

CORPUS CHRISTI - Mass Readings

Entrance Antiphon

He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.

First Reading

Exodus 24:3-8

Moses went and told the people all the commands of the Lord and all the ordinances. In answer, all the people said with one voice, 'We will observe all the commands that the Lord has decreed.' Moses put all the commands of the Lord into writing, and early next morning he built an altar at the foot of the mountain, with twelve standing-stones for the twelve tribes of Israel. Then he directed certain young Israelites to offer holocausts and to immolate bullocks to the Lord as communion sacrifices. Half of the blood Moses took up and put into basins, the other half he cast on the altar. And taking the Book of the Covenant he read it to the listening people, and they said, 'We will observe all that the Lord has decreed; we will obey.' then Moses took the blood and cast it towards the people. 'This' he said 'is the blood of the Covenant that the Lord has made with you, containing all these rules.'

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm

R. I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord.

How can I repay the Lord for his goodness to me? The cup of salvation I will raise; I will call on the Lord's name. **R**

O precious in the eyes of the Lord is the death of his faithful. Your servant, Lord, your servant am I; you have loosened my bonds **R.**

A thanksgiving sacrifice I make: I will call on the Lord's name. My vows to the Lord I will fulfil before all his people. **R.**

Second Reading

Hebrews 9:11-15

Now Christ has come, as the high priest of all the blessings which were to come. He has passed through the greater, the more perfect tent, which is better than one made by men's hands because it is not of this created order; and he has entered the sanctuary once and for all, taking with him not the blood of goats and bull calves, but his own blood, having won an eternal redemption for us. The blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer are sprinkled on those who have incurred

defilement and they restore the holiness of their outward lives; how much more effectively the blood of Christ, who offered himself as the perfect sacrifice to God through the eternal Spirit, can purify our inner self from dead actions so that we do our service to the living God. He brings a new covenant, as the mediator, only so that the people who were called to an eternal inheritance may actually receive what was promised: his death took place to cancel the sins that infringed the earlier covenant.

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

On the first day of Unleavened Bread, when the Passover lamb was sacrificed, his disciples said to Jesus, 'Where do you want us to go and make the preparations for you to eat the passover?' So he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, 'Go into the city and you will meet a man carrying a pitcher of water. Follow him, and say to the owner of the house which he enters, "The Master says: Where is my dining room in which I can eat the passover with my disciples?" He will show you a large upper room furnished with couches, all prepared. Make the preparations for us there.' The disciples set out and went to the city and found everything as he had told them, and prepared the Passover. And as they were eating he took some bread, and when he said the blessing he broke it and gave it to them. 'Take it,' he said 'this is my body.' Then he took a cup, and when he had returned thanks he gave it to them, **and all** drank from it, and he said to them, 'This is my blood, the blood of the covenant, which is to be poured out for many. I tell you solemnly, I shall not drink any more wine until the day I drink the new wine in the kingdom of God.' After psalms had been sung they left for the Mount of Olives.

The gospel of the Lord

Praise to Lord Jesus Christ

Communion Antiphon

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord

CORPUS CHRISTI - Year B – 2 JUNE 2024



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PARISH EVENTS & MASS TIMES

Day	Time	Event
Sat 1st	6:00pm	Vigil Holy Mass - For the Parishioners
Sun 2nd	8:00am	Holy Mass - For the Parishioners
	9:30am	Holy Mass - Souls of Nonna Gina & Rudolph Keswick. Interment Ceremony of John Charles Freakley
Mon 3rd	6:00pm	Holy Mass - For the Parishioners
	9:00am	Rosary
Tue 4th	9:30am	Communion Service - WA DAY HOLIDAY
	6:00 pm	Rosary
Wed 5th	6:30 pm	Communion Service
	11:00am	Holy Mass—Karingal Aged Care, High Wycombe
Thu 6th	6:00pm	Rosary
	6:30pm	Holy Mass
	10:45am	Holy Mass - Donovan Nursing Home
Fri 7th	6:00pm	Rosary
	9:00am	Holy Mass - Anointing Holy Mass
	9:30am	Adoration
Sat 8th	6:00pm	Holy Rosary
	9:00am	Holy Mass
	10:00am	Confession

15th and 16th June 2024 – International Food Sale - Family Fun Event: We've missed your delicious cooking !! Calling all Chef's and Baker's one more time :) We would love donations of your delicious international Cuisines - Savoury and Sweet is welcome, for our Parish International Food Sale fundraising event for our new parish centre for this weekend only of Saturday 15th June and Sunday 16th June. If you would like to contribute towards one last DELICIOUS Fundraising Event, please fill the 'International Food Sale' form in the foyer (by Sunday 9 June 2024) with your name, mobile and food item you would like to contribute. Please contact Deidre Lyra on 08 94536847 or on email dm_lyra@hotmail.com more information.

Marriage Camino – 8 JUNE

An invitation is extended to couples to attend a **Marriage Camino** in the grounds of the Schoenstatt Shrine at Mt Richon WA on **Saturday 8th June from 9.30am-4.30pm**. Our hope is that you spend time with each other and work out what grows and supports your love. The cost is \$15 per couple. For enquiries contact Philomena Theseira on 0417 936 757 or via email pd@theseira.family Bookings are essential. Unfortunately we can not provide child minding.



First Holy Communion: Parishioners, please keep our 29 children in our prayers who will be celebrating the sacrament of Holy Communion for the first time in our beautiful Church next weekend on 9th June at 11:00am. Jesus Christ bless and guide them.



MATTHEW GIBNEY CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Matthew Gibney staff will be attending professional development on Tuesday to learn more about the highly acclaimed "Berry St Education Model", which helps staff to understand the benefits of trauma-informed teaching on child development and children's ability to learn.

The model focuses on creating a supportive and positive education classroom, and positive classroom management and relationships.

We also invite the parish to join with us on Thursday 27th June to farewell Mrs Hussey, as she begins her retirement. We will be holding a Liturgy and Morning Tea at 9am in the school undercover area.

For further information contact Matthew Gibney Primary School, 30 Munday Rd, High Wycombe on 62168400 or by email admin@gibney.wa.edu.au.

**FEASTS OF THE MONTH OF
JUNE
SAINTS**

- JUNE 13** St. Anthony of Padua
- JUNE 21** St. Aloysius Gonzaga
- JUNE 22** St John Fisher & Thomas More
- JUNE 24** The Nativity of St John The Baptist
- JUNE 29** St Peter & Paul

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION



3 PM FIRST SUNDAY

NEW PARISH CENTRE DEVELOPMENT | TARGET 300,000.00

APRIL '24 - \$3,350.00 | AMOUNT RAISED - \$214,683.78
A heartfelt thank you to families who have donated. The deadline for those who wish to have their names engraved on benefactor plaques for the new Parish Centre is **30th September 2024**.

A copy of Father Joseph's appeal letter is in the Church foyer. The EFTPOS terminal is available for debit and credit card transactions in the Sacristy.

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)

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: We are in urgent need of people to help lead our Children's Liturgy on Sunday mornings. The program is simple and easy to learn. Training will be given. A Working with Children Card would also be required. Please consider this wonderful service to our Parish. Thank you.
Philomena Theseira 0417 936 757

Parish Centre Diary		
Sun 2nd	9:30 am	Children Liturgy
Tue 4th	4:00pm 5:45 pm	PREP Legion of Mary
Wed 5th	4:00pm	Ukulele group
Thu 6th	9:30 am 1:00 pm 5:00 pm 7:00pm	Craft Group Legion of Mary RCIA Bible Study
Fri 7th	10:00am	Morning Tea

Parish Centre Construction Update

 The exterior rendering of the building has been completed and the texture coat is expected to be applied in May. We are still waiting for the external front doors to be installed and we will then be at lock-up stage. Cabinets should be installed mid May and the painters to do the ceilings. Work will commence shortly to install the retaining walls around the parish centre. Parishioners need to be careful when entering and exiting the carpark and to abide by any signs. Parents should ensure children are supervised around the works and when visiting the toilets. Be aware that there are some stormwater pipes that may become a trip hazard near the old Parish Hall. Thank you., PPC

Columbarium Management - Rewarding Role - Call for Volunteers

Our very own George and Jan Favacho have done a stellar job the last 10 years to date managing all activities of promoting and delivering efficiently on our SFOA Columbarium. They are ready to handover to another capable team of volunteers commencing from 1 July 2024 onwards. We are therefore looking for some volunteers to take on this rewarding role. Please reach out to George and Jan when you see them at a mass, for more information about the role, Alternatively, send them an email at gfavacho@gmail.com or janfavacho@gmail.com. If you would like to volunteer for this important role, please email Jennifer Dass at Jennifer.dass@gmail.com or Adrian D'Cruz at adriandcruz1967@gmail.com by or before 20 June 2024. A handover meeting will be held thereafter on the 29th or 30th June.

PARISH PLEDGE GIVING PROGRAMME - 2024-25

The next set of Envelopes for our Pledge Giving Programme will be ready for collection from the foyer of the church.



All new parishioners or those who wish to join our Pledge Giving Programme are asked to please fill out the form in the foyer of the church and hand them to Fr. Joseph or email to the Parish Email Address with your individual or family details. The Parish Secretary will prepare the new set of Envelopes for you or your family. Through the Catholic Development Fund (CDF), Archdiocese of Perth, new Pledge Giving arrangements will be offered by the end of this month. In addition to your normal weekly Cash contributions, you will now be able to set up regular Planned Giving Payments by Direct Debit from your Bank Account. No longer the need and worry to carry cash around with you each week and this will save time too for our counting groups each weekend. Debit Direct Request Form, can be collected from the Church foyer or request one to be sent to you by email from the Parish Secretary. You can also use the Tap and Go (EFTPOS) machine that is available for the running of the church. The new Parish Pledge Giving arrangements will offer you more choice and convenience. Thankyou for your generosity and ongoing support. . Please Note: Information Sheet to New Parishioner are available at Foyer.

IMPORTANT UPDATE: SCREENING REQUIREMENTS FOR OUR CHURCH WORKERS

: Ensure all Church workers – paid and unpaid - meet these new screening requirements by 1 August 2024.

All volunteers paid and unpaid are required to sign a **Safeguarding Personal Declaration form and safeguarding induction Training** . We have a printed copies of the safeguarding Personal declaration form and parents who children are under the age of 18 years will need to fill out a Consent form, if you want your children to continue as volunteers. (choir for example) are in the foyer, please fill it in and return to Father or Deacon Trevor.



Safeguarding Induction Training can be done either online or in-person. You will need to register online [Safe-guarding Training and Registration – Safeguarding Office \(perthcatholic.org.au\)](https://perthcatholic.org.au) . The Parish has organised a **Safeguarding Induction Training Session on Friday 28th June, 2024 at our Church. The scheduled time is 10:30am - 11:30am.**

There is also upcoming session in other Parish close to us: **Date: Thursday, 20 June 2024 Time: 7:00pm –8:00 pm Venue: Notre Dame Parish, 345 Wright Street, Cloverdale .**

Registration: <https://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training/#induction> Or phone 9221 7762 to book in.

All volunteers who have keys to the Church or Hall needs to have a VPC and All Volunteers who interact with children will need a WWCC. Parish will reimburse you.

For more information contact our safeguarding officers: Marcia Nobrega and Enzo Vettorel.

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, Andre Beaufort, Charmaine Samuel.

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

In Memoriam: Ferdinand Joseph Tippett, Giuseppe Giovinazzo, Nellie Williams, Joyce Matilda Thornton, Joseph Menezes, William McAuliffe, Catena Mancuso, Bevan McLennan, Robert Vinneir, Kenneth John McDougall, Fr. Joseph Francis Russell, Phyllis Curtis, Kevin Rennie Hendroff, Lui Marchesani, George Lincoln Samuel, Nonna Gina, Rudolph Keswick, John Charles Freakley.

1st/2nd June	6:00 PM	8:00 AM	9:30 AM	6:00 PM
Commentator	George F	Joe K	Matt W	Benjo C
1st Reader	Abigail R	Sue D	Helga S	Paolo J
2nd Reader	Jessica C	Kevin F	Evelyn R	Margaret O
Acolyte	Michael	Clem	Edwin	David T
8th/9th June	6:00 PM	8:00 AM	9:30 AM	6:00 PM
Commentator	Graham B	Amanda A	Adrian D	Philip M
1st Reader	Imelda B	Jennifer D	Philomena T	Margaret O
2nd Reader	Armelle P	Frances A	Marguerite W	Lauren M
Acolyte	Lester R	Michael	Brian M	Vince P

	1st/2nd June	8th/9th June
Counters	Ingrid Dekker, Bill Pocock, Betty Flynn, Christine Peters	Brian Menezes, Evelyn Ramos
Church Cleaner	Christie & Greg Daly, Josie Day	Gina Nickels, Michelle O'Boyle
Reading for	Exodus 24:3-8; Hebrews 9:11-15; Mark 14:12-16, 22-26	Genesis3:9-15; 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1; Mark 3:20-35