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MASS TIMES THIS WEEK: Masses are Saturday Vigil at 6pm and Sunday at 7.30am and 9.30am. Weekdays Monday, Tuesday, and Friday, 10am. Wednesday and Thursday at 5pm. The Church western side porch door is unlocked from 7am to 6pm.

#### ST COLUMBA'S PARISH, SOUTH PERTH

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BAPTISM ENQUIRIES: Celebrated at 11am on the first Sunday of month

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Presenters needed, except in the school holidays. COLUMBA CARE: Convenor Shaun Maton admin.south.perth@perthcatholic.org.au

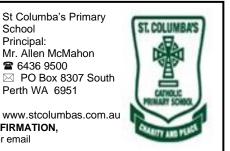
COLUMBARIUM: enquiries to admin.south.perth@perthcatholic.org.au MARRIAGE ENQUIRIES: admin.south.perth@perthcatholic.org.au

RECONCILIATION or CONFESSION: Saturday 11:30am-12pm

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION AFTER SCHOOL FOR FIRST EUCHARIST. PRE CONFIRMATION.

CONFIRMATION & RECONCILIATION: Contact Catechist Helen on 0401 329 479 or email

catechist.south.perth@perthcatholic.org.au



STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 13TH STATION

**LEADLIGHT:** The finance committee has decided that the stained glass artisan's loan to the Parish should be purchased. It is a beautiful reproduction of our Church's 13th Station of Jesus taken down from the cross and placed in Mary's arms with St John the Apostle and St Mary



Magdalene. The reproduction is on display between the Lady Chapel and the Baptistry. Recently, the Artisan, Vaughn Bishops, offered to sell it to the Parish for \$10,000. The Finance Committee voted to accept. I am now inviting parishioners and visitors to contribute. We had hoped that because it is a reproduction of part of our beautiful stained glass, that our funds would qualify with the National Trust (W.A), but because it is a moveable object, it doesn't qualify for our National Trust funds. Parishioners have been very generous to me for thirteen years, so any of you who are considering giving me a farewell gift, maybe in cash, I will in turn, give to this Appeal. I thank you in anticipation.

A thank you to Joe Rapanaro and his son Sebastian for setting up the display in the Church for us all to see. The restoration fund has now stands at \$5,409. Thank you to all who have contributed a large amount by cheque. Monsignor Brian O'Loughlin, P.P.

RISE UP - IGNITE NATIONAL CATHOLIC YOUTH **CONFERENCE 2024:** Ignite Conference is a landmark Catholic gathering – four days of real-world formation, renewal of faith, great people and powerful worship. It's bold vision for a Church that is hungry to gather, to encounter Jesus, to go deeper in faith and to be sent out. This year, it will be held in Brisbane (19th-22nd of September) and greater Sydney (26th-29th of September). Further information can be found at: www.igniteconference.com.au Pamphlets will be available on either porch table.

SAINTS OF THE WEEK: Monday: St Charles Lwanga

St Columba's Primary

Mr. Allen McMahon

School

Principal:

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& Companions; Wednesday: St Boniface; Thursday: St Norbet & St Marcellin Champagnat; Friday: The Solemnity of St Columba & the anniversary of the dedication of the Church (9am Mass, please refer below).

**IRISH SCENE MAGAZINE:** Thanks to our Parishioners for the latest 10 copies of this bi-monthly magazine. We thank Leo and his wife Lindsay, Principals of Vibe Legal for their donation of the latest copies. Parishioners and visitors remember that they boomerang!

SOLEMNITY OF THE DEDICATION OF THE CHURCH & OF ST COLUMBA: Will be celebrated with the school children and staff, so the Mass will be at 9am. 7<sup>th</sup> of June. A Plenary indulgence is granted by the Pope for those who attend the Mass and pray for Pope Francis' intentions: One Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be and receive the Sacrament of Penance or Reconciliation.

### THE LITTLE ONES by FR. MARK BAUMGATEN:

Parish Priest of Armadale, Fr. Mark has provided 8 CDs, selling for \$10, with proceeds to purchase the backlit 13th Station of the Cross. We have now sold 5 copies.



**BAPTISMS:** We welcome into the family of the Church through the waters of Saving Baptism: Sadie Claire Elder, Robbie Kevin Taylor, Patrick Laurence Noonan-Crowe, and Jaxson Ivan Seiler.

#### **MINISTRIES OF ACOLYTE AND LECTOR:**

Changes have been made by Pope Francis in his letter The Spirit of the Lord.

These ministries of Lector and Acolyte are being implemented in Australia as the Bishops respond by

asking Pope Francis to approve of the guidelines and procedures, so there will be no intake of candidates this year.

Wee, requested by her brother Henry, Mass offered; Monsignor Brian's cousin Peggy (Margaret) died peacefully in the presence of her husband Tony Stankovich and their daughter Kathleen in her home in Carolina, Mass offered. Successful heart surgery for Justin Gregory, requested by his mother, Margaret Gregory, Mass offered on Friday. Parishioners intentions, Vigil Mass today. Birthday and good health for Lydia Michaud, requested by her daughter, Chrissie Lally, Mass to be offered on Monday, June 3 at 10am.

MASS INTENTIONS: Birthday thanksgiving of Evelyn

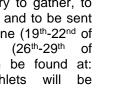
PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: We pray for all the sick and housebound of our Parish, especially Veronica, now in Bentley Hospital and hoping to be discharged. John Herne is in hospital. Please pray for them and all the housebound.

**CLERGY APPOINTMENTS:** Archbishop Costelloe has announced the changes of the various senior Parish Priests, including Monsignor Brian. Monsignor will retire on the 30<sup>th</sup> of June and be replaced by Fr. Nino Vinciguerra. He is well known in the Parish as he has visited our Parish Council and has stayed with Monsignor Brian in the presbytery. I will move to an Archdiocesan townhouse at 96 Hubert Street in East Victoria Park. It has 4 main rooms and a very large living room and kitchen dining room. I will return for my 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Ordination on August 31st and a general parish celebration, which will be held prior to that on Sunday August 25th followed by a lunch and farewell, which will be catered for by Cher and Joe Rapanaro, and anyone else who would like to assist them. I will then depart to visit my cousin Ellen and her husband Richard in Texas and a cruise on Eurodam from Seattle to Alaska with them, returning to Texas to celebrate their 55<sup>th</sup> Wedding anniversary. I then return and join the active retired clergy and be available for supplies. Thank you for your understanding with this early departure.

Monsignor Brian O'Loughlin, P.P.

THE NEW COMMUNITY BIBLE: Contains indents for each book, explanatory notes and commentary. Available for \$24.95 per copy.





<u>This Week's Reading</u> – From St Paul's Sunday Missal, pages 592-596

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.

Gloria said or sung

First Reading: Book of Exodus 24:3-8

Psalm: 115 Response: I will take the cup of salvation,

and call on the name of the Lord.

**Second Reading:** Letter to the Hebrews 9:11-15 **Gospel**: Holy Gospel according to Mark 14:12-16, 22-

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

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

<u>Next Week's Readings -</u> From St Paul's Sunday Missal, pages 634-638

10th Sunday of Ordinary Time

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** The Lord is my light and salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; whom should I dread? When those who do evil draw near, they stumble and fall.

Gloria said or sung

St Paul's Sunday Missal readings are on pages 646-650

First Reading: Book of Gensis 3:9-15

**Psalm:** 129 **Response**: With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.

**Second Reading:** Letter of St Paul to the Corinithians 4:13-5:1

Gospel: Holy Gospel according to Mark 3:20-35

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia, Alleluia! The prince of this world will now be cast out, and when I am lifted up from the earth I will draw all to myself, says the Lord. Alleluia.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON**: The Lord is my rock, my fortress, and my deliverer, my God is my saving strength.

# The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ 1st/2nd of June 2024

## THE SEQUENCE FOR THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST – LAUD O ZION (PRAISE O' ZION):

Please Join us in the Sequence

Priase, O Zion, your salvation, Priase with hymns of exultation, Christ your King and shepherd true:

Bring him all the praise you know, He is more than you bestow. Never can you reach his due.

Special theme for glad thanksgiving Is the quick'ning and the living Bread today before you set:

From his hands of old partaken, As we know, by faith unshaken, Where the Twelve at supper met.

Full and clear ring out your chanting, Joy nor sweetest grace be wanting, From your heart let praises burst:

For today the feast is holden, When the institution olden Of that supper was rehearsed.

Here the new law's new oblation, By the new king's revelation, Ends the form of ancient rite:

Now the new the old effaces, Truth away the shadow chases. Light dispels the gloom of night.

What he did at supper seated, Christ ordained to be repeated, His memorial ne'er to cease:

And his rule for guidance taking, Bread and wine we hallow, making Thus our sacrifice of peace.

This the truth each Christian learns, Bread into his flesh he turns, To his precious blood the wine:

Sight has failed nor thought conceives,

But a dauntless faith believes, Resting on a pow'r divine.

Here beneath these signs are hidden Priceless things to sense forbidden; Signs, not things are all we see:

Blood is poured and flesh is broken, Yet in either wondrous token Christ entire we know to be.

Whoso of this food partakes, Does not rend the Lord nor breaks; Christ is whole to all that taste:

Thousands are, as one receives, One, as thousands of believers, Eats of him who cannot waste.

Bad and good the feast are sharing, Of what divers dooms preparing, Endless death, or endless life.

Life to these, to those damnation, See how like participation Is with unlike issues rife.

When the sacrament is broken, Doubt not, but believe 'tis spoken, That each server'd outward token Doth the very whole contain.

Nought the precious gift divides, Breaking but the sign betides Jesus still the same abides, Still unbroken does remain.

Lo! The angel's food is given To the pilgrim who has striven; See the children's bread from heaven, Which on dogs may not be spent.

Truth the ancient types fulfilling, Isaac bound, a victim willing, Paschal lamb, its lifeblood silling, Manna to the fathers sent.

Very bread, good shepherd, tend us, Jesus, of your love befriend us, You refresh us, you defend us, Your eternal goodness send us In the land of life to see.

You who all things can and know, Who on earth such food bestow, Grant us with your saints, though lowest.

- Composed by St Thomas Aguinas



THINKING ABOUT BECOMING A CATECHIST? Online information session is available on Monday 17th of June at 7.30pm AEST. Register via our website: ctc.edu.au/information-session For more information contact: Dr Maureen Saclot ctc@ctc.edu.au



CHANGES TO THE COLLECTION: The Church collections contribute to operations of the Parish. The second collection (known as the Church collection) funds Church operations such as Flowers, Altar breads, wine, new Altar server robes and operational matters such as maintenance and insurance.

The first collection is for the Parish Priest and where there is surplus, it assists Priests at less viable Parishes. The Parish has started to implement a system of 'tap and go' payments to allow Parishioners to contribute to each collection using two separate terminals marked 1st collection (Parish Priest) and 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection (Parish). There are set amounts of \$5 | \$10 | \$20 | \$50 or enter higher or lower amounts. The two 'tap and go' terminals are at the front entrance of the Church along with 2 locked boxes marked 1st Collection and 2nd Collection - if you still) want to contribute Cash. Another alternative is to establish a Periodical Payment Authority with your own bank in favour of the Parish using the following EFT details:

1. 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection (Parish):

a. Bank: NAB b. B/S/B: 086 006

c. Account No. 458 53 7299

2. 1st Collection (Priest)

a. Bank: NAB b. B/S/B: 086 006

c. Account No. 18136 3635

For more information, contact Isabella, the Parish Secretary by email at admin.south.perth@perthcatholic.org.au Thank you to John Robertson and Joe Rapanaro with their guidance and assistance in implementing these new collection changes into the Parish.

VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD: The Vocations office of the Archdiocese has been working closely with St Charles Seminarians' to share the stories of those discerning into ordained ministry. The "movie tickets" which can be found on the main porch table include a QR code which can be scanned to view the Youtube channel with the stories. These "movies" provide an opportunity to "meet and listen" to the Seminarians' vocational stories.