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OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday

9.30am - 12.30pm

MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday: 9am

Saturday: 6pm

Sunday: 8am, 10am, 5.30pm

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 8.30 - 8.55am

Saturday: 5pm - 5.45pm

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesday: 8am

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PARISH SCHOOL

Holy Rosary Primary

Ph: 9203 4500

PRINCIPAL:

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.

WHAT'S ON

August 13: St Dominic's Day Celebration —

**Please join us for morning
tea after the 10am Mass**

14: 7pm Vigil Mass for Feast of the
Assumption of the BV Mary

15: Feast of the Assumption -
Whole school Mass - 9am

20: Morning tea after 8am Mass

THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Is the feast of the Assumption of Our Lady (15 August) really about Jesus' mother floating up to heaven on a cloud immediately after her death? That might be a useful symbol for some, but maybe not for all. Essentially, the feast of the Assumption is saying that Mary has reached the final stage in the development of a human life as it is intended by God.

Her whole existence is now on a higher plane. Her sharing in the divine life as the mother of Jesus, the extraordinary intimacy of her relationship with God, has resulted in a unique transformation of her human life immediately after death.

Physically, her human body, like that of Jesus, has been transfigured in such a way that it is no longer subject to death or even suffering. With her Son Jesus she has already arrived at the stage we hope to reach on the last day when Jesus comes again in glory to raise the dead to life and reward the just.

Far from being remote from us and our concerns, her closeness to Christ makes her more aware and more available to support and befriend us.

That is what Catholics celebrate on the feast of Mary.



Celebrating St Dominic

Dear Parishioners and Visitors

The records we have from the 13th century reveal Dominic as a man who was constantly cheerful, good company, easy to get along with, insightful into other people's trials and worries, and full of enthusiasm for what he was convinced God was calling him to do. In Northern Spain he was asked by his bishop in 1203 to accompany him on a diplomatic journey for the Spanish King of Castile to negotiate a marriage between the King's son and a Danish princess.

During that journey Dominic came into contact with people from Northern Europe who did not know the Christian God, and with Christians in Southern France who had accepted strange ideas about God taught to them by wandering preachers.

These strange ideas included the belief that a good god created the human spirit, while an evil god was the creator of all material reality, including the human body.

In the remaining eighteen years of Dominic's life, he was only about 50 when he died, he gathered around him a community of like-minded young men and established a new lifestyle for priests and brothers in the Church. The basis of that lifestyle was taken from the monasteries dotted throughout Europe. Dominic and his followers chose to live in communities where, like the monks, they daily prayed together, renounced marriage and all private ownership, and lived in obedience to their superiors. Dominic's principal innovation was that, unlike the monks, Dominicans were not to spend their lives praying, studying and working within a monastery, but were to be sent out of their communities to preach the Gospel wherever they could get a hearing – in marketplaces, small villages and even in the countryside. This meant that instead of earning their living by manual labour and growing their own food like the monks, Dominicans were to live off the Gospel they preached, by begging from those to whom they preached the Gospel.

Also new in the Dominican way of life was the democratic practice of communities electing their superiors. And the idea that anyone could be dispensed from community obligations, including prayer, for the sake of preaching the Gospel, which was to be the principal objective of the Dominican Order. To pass on to others the God who had been reflected on in prayer was the Order's motto.

By the time Dominic died in 1221 there were at least twenty Dominican communities in five European countries. Today the Order is divided into over forty provinces in more than a hundred countries with about six thousand friars and over 30,000 Dominican sisters.

Fr Tom.



BLESSING FOR THE FEAST OF ST DOMINIC

May God the Father, who made us,
bless us.

May God the Son, who redeemed us,
send healing into our midst.

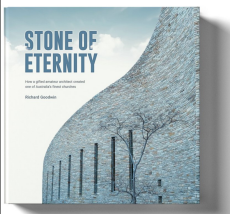
May God the Holy Spirit, who gives us life,
move within us.

May God give us eyes to see to God, ears to hear God,
and hands to bring God's work into the world.

May we walk with God and preach the word of God to all.

May the angel of peace watch over us and lead us at last
by God's grace to the eternal Kingdom.





Copies of the book, **Stone of Eternity**, which was commissioned to mark the 50th anniversary of the completion and opening of our church in May 1973 are still available.

You can purchase a copy at the morning tea after the 10am Mass this weekend. Cost is \$20 – cash only, as we do not have card payment facilities. Sale proceeds support the **Our Lady of the Rosary Foundation** to ensure the ongoing preservation of the church building.

The book has been well received by friends and colleagues of Fr Bonaventure Leahy (1920-90). They include:

- **Fr Donagh O'Shea** OP, Director of the Dominican Retreat Centre, Dublin:
"The beautiful book on Fr Bony's church . . . did him credit even though he was the last man in the world to want credit. I will treasure it."
- **Nancy Clarke**, retired librarian, Signadou Teachers College, Canberra:
"It reads wonderfully. . . it's an exciting story, with many downs and ups."
- **Fr Niall McDermott**, the understudy who finished the building of the church:
"The long awaited masterpiece did everything I would have expected and more. Congratulations on the fine work – every bit as worthy as the subject covered."

CATHOLIC YOUTH UNITE 2023 –

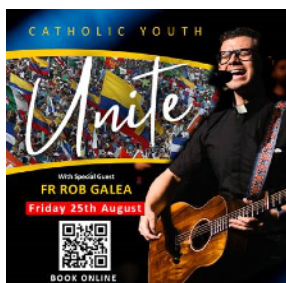
We are thrilled to continue the spirit and theme of World Youth Day by coming together on the 25th of August 2023 for UNITE. This event will be a beacon of unity, where young hearts can connect, share their faith, and grow stronger together.

Date: Friday, 25th August 2023

Time: 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Tickets: \$12

Venue: University of Notre Dame Australia - Drill Hall [32 Mouat St, Fremantle]



For more details and to purchase tickets, please visit unite.cym.com.au



Aid to the Church in Need

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This month *Aid to the Church in Need* is raising money to support Sisters in Paraguay. These Sisters not only care for the young people in Paraguay but they also support the families, visit the sick and the elderly, bring Holy Communion to those in need, give catechetical instruction and support disadvantaged with practical help and advice. To learn more and to make an offering visit www.aidtochurch.org/monthlyproject

GARDEN HELP

A former parishioner is offering a 15% discount for gardening services in August. If you would like to get your garden ready for spring, call *Pardon Your Garden* on 0431 326 638. Mention that you are from Our Lady of the Rosary parish. For more information, go to: www.pardonyourgarden.com.au.

POETRY CORNER

"Out In The Fields With God"

The little cares that fretted me,
I lost them yesterday,
Among the fields above the sea,
Among the winds at play,
Among the lowing of the herds,
The rustling of the trees,
Among the singing of the birds,
The humming of the bees.

The foolish fears of what might pass
I caste them all away,
Among the clover-scented grass
Among the new-mown hay,
Among the hushing of the corn,
Where drowsy poppies nod,
Where ill thoughts die and good are born -
Out in the fields with God.

ELIZABETH BARRETT BROWNING

ROSARY CARE

Do you know anyone needing care?
Meals/Transport/Visiting/Family Support.
Contact Catherine 0410 019 556
Brochures are available on the
notice boards.

PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS

Thank-you for your ongoing support of our priests and parish. The collection baskets are now being handed around the pews, however to reduce the handling of cash you may prefer to contribute directly into the bank accounts - **the bank details are:**

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 No: 482790489

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

If you have any questions please contact Doris on 0428 441 566.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Barbara Antonetti, Cody Bartell, Mary Anne Berry,
Leith Bowman, Clifford De Silva,
Gary and Grace George, Steve Gualnam,
Fr David Halstead OP, Barry Johnston,
Fr Peter Kobakina OP, Leo McHugh,
Dinna Lombardo, Benjamin Lopez,
Terry McAdam, John Meagher, Taryn Murphy,
Anthony Samy, Teresa Sheehan, Nino Siciliano,
Ann Tan, Carmel Wall, Di Watts

RECENTLY DECEASED

Bernadette Quadros
*With deepest sympathy
to her family & friends*



TO BE REMEMBERED

Nelly Alviss, Frank Arculus, Elizabeth Begbie,
Kira Bousloff, Bill Brown, Carmela Caroleo,
Coral Cummings, Anna De Laurentis,
Theresa Eijeck, Eileen Gardner,
Helena Fitzgerald, Peter Hitchcock, Lou Kaharty,
Kath Lamond, Eric Langton, Lily McIntyre,
Reit Maria, Julio Martino, Annette Mellor,
Joseph Moniz, Br Brendan O'Hearn OP
Primo Padini, Rose Scally,
David Watts, David Yearwood
May they rest in eternal peace.

Roster	<i>19th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> 13 August 2023	<i>20th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> 20 August 2023
Proclaimers: Saturday 6 pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am Sunday 5.30pm	Janeen Murphy Laraine Penberthy & Andrew Martin Pat Doody & Terese Johnston Jon Kirk	Leon Wall Miranda & Steve Hickey Susanne & Peter Whyte The Butson Family
Acolytes: Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am	Allan Dwyer Kevin Susai	Tony Wong Gordon Kendall Alex Mitchell
EMoHC: Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am	Bern Willett Stephanie Tenger Monica Hau	Elizabeth Re Cathy Bostock Mel Mitchell
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:	(3) Les Norrish, Pat Doody, John Astone	(4) Jeff & Joan Lim, Trish Plackett
Altar Society: Altar Linen:	Doris & Lucy Zambonetti, Kelly Tanham Elizabeth Susai	Elizabeth Susai
Pilgrim Statue:	Fay Tranter	Carmel & Brian Arculus