great if we could get a few more volunteers to count the collection money each week.



We currently have five groups who are called on every five weeks. We thank the three people have offered their services to help — a few more would spread the load even more.

Please contact Kaye if you can help out in this most important ministry.

REVEREND FUN



"Sorry Folks, we're booked solid ... God himself couldn't get a room here tonight!"

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Welcome

We extend a very warm welcome to visitors and new parishioners to our Parish.

Please introduce yourself to Fr Peter or Fr Tom after Mass.

If you are joining our Parish, please complete a Parishioner Information Form available on the table at the front of the church.

BANK DETAILS

First Collection – support of priests

Account Name: Dominican Fathers

BSB: 086006

Account Number: 485500133

No Reference Required

Second Collection - support for running expenses of the parish and priory

Account Name: Roman Catholic Church
Doubleview

BSB: 086006 Account Number: 482790489

Reference: If you are in the Planned Giving programme please include Name and Planned Giving Number, otherwise no reference required.

Any questions please contact Doris on
0428 441 566.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Barbara Antonetti, David Atkinson,
Leith Bowman, Fr Kevin Condon, Sue Dawson,
Maddy Down, Karl Emirick OP, Tracey Gotts,
Terry Hopson, Fr Peter Kobakina OP,
Jim Kenny, Dinna Lombardo, Benjamin Lopez,
Kelly Malloy, Fr Bernie Maxwell OP,
Leo McHugh, John Meagher,
Peter Ranasingh, Anthony Samy,
Teresa Sheehan, Ann Tan,
Carmel Wall, Di Watts

RECENTLY DECEASED

Sr Assumpta Moriarty OP

TO BE REMEMBERED

Margaret Alvisse, Joshua Beresford,
Gerard Callahan, Luigia Gava, Peter Gerachi,
Betty Lindsay, Michelle Lukey, Frank Malone,
Rosa Scolari, Maurice Mead, Margaret Vance,
Louisa Vloothuis, Martha Thi Phung Vo,
Ann Marie Zini

May they rest in peace

Roster	Third Sunday of Advent 12/13 December	Fourth Sunday of Advent 19/20 December
Proclaimers: Saturday 6 pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am Sunday 5.30pm	Liz Crowe & Ray Teakle Mike Berry & Laraine Penberthy Susanne & Peter Whyte Butson Family	Tony Curry Damien Giumelli & Miriam Peachey Dorothy Johnston & Pat Doody Macfarlane Family
Acolytes: Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am Sunday 5.30pm	Allan Dwyer John Mordini Kevin Susai Simon Martino	Allan Dwyer John Mordini Jeff Lim Simon Martino
EMoHC: Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am Sunday 5.30pm	Libby Dimmer Peta Berry Elizabeth Susai Butson Family	Tony Wong Paul Slyth Joan Lim Simon Martino
Power Point: Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am Sunday 5.30pm	Sr Imelda Doris Zambonetti Simon Wong Nicole Drinkwater	Sr Imelda Margaret Lobo Simon Wong Nicole Drinkwater
Music: Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am	Anne Eddy Choir	Giuliano Vinci Choir
Counters:	(4) Dan Byrne & Jeff Lim	(5) Terry Lark & Frank McCabe
Altar Society:	(5) Nettie Byrne, Mary Slyth (18 December)	(6) Maureen Byrne, Mel Wade (24 December)
Pilgrim Statue:	Mary & Paul Slyth	Shirley & Eddie Fernandez
Children's Liturgy:		