

Entrance Antiphon

Francis, the man of God, left his home behind, abandoned his inheritance and became poor and penniless, but the Lord raised him up.

First Reading Galatians 6:14-18

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God. I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. Amen.

**The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God**

Responsorial Psalm

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord.

Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you. I say to the Lord: 'You are my God.' O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup; it is you yourself who are my prize. **R/**

I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel, who even at night directs my heart. I keep the Lord ever in my sight: since he is at my right hand, I shall stand firm. **R/**

You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, at your right hand happiness for ever. **R/**

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth; you have revealed to little ones the

mysteries of the kingdom. Alleluia!

Gospel Matthew 11:28-30

Jesus said, 'Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest. Shoulder my yoke and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. Yes, my yoke is easy and my burden light.'

**The gospel of the Lord
Praise to Lord Jesus Christ**

Communion Antiphon

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.



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PARISH EVENTS & MASS TIMES

Sat 5th	6:00pm	Vigil Holy Mass - Soul of Mary Loh Kong Mui Lan
Sun 6th	10:00am 6:00pm	Feast Mass - Bishop Donald Sproxton DD Holy Mass - For the Parishioners.
Mon 7th	6:00pm 6:30pm	Rosary Communion Service / Holy Mass
Tue 8th	6:00 pm 6:30 pm	Rosary Holy Mass
Wed 9th	6:00pm 6:30pm	Rosary Holy Mass
Thu 10th	10:45am 6:00pm 6:30pm	Holy Mass - Donovan Nursing Home Rosary Holy Mass
Fri 11th	9:00am 9:30am 6:00pm	Rosary Holy Mass Adoration
Sat 12th	9:00am 9:30am	Holy Rosary Holy Mass

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI FEAST



St. Francis of Assisi Feast on **6th October Sunday** at 10:00 am by Bishop Donald Sproxton DD.

5th October Saturday: BLESSING OF THE PETS

In Parish Tradition with the Feast of St Francis of Assisi, the Blessing of the Pets will be **at 10.30am**. Please bring your Pets along.

6TH OCTOBER: Feast Mass at 10:00 am as one community mass followed by Parish Brunch at 11:30 am. Please bring a plate to share.

Thank you

HAPPY FEAST TO ALL PARISHIONERS



A VERY, VERY BIG THANK YOU!

The Maida Vale Conference of the SVdP Society would like to express our heartfelt thanks and profound gratitude to all our wonderful Parishioners for their generosity and support at our Poor Man's Mass Appeal last weekend. An absolutely amazing total of **\$5,988.95 inc. EFTPOS** was raised for the poor and needy within our Church boundaries. We are very blessed to have such compassionate and kindhearted discipleship from our Parish community. See summary below

- Saturday September 28th - **6pm - \$1,354.40**
- Sunday September 29th - **8am - \$907.40**
- Sunday September 29th - **9:30am - \$1,584.15**
- Sunday September 29th - **6pm - \$2,143.00**

God Bless You All!!

**FEASTS OF THE MONTH OF OCT
SAINTS**

- OCT 4 St Francis of Assisi
- OCT 7 Our Lady of the Rosary
- OCT 15 St Teresa of Jesus
- OCT 17 St Ignatius of Antioch
- OCT 18 St Luke
- OCT 28 St Simon and Jude

**DIVINE MERCY
DEVOTION**



**3 PM FIRST
SUNDAY**

NEW PARISH CENTRE DEVELOPMENT | TARGET 300,000.00

SEPTEMBER '24 -\$8610.15 | EOFY '24 | TOTAL RAISED - \$302,462.66


We are now fundraising for the Western Power connection, tables/chairs and external finishing's. These include paving, kerbing, reticulation, landscaping, crossover, safety bollards, car park lights, line marking/disabled bays, handrails, disable access ramps and CoK mandates. **GRAND OPENING | Sunday 24th November 2024 - 9:30AM**

EFT Bank Details:

National Australia Bank Limited
BSB No. 086-006
Account No. 90517-9623
Cheques Made Payable to:
 St. Francis of Assisi Parish Fundraising

Thank you for your generosity. God Bless!
Fr. Joseph (Parish Priest) and Jennifer (PPC)

Parish Centre Construction Update:

 The Parish centre build is going very well. The texture wall coat has been completed and the paving works around the centre will start shortly. The new underground electrical supply to the Parish has been installed and has been connected to the new Parish centre. Access to the toilets and office is now from the rear of the old parish centre until the work is completed. Please be careful when negotiating this area and follow the signs. **Thank you., PPC**

Peace Prayer of St Francis of Assisi

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace:
 where there is hatred, let me sow love;
 where there is injury, pardon;
 where there is doubt, faith;
 where there is despair, hope;
 where there is darkness, light;
 where there is sadness, joy.
 O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek
 to be consoled as to console,
 to be understood as to understand,
 to be loved as to love.
 For it is in giving that we receive,
 it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
 and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.
 Amen.

For the Sick: Lynette Arnold, Chris Muller, Phillippe and Noelle Payet, Clare Arnold, Bernadette Lach, Rachel Kaciuba, Rudi Sirr, Justin Clohessy, Mary Aung-Sein, Florlito Tenido, Shanelle Murray, Lucy Aung-Sein, Charmaine Samuel, Michelle Tompson.

Contact Joela Sequeira, Parish Secretary for names to be added or continued to the Sick List, otherwise the names will be deleted after two weeks. Thank you. Fr. Joseph

In Memoriam: A. Moore, Peta Gee, Mary Loh Kong Mui Ian, Marcello Bianchini, Michael & Sara Scolaro, Molly Brokenshire, Ruby Francis, Leslie William Young, Sylvia Adeline Harding, Duncan Bradley, Catherine Blake, Nonna Gina.

Parish Centre Diary

Sun 6th	9:30 am	NO Children Liturgy
Tue 8th	4:00pm 5:45 pm	PREP Legion of Mary
Wed 9th	4:00pm	Ukulele group
Thu 10th	9:30 am 1:00 pm 5:00 pm 7:00pm	Craft Group Legion of Mary RCIA Bible Study
Fri 11th	10:00am	Morning Tea

MIND YOUR STEPS!



Our pews are slightly raised, but may not seem obvious to some of our beloved guests. Please mind your steps when coming in and out of the pews.

A Word of Thanks to Fr. Kumar Raja from India for his presences and help during the last two weeks. God bless Him.

Fr. Joseph

**IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY
AT LAKE MONGER**

FRIDAY 18th October 2024
Starting at 7.00 pm

CONGREGATING AT THE GAZEBO near Powis St
Down from the carpark end of **DODD STREET, WEMBLEY.**

THIS INVITATION IS OPEN TO EVERYONE

We especially invite families, those of Rosary Confraternities and Legionaries. The paths are wheelchair and stroller accessible.

Please bring torches as no naked flames are allowed.

For those unable to walk (approximately one and half hours)

there will be an area at the starting point to gather and participate in the rosary.

Please bring a chair to sit on in the gazebo.

5th/6th Oct	6:00 PM	9:30 AM	6:00 PM
Commentator	George F	Helga S	Benjo C
1st Reader	Jan F	Philomena T	Lauren M
2nd Reader	Abigail R	Neha K	Paolo J
Acolyte	Josef	David	Michael

12th/13th Oct	6:00 PM	8:00 AM	9:30 AM	6:00 PM
Commentator	Graham B	Joe K	Matt W	Philip M
1st Reader	Imelda B	Frances A	Tibor A	Sarah M
2nd Reader	Jessie C	Gale M	Evelyn R	Margaret O
Acolyte	Josef	David	David	Michael

	5th/6th Oct	12th/13th Oct
Counters	Ingrid Dekker, Bill Pocock, Betty Flynn, Christine Peters	Brian Menezes, Evelyn Ramos
Church Cleaner	Sony Family, Philip Family	Sherwin Moreira, Ramos Family
Reading for	Genesis 2:18-24; Hebrews 2:9-11; Mark 10:2-16	Wisdom 7:7-11; Hebrews 4:12-13; Mark 10:17-30