



# THE SAVING WORD

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME / B

07 NOVEMBER 2021

## FIRST READING

1 Kings 17:10-16

A reading from the first book of the Kings

*The widow made a little scone from her flour and brought it to Elijah.*

Elijah the Prophet went off to Sidon. And when he reached the city gate, there was a widow gathering sticks; addressing her he said, 'Please bring a little water in a vessel for me to drink.' She was setting off to bring it when he called after her. 'Please' he said, 'bring me a scrap of bread in your hand.' 'As the Lord your God lives,' she replied, 'I have no baked bread, but only a handful of meal in a jar and a little oil in a jug; I am just gathering a stick or two to go and prepare this for myself and my son to eat, and then we shall die.' But Elijah said to her, 'Do not be afraid, go and do as you have said; but first make a little scone of it for me and bring it to me, and then make some for yourself and for your son. For thus the Lord speaks, the God of Israel:

"Jar of meal shall not be spent,  
jug of oil shall not be emptied,  
before the day when the Lord sends  
rain on the face of the earth."

The woman went and did as Elijah told her and they ate the food, she, himself and her son. The jar of meal was not spent nor the jug of oil emptied, just as the Lord had foretold through Elijah.

■ The word of the Lord.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 145:7-10. R. v. 2

**R.** Praise the Lord, my soul!

1. It is the Lord who keeps faith for ever, / who is just to those who are oppressed. / It is he who gives bread to the hungry, / the Lord, who sets prisoners free. **R.**

2. It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind, / who raises up those who are bowed down. / It is the Lord who loves the just, / the Lord, who protects the stranger. **R.**



3. The Lord upholds the widow and orphan / but thwarts the path of the wicked. / The Lord will reign for ever, / Zion's God, from age to age. **R.**

## SECOND READING

Heb 9:24-28

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

*Christ offered himself only once to take the faults of many on himself.*

It is not as though Christ had entered a man-made sanctuary which was only modelled on the real one; but it was heaven itself, so that he could appear in the actual presence of God on our behalf. And he does not have to offer himself again and again, like the high priest going into the sanctuary year after year with the blood that is not his own, or else he would have had to suffer over and over again since the world began. Instead of that, he has made his appearance once and for all, now at the end of the last age, to do away with sin by sacrificing himself. Since men only die once, and after that comes judgment, so Christ, too, offers himself only once to take the faults of many on himself, and when he appears a second time, it will not be to deal with sin but to reward with salvation those who are waiting for him.

■ The word of the Lord.





# OUR LADY of MT CARMEL CHURCH BULLETIN

## 32nd Sunday Ordinary - 7 November 2021, Year B

### PARISH INFORMATION

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### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

### PARISH MINISTRY TEAM

**Parish Priest:** Fr Paul Raj  
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**OLMC Primary School Principal:** Jayson Peacock - 9269 2000  
**Seton Catholic College Website:** <http://www.seton.wa.edu.au/olmc-parish>

### MASS INTENTIONS



#### 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Ordinary, 7 November

**6pm Mass** for Renato D'Alessandro (RIP & Birthday) + Martina, Teodoro, Felipe & Marlon Nadela (RIP) In Honour of All Souls Day

**Sunday 7.30am Mass** for Andrew De Sousa (RIP) + Sigismund Ratzinger & Antonio Basile (RIP)

**Sunday 9am Mass** for Dianne De Olival (RIP)  
**2-3pm Holy Hour**



#### Monday 8 November

**7-9pm Holy Trinity Prayer Group**



#### Tuesday 9 November – The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

**9am Mass** for Emilio Jurica (RIP)

#### Wednesday 10 November – St Leo the Great

**9am Mass** for John Randall (RIP) + Deceased Members of Legion of Mary

**Morning Tea** after Mass

**10.30am** Legion of Mary

**6-7pm** Eucharistic Adoration



#### Thursday 11 November – St Martin of Tours + Remembrance Day

**9am-4pm Church Open for Prayers**

#### Friday 12 November – St Josaphat

**9am Mass** for Most Holy Trinity Honour & Thanksgiving

**9.30-10.30am** Eucharistic Adoration



#### Saturday 13 November

**9am Mass** for Souls in Purgatory

#### 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Ordinary, 14 November – ALL CARMELITE SAINTS

**6pm Mass** for Fernando Freitas Fernandes (RIP Birthday) + Emanuel Rodrigues Rebelo (RIP Anniversary) & Dianne De Olival (RIP)

**Sunday 7.30am Mass** for Souls in Purgatory

**Sunday 9am Mass** for Stephen Randall (RIP) + Dianne De Olival (RIP)



### 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.



### PLEASE PRAY FOR SICK PARISHIONERS

Christine Rhow, Veronica, Maria, Consiglia Ciavatta, Irwin Beachell, Isabella Da Cunha, Norma Elliott, Rudi Tassell, Steven, Davina, Elisabetta Paddon, Dermot McKernon, Edward Fortune, Lou Collova, Franca Kalat, Zdenka Mravlinic, Beatrice Fernandez – Davina's Grandmother, Monica Cook, Alex, Marion Randall, Vicky Martin, Tonino ...



### 2022 SACRAMENT DATES

**CONFIRMATION:** To Be Confirmed

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:** To Be Confirmed

**RECONCILIATION:** To Be Confirmed



### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 9.30-

10am and

5.15-5.45pm

Or by appointment.



### MASS INTENTIONS

Suggested Offering **\$15 per**

**Mass.** Please give

Mass Intention

Envelopes to Fr Paul

or Parish Office.



### NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

#### 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Ordinary, 14 November

**1<sup>st</sup>:** Dan 12:1-3

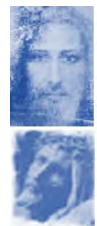
**2<sup>nd</sup>:** Heb 10:11-14, 18

**Gospel:** Mk 13:24-32



### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Let my prayer come into your presence. Incline your ear to my cry for help, O Lord.



### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose, near restful waters he leads me.





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**STEWARDSHIP: Theology of Stewardship – Sacrificial Giving is Life Giving ...** But the Eucharist has this central liturgical role because it is at the centre of our sense of

who we are and what we are about in the world. 🙏



**OLMC 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.



**HOLY HOUR FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH at OLMC HILTON:**

**Sunday 7-11-21 from 2pm - 3pm.** The Holy Hour will be for

- Holy Souls in Purgatory who
- Received their Sacraments in the Parish.
- Were buried from the Parish.
- Those who worshipped or prayed in the Parish.
- For all our Deceased Family Members... Asking them to pray for us... People are invited to place the intention requests in the box in the church foyer or to contact Martha on 0438 999 107 or [Martha.kalat@gmail.com](mailto:Martha.kalat@gmail.com).



**THANK YOU FROM CATHOLIC MISSION:**

The total amount donated by the **OLMC Hilton** Parish for the 2021 Appeal was **\$1,411.40**. Thank you to all who have supported our missionaries and their work throughout the world. Please hold them in your prayers. If you would like to participate in God's mission more fully by helping to promote the work of Catholic Mission and the vision of Pope Francis, in a voluntary capacity in your own parish, or by leaving a bequest, please email Francis Leong at [director.cm@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:director.cm@perthcatholic.org.au) to arrange for a chat about the possibilities.



**CHURCH AIR CONDITIONING:** We are looking at installing a new split air conditioning system in our parish as our current air conditioning is very old.

Please consider supporting our parish by donating for the air conditioning. So far, we have received **\$13585.85**. Thank you, very appreciated. **Fr Paul**.



*Fr Jerome Watt O'Carim  
and  
Fr Maurice Barry O'Carim*



*At the back of the foyer we have sheets that we are asking parishioners to sign with a message of memories of their days at OLMC Hilton for Fr Jerome and Fr Maurice before or after each weekend Mass letting them know that they are in our prayers and thoughts. These will be posted to them in November.*

*Many thanx.*



### Remembrance Day

*Lest We Forget*

11 November

11am

1 Minute



**LifeLink**  
Catholic Caring Agencies

**THE ARCHBISHOP'S CHRISTMAS APPEAL FOR LIFELINK WILL BE HELD NEXT WEEKEND ON 13 – 14 NOVEMBER 2021:**

Please collect your copy of Archbishop Costelloe's letter at Mass this weekend, read his message and please give generously to support the valuable work of our Archdiocesan social service agencies. You may mail your donation in the reply-paid envelope provided, or return your envelope and donation for a Special Collection, which will be held at Mass next weekend. You may also donate (securely) online by credit card at [www.lifelink.com.au](http://www.lifelink.com.au).



**CATHOLIC OUTREACH: Care Concern Service ... Helping you help others. A social service agency of the Archdiocese of Perth.** Marietta Russo will be speaking at all weekend Masses





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on the weekend of **13 & 14 November 2021**. Catholic Outreach provides services to assist parishes set up and support pastoral care programs which enable volunteers to provide practical emergency short term support for people in need in their local community.



**CANDLES FOR SALE:** Hi everyone! If you are looking for a Christmas gift idea for family or friends, you can contact me on 0439 408 561 or [davinapaul30@outlook.com](mailto:davinapaul30@outlook.com) to buy candles. The cost is \$15 each candle. Thanks Davina.

**ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**



My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



**Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church**  
**Fundraising for Church Airconditioning**

**ITALIAN 3 COURSE LUNCH**  
By Mondo Catering

Adults \$35  
Children \$10

Come Celebrate with Us  
Sunday 21 November 2021  
12.30 until 3.30pm

OLMC Primary School Hall  
82 Collick Street, Hilton

Join us for Activities  
Dance – Raffles, Prizes and More

BYO Drinks



**What a simple and beautiful prayer.** When you wake up say: Jesus I love you ... When leaving the house say: Jesus come with me ... When you feel like crying, say: Jesus hug me ... When you feel happy say: Jesus I adore you ... When you do something, say: Jesus help me ... When you make a mistake, say: Jesus forgive me ... When you go to sleep say: Thank you Jesus and cover me with your holy mantle. **God loves you!**

### DO YOU KNOW WHY THE FINGERS OF GOD AND ADAM DON'T TOUCH THE FAMOUS WORK OF MICHELANGELO ON THE CEILING OF THE SISTINE CHAPEL?

In the work, God's finger is stretched to the maximum, but Adam's finger has the last contracted phalanges. The meaning of art is to explain that God is always there, but the decision to seek Him belongs to man. If man wants to touch God, he will need to stretch his finger, but by not stretching, he can go a lifetime without seeking Him. The last phalanx of Adam's finger contracted represents free will.








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**OUR LADY of MT CARMEL NOVENA:** 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.**



**SOULS in PURGATORY PRAYER:** 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.**



**OUR LADY of ALL NATIONS PRAYER:** 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.**



Through Him, with Him, in Him  
In the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
All glory and honour is Yours,  
Almighty Father,  
Forever and ever.  
**Amen.**



<b>WEEK 1</b> NOV 6-7 32 <sup>ND</sup> ORDINARY	COMMENTATOR	READER	ACOLYTE
Sat 6pm	Martha Kalat	Susie Poleschtschuk	Joe De Ornelas
Sun 7.30am	Diane Richards	Jenny Troy	Gerry Miller
Sun 9am	Volunteer	Franca Kalat	Ken Hla
<b>WEEK 2</b> NOV 13-14 33 <sup>RD</sup> ORDINARY	COMMENTATOR	READER	ACOLYTE
Sat 6pm	Volunteer	Volunteer	Simon Overton
Sun 7.30am	Diane Richards	Nicolas Lim	Gerry Miller
Sun 9am	Vicky Rafala	Maria Bradshaw	Frank Cooper





### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Mt 5:3

Alleluia, alleluia!

Happy the poor in spirit;  
the kingdom of heaven is theirs!

Alleluia!

### GOSPEL

Mk 12:38-44

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

*This poor widow has put in more than all who contributed.*

In his teaching Jesus said, 'Beware of the scribes who like to walk about in long robes, to be greeted obsequiously in the market squares, to take the front seats in the synagogues and the places of honour at banquets; these are the men who swallow the property of widows, while making a show of lengthy prayers. The more severe will be the sentence they receive.'

He sat down opposite the treasury and watched the people putting money into the treasury, and many of the rich put in a great deal. A poor widow came and put in two small coins, the equivalent of a penny. Then he called his disciples and said to them, 'I tell you solemnly, this poor widow has put more in than all who have contributed to the treasury; for they have all put in money they had over, but she from the little she had has put in everything she possessed, all she had to live on.'

### ■ The Gospel of the Lord.

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# Breaking Open the Word

### SELF-GIVING AND GENEROSITY

In many cultures, philanthropy and generosity can lead to a person being honoured and esteemed. The biblical world was no exception. As Sirach 31:23 observes: 'People bless the one who is liberal with food, and their testimony to his generosity is trustworthy.' Groups that were identified as being especially in need of such generosity were widows and orphans. God was identified as having special concern for them (Psalm 68:5). This was not all that the scriptures had to say on the matter. Deuteronomy 24:21 enjoined farmers to leave some of their crops for widows and orphans to harvest and so ensure their survival.

Given this tradition, it is remarkable that two of our readings today highlight the extraordinary generosity of two widows. In foreign territory, Elijah meets a widow and her son and asks to share in what they expect to be their last meal before they die. The widow's extraordinary generosity meets a most unexpected reward. As Jesus watches people contributing to the completion of the Temple, a widow's generosity catches his eye. Like Jeremiah before him, Jesus wanted the Temple to be a place of true worship. This woman's desire to honour God touched his heart – this is what true worship looks like.

Decades later the letter to the Hebrews reflected on Jesus' own self-giving as the perfect sacrifice that embodied and perfected all others. Not only did Jesus give what he had, he gave to the point of death itself. This act of love was the culmination of all Israel's sacrifices becoming the timeless model for ministry and priesthood.