

25th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

Entrance Antiphon

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.

First Reading Is 55:6-9

Seek the Lord while he is still to be found, call to him while he is still near. Let the wicked man abandon his way, the evil man his thoughts. Let him turn back to the Lord who will take pity on him, to our God who is rich in forgiving; for my thoughts are not your thoughts, my ways not your ways - it is the Lord who speaks. Yes, the heavens are as high above earth as my ways are above your ways, my thoughts above your thoughts.

Responsorial Psalm

The Lord is near to all who call him.

Second Reading Phil 1:20-24, 27

Christ will be glorified in my body, whether by my life or by my death. Life to me, of course, is Christ, but then death would bring me something more; but then again, if living in this body means doing work which is having good results - I do not know what I should choose. I am caught in this dilemma: I want to be gone and be with Christ, which would be very much the better, but for me to stay alive in this body is a more urgent need for your sake.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Open our hearts, O Lord, to listen to the words of your Son. Alleluia!

Gospel Mt 20:1-16

Jesus said to his disciples: 'The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner going out at daybreak to hire workers for his vineyard. He made an agreement with the workers for one denarius a day, and sent them to his vineyard. Going out at about the third hour he saw others standing idle in the market place and said to them, "You go to my vineyard too and I will give you a fair wage." So they went. At about the sixth hour and again at about the ninth hour, he went out and did the same. Then at about the eleventh hour he went out and found more men standing round, and he said to them, "Why have you been standing here idle all day?" "Because no one has hired us" they answered. He said to them, "You go into my vineyard too." In the evening, the owner of the vineyard said to his bailiff, "Call the workers and pay

them their wages, starting with the last arrivals and ending with the first." So those who were hired at about the eleventh hour came forward and received one denarius each. When the first came, they expected to get more, but they too received one denarius each. They took it, but grumbled at the landowner. "The men who came last" they said "have done only one hour, and you have treated them the same as us, though we have done a heavy day's work in all the heat." He answered one of them and said, "My friend, I am not being unjust to you; did we not agree on one denarius? Take your earnings and go. I choose to pay the last-comer as much as I pay you. Have I no right to do what I like with my own? Why be envious because I am generous?" Thus the last will be first, and the first, last.'

Communion Antiphon

You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept; may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes.

Next Week's Readings (Year A): Ezek 18:25-28; Phil 2:1-11; Mt 21:28-32

Parish Masses & Devotions 21 September - 27 September

Monday	10.00am	Rosary Cenacle	(all welcome)	St. Joseph's
Tuesday	9.00am	Mass		St. Joseph's
Wednesday	12 noon	Mass		St. Joseph's
Thursday	8am-5pm 5.00pm	Exposition Mass		St. Joseph's St. Joseph's
Friday	11.00am 11.30am 12.00pm	Holy Hour Reconciliation Mass		St. Joseph's St. Joseph's St. Joseph's
Saturday	5.30pm 6.00pm	Reconciliation Mass		r Lady of the Bay Lady of the Bay
Sunday	9.00am 5.30pm 6.00pm	Mass Reconciliation Mass	Oui	Lady of the Bay Lady of the Bay Lady of the Bay



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POWERPOINT AND SOUND SYSTEM

A meeting will be held after the 9am Mass on **Sunday, 4 October** at Our Lady of the Bay where Father will go over the steps needed to operate the PowerPoint, now the new sound system is in place. The more people who know how things function, the better. (Plus, it would just be incredibly helpful.) Ring the Parish Office if you are interested and remember attending the meeting does not make it a firm commitment, so please come, and see if this is something you would like to be part of.

JOIN US IN OCTOBER

It's been a tough year for many, both here in Australia and throughout the world.

Fr. William G. Most wrote in his book 'MARY IN OUR LIFE — Our Lady in Doctrine and Devotion', "Today, when dangers far greater than those of the ancient Turks threaten not only Christianity but all civilization, we are urged by our Blessed Mother to turn again to the Rosary for help. If men in sufficient numbers do this, and at the same time carry out the other conditions that she has laid down, we have the greater reason for confidence that we will be delivered from our dangers."

Please join us at 10am at St. Joseph's, where we will meditate and pray the Rosary, **each Saturday throughout October** (the Month of the Rosary). The Rosary has the power to bring peace to a world in crisis and win the salvation of souls. On the last Saturday, 31October, we will be praying it as a 'Living Rosary' where each bead will be represented by a person. There is a list in the Church to put your name beside a number. Sixty people will be needed.

<u>PRIESTS WELFARE FOUNDATION APPEAL</u> - "For the care of our Spiritual Fathers"

All priests of the Diocese wish to thank those who contributed most generously to the annual Priest's Welfare Foundation "Father's Day" Appeal. Your donation is gratefully appreciated.

Donations can be made at any time using the Donation Envelopes at the back of the Church and placing these in the collection basket or sending them directly to the Foundation.

Receipts for claiming Tax Deductions will be forwarded to your nominated address as soon as possible.

THE FIG TREE IN WINTER

God of days when nothing goes right, help us to know that we are not cursed. Scripture tells us that Jesus was impatient with the fig tree that did not bear fruit.

But he gave it another chance, another year to come good.

May we be patient with ourselves and with you.

May we accept that all things have their season and learn with St Peter that sometimes
You will put a belt around us and take us where we would rather not go.
We wait in joyful hope for the unfolding of your plan.
Amen.



From Michael McGirr's TREES WITHOUT MASKS
Compliments from Garratt Publishing

KEEPING IN TOUCH



When our Seniors move away to be nearer to family or closer to medical facilities, the change no matter how good it is on the whole, can be difficult for them. There is a little homesickness because

they miss their friends and the social aspect of their old Parish life.

Catherine, John Freakley's daughter, visits him daily and has asked that anyone who would like to drop him a line, send it to 13 Pelican Loop, High Wycombe WA 6057, and she will ensure he receives it. You might also like to include a photocopy of a photo of yourself, to jog his memory, as John has a little dementia. I will be happy to photocopy your photo here in the office for you, if it would help.

I also have the addresses for Patti Lynn, Jess Mapson and Ev Brand, for those who might wish to send some news or a Card to them.

LEGION OF MARY

Legion of Mary are escorting the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady to Parishioner's homes at 10.30am on the first Thursday of each month, Father will celebrate a Mass, bless your home and the Rosary will be prayed. If you are interested, please call Loly Scott 0411 080 141 to schedule a visit.

CRAFT AND COFFEE GROUP



The Craft and Coffee Group of a Tuesday from 1pm-4pm in the Ned Kennv Centre. whatever you are working on at

the moment and have a chat and cuppa while you work OR perhaps you might like someone to start you off on your knitting or crochet project. The Facilitator: Kaye Middleton 9755 4939 ladies are very, very helpful.

THE SICK

Please pray for:

Tim Wall; Paula Howell; Peter Ball;

Tony Middleton (Heather Mead's Dad);

Sione Hehea: Judy Carter: Blake Wilson; Ev Brand; Liz Neil.

VISIT THE PARISH WEBSITE LIKE US ON FACEBOOK

Have you missed out on a bulletin because you were away? Or are you reading of a weekend and need to practice and pray the readings? You can find this information and more on our Parish Website (www.sjparish.org.au/busselton).

The Parish Facebook page 'Busselton Catholic Parish' is designed to connect with Facebook users to promote masses and celebrations and for reminders.

ARE YOU KEEPING YOUR EYES PEELED



For: Large white china platters Oven travs

Knives and Forks

And are your ears open for news of: a glass two door commercial fridge?

These items are needed for the Parish Centre at Our Lady of the Bay.

HOLY COMMUNION



Please ring the Parish Office if vou would like one of our Extraordinary Minsters to offer you Communion in your home. A time convenient to all, will be arranged.

MEDITATION GROUP

You are warmly invited to join A warm welcome is extended to all, to come and help deepen your Sacred connection to God with the Christian Meditation Group.

> They meet of a Wednesday afternoon in the Ned Kenny Centre (attached to St Joseph's Church, Kent Street) at 4.00pm.

MEMORIAL ANNIVERSARY

2010: Peter Smith

Sun 6pm

Acolyte: ?



CHURCH **COLLECTIONS**

Thank you to parishioners who have continued to contribute during this time. Your generosity and your support for the ongoing costs of the Parish is very much appreciated.

Weekend 12/13 Sept.

Envelopes: \$1,690.00 \$ 801.75 Loose:



ROSTER 26/27 SEPT

Sun 9am

Deacon: Barry

Greeters: Kaye, Patricia, Peter

Commentator: Kaye C Readers: Margaret, Allen Children's Liturgy: Holidays

Greeters: Joan, Roz Commentator: Joan Readers: Marlies, Denise

OLB Sacristan: Helen

Laundry: Di Cleaning: Janet, Di

Greeters: Trish, Di

Readers: Mary S., Rosemary

Commentator: Di

Sat 6pm

Acolyte: Tim

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HOUSEKEEPING

Anyone feeling unwell or who has flu/respiratory symptoms, elevated body temperatures or have been in contact in the previous fourteen (14) days with persons suspected to have, or who have been diagnosed with COVID-19 are asked not to enter the church.

Contact List: Although the Government restriction that required contact information has been lifted; for our own safety we have decided to keep our contact list going in case of future infections within the community. (This is voluntary)

Hand Sanitiser: to be used when entering and exiting church.

Temperatures will be taken for your reassurance.

Coughing: Should you need to clear your throat, please insure you follow hygienic practices and cough into your sleeve or elbow. Cloth face coverings may add another layer of protection, for others.

Pews: Cards have been placed on the ledges at 1.5m apart to allow social distancing to take place.

Sign of Peace: A simple bow and a big smile—no handshaking.

Communion - Please receive this in the hand.

Singing - At the moment there is no singing through the Masses.

Bulletin - Please take it home, read it and recycle!

Cleaning - Parishioners are asked to stay behind to help clean and disinfect the church in readiness for the next Mass. Wipes are placed on every 2nd pew for convenience.

SCHOLARSHIPS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME

The Trustee of the KSC Education Foundation Inc (a project of the Knights of the Southern Cross) takes pleasure in again inviting applications from teachers of Religious Education in Catholic Schools in Western Australia to undertake further study for units in Religious Education and Theology at the University of Notre Dame Australia in 2021.

Application forms & further information:

The Trustee

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Email: office.kscwa@perthcatholic.org.au Website: www.kscwa.org.au

Applications open on 31 August 2020 and close on 28 October 2020

WA VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED

3 months, 6 months, 12 months

Due to COVID-19 our normal access to volunteers has ceased. We urgently need people to volunteer at Kalumburu Mission, and the communities of Warmun, Balgo, Bidyadanga, and the Dampier Peninsula.

If you are prepared to offer your skills to these communities the Diocese of Broome would love to hear from you (either couples or singles). The Kimberley region is home to some of Australia's oldest indigenous communities and picturesque landscapes. Volunteers play an important role in the parishes. For further information please contact: Diocese of Broome Chancery T: 08 9192 1060 or E: info@broomediocese.org

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