



SEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIMES – Year C

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Today's Gospel has encouraging words for good stewards — "Give and it shall be given to you. For the measure you measure with will be measured back to you." What encouragement to give generously of the resources entrusted to our care!



Adoration Monday 25 Feb at 7.30pm

Jesus wants you to do more than to go to mass on Sunday. "Our communal worship at mass must go together with our personal worship of Jesus in Eucharistic adoration in order that our love may be complete." (Pope John Paul II, Redeemer of Man)

Orana News - We need your help

Orana CPS would like to invite parishioners to volunteer for our Canteen roster on Friday 1 March, 15 March or 29 March. If you are able to assist us in this way, please email admin@orana.wa.edu.au with your preferred date and we will add you to our volunteer list and confirm details with you closer to the date. It would be lovely to see parishioners working with our school community. **This year's Ash Wednesday mass will be held at Orana CPS at 11.30am on Wednesday 6 March.**

Sts John & Paul Playgroup

We meet every Thursday at the church's parish hall from 9.30am - 11.30am. We invite parents/grandparents/carers to bring along your children under school age to join us for a cuppa/fellowship at the playgroup. Volunteers are welcome too. Enquiries please contact **Veronica 0433 178 645**.

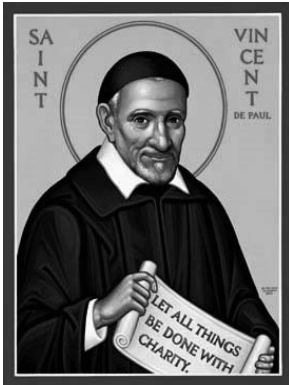


DATE	CHURCH	PARISH CENTRE
Mon, 25 Feb	9:00am Mass/9:30am Rosary 7:30pm Adoration Family Holy Hour	6:30pm PA Advocate Prep 2 – Room 3 7:30pm SVdP – Room 1
Tue, 26 Feb	9:00am Mass/9:30am Rosary 7:30pm Choir Practice	7:00pm RCIA – Room 3
Wed, 27 Feb	9:00am Mass/9:30am Rosary 6:30pm Adoration 7:00pm Mass/7:30pm JP Prayer	9:30am Craft – Room 3
Thu, 28 Feb	9:00am Mass/9:30am Rosary 7:00pm CFR	9:30am Play Group – Room 3 6:30pm PA Advocate Prep 2 – Room 3
Fri, 1 Mar	12:00pm Mass 7:00pm Catholic Faith renewal	9:30am Growing Vine – Room 3 2:00pm Legion of Mary – Room 2 8:00pm CFR Fellowship– Hall & Kitchen
Sat, 2 Mar	9:00am Mass/9:30am Recon/Rosary 5:30pm Reconciliation 6:30pm Vigil Mass	10.30am Men's Group Bible Sharing-DWWJ 7:00pm JPYM – Hall & Kitchen
Sun, 3 Mar	7.30am Mass 9.00am Mass 10.30am Mass 3.00pm Divine Mercy	1st Reading Sirach 27: 4 - 7 2nd Reading 1Cor 15: 54 – 58 Gospel Reading Lk 6: 39 – 45 4:00pm M4C - Room 3

MINISTRY TEAM

Parish Priest: Fr Thai Vu (pp@willettoncatholicparish.org.au)
Asst Priest: Fr Hyginus Ebede (ap@willettoncatholicparish.org.au)
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Secretary: Lyna Chan (9332 5992)
Baptisms: Mary de Wever (9310 2426)
John Paul Care: Rosa Pasquale (0417 994 676)



Piety Stall - St Vincent de Paul

We have additional copies of the Columban Calendar in stock for \$9.00! If you missed out on a copy when we were out of stock, please come to the Piety Stall to secure a copy as soon as possible. Please remember the Columban Calendar supports missionaries who travel overseas leaving their home countries to work frequently in areas of the poor and disadvantaged people.

Volunteers Needed - We require volunteers to assist on the Piety Stall, once a month for the Saturday evening Mass and for the 7.30 am Mass. If you would like to assist on the Stall or would like to find out more about this, please ring **Linda** on **0402 421-526**.

JPYM Updates

Proclaimers & Eucharistic Ministers

Please check the new rosters for 2019 weekend masses. You also need to confirm your rosters for the monthly youth masses, Lent and other liturgical celebrations for this year.

Youth Mass: 9th March

JPYM, M4C and T4C will be leading the parish in a youth mass on the **9th of March at 6:30PM**. Please come along to support the youth! We encourage all youth to participate in this mass, if you would like to join us for any of the liturgical activities i.e. altar servers, proclaimers or even the back row of the choir :) please contact **Tiffany Poi** (tiffany.poi@gmail.com) or **Harvey Fernandes** (harveyfernandes1@gmail.com)



Mission 4 Christ Tutoring

The young volunteers from M4C are offering free high school tutoring at the Parish Centre fortnightly, on Sunday 4-5pm at the end of week 2, 4, 6, 8 of the school term. Our volunteer tutors will answer questions and explain the answers over a wide range of subjects, including Maths and English. The sessions are open to everyone at no cost - you do not have to be a member of our church and there will be no worship activities. The next tutoring session will be held:

When: Sunday 3 Mar

Time: 4-5pm

Where: Parish Centre

Bring your questions and/or text books if possible and we look forward to seeing you there!

Enquiries: m4c@willettoncatholicparish.org.au; or join our Facebook group "Mission4Christ Tutoring" for the latest news and info.

World Day of Prayer 2019 –Riverton Baptist Community Church

The World Day of Prayer service is to be held at **10.00am on Friday 1st March** at the Riverton Baptist Community Church 38 Modillion Ave Shelley. This year the prayer service is prepared by the Slovenia community. The service will be approximately 1 hour and followed by morning tea. All welcome to join with the other Christian churches of the area. Any enquiries contact **Pat Bonser** ph9332 6219.

FAST24 (8 Mar to 9 Mar at Queen of Apostles Riverton Parish)

This retreat will be held once again at the Queen of Apostles, Riverton parish starting with the Stations of the Cross on the 8 Mar evening and finishing with the Mass on Saturday 9 Mar evening. It is a great way to prepare yourself this Lent for Easter. It is suitable for both the young and the old. **For more information and registration :** <https://fast24experience.wordpress.com>, catholicyouthapostolate@gmail.com, or call **David 0432 448463** or **Peter 0409 715159**

John Paul Care

Rosa	General	0417 994 676
Sr Josephine	Gardening / Handyman	0431 881316
Ederlyn	Meals	0434 545 463
Bev	Transport	0414 848032
Betty	Bereavement support	9457 4991

The John Paul Care brochure is available in the foyer of the Church. It offers the opportunity to volunteer or to request assistance. Please feel free to take one home.

(jpcare@willettoncatholicparish.org.au)



Week 23 – Sacraments: Holy Orders

“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you” Matthew 28:19-20

We continue our journey understanding the seven sacraments and explore the Sacrament of Holy Orders. As part of this week's session, our Parish Priests will be dropping by to share their experiences and for a brief Q&A session.

Come and listen, share and have fellowship with your fellow parishioners this Tuesday at 7.15pm in the Parish Centre Room 3.

Sacramentum – A Retreat for Young Adults, Fri: 12th – Sun: 14th April 2019 -

Sacramentum is a retreat for young adults aimed to answer those difficult questions that some are even afraid to ask. Join us in April for a weekend where you can rediscover what it really means to be a Catholic and how to live your life to the fullest.

Who: Young Adults ages 22-35

When: 6:30pm Friday 12th April 2019 – 1:30pm

Sunday 14th April 2019

Where: Point Walter Recreation & Conference Centre

Cost: \$180 , For info: <http://cym.com.au> | 9422 7912 | admin@cym.com.au

This Easter, Jeff Cavins will be coming to Perth as part of the 2019 Evangelisation Australia Easter Mission. Jeff is no stranger to most of us, as almost every parish has run one of his famous Bible Timeline studies at one point or another. This is a very unique opportunity to hear him speak live. It is also a chance to engage with others from the parish as well as from the archdiocese, and of course most importantly deepen our relationship with Jesus Christ. The events will take place over 2 days, across 3 parishes, so please check venues and times carefully.

Date: 26 & 27 APRIL

Time: Friday 5.30pm - 9.30pm, Saturday AM

9.00am - 12.00pm & Saturday PM 3.00pm - 5.00pm

Venue: Whitford, Yangebup & Kwinana

For more information and registration please pick up a brochure at the back of the Church or visit www.evangelisationaustralia.com.

Man's Vocation : Life in the Spirit

Man's Freedom

What is freedom?

Freedom is the power given by God to act or not to act, to do this or to do that, and so to perform deliberate actions on one's own responsibility. Freedom characterizes properly human acts. The more one does what is good, the freer one becomes. Freedom attains its proper perfection when it is directed toward God, the highest good and our beatitude. Freedom implies also the possibility of choosing between good and evil. The choice of evil is an abuse of freedom and leads to slavery of sin.

What is the relationship between freedom and responsibility?

Freedom makes people responsible for their actions to the extent that they are voluntary, even if the imputability and responsibility for an action can be diminished or sometimes cancelled by ignorance, inadvertence, duress, fear, inordinate attachments, or habit.

Why does everyone have a right to exercise freedom?

The right to the exercise of freedom belongs to everyone because it is inseparable from his or her dignity as a human person. Therefore this right must always be respected, especially in moral and religious matters, and it must be recognized and protected by civil authority within limits of the common good and just public order.

What place does human freedom have in the plan of salvation?

Our freedom is weakened because of original sin. This weakness is intensified because successive sins. Christ, however, set us free "so that we should remain free" (Galatians 5:1). With his grace, the Holy Spirit leads us to spiritual freedom to make us free co-workers with him in the Church and in the world.

What are the sources of the morality of human acts?

The morality of human acts depends on three sources: the object chosen, either a true or apparent good; the intention of the subject who acts, that is, the purpose for which the subject performs the act; and the circumstances of the act, which include its consequences.

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