

## FILLING OUR HEARTS WITH JOY

Easter is a season of joy. We rejoice because our Lord has risen. The hard and painful journey that Jesus undertook with his gift to us of everlasting life. He is the Lord of life as he states in today's gospel. He is the Way, the Truth and the Life.

The Good Friday experience led the disciples to believe that there was no hope and joy. Jesus' death on the cross signalled the end of their discipleship journey with him. His passion, crucifixion and death left the disciples bewildered and uncertain. The messiah whom John the Baptist had proclaimed was no more.

In this situation, God seems to be absent. Jesus comforts us by saying "do not let your hearts be troubled". Life sometimes is very tough, and Jesus never promises us life without troubles. Jesus wants us to have an untroubled heart even when we are in a difficult situation. So, Jesus calls us to have faith in him; "trust in God still, and trust in me".

Faith can keep our heart at peace and give us confidence that we have Jesus in whom we can rely on. These are not mere labels given to Him. Jesus took the way of the cross to show us the truth that God loves us very much and gives his own life to us. He is the Truth because he was willing to die to open the door to new life. Jesus is the Way and without him there is no going. Jesus is the Truth because without him there is no knowing. Jesus is the life because without him there is no living.

Today, the Internet is one of the things we most need in life. It allows us to access google, and to find answers to numerous questions. The Internet can also become the way to find direction, the truth to get answers, and the way to make life more enjoyable.

Do we still trust Jesus Christ as the Way, the Truth and the Life? As disciples of Jesus in this millennial world, let us remember that we have good reason not to be troubled. Jesus invites us to stay united with Him, be conformed to him in self-giving love and follow His model of humility. Then, we will also be able to endure with him our cross, and so share in his new life.

Once we encounter the Lord, receive his Word of life and believe in Him, the Lord will put his joy into our hearts and it will remain with us until the fullness when he comes again. Pope Francis reminds us that "With Christ joy is constantly born anew" (EG 1). With Christ, our heart is always full of joy.



Redempt Jawa CSsR  
© Majellan 2020

## Gosnells Catholic Parish

Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament Church  
Archdiocese of Perth  
Western Australia



**Parish Priest: Fr Philip Perreau**  
philip.perreau@perthcatholic.org.au

Address: 175 Corfield St, Gosnells WA 6110  
Alternate Entry by: 1 Isdell Place, Gosnells  
Postal Address: PO Box 297, Gosnells WA 6990  
Telephone: 9398 2331  
Facsimile: 9398 8491

Email: gosnells@perthcatholic.org.au  
Website: www.gosnellsparish.org.au

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**Tuesday to Friday 9.00am - 1.30pm**

Entry by: 1 Isdell Place, Gosnells

#### Parish Secretary:

Naomi Newman: 9398 2331  
Email: secretary@gosnellsparish.org.au

#### Catechist Coordinator

Barbara Ingram : 9398 2864

#### Safeguarding Officers

safeguarding@gosnellsparish.org.au  
0432 398 973

#### SVDP Local Contact

Genevieve De Souza : 9398 5375

**10th May, 2020**

**5th Sunday of Easter**

**Year A**

**Today's Readings**

Acts 6:1-7

1 Peter 2:4-9

John 14:1-12

**17th May, 2020**

**6th Sunday of Easter**

**Year A**

**Next Sunday's Readings**

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17

1 Peter 3:15-18

John 14:15-21

### St Munchin's Catholic Primary School



Principal: Mr Robert Romeo  
1 Isdell Place, Gosnells  
PO Box 172, Gosnells WA 6990  
9234 7555  
admin@stmunchins.wa.edu.au

Follow Truth

# Sunday Bulletin

## Our Lady Of The Most Blessed Sacrament Sunday Mass 9.30am

Fr Philip is inviting you to the following scheduled ZOOM meeting where Sunday Mass will be live-streamed at 9.30am. This will be a recurring meeting at 9.30am each Sunday. Click the 'Join Zoom Meeting' link about 5 minutes before the scheduled start. Please remember to mute your microphone before Mass.

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/7067419507>

Meeting ID: 706 741 9507

For those familiar with 'One tap mobile':

+61861193900,,7067419507# Australia +61871501149,,7067419507# Australia

Mass will also be available on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/groups/GosnellsCatholicParish/>

## Archdiocesan Mass

Archbishop Costelloe SDB will be live-streaming Mass every Sunday morning from 11.00am via the following links:

- Archdiocesan Website: [www.perthcatholic.org.au](http://www.perthcatholic.org.au)
- YouTube: [www.youtube.com/catholicarchdioceseofperth](https://www.youtube.com/catholicarchdioceseofperth)
- Facebook: [www.facebook.com/perthcatholic](https://www.facebook.com/perthcatholic)

Sunday Mass is also available through 'Mass on Demand' at [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCYRq7AjVimr-hCHFJD\\_HVaQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCYRq7AjVimr-hCHFJD_HVaQ) and 'Mass for You at Home' at 6.00am every Sunday morning on Channel 10.

## Contributions To The Parish

A few people in the parish have asked how to continue their planned giving. If you are able to continue, you can either bring your planned giving offering to the office, Tuesday to Friday, 9am - 1.30pm or deposit it to the following bank account:

Account Name: Parish of Gosnells

BSB Number: 086006

Account Number: 773984777

Reference: PG - \*\*\* (your envelope number eg PG-157)

For other contributions to assist the parish, please quote LC-750 as your reference.

## Direct Debit Facility

If you are interested in using our parish's direct debit facility to ensure that your planned giving contribution is maintained, please contact the parish office.

## Do We Have Your Email?

We have been sending out important messages like pastoral letters from Archbishop Timothy Costelloe and the lyrics to the hymns that will be sung at Mass on Sunday to those on our email database. If you wish to have these sent to you, please forward us your email address and we will add you to our database.

## Temporary Church Closure

The Federal Government has ordered the closure of all churches to help limit the spread of the Coronavirus. All private prayer, all prayer groups in the Church and all Masses are temporarily suspended until further notice.

Baptisms and confirmations are postponed except in the case of emergencies. Weddings and funerals are allowed under strict conditions, as is Anointing of the Sick. Individual confession is still available by appointment, please contact the office to make an appointment.

Our parish office remains open from 9am-1.30pm Tuesday-Friday, and can be reached by phone on 9398 2331 or by email at [secretary@gosnellsparish.org.au](mailto:secretary@gosnellsparish.org.au)

The Archdiocese will be offering various suggestions and resources via their webpage [www.perthcatholic.org.au](http://www.perthcatholic.org.au) or visit <http://liturgy.perthcatholic.org.au> directly for a series of prayer and worship resources for individuals and families to use.

## Praying For You



### Recently Deceased

Jacinta Liyanage

### Deceased

Sr Alphonsa Mary OSM, Magurie,  
Sr Sophia Therese OSM

### Our Sick

Annabelle McNess, Richard Bisnath,  
Wendy Price, Fran Wiffen,  
Ding Madrigal, Zee Pereira,  
John Warui, Metilde Warui,  
Con Farano, Hirute Selassie,  
Peter Cox, Mary Hazel Calupig,  
Bill Tucker, Margaret Evans,  
Rene Priest, Erika Magness,  
Ian Ballantyne, Mavis Hall  
Rose Thomas



### Feast Days this Week

May 11	Mon	The Carthusians Martyrs
12	Tue	Sts Nereus & Achilleus (Martyrs), St Pancras (Martyr)
13	Wed	Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament, Our Lady of Fatima, St Erconwald
14	Thu	St Matthias (Apostle)
15	Fri	St Isidore the Farmer, St Carthage
16	Sat	St Simon Stock, St Brendan, St John Stone

## God's Night Light



Kim & Jason by Jason Kotecki  
[www.KimandJason.com](http://www.KimandJason.com)

**WE CARE**

**SVDP Emergency Relief Phone 1300 794 054**

**Marycare Contact Maureen 9398 7375 Anne 9490 3377**



### Feast Day Wednesday

Happy feast day to all Parishioners for the feast of Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Mass will be offered to celebrate the day.



### Happy Mothers Day

Month of Mary our heavenly Mother.  
We give thanks and praise to the Lord our God for  
all our beautiful mothers, young and old.  
Many thanks and best wishes today and always.



### The Month of May The Month Of Mary

Within the cycle of a year, the Church unfolds the whole of the mystery of Christ, from his incarnation and birth until his ascension, the day of Pentecost, and the expectation of blessed hope and of the Lord's return...

In celebrating this annual cycle of Christ's mysteries, the Church honours with special love **Mary, the Mother of God**, who is joined by an inseparable bond to the saving work of her Son. In her the Church holds up and admires the most excellent effect of the redemption and joyfully contemplates, as in a flawless image, that which the Church itself desires and hopes wholly to be.

CS 102, 103

We invite you to pray the Rosary everyday this month.

### Five Great Loves

To love is who we are created to be. So what do YOU love? Join us for our FIRST, local, ONLINE Conference for 18+ youth as we look at the 5 Great Loves of one of the greatest men in history; St John Paul the Great. The Sacramentum Online Conference CYM event will be taking place from the 15th - 17th of May.

"Sacramentum is a conference for young adults aimed to answer those difficult questions that some are even afraid to ask. Join us next week for a weekend where you can rediscover what it really means to be a Catholic and how to live your life to the fullest". For more information and registration details visit:

[www.sacramentum.cym.com.au/](http://www.sacramentum.cym.com.au/) This is a FREE event so feel free to invite your friends and family too. We hope to see you there!



Vinnies WA are now collecting non-perishable food donations to help the most vulnerable in our community. Our nearest drop off point is Ozanam House at 9 Brewer Road in Canning Vale. Please visit the link below for the full list of items that are in desperate need. If you wish to make a monetary donation, please call 13 18 12 or donate online at [www.vinnieswa.org.au](http://www.vinnieswa.org.au). Stay safe and stay well.



Keep the faithful connected to the universal Church through a free new resource. How, you ask? Through Shalom World TV, of course! Shalom World TV is a high-definition television channel of the Shalom Ministries committed to producing high-quality Catholic content such as Daily Mass, devotionals, shows, music, youth programs, children's programs, conventions, retreats, and cultural exchange segments. Look out for access to Shalom World TV via the Media Gallery tool coming to our parish website.

### Subscribe to the eRecord

Local news from across our parishes, agencies, schools and organisations can be delivered weekly directly to your inbox via The eRecord. It contains the latest news, events and photos from the Archdiocese. For more information call 9220 5900 or send your details to [communications@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:communications@perthcatholic.org.au)

### Parish Safeguarding Officers

The Perth Catholic Archdiocese is committed to the safety and security of all children and young people. If you have any safety concerns about a person in the parish or about a child protection or child safety issue, you can discuss it with the Parish Safeguarding Officers.  
Phone 0432 398 973 or email [safeguarding@gosnellsparish.org.au](mailto:safeguarding@gosnellsparish.org.au)



ANYTHING & EVERYTHING  
— FURNITURE DESIGN —



Cosimo Ierino  
Sales & Design  
Kitchen, Bathroom  
& Laundry  
Specialist

Phone: 0466 225 146  
[cosimo62@optusnet.com.au](mailto:cosimo62@optusnet.com.au) *quality, service, style*

 **BEE PAINTING SERVICES** Reg. 101014

**Residential and Commercial Painting**  
Interior and Exterior • All Areas • Reliable  
Free quotes • Quality work guaranteed  
**Phone: 0405 789 789**  
Email: [beepaintingservices@gmail.com](mailto:beepaintingservices@gmail.com)  
Web: [beepaintingservices.com.au](http://beepaintingservices.com.au)

**AFFORDABLE CHOICES FOR A RESPECTFUL FUNERAL.**

Options to suit your needs and budget.


**9390 3000**  
138 Third Avenue Kelmscott  
[simplicityfunerals.com.au](http://simplicityfunerals.com.au)

**Simplicity Funerals**  
Simply Affordable.

 **Master Tops**  
Quality Stone Benchtops & More

**STONE KITCHEN BENCH TOPS**

**08 6161 1969**  
[admin@mastertops.com.au](mailto:admin@mastertops.com.au)  
21 Kembla Way, Willetton  
[www.mastertops.com.au](http://www.mastertops.com.au)

 **Nicholson Road Medical Group**

**BULK BILLING ACCREDITED GP PRACTICE**

*Our doctors speak English, Burmese, Filipino, Chinese, Malay, Sinhalese, Tamil.*

**Phone: 9456 1900**

3/11 Vostan Rd, Canning Vale, WA 6155  
Book online: [www.nicholsonroadmedical.com](http://www.nicholsonroadmedical.com)

 **HETHERINGTON FUNERALS**

*"Our Family Caring for Your Family"*

*A WA Family Owned Christian Funeral Home*

**All Hours (08) 9459 2846**



## St Kateri Tekakwitha (1656 - 1680)

### Feast Day: July 14

St. Kateri Tekakwitha is the first Native American to be recognized as a saint by the Catholic Church. She was born in 1656, in the Mohawk village of Ossernenon. Her mother was an Algonquin, who was captured by the Mohawks and who took a Mohawk chief for her husband.

She contracted smallpox as a four-year-old child which scarred her skin. The scars were a source of humiliation in her youth. She was commonly seen wearing a blanket to hide her face. Worse, her entire family died during the outbreak. Kateri Tekakwitha was subsequently raised by her uncle, who was the chief of a Mohawk clan.

Kateri was known as a skilled worker, who was diligent and patient. However, she refused to marry. When her adoptive parents proposed a suitor to her, she refused to entertain the proposal. They punished her by giving her more work to do, but she did not give in. Instead, she remained quiet and diligent. Eventually they were forced to relent and accept that she had no interest in marriage.

At age 19, Kateri Tekakwitha converted to Catholicism, taking a vow of chastity and pledging to marry only Jesus Christ. Her decision was very unpopular with her adoptive parents and their neighbors. Some of her neighbors started rumors of sorcery. To avoid persecution, she traveled to a Christian native community south of Montreal.

According to legend, Kateri was very devout and would put thorns on her sleeping mat. She often prayed for the conversion of her fellow Mohawks. According to the Jesuit missionaries that served the community where Kateri lived, she often fasted and when she would eat, she would taint her food to diminish its flavor. On at least one occasion, she burned herself. Such self-mortification was common among the Mohawk.

Kateri was very devout and was known for her steadfast devotion. She was also very sickly. Her practices of self-mortification and denial may not have helped her health. Sadly, just five years after her conversion to Catholicism, she became ill and passed away at age 24, on April 17, 1680. Her name, Kateri, is the Mohawk form of Catherine, which she took from St. Catherine of Siena. St. Kateri Tekakwitha was canonized by Pope Benedict XVI on Oct. 21, 2012. She is the patroness of ecology and the environment, people in exile and Native Americans.

(From Catholic Online [https://www.catholic.org/saints/saint.php?saint\\_id=154](https://www.catholic.org/saints/saint.php?saint_id=154))

Image from: [https://faithmag.com/sites/default/files/styles/article\\_full/public/2018-09/lily\\_of\\_the\\_mohawks\\_saint\\_kateri\\_tekakwitha\\_feast\\_day\\_july\\_4.jpg?h=8d409d28&itok=FCQDx\\_Fl](https://faithmag.com/sites/default/files/styles/article_full/public/2018-09/lily_of_the_mohawks_saint_kateri_tekakwitha_feast_day_july_4.jpg?h=8d409d28&itok=FCQDx_Fl)



### FAST EFFECTIVE & AFFORDABLE

#### Sidney D'Souza

Independent Contractor

Mobile 0424 950 611

[pristinefloorsolutions@gmail.com](mailto:pristinefloorsolutions@gmail.com)

Tile and Grout Cleaning Perth  
Sealing of Grout lines  
Cleaning and sealing of natural stone  
Porcelain wax removal and sealing  
Grout colour sealing  
Problem solving  
Grout repairs  
Antislip treatment

Fully insured + National Police Cleared  
FREE Quotes + Seniors Discount



- Dry Cleaning
- Laundry
- Ironing
- Alterations
- Key Cutting Services

### Seniors / Pensioners / Parishioners discounts apply

Call Norman & Cheryl 9390 4834

Friendly / Efficient / Affordable

Stargate Shopping Centre  
2784 Albany Hwy, Kelmscott

### Pedulla & Associates

Wills  
Probate  
Family Law  
Debt Recovery



Jeanette Pedulla  
Principal Lawyer- GDLP, JD, BLS

Business Station Inc: The Agonis Building -  
Unit 32/2232B Albany Highway GOSNELLS WA 6110  
Email: [info@pedullaandassociates.com.au](mailto:info@pedullaandassociates.com.au)  
Website: [www.pedullaandassociates.com.au](http://www.pedullaandassociates.com.au)

Ph: 9490 3818  
Business Hours  
Mob: 0404 710 182

### BOWRA & O'DEA FUNERAL DIRECTORS

Generations of Excellence  
Since 1888

For any information or personal assistance  
please call David Bianchini  
Manager Cannington Office  
Tel: 9461 7133



Leanne O'DEA  
FUNERAL DIRECTORS



### Enrolments For 4-year-old Kindergarten 2021 At St Munchin's

Children born from 1st July 2016 to 30th June 2017. We invite parents and caregivers to submit an application for enrolment as soon as possible. Please call 9234 7555 or email [admin@stmunchins.wa.edu.au](mailto:admin@stmunchins.wa.edu.au) and an enrolment package will be sent to you. Enrolment forms may also be printed from our website [www.stmunchins.wa.edu.au](http://www.stmunchins.wa.edu.au). If you are aware of relatives and friends who are hoping to enrol their child/ren in 4-year-old Kindergarten for 2021, please encourage them to contact the school to arrange enrolment.

### Project Compassion

Caritas Australia would like to THANK YOU for supporting Project Compassion 2020. During this time may we ask that cash donations in Project Compassion boxes or envelopes be sent to us by **cheque or credit card** instead. Please either mail to: Caritas Australia, 40A Mary St, HIGHGATE, WA, 6003. **Please do not send cash in the mail.** Also, include your completed box top or envelope if you need a tax receipt.  
**or:** visit [www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion](http://www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion) to make your donation online.  
**or:** by phone (08) 9422 7925. This is Caritas' Highgate WA office.  
Calls are forwarded to Deacon Paul Reid, during COVID-19 office closure.  
**or:** 1800 024 413 This is Caritas' National Office.

**Thank you for supporting Caritas Australia's Project Compassion 2020 appeal.**

[www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion](http://www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion) #projectcompassion 1800 024 413

**Lumen Christi College**  
A Catholic, Co-educational  
Secondary College

Enrol Now for 2021 - 2023  
Book a tour at [lumen.wa.edu.au](http://lumen.wa.edu.au) | 9394 9300

### Our Parish Columbarium

A sacred place for all parishioners and former parishioners and their families.  
Brochures are available in the foyer.

