



OUR LADY of MT CARMEL CHURCH BULLETIN

Passion (Palm) Sunday, 14 April 2019, YEAR C



PARISH INFORMATION

Address: 82 Collick Street, Hilton, WA, 6163
Phone: (08) 9314 7733
Email: sec.hilton@perthcatholic.org.au
Website: <http://www.olmchilton.org.au/>

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 9am – 3pm
Thursday: 9am – 12.30pm

PARISH MINISTRY TEAM

Parish Priest: Fr Paul Raj
Parish Secretary: Tereza Camacho
Safeguarding Officer: Brigette Liddelow - 0432 908 980
Avila Retirement Village Secretary: Judy Rowlands – 0448 205 283
Parish RE Coordinator: Franca Kalat – 0404 226 751
OLMC Primary School RE: Julie Kay
OLMC Primary School Principal: Kevin Duffy – 9337 7066
Seton Catholic College Website: <http://www.seton.wa.edu.au/olmc-parish>



MASS INTENTIONS



Palm Sunday, 13 - 14 April

Saturday 6pm Mass for Emilio Jurica (Intentions)

Sunday 7.30am Mass for Teodoro & Marlon Nadela (RIP)

Sunday 9am Mass for Stephen Randall (RIP) + Santo Mantegna (RIP & Birthday) + Antonio Figueira (RIP Anniversary) + Giuseppe, Caterina & Angela Ottobre (RIP), Giuseppe & Antonia Germano (RIP)



Monday 15 April

7 - 9pm Holy Trinity Prayer Group + **Mass 7.30pm**



Tuesday 16 April

9am Mass for Maria Matilde Abreu (RIP)

Wednesday 17 April

9am Mass for John Randall (RIP) + Manuel Messias (RIP)

Morning Tea after **Mass**

7 - 8pm Eucharistic Adoration



Thursday 18 April ... Holy Thursday

8.15am NO Mass at Seton College

7pm The Lord's Supper

Until 9pm Eucharistic Adoration



Friday 19 April ... Good Friday

9am Stations of the Cross followed by Reconciliation

3pm The Passion of the Lord



Saturday 20 April

9 - 10am Reconciliation

Easter Sunday, 20 - 21 April

Saturday 7pm Easter Vigil Mass for Souls in Purgatory

Sunday 7.30am Mass for Maria Matilde Abreu (RIP)

Sunday 9am Mass for Maria Isabel & Matilde Abreu (RIP)



NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Easter Sunday, 21 April 2019

1st: Acts 10:34, 37-43

2nd: Col 3:1-4

Gospel: Jn 20:1-9



SILENCE

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



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Six days before the Passover, when the Lord came into the city of Jerusalem, the children ran to meet him; in their hands they carried palm branches and with a loud voice cried out: Hosanna in the highest! Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy! O gates, lift high your heads; grow higher, ancient doors. Let him enter, the king of glory! Who is this king of glory? He, the Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!



COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, your will be done.



WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF MT CARMEL PARISH

If you are a new parishioner, please introduce yourself to Fr Paul. We could like to know a bit about you and your family. You can also fill in a Parishioner Registration Form and join in the Parish Planned Giving Program.



RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9.30-10am and 5.15-5.45pm
Or by appointment.



2019 SACRAMENT DATES

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.

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.*



PLEASE PRAY FOR SICK PARISHIONERS

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 ...





PARISH and ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

Passion (Palm) Sunday, 14 April 2019, Year C



STEWARDSHIP: In "Taking Up The Collection," (Modern Liturgy, February 1991) Reverend Joseph Champlin further clarifies how our sacrificial gift should be incorporated into the Sunday Eucharistic celebration:



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



EASTER CARDS: Are now selling for \$1.00 each. Please contact Marion if interested.



Caritas AUSTRALIA

SIXTH SUNDAY OF LENT: 14th April 2019. Living



with a disability was challenging for Nguyet. Since featuring in Project Compassion 2017 Nguyet has successfully built her own business, a dream that has become a reality with the support of Caritas Australia. Nguyet has become independent, an important member of her community and has great hope for her future. **Please donate to Project Compassion 2019 and give children living with disabilities in Vietnam the opportunity for an education and inclusion in their community. Lives change when we all give 100%.** You can donate through Parish boxes and envelopes, by visiting www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion or phoning 1800 024 413.



ROSARIES for VOCATIONS: This Lent, join with Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Perth in Praying for

Vocations! To join in, simply pray the rosary every Thursday this Lent for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life. This campaign will culminate in a communal rosary at parishes across the Archdiocese prior to Mass on Holy Thursday, the day that our Lord established the priesthood and instituted the Holy Eucharist. *Know that your prayers do make a difference, and that our Lord will not be outdone in generosity!*



SPIRITUAL and COUNSELLING REFERRAL SERVICE: Need help with managing grief?

Many Catholics in our Archdiocese are struggling with grief. The Archdiocese of Perth has established the following contact number **0432 541 588**. If you need help finding professional support for grief, please call so that we can help you find appropriate assistance.



INVITATION FROM ARCHBISHOP TIMOTHY COSTELLOE SDB: I invite you to attend the **Annual Archdiocesan Chrism Mass** at St Mary's Cathedral, Victoria Square, Perth on **Tuesday 16 April 2019 at 7pm**. On

this occasion the **Holy Oils** of the Sick and Catechumens are blessed. The **Oil of Chrism** is consecrated. **The Priests of the Archdiocese** will renew their Ordination Commitment. **The Laity** are invited to renew their commitment to holiness of life and service of the Church and Society. **+Timothy Costelloe SDB, Most Reverend T Costelloe SDB, Archbishop of Perth.**



2019 WORLD HERITAGE DAY CONFERENCE: CATHOLICISM ON THE MARGINS. Thursday, 18 April 9.30am till 4pm at St Mary's Cathedral, Victoria Square, Perth (morning tea and lunch provided).

Archbishop Timothy Costelloe SDB (opening lecture), Dr Catherine Kovesi (keynote address), Dr Christine Choo and Dr Jeff Kildea. Held on World Heritage Day 2019, this conference explores some lesser known aspects of Catholicism in Australia over the last three centuries. Beginning with a lecture from Archbishop of Perth Timothy Costelloe SDB, three papers will be delivered from unique perspectives by noted scholars on Australian Catholic history. These will be followed by an afternoon of workshops focusing on Parish Archives and Cultural Heritage. Join us in celebrating Western Australia's Catholic cultural heritage within the confines of a state-listed heritage site. This event is co-hosted by the Archdiocese's Centre for Faith Enrichment and the Archives Office. It will be held in the Cathedral's Parish Centre, located in the Cathedral undercroft. Cost \$50. **Further info** or to register, visit <http://cfe.org.au/courses-and-events/>, email cfe@perthcatholic.org.au, or call 08 9241 5221.



PRAYER REQUEST: Lucas and Nicholas Lim, regular Altar Servers for 7.30am Mass and their parents Anna and Jay request parishioners to continue to pray for their grand-dad and Dad – Justin who is critically ill in Malaysia.



POPE FRANCIS: AM I MY BROTHER'S KEEPER? Homily on 31 March 2019, Apostolic Visit to Morocco, Sports Complex, Rabat.

"While he was yet at a distance, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and embraced him and kissed him" (Lk 15:20). Here the Gospel takes us to the heart of the parable, showing the father's response at seeing the return of his son. Deeply moved, he runs out to meet him before he can even reach home. A son long awaited. A father rejoicing to see him return. That was not the only time the father ran. His joy would not be complete without the presence of his other son. He then sets out to find him and invites him to join in the festivities (cf v 28). But the older son appeared upset by the homecoming celebration. He found his father's joy hard to take; he did not acknowledge the return of his brother: "that son of yours", he calls him (v 30). For him, his brother was still lost, because he had already lost him in his heart. By his unwillingness to take part in the celebration, the older son fails not only to recognize his brother, but his father as well. He would



PARISH and ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

Passion (Palm) Sunday, 14 April 2019, Year C



rather be an orphan than a brother. He prefers isolation to encounter, bitterness to rejoicing. Not only is he unable to understand or forgive his brother, he cannot accept a father capable of forgiving, willing to wait patiently, to trust and to keep looking, lest anyone be left out. In a word, a father capable of compassion. At the threshold of that home, something of the mystery of our humanity appears. On the one hand, celebration for the son who was lost and is found; on the other, a feeling of betrayal and indignation at the celebrations marking his return. On the one hand, the welcome given to the son who had experienced misery and pain, even to the point of yearning to eat the husks thrown to the swine; on the other, irritation and anger at the embrace given to one who had proved himself so unworthy. What we see here yet again is the tension we experience in our societies and in our communities, and even in our own hearts. A tension deep within us ever since the time of Cain and Abel. We are called to confront it and see it for what it is. For we too ask: "Who has the right to stay among us, to take a place at our tables and in our meetings, in our activities and concerns, in our squares and our cities?" The murderous question seems constantly to return: "Am I my brother's keeper?" (cf Gen 4:9). At the threshold of that home, we can see our own divisions and strife, the aggressiveness and conflicts that always lurk at the door of our high ideals, our efforts to build a society of fraternity, where each person can experience even now the dignity of being a son or daughter. Yet at the threshold of that home, we will also see in all its radiant clarity, with no ifs and buts, the father's desire that all his sons and daughters should share in his joy. That no one should have to live in inhuman conditions, as his younger son did, or as orphaned, aloof and bitter like the older son. His heart wants all men and women to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth (1 Tim 2:4). It is true that many situations can foment division and strife, while others can bring us to confrontation and antagonism. It cannot be denied. Often we are tempted to believe that hatred and revenge are legitimate ways of ensuring quick and effective justice. Yet experience tells us that hatred, division and revenge succeed only in killing our peoples' soul, poisoning our children's hopes, and destroying and sweeping away everything we cherish. Jesus invites us, then, to stop and contemplate the heart of our Father. Only from that perspective can we acknowledge once more that we are brothers and sisters. Only against that vast horizon can we transcend our short-sighted and divisive ways of thinking, and see things in a way that does not downplay our differences in the name of a forced unity or a quiet marginalization. Only if we can raise our eyes to heaven each day and say "Our Father", will we be able to be part of a process that can make us see things clearly and risk living no longer as enemies but as brothers and sisters. "All that is mine is yours" (Lk 15:31), says the father to his older son. He is not speaking so much about material wealth, as about sharing in his own love and compassion. This is the greatest legacy and wealth of a Christian. Instead of measuring ourselves or classifying ourselves according to different

moral, social, ethnic or religious criteria, we should be able to recognize that another criterion exists, one that no one can take away or destroy because it is pure gift. It is the realization that we are beloved sons and daughters, whom the Father awaits and celebrates. "All that is mine is yours", says the Father, including my capacity for compassion. Let us not fall into the temptation of reducing the fact that we are his children to a question of rules and regulations, duties and observances. Our identity and our mission will not arise from forms of voluntarism, legalism, relativism or fundamentalism, but rather from being believers who daily beg with humility and perseverance: "May your Kingdom come!" The Gospel parable leaves us with an open ending. We see the father asking the older son to come in and share in the celebration of mercy. The Gospel writer says nothing about what the son decided. Did he join the party? We can imagine that this open ending is meant to be written by each individual and every community. We can complete it by the way we live, the way we regard others, and how we treat our neighbour. The Christian knows that in the Father's house there are many rooms: the only ones who remain outside are those who choose not to share in his joy.

HOLY WEEK and EASTER TIMES
At OLMC Church, Hilton 2019

Holy Thursday 18 April
 7pm The Lord's Supper
 Adoration until 9pm

Good Friday 19 April
 9am Stations of the Cross
 Followed by Reconciliation
 3pm Celebration of The Passion of The Lord

Holy Saturday 20 April
 9 – 10am Reconciliation
 7pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday 21 April
 7.30am Morning Mass
 9am Morning Mass



WEEKEND ROSTER 2019					
WEEK 2 APR 13-14 PALM SUNDAY	COMMENTATOR	READER	ACOLYTE	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Sat 6pm	Maureen Lewis	Toby Mathews Passion: Fr Paul & Martha Kalat	Simon Overton	Ian Hagen Martha Kalat	Volunteers
Sun 7.30am	Diane Richards	Elaine Thomas Passion: Fr Paul & Kath Bowskill	Gerry Miller	Volunteer x 2	Lucas Lim Nicolas Lim
Sun 9am	Vicky Rafala	Tereza Camacho Passion: Fr Paul & Elizabeth Sabella	Frank Cooper	Maria Alberti Teresa Taranto Volunteer x 2	Preston Morgan
APR 18 HOLY THURSDAY 7pm	Maureen Lewis	Elizabeth Sabella	Ken Hla Simon Overton	Jackie Watton Maria Alberti Teresa Taranto	Preston Morgan
APR 19 GOOD FRIDAY 9am Stations of the Cross	Fr Paul	No Commentator	No Acolytes	No Eucharistic Ministers	No Altar Servers
APR 19 GOOD FRIDAY 3pm The Lord's Passion	Jesus: Fr Paul Narrator: Kath Bowskill Pilot: Elizabeth Sabella Crowd: Congregation	Martha Kalat	Enrico D'Alessandro Joe De Ornelas Simon Overton	If Needed	Lucas Lim Nicolas Lim
WEEK 3 APR 20-21 EASTER SUNDAY	COMMENTATOR	READER	ACOLYTE	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	ALTAR SERVERS
Sat 7pm	No Commentator	Liturgy of the Word: Diane Richards Franca Kalat Maureen Cooper Prayers of the Faithful: Toni Kalat Epistle: Martha Kalat	Frank Cooper Simon Overton	Harry Collins Martha Kalat Teresa Taranto Toni Kalat	Volunteers
Sun 7.30am	Maureen Lewis	Kath Bowskill	Gerry Miller	Volunteers	Lucas Lim Nicolas Lim
Sun 9am	Judith Greer	Elizabeth Sabella	Ken Hla	Joel Camacho Kath Kearns Maria Alberti Monica Cook	Preston Morgan

BULLETIN SPONSORS			
AUSTRALIAN LEADING LOCK SERVICE Mark Berkovic 0408 404 048 PO Box 4573, Myaree BC, 6960 mls@dammot.com.au	AVILA COURT RETIREMENT VILLAGE Low cost *rental unit accommodation. For more information contact: Judy 0448 205 283 or 9314 7733 <i>* Conditions apply</i>	BOWRA & ODEA FUNERAL DIRECTORS Simply a Matter of Trust Ph: 9239 7744 www.bowraodea.com.au 312 South Street, Hilton	
REMEMBRANCE FUNERALS Remembering Families. Remembering Life. Portuguese & Italian Spoken. Susie Lombardi 0430 042 560 or 1300 779 093 remembrance@live.com.au	RICH HARVEST PTY LTD Sale of Religious Products Mon to Fri 10.30am – 6pm Sat 10.30am – 3pm 39 Hulme Court, Myaree 9329 9889 or www.rich7harvest.com.au	SCOTTY'S SIGNS Hand Painted & Digital Print Scotty 0418 957 370 Scottys.signz@bigpond.com www.scottysigns.com.au	UNITED PEST CONTROL 48 Motril Avenue, Coogee. PO Box 7141, Spearwood, 6163 9418 1095 or 0433 995 688