

A QUIET PLACE

In many ancient religions, mountaintops were thought to be the dwelling places of the gods, where sacred encounters might happen. One example of this is the encounter of Moses with God on a mountaintop when he received the ten commandments.

Even now, among modern people, mountains are good places to escape the hustle and bustle of daily life. They can make good listening places at times when we need to reflect or make a major decision. From a mountain you can see far into the distance, so it is often a place for insight and perspective.

In our world, we need opportunities to reflect, so we can get perspective on our lives. When we choose to go on a retreat, a walk in the woods, speak to a counsellor, not turn on the radio or the television, it can be as if we are responding to the invitation Jesus gave to his disciples, to come apart for a while. We are choosing to do what the disciples heard from the cloud, "Listen to him."

The disciples got more than they expected. They had a momentary glimpse into how special Jesus was. They heard a voice which said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him."

Jesus asked Peter, James, and John not to tell anyone about the vision, "Until the Son of Man has been raised from the dead." Just prior to today's passage Jesus predicted the suffering and death that awaited him in Jerusalem. Peter tried to dissuade him. Jesus rebuked him and told him and the others that if they wished to be his disciples, they must take up their cross and follow him.

This was not a comforting message for the disciples, but the transfiguration gave them hope for the future, and a direction to "Listen to him." In the scriptures we pay close attention, not only to the words of Jesus, but also his actions, for they reveal God to us. They tell us about God's forgiveness, compassion, and unfaltering love for us. As we listen closely, we hear Jesus tell us to do for others what he is about to do for us, and this empowers us to pick up our cross of service and follow him.

We may not be literally on a mountaintop today, but in a quiet place where we can listen to Jesus, despite the competing voices that seek to draw us to other ways of living than the one to which the Lord has called us. Quiet places and worshipping together give us opportunities to open our ears and our hearts and to try listening anew both to one another and to the Lord. As we listen, we also ask ourselves, "What is Jesus saying to me in the people and events of this day?" Then, we listen and do our best to discern an appropriate response.



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6th August, 2023

The Transfiguration of the Lord

Year A

White

Today's Readings

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

2 Peter 1:16-19

Matthew 17:1-9

13th August, 2023

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year A

Green

Next Sunday's Readings

1 Kings 19:9, 11-13

Romans 9:1-5

Matthew 14:22-33

St Munchin's Catholic Primary School



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Sunday Bulletin

Parish Liturgies	
Weekend Mass	Saturday 6.00pm Vigil Mass, Sunday 7.30am, Sunday 9.30am
Weekday Mass	Monday 8.00am Communion Service (Mass on Solemnity only) Tuesday 6.00pm Mass - (1st Tuesday Mass of Anointing) Wednesday, Thursday & Saturday 8.00am Mass Friday 9.00am Mass
Reconciliation	Saturday 5.00pm - 5.45pm or by appointment
Buckley Caring Centre	10.00am Mass - Second Thursday of the Month
Juniper Aged Care	11.00am Mass - Third Friday of the Month
Rosary	After weekday Masses
Exposition	Tuesday 5.00pm - 6.00pm with Benediction, Sunday 6.00pm - 7.00pm
Charismatic Prayer	Thursday 7.15pm - 9.00pm.
Baptism	Sunday at 11.00am, or by arrangement
Marriage	By appointment - Minimum SIX MONTHS notice for preparation etc

Praying For You



Deceased
Estherina Rebello

Death Anniversary
John Callaghan, Agnes D'Cruz,
Bill Hornsby, Irene Stone,
Keith White, Pagolu Ruma Kumari

Our Sick
Pat Simm, Gerry Peters,
Ammini Jose, John Breag, Conrad Briggs,
Joel Celine, Dennis Ford, Letecia Niembra,
Wendy Kraft, Cecilia Lee, Dolly,
Elvira Panici-Allen, Annabelle McNess,
Richard Bisnath, Wendy Price, Fran Wiffen,
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Parish Meetings

Parish Pastoral Council
Tuesday, 8th August
Parish Centre at 6.45pm

Vinnies
Wednesday, 9th August
Parish Centre at 7.30pm

Feast Days this Week

Aug 7	Mon	Pope St Sixtus II and his companions, St Cajetan, St Albert of Trapani
8	Tue	St Mary of the Cross (MacKillop)
9	Wed	St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, St Nathy, St Felim
10	Thu	St Laurence
11	Fri	St Clare
12	Sat	St Jane Frances de Chantal, St Muredach, St Attracta, St Lelia, St Blaen

Rosters for 5/6 August, 2023

Mass	Greeters	Reader	Commentator	Acolyte	Extraordinary Ministers	Altar Servers
Saturday 6.00pm	Rosa Ford Theresa Spice	Pam Davies	Angel Donina	Colin Loh	Bridget Soh Miriam Villan	Clinton Matthews, Jacob Raymond Angel Villan, Carl Agus Maria Donina, Abigail Raganas
Sunday 7.30am	Eric Almen Wendie Almen	Ronan Roach	Dion Robson	Volunteer	Russell Lally Rod McAtee	Tom Antu, Aydriel Ratnasekera Bionney Bangayan, Diobett Bangayan
Sunday 9.30am	Kerry Keys Bec Malagui-Hicks	Maureen Byrne	Florence Ayeni	Lenny Dcruz	Silvana Sciorilli Evelyn Yozzi	Sanjay Jojo, Noel Justin Alisha Liyanage, Keanu Malagui-Hicks Joshua Manda, Julia Marano
Tellers this week: Sue & Vincent Frawley, Darryl le Guay				Tellers next week: Sidney & Esmie D'Souza, Faye Rodriguez		

Rosters for 12/13 August, 2023

Mass	Greeters	Reader	Commentator	Acolyte	Extraordinary Ministers	Altar Servers
Saturday 6.00pm	Sandra Wren Mercy Burton	Sandra Wren	Carina Limgenco	Volunteer	Mark Van Ingen Ludette Van Der Spil	Melanie Beacher, Athena Calupig Matthew Calupig, Jacob Malou Kyle Marquis, Clinton Matthews
Sunday 7.30am	Jennifer Barnes Jackie Hall	Robertson Saw	Sr Savarie	Clint Barnes	Chloe Pereira-Smith Inoka Ratnasekera	Richardson Saw, Rosemary Saw Scott Tido, Callie Abogado
Sunday 9.30am	Ciara & Keanu Malagui-Hicks	Lance Dcruz	Kaye Cox	Dan Hewitt	Joe Yozzi Francisco Aung	Patrina Paesu, Yatumika Shelvan Able Biju, Juan Carlos Borlongan Carl Borlongan, Florian Christstar

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Married Couples Parish Dinner Saturday, 12th August - don't miss out!

As part of National Marriage Week, our Parish Council is organising a dinner to celebrate and acknowledge Married Couples.

Married Couples of all ages who are Gosnells parishioners are warmly invited. Join us for 6pm Mass then enjoy a buffet style dinner in the Parish Centre. It will be a night of fun, great food and great company. \$50 per couple, to cover the costs of the evening.

Tickets are available from Parish Council members after Mass - Last chance!



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Vinnies Community Sleepout

Last weekend the Gosnells SVDP Conference had their community sleepout on the Gosnells Parish Church grounds sleeping in their cars. Help them to make a real difference to the lives of over 55,000 Western Australians that are 'sleeping rough' each year. You can place your donation in a 'Sleepout' labeled envelope and put it into the SVDP donation box located in the church, visit <https://vinnies-wa.grassrootz.com/vinnies-wa-community-sleepout/gosnells-vinnies-conference-sleep-out> or click on the QR code to donate.

Please contact Clement Ayeni on 0420 666 355 for more information.



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After all Masses this weekend, and the first Sunday of every month.

Enjoy the company of other parishioners.

Take a moment to get to know someone new!

Volunteers, please check the roster to see if you are on.

Thanks to all on the Morning Tea Roster.

St Munchin's Whole School Mass



St Munchin's will celebrate The Assumption of the Virgin Mary with a whole school Mass on Tuesday, 15th August at 9am.

Greeters are needed

New rosters are being drawn up soon. New volunteers are especially invited to join this ministry and add their names to the list in the foyer. All those on the current roster are asked to recommit by also adding their name to the list.

'Come and See' The Shrine of Mary

Join us to learn about the little Shrine on the hill and what it holds for you. The Schoenstatt Movement is a spiritual family offering formation and events for families, couples, singles, youth and children. Experience a fun-filled afternoon with guided tours, afternoon tea, testimonies and information materials, activities for children and teenagers. We will conclude with prayer & song at the Shrine at 3.30pm. Sunday 27 August, 2 - 4pm, Schoenstatt Shrine, 9 Talus Drive, Mt Richon. Free event. Inquiries: Terry Huxtable 0403 910 925 or email WAINFO@schoentatt.org.au

Parish Planned Giving

Don't forget to pick up your envelopes today! Our Parish Planned Giving Program forms part of the Second Collection providing for the ongoing upkeep and development of the parish. Many parishioners contribute via the Direct Debit method and therefore will not be seen to be adding their envelope to the collection. If you want more information about contributing to your parish by this means, please contact the Parish Office.

Thank you to all who generously support the Parish.

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

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Golden Age Club Meeting

The next Club Day is in the Parish Centre Tuesday, 8th August with indoor activities from 9am and monthly meeting at 10.45am. BYO Lunch. Bingo at 12.15pm! All parishioners, 50 years and over are welcome.



Extraordinary Ministers and Acolytes - New Roster available now

Please collect your new roster from the foyer today. Please arrange your own swaps from the list if unable to attend. Thank you to all who continue to serve the parish through these ministries. May God bless your generosity.

Readers : Break Open The Word

The 2023 Book for Readers is available for Proclaimers of the Word to borrow to help prepare for their reading ministry. All copies are 'Parish' stamped and should be held by the Readers for just one week at a time.

Used Stamps Needed

Mary MacKillop International and the Sisters of St Joseph are helping to eliminate poverty and suffering by collecting used stamps from various parishes and selling them to raise funds for community programs in Peru, Timor and Papua New Guinea. Our parish has a box for donations of used stamps.

Archdiocesan Marriage Mass

Saturday, August 19th 10am, St Mary's Cathedral

All parishioners are warmly invited to attend this special Mass. A blessing will be bestowed on ALL married couples who attend. In addition, do you know a couple celebrating a milestone anniversary 10, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45 or 50+ years of marriage? The Bishops would like to give these couples a special commemorative certificate as part of the celebration. Couples can register for a milestone anniversary certificate at <https://bit.ly/marriagemass2023>.

Catholic Youth Unite 2023 – Special Guest Fr. Rob Galea

Experience the energy and joy of World Youth Day in Perth! Join us for an unforgettable evening where the spirit of World Youth Day comes alive! Featuring special guest Fr Rob Galea, DJ, Live Music, WYD Pilgrims, Inspiring Talk, Food Trucks and Expo Stands. This all-ages event is a celebration for all youth that will ignite your heart. Catholic Youth of Perth Unite! Join us Friday 25th August, 6.30pm to 9.30pm. Tickets are \$12/ea. University of Notre Dame Australia - Drill Hall [32 Mouat St, Fremantle WA 6160]. For more details please visit <https://cym.com.au/> We look forward to seeing you.

Safeguarding Induction for All Church Workers

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference has broadened safeguarding to include adults at risk. ALL church workers (volunteers or paid) are to attend a 1-hour safeguarding induction. A church worker is anyone in the parish in any role – paid or voluntary. If you haven't attended the induction in the last 3 years, please register for the upcoming session. This induction provides an overview of the Safeguarding Policies and Procedures, the role of the Parish Safeguarding Officer, and the importance of Safeguarding within the parish.

To register please visit:

<https://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training/#induction> or phone 9221 7762.

Available dates and times are on the bulletin board.



On The Bulletin Board

Various employment opportunities from the Archdiocese of Perth.

St John Paul 11 16 Day Pilgrimage, *Return to Jordan and The Holy Land.*

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