

Good stewards must not argue about who is the most important. Today's Gospel says clearly that those who aspire to greatness must humbly serve the needs of all. Even Jesus came not to be served, but to serve.



**THIS WEEK**, Catholic Mission will share the story of Churai\*, who having experienced much heartbreak in childhood, turned to the Mother and Babies Home run by the Good Shepherd Sisters in Bangkok when as a young pregnant woman she was abandoned by her partner. Without this programme, many vulnerable women like Churai will have nowhere to turn when in need of love and support. **Please give generously today to continue this life giving work, and many other similar Church run programmes around the world by using the appeal envelope, or going online at [www.catholicmission.org.au/thailand](http://www.catholicmission.org.au/thailand) or by scanning the QR**



**Immaculate Heart of Mary Prayer Group** Invites you and your family to their 25 Anniversary Celebration on Sunday 24 October at 3pm in our church. To honour Our Lady there will be a Procession, Rosary and Benediction. Supper provided. **Do give a call to Anna to let her know if you will be coming 0412 545 292**

**Primary Religious Education Program: Enrolment**

With the help of our devoted Catechists, we are able to run classes for primary aged school children who attend State schools to develop their faith and religious knowledge. We are now inviting parents who want their children to learn about their faith and prepare for Sacraments to enrol their children for 2022. **Enrolment forms are available in the Church foyer. They can be completed and brought to the Parish office.**

Children prepare for one year for Penance. They then enrol for the next year to prepare for First Holy Communion. After which they enrol for the next two years to prepare for Confirmation. Most children receive Penance when they are in year three. We do have mixed aged classes for each different family circumstance.

Classes run like the school term, over four terms. We will start in week two of term one 2022. Children need to attend regularly to complete the curriculum for the year. **Classes are held on Tuesdays at 3.50 to 5pm weekly.**

Children in year one and two will need a scrap book and stationery. Children in years Penance through to Confirmation will need a display folder and stationery.

**Please contact Magdalene if you have any questions at [catechist@willettoncatholicparish.org.au](mailto:catechist@willettoncatholicparish.org.au)**

DATE	CHURCH	PARISH CENTRE
Mon, 18 Oct	9:00am Mass/9:30am Rosary 6:00pm Rosary	6:00pm Parish Talk – Hall & Kitchen 7:30pm SVdP – Rm 1
Tue, 19 Oct	9:00am Mass/9:30am Rosary 6:00pm Rosary 8.30pm RCIA	3:00pm RE Classes – Hall & All Rooms 6:45pm RCIA – Hall & Rm 3
Wed, 20 Oct	9:00am Mass/9:30am Rosary 11:30am ARISE Prayer Group <b>5.00pm Rosary</b> 6:00pm Adoration 6:30pm Mass/JPPM	9.30am Craft - Rm 3 & Kitchen 11:30am ARISE – Hall & Kitchen
Thu, 21 Oct	9.00am Mass/9.30am Rosary 6.00pm Rosary	
Fri, 22 Oct	12.00pm Mass 6.00pm Rosary	9:30am Growing Vine – Rm 3 & Kitchen 2:00pm Legion of Mary
Sat, 23 Oct	9.00am Mass/9.30am Novena/Recon 5.30pm Vigil Mass	10.30am Men's Group Bible Sharing - DWWJ
Sun, 24 Oct	7.30am Mass 9.00am Mass 10.30am Mass 3.00pm IHMPG-Rosary & Benediction	1st Reading Jer : 31 : 7-9 2nd Reading Heb : 5 : 1-6 Gospel Reading Mk : 10 : 46-52 10:00am - 6pm IHMPG – Hall & Kitchen

## MINISTRY TEAM

**Parish Priest:** Fr Thai Vu ([pp@willettoncatholicparish.org.au](mailto:pp@willettoncatholicparish.org.au))

**Asst Priest:** To be advised.

**Pastoral Workers:** Sr Veronica Martin (9371 7065)

**R.E. Co-Ordinator:** Magdalene Heldt (9312 6952)

**Safeguarding Officers:** Geraldine Richards (0405319824) and Thomas Law (0451815633); [sgo@willettoncatholicparish.org.au](mailto:sgo@willettoncatholicparish.org.au)

**Secretary:** Lyna Chan (9332 5992)

**Baptisms:** Mary de Wever (9310 2426)

**John Paul Care:** Rosa Pasquale (0417 994 676)



**Baptism - We welcome into God's family at Sts. John & Paul Church**

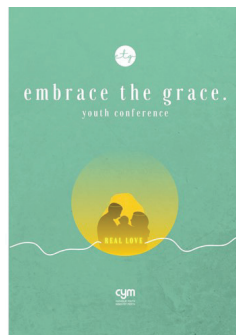
Grace Tin Yan Tang

Aaron Tobias Tirta

Oliver Wilson Tirta

## ARISE Charismatic Prayer Group

This Wednesday, 20 October, at 11.30am, we will have worship led by Irene Er-Smith and Dan Hewitt. The presenter is Julie Fuge speaking on "Created To Please God". Julie regularly gives talks at Holy Spirit of Freedom Community prayer meetings and has run retreats. The meeting will end around 1.30pm after a shared lunch fellowship. There will be a laying of hands for those in need of prayers.



## Embrace the Grace 2021 - "Real Love – dive into the real meaning of love mirrored through the gift of the Holy Family."

In the surrounds of beautiful nature in Swan Valley, there will be 4 days of dynamic speakers, music, fun activities, prayer, and more. The conference engages with life's big questions and the issues of modern day living. To be held on **9 to 12 December 2021** at Swan Valley Adventure Centre, for young people aged **16-25**.

Cost \$300 with sponsorship available. **Contact:**  
[admin@cym.com.au](mailto:admin@cym.com.au) / 9422 7912. Or register online:  
[cym.com.au/etg-2021](https://cym.com.au/etg-2021)

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## Chittering Valley Camino

CYM is planning a 15km Camino pilgrimage walk. This walk is for 18-30 year olds – those of faith, those with no faith and those seeking. Come join us on **Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> of October** at the **Divine Mercy Church in Chittering at 7.00am sharp!** There is a small fee of \$10 + \$2.50 (booking fee). **For more information please visit <https://cym.brushfire.com/CPW/514123> or call us on 9422 7912.**

## Schoenstatt Rosary Event

Sunday 31 Oct at 3pm Devotion & Rosary in the Schoenstatt Shrine 9 Talus Drive, Mt Richon. All are welcome!



## All Souls Day Mass at the Mausoleum, Fremantle Cemetery

A mass to commemorate All Souls Day will be held at Fremantle Cemetery in the Mausoleum on **Tuesday 2 November at 6pm**. The Metropolitan Cemeteries Board welcomes all parishioners to this spiritual occasion. All visitors are asked to park in the Carrington Street car park. **For further details, please contact Fremantle Cemetery on 1300 793 109**

## What is a Catholic Priest?

A priest is a baptised man who has received the Sacrament of Holy Orders. Through this sacrament, a man enters into the *ministerial priesthood* which gives him a sacred power to serve (CCC 1592). The *ministerial priesthood* is given to serve the *common priesthood*; all the people of God are called to participate in the common priesthood (CCC 1546-1547). A priest is "a *means* by which Christ unceasingly builds up and leads His Church"; therefore it is the mission of the Catholic priest "to feed the Church by the word and grace of God" (LG, 11). As such, a priest is a mediator or 'bridge-builder' between God and humanity; he does this by participating in the one priesthood of Jesus Christ, who unites God and humanity in his very being. The priest carries out this 'bridge-building' through teaching, divine worship and leading the people (CCC 1592).

Being a \*ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST\* is ranked among the four most difficult "professions" in the world. This is because a ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST must be at the same time:

- preacher • example • advisor • former • planner • minister • visionary • director • mentor • friend • nanny • reconciler • marriage counsellor • youth counsellor • leader trainer • Bible teacher • psychologist • intercessor, etc., etc., etc. Besides being: • church porter • corporate administrator • engineer • bricklayer • event promoter ...