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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 is open every day from 7am-5pm.



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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

COLUMBARIUM: enquiries to

MARRIAGE ENQUIRIES:

RECONCILIATION or CONFESSION: Saturday 11.30am-12noon

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION AFTER SCHOOL FOR FIRST EUCHARIST, PRE CONFIRMATION,

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

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V. The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.

R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit. **Hail Mary**

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.

R. Be it done unto me according to your word. **Hail Mary**

V. And the Word was made flesh.

R. And dwelt among us. **Hail Mary**

V. Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: Pour forth, we beseech you, O Lord, your grace into our hearts, that we, to whom the Incarnation of Christ, your Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may, by His Passion and Cross, be brought to the glory of His resurrection. Through the same Christ, our Lord. Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS: Masses for the faithful departed offered; Ben Halpin of Dublin, recently diagnosed with cancer, aged 32, brother of Neil Halpin, son-in-law of Anna and Randolph Francis, Mass offered; Whitney Lawson, recently deceased, requested by Chrissie Lally, Mass offered. Sr. Joan Buckham rsm, Requiem Mass offered. Mrs. Joan McCutcheon, Mass offered; Parishioners intentions, vigil Mass today; Gemma and Peter Grieves, 60th wedding anniversary, Mass offered. Albert and Eileen Shepherd, anniversaries, requested by the Shepherd family, Mass to be offered July 5th at 10am.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Lillian Simeon, Holy Communion at home; Anthony Mulholland, now diagnosed with Leukemia, who with his wife Beverley, both received Anointing of the Sick and Holy Communion at home; Michael O'Loughlin, seriously sick in Canberra.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES: The new sets of envelopes are available in the front porch. Thank you to those who collected their new sets of envelopes last weekend. Please look for your name if you haven't collected it yet.

The Church side door is unlocked each day from 7:00 am to 6:00 pm.

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE – From the Chrism Mass of St Mary's Cathedral, Perth:

God of peace and justice,

we pray for the people of Ukraine today.

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.

We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them.

We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace.
Amen.

CHURCH RESTORATION: The four small quaint stained glass windows in the ground floor of the bell tower have been removed for repairs to the rusted frames. They were installed in 1936, when this area was the Baptistry. Donations to the Church Restoration are tax deductible through the National Trust. Please use one of the Trust's envelopes or the A/C details. Cheques are to be payable to:

The National Trust Australia (WA) or by
Direct Transfer to Bankwest: BSB 306 089 & A/C 4189329 / REF #1909.

SOUP& BREAD: The Social Committee petty cash totaled to \$224.30. Thank you to all those who donated, including Bernadette Lawrence who made the vegetable soup and those patronised last Sunday and to organisers; Anna and Randolph Francis, Dina and John Robertson.

UPGRADE: Of the Parish website and emails. This is happening with the help of the Archdiocesan IT experts. Please be patient, the end result will be more secure and flexible.



PAINTING FRONT DOORS: We thank Michael Morgan for painting the east facing doors. The west facing doors will be next, weather permitting. The area at the base of the tower is used as a creche, but was originally the Baptistry. Three weeks ago, the stained glass windows were removed for restoration, along with the metal frames. Please consider donating to the restoration, using one of the National Trust envelopes.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: It seems that the seventy-two are somewhat skeptical about the ability Christ gives them to bestow peace, to cure the sick, and to survive among "wolves" like "lambs." Yet, from ages past the Prophet Isaiah has promised that "the Lord's power shall be known to his servants.' The jubilant report of the seventy-two upon returning to Jesus reveals that just how surprised they are at their own actions: "Even the demons are subject to us because of your name." "The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ" is the power by which God in his mercy makes the previously unimaginable come to be in our life. That is what the seventy-two experience. When we see such witnesses – when we become witnesses ourselves – our hearts rejoice and our "bodies flourish like the grass." – From the Magnificent Missalette.

SAINTS OF THE WEEK: Monday: St Elizabeth of Portugal; Tuesday: St Anthony Zaccaria; Wednesday: St Maria Goretti →; Thursday: Blessed Peter To Rot, Catechist in Papua New Guinea, martyred by Japanese soldiers during World War II; Friday: St Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions, first native ordained Chinese priest.



MISSION OUTREACH: The latest free copy is available on the main porch table. It focuses on

environmental issues, more generally on healthy soil, waste management and clean water.

THIS WEEK'S READINGS:

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! May the peace of Christ reign in your hearts, and the fullness of his message live within you. Alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.

Sunday Missal, readings are on pages 886-890

First Reading: Prophet Isaiah 66:10-14

Psalm: 65 **Response:** Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

Second Reading: St Paul to the Galatians 6:14-18

Gospel: Holy Gospel according to Luke 10:1-12,17-20

15th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C:

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! Your words, Lord, are spirit and life; you have the words of everlasting life. Alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.

Sunday Missal, readings are on pages 890-893

First Reading: Book of Deuteronomy 30:10-14

Psalm: 68 **Response:** Turn to the Lord n your need, and you will live.

Second Reading: St Paul to the Colossians 1:15-20

Gospel: Holy Gospel according to Luke 10:25-37

THE RECORD: The latest free issue of the Record Magazine is now available on both porch tables. It includes an article on the permanent Diaconate in Perth and Monsignor John Cyril Hawes, architect/builder of the Geraldton Cathedral. Another

article on the appointment of the Papal Nuncio (representative) to Australia.

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time 2nd/3rd of July 2022

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:

'Peace to this house.' The book of the prophet Isaiah concludes with the promise that God will send peace flowing like a river on all the nations. Today's Gospel reminds us that missionaries are always needed to bring this peace to others. May the peace of Christ dwell in our hearts. May the people we meet experience through us the peace referred to in the Jewish greeting, 'Shalom, Peace be with you!' - St Paul's Missal

THE REASON FOR OUR REJOICING: Our true end, according to revelation, is to know God as he knows himself, to see him face to face as he sees himself, directly and not through creatures. God was in no way obliged to grant us participation in his intimate life, but he could do so and through pure mercy wished to do so...

Who will be able to tell the joy that such a vision will produce if even now we are already entranced by the reflection of God's perfections, scattered as they are in some small measure among his creatures, by the enchantment of the sensible world, by the harmony of colours and sounds, and still more by the splendor of souls as revealed in his saints?...

Such a vision will produce in us a love of God so strong, so absolute that nothing can ever destroy it nor even diminish it. It will produce a love built on admiration, respect, and gratitude, but above all on friendship, with the simplicity and familiarity that this love pre-supposes. Through such a love we will enjoy above all else that God is God, that he is infinitely holy, infinitely merciful, infinitely just. It is a love that will make us adhere to all the decrees of his providence in view of his glory, urging us to subject ourselves to what pleases him so that he may reign eternally in us. Everlasting life for us will be to know God as he knows himself, to love him as he loves himself. – Father Reginald Garrigou-Lagrange.

Fr. Garrigou-Lagrange (+1964) was a Dominican theologian who produced numerous books and articles. He was the theology doctoral advisor of the future Saint John Paull II.

ST AUGUSTINE ZHAO RONG & COMPANIONS:

Augustine Zhao Rong heads this group of 120 Chinese martyrs canonised by Pope John Paul II in 2000. He was the first martyred Chinese priest. Born in 1746 in Wuchuan, Guizhou, China, he served in the military and was among those who escorted Monsignor (later Saint) Louis



Gabriel Taurin Dufresse to prison in Beijing. Struck by the kindness of Dufresse and Father Martin Moye, he was moved to convert and was ordained a priest in 1781. He preached with enthusiasm to his fellow Chinese. While ministering to the indigenous people of Yunnan, he was arrested, mocked and severely beaten. He died from his wounds on January 27, 1815.

GIVING WITHOUT COST: God loves you and he is preparing your future according to his love; give yourself up to him without fear and without care...

Every good vocation has to be tested. But if you are faithful, our Lord will sustain you by his grace, and you will [experience] all the more joy in that you have endured trials for our Lord. I bless you from the bottom of my heart and I will pray that you may be courageous and faithful...

Keep all your heart for Jesus Christ. If you have the courage to content yourself with his love, he will give you later on the grace of loving without attaching yourself to creatures. Work hard and for him...

I am not at all astonished at the opposition and difficulties that you are meeting at this moment. I was expecting them. God's best graces must be purchased by

