



OUR LADY of MT CARMEL CHURCH BULLETIN

The Baptism of the Lord, 13 January 2019, YEAR C



PARISH INFORMATION

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 9am – 3pm
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PARISH MINISTRY TEAM

Parish Priest: Fr Paul Raj
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OLMC Primary School Principal: Kevin Duffy – 9337 7066
Seton Catholic College Website: <http://www.seton.wa.edu.au/olmc-parish>



MASS INTENTIONS

12 - 20 January 2019, Year C



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Saturday 6pm Mass for Ron Barton (RIP 1st Anniversary)

Sunday 7.30am Mass for Matilda De Abreu (RIP) & Holy Souls in Purgatory

Sunday 9am Mass for Ivana Jurica (RIP Birthday)

11am Baptism of Stevie Grace Morgan

Monday 14 January

NO Mass

Tuesday 15 January

9am Mass for Ivanka Jurica (RIP)

Wednesday 16 January

9am Mass for Parishioners Intentions

Morning Tea after Mass

7 - 8pm Eucharistic Adoration



Thursday 17 January

9am Mass for Parishioners Intentions

Friday 18 January

9am Mass for Parishioners Intentions

9.30 – 10.30am Eucharistic Adoration



Saturday 19 January

9am Mass for Parishioners Intentions

2nd Sunday Ordinary, 19 - 20 January

Saturday 6pm Mass for Parishioners Intentions

Sunday 7.30am Mass for Urbano Monding (RIP) & Onorata La Rosa (RIP)

Sunday 9am Mass for Stephen Randall (RIP)

11am Baptism of Grace Horvath & Freya Horvath



NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

2nd Sunday Ordinary, 20 January 2019

1st: Is 62:1-5

2nd: 1 Cor 12:4-11

Gospel: Jn 2:1-11



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON for 12 - 13 January

After the Lord was baptised, the heavens were opened, and the Spirit descended upon him like a dove, and the voice of the Father thundered: This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.



COMMUNION ANTIPHON for 12 - 13 January

Behold the One of whom John said: I have seen and testified that this is the Son of God.



SILENCE

When you go to Mass talk to God... *During Mass let God talk to you...* After Mass talk to each other...



WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are a new parishioner, please introduce yourself to Fr Paul. You can also join in the Parish Planned Giving Program...



RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9.30-10am and 5.15-5.45pm

Or by appointment.



2019 SACRAMENT DATES

RECONCILIATION: Wednesday 13 March at 6.30pm

CONFIRMATION: Sunday 16 June at 9am

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Sunday 25 August at 9am



PARISH RE SACRAMENT COORDINATOR

For Information Please ring Franca Kalat on 0404 226 751.

MASS INTENTIONS

Suggested Offering \$15 per Mass.

PLEASE PRAY FOR SICK PARISHIONERS

Cath Phipps, Christine Rhow, Veronica, Maria, Consiglia Ciavatta, Bill Lawrie, Rosa Pallotta, Des O'Connor, Irwin Beachell, Isabella Da Cunha, Norma Elliott, Lori Tripi, Rudi Tassell, Gordon Smith, Joan Richards, David Azzaro, Steven, Davina, Elisabetta Paddon, Vee Appleton, Leeanne & Hugh, Dermot McKernon ...



1ST & 2ND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

At OLMC Parish we have Anointing Mass at 9am followed by Adoration for one hour and ending with Benediction by Fr Paul. *All welcome.*





PARISH and ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

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STEWARDSHIP: Question – Isn't committing to stewardship of time, talent and treasure asking a lot of us? **Answer:**

Yes, it is.



PIETY STALL: Is open on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday mornings before and after 9am Masses. Please contact Marion on 0415 917 496 for more information.



PLENARY COUNCIL 2020: We will have listening sessions in our Parish soon. In the meantime, please look at the Plenary Council web site:

www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au.

There is a great deal of information on this important event in the life of the Australian Church. There is also an opportunity to have your say. Please take part; our Australian Bishops love to hear from everyone. *Fr Paul.*



share the story
shape the future

PLENARY COUNCIL OLMC PARISH GATHERING: All

Parishioners are requested to attend the Plenary Council Parish Gathering to share stories and give feedback. These sessions will be held on Tuesday 12 February 2019 at 7pm and Saturday 16 February 2019 at 10.15am inside OLMC Church and will be facilitated by Angela McCarthy. *Fr Paul.*

PARISH SACRAMENT PROGRAM FOR 2019:

Dear Parents, The Our Lady Of Mount Carmel Sacramental Program is about to start for 2019 and the dates are as follow... Classes for *Reconciliation* will start on the 4th of February from 4.30 to 6 pm as the course will only go for 6 weeks. Reconciliation will be made with OLMC School Students on Wednesday 13th March at 6.30pm. The children need to be in year 3 and above. If your child is in year 4 at the time of their Reconciliation they can then start their *Holy Communion* Classes on the 18th of March from 4.30 to 5.30pm. They will then make their Holy Communion on Sunday 25th of August at 9am mass. *Confirmation* Classes will start on the 11th of June from 4.30 to 5.30pm. Confirmation will be Sunday 16th June at 9am mass. *Enrolment forms*



can be found at the back of the church. Please bring completed Enrolment Form along with the child's Baptism Certificate and Holy Communion Certificate on the day of the first lesson. For more information, please ring Franca Kalat on 0404 226 751.



WELCOME FR PAT ROONEY: Fr Pat Rooney from Bunbury Diocese will reside at the presbytery and say all Masses from 10 to

27 January 2019 and be available for Pastoral needs. Fr Paul will be on his annual holidays catching up with his family members in Melbourne and India.




CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY HOUSE:

If you are female and the thought of living with a great group of Catholic women, in a nice location, near public transport, parks and close to Fremantle appeals to you, then we have the place for you! Our community home in White Gum Valley is looking for a Christian woman to join us. Our home is all about supporting one another in our faith journeys and in our lives. Rent is \$140, and bills are extra. If you're interested in finding out more feel free to have a chat or come by for a visit – you can contact Vicky on 0412 529 656.

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

O Jesus,
Eternal Priest,
Keep your priests within the shelter of
Your Sacred Heart.
Keep unstained their anointed hands, which daily touch
Your Sacred Body.
Keep unsullied their lips, daily purpled with
Your Precious Blood.
Keep pure and unearthly their hearts,
Sealed with the sublime mark of the priesthood.
Let Your holy love surround them
And shield them from the world's contagion.
May the souls to whom they minister be their joy
And consolation, here and in heaven,
Their beautiful and everlasting crown.
Amen.



*St. Thérèse
of Lisieux*



POPE FRANCIS AT MASS: 'Indifference is opposed to God's love'.

By Alessandro Di Bussolo. In his homily at Mass in the **Casa Santa Marta** on Tuesday 8 January 2019, Pope Francis

says God takes the first step towards us and loves us because He is compassionate and merciful, despite our indifference. In his homily, Pope Francis reflected on the day's Gospel (Mk 6:34-44) about the multiplication of the loaves and fishes, and on the First Reading, taken from the First Letter of John (4:7-10). The Holy Father said the Apostle John explains "how God manifests His love in us." "Let us love one another, because love is of God," John writes. Pope Francis called this the mystery of love:



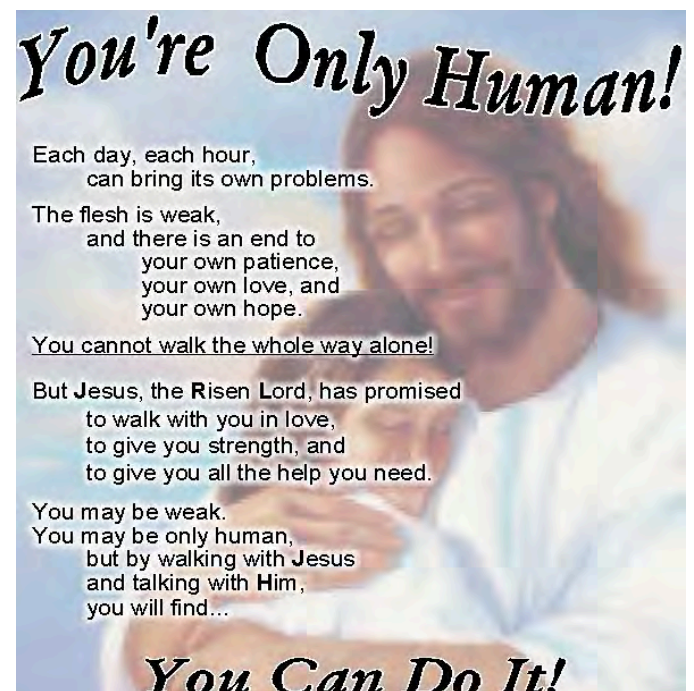
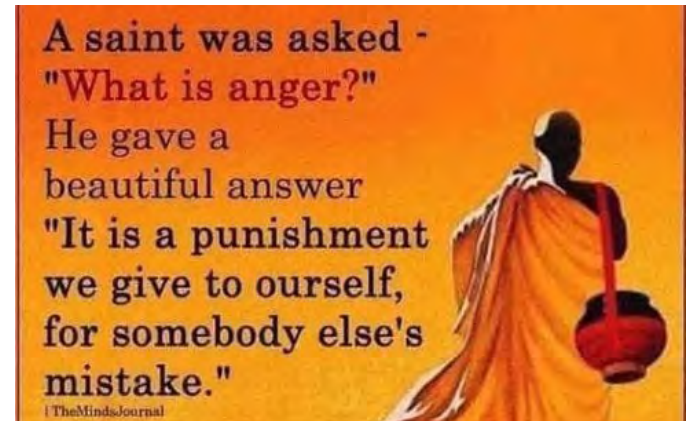
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“God loved us first. He took the first step.” God loved us, he said, even though we “don’t know how to love” and “need God’s caresses in order to love.” *“This first step God takes is His Son. He sent Him to save us and to give meaning to our lives and to renew and recreate us.”* Reflecting on the multiplication of the loaves and fishes, Pope Francis said Jesus fed the crowd out of compassion. *“God’s heart, Jesus’ heart, was moved when he saw these people, and he could not remain indifferent. Love is restless. Love does not tolerate indifference; love is compassionate. But love means putting your heart on the line for others; it means [showing] mercy.”* Then Pope Francis described the scene as the disciples went in search of food. He said Jesus taught them and the people many things, but they grew bored, “because Jesus always said the same things.” As Jesus teaches “with love and compassion”, the Pope said, maybe they began “to talk amongst themselves.” They start to check their watches, saying “It’s getting late.” The Holy Father then quoted Mark: “But Master, this is a deserted place and it is already very late. Dismiss them so that they can go to the surrounding farms and villages and buy themselves something to eat.” The Pope said they basically wanted the people to work it out themselves. “But we can be sure,” he said, “that they surely had enough bread for themselves, and they wanted to keep it. This is indifference.” *“The disciples were not interested in the people. Jesus was interested, because he cared for them. They weren’t evil, just indifferent. They didn’t know what it meant to love. They didn’t know how to show compassion. They didn’t know what indifference was. They had to sin, betray the Master, and abandon him in order to understand the core of compassion and mercy. And Jesus’ response cuts deep: ‘Give them some food yourselves.’ Take their plight upon yourselves. This is the struggle between the compassion of Jesus and indifference, which is always repeated throughout history. Many people who are good, but don’t understand the needs of others, are incapable of compassion. They are good people, maybe because the love of God has not entered into their heart or they have not let it enter.”* Pope Francis then described a photo hung on the wall of the Office of Papal Charities. He said it was a picture taken by a local man who offered it to the Papal Almoner. Daniel Garofani, now a photographer for the Osservatore Romano, took the photo after distributing food with Cardinal Krajewski to homeless people. Pope Francis said it shows well-dressed people leaving a restaurant in Rome as a homeless woman lifts her hand to beg for alms. He said the picture was taken “just as the people looked away, so that their gaze would not meet” that of the homeless woman. This, the Pope said, “is the culture of indifference. That’s what the Apostles did.” Pope Francis said God’s love always comes first and is compassionate and merciful. He said it is true that the opposite of love is hate, but that many people

are not aware of “a conscious hate”. *“The more-common opposite of the love of God – of God’s compassion – is indifference. ‘I’m satisfied; I lack nothing. I have everything. I’ve assured my place in this life and the next, since I go to Mass every Sunday. I’m a good Christian. But leaving the restaurant, I look the other way.’ Let’s reflect on this: Confronted with God who takes the first step, is compassionate, and is merciful, many times our attitude is indifference. Let us pray to the Lord that He heal humanity, starting with us. May my heart be healed from the sickness of the culture of indifference.”*



WEEKEND ROSTER 2018

WEEK 2 JAN 12-13 BAPTISM OF THE LORD	COMMENTATOR	READER	ACOLYTE	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Sat 6pm	<i>Volunteer</i>	Toby Mathews	Enrico D'Alessandro Simon Overton	Ian Hagen Martha Kalat	<i>Volunteer</i>
Sun 7.30am	Diane Richards	Kath Bowskill	Gerry Miller	<i>Volunteer x 2</i>	Lucas Lim
Sun 9am	Vicky Rafala	Tereza Camacho	Frank Cooper	Maria Alberti Teresa Taranto <i>Volunteer x 2</i>	Preston Morgan
WEEK 3 JAN 19-20 2 ND ORDINARY	COMMENTATOR	READER	ACOLYTE	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Sat 6pm	Loretta Masnada	Carmel Collova	Enrico D'Alessandro Gerald Farrell	Harry Collins Loretta Masnada	Preston Morgan
Sun 7.30am	Mark Ryan	Maureen Cooper	Frank Cooper	<i>Volunteer x 2</i>	Lucas Lim
Sun 9am	Judith Greer	Maria Alberti	Joe De Ornelas	Joel Camacho Monica Cook Tereza Camacho Toni Kalat	<i>Volunteer</i>

<p>OUR LADY of MT CARMEL NOVENA</p> <p>God our Father, prompted by Your Spirit the order of Carmel has from the beginning dedicated itself to the Mother of Your Son. As she unites her prayers with ours, look with favour upon us and bless our families, keep each of us from harm And bring us to the joy of heaven. We ask this through Jesus the Lord. Amen.</p> 	<p>SOULS in PURGATORY PRAYER</p> <p>Eternal Father, I offer You the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, for those in my own home, and in my family. Amen.</p> 	<p>OUR LADY of ALL NATIONS PRAYER</p> <p>Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the Father, send now Your Spirit over the earth. Let the Holy Spirit live in the hearts of all nations, that they may be preserved from degeneration, disaster and war. May the Lady of All Nations, the Blessed Virgin Mary, be our Advocate. Amen.</p> 
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♥ Compassionate Jesus, Have Mercy of us. ♥ Jesus, I surrender myself to you, take care of everything. ♥ Jesus, Mary & St Joseph, I love you, save souls. ♥ Lord, say the word and I shall be healed. ♥ Mary, Help of Christians, Patroness of Australia, Pray for us. ♥ Mary, Terror of Demons, Pray for us. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♥ May God continue to bless us all and our families and may Our Blessed Mother never let go of our hands. ♥ Mother of God, send forth the grace of Your Flame of Love over the whole human race, now and at the hour of our death. Amen. ♥ Mother, I am yours now and forever. Through you and with you, I always want to belong completely to Jesus. |
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