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	8am				
	10am	19	63	297	65
	6pm	18	275	2	166

THANK YOU to **Sophie Patterson** for filling in as Youth Co-Ordinator while Paul Curtis was on leave. Her support was much appreciated by everyone.

Welcome back Paul.

Let us remember in our prayers ...

Recently deceased: Sr Paula Fleming SJG, Natalia Carvajal Bonilla, Peter Garbin, LeRoy Lathrop

Anniversaries: Rita Franz, Pascual Perez, Mickey McPeake, Francine Franetovich, Kristina Pachucki, Olga Testa

Sick: Rob Ferreira, Anna Monaco, Mary Elena Sahyoun, Claire Long, Judy Kerr, Wally Yiu, Todd Bennett, Troy Bennett, Colin, Simone, Mariella Caroé, Barbara Mitchell, Annie Welten, Gerald, Jeremy

REMEMBERING SHARED HUMANITY ON ANZAC DAY

Anzac Day is an occasion for dwelling compassionately on the things that bind us together, not those that separate us into allies and enemies.

My childhood was spent near Anzac Hostel, a repatriation centre for invalided soldiers, predominantly from World War I. It was a towered white building on a large block of land surrounded by Moreton Bay figs, a gathering place for cicadas in summer.

I was torn between the desire to sneak into the property in the hope of being able to boast that I had seen greengrocers, orange drummers, reeyes and other colourfully named cicadas, and my fear of the men in the hostel, whom people described as shell-shocked or damaged. They, and the Western Australian flowering gums along the road, each of which bore the name of an Australian soldier killed in the war, were the physical reminders of war and of Anzac Day in particular.

Even to children these things intimated a reality only later to be entered: the sadness of war. As did the Anzac Day celebrations, largely composed of fellow soldiers and those who had lost husbands, brothers, fathers and lovers in the war.

Today the celebration of Anzac Day has changed notably. Its participants encompass soldiers who have fought in a variety of wars since 1945, their relatives and descendants, and people who find the rituals of the day moving and encouraging. The focus of the day has switched from honouring and grieving the soldiers who died at Anzac Cove and in the trenches to honouring and celebrating the heroism of all those who have fought in the Australian armed forces.

Anzac Day has also been increasingly used as a commonplace by politicians for praising distinctively Australian values. They have accordingly spent heavily on facilities for remembering the war, focused on the site of the battle rather than on the hometowns of those who grieve, and often yielded to the temptation to glorify war.

I believe that the risk is less to glorify war than to sanitise it by allowing time and space to take away its physical reality, and with it the sadness of war.

By Fr Andrew Hamilton SJ

Source: *Eureka Street*

Read full article at eurekastreet.com.au

PALLIATIVE CARE PETITION

The Care for Life campaign advocates for better provision of palliative care for those at end of life, and they are currently collecting signatures for a petition they are intending to present to Parliament during **Palliative Care Week (21-25 May)**. Copies of the petition are available at the back of the Church.

THE EQUESTRIAN ORDER OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE OF JERUSALEM

Welcome to the knights and dames of the Order who have been meeting in the Upper Room and are joining us to celebrate at the Vigil Mass. The Order is charged with the task of providing for the needs of the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem and of all the activities and initiatives to support the Christian presence in the Holy Land.

URGENT REQUEST FOR CARITAS

Please return **ALL** Project Compassion boxes and envelopes to enable us to send the St Joseph's Parish donation and finalise our 2018 Lent commitment with Caritas.

MASS TIMES (Subject to change - refer to Parish Diary for latest information)

Monday	5.30pm
Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday	9am
Friday	7am
Saturday Reconciliation	5.15 - 5.45pm
Saturday Vigil	6pm
Sunday	8am, 10am, 6pm

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PARISH ROSTERS Please refer to your respective rosters.

Sanctuary	4 May	Maggie McDonnell & Bev Kinsella	11 May	Paul & Kelly Carpenter
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CONFIRMATION 2018

The Parish Confirmation program will commence on Sunday 6 May at 4.45pm in the Upper Room. **ALL** candidates and parents are expected to attend this 'Welcoming Session'. Together with their parents, candidates will make a commitment at the 6pm Youth Mass.

AGM: COUNCIL OF CHURCHES WA INC Thursday 3 May, 5.30pm, St Peter's & Emmaus Church, 56 Green Street, Joondanna

With guest speaker, retired Senior Commissioner, Mr Jack Gregor. RSVP by Friday 27 April to ecumenical@churcheswa.com.au. All welcome. The 2017 CCWA Annual Report is available online at churcheswa.com.au.

HEADS, HEARTS & HANDS WORKSHOP (FREE) Saturday 12 May, 10am-4pm, Kolbe Catholic College, 25 Dowling St, Rockingham

You are invited to *Heads, Hearts and Hands: Aboriginal Community and our Church* to learn about how we can work together more closely with Aboriginal people. Register at cfe.org.au/courses-and-events/heads-hearts-hands-aboriginal-community-church/.

EVENTS FOR YOUTH LEADERS & MUSIC MINISTRY MEMBERS Saturday 12 May, Catholic Pastoral Centre, Highgate

Join American speaker and musician Steve Angrisano for two amazing 'Year of Youth' workshops.

Youth Leaders (10 - 11.30am): *Teaching Youth to follow Christ in 'The Way' of Discipleship*.

For all ministry and faith focussed youth leaders.

Music Ministry (1 - 2.30pm): *Celebrate with a Joyful Heart & Essential Skills for Music Leaders*. Open to all music ministries.

Cost: \$30 to attend both workshops or \$20 per workshop. Please register at cym.brushfire.com/steve2018/443099.

TAIZE MEDITATIVE PRAYER Friday 20 May, 7pm, St Joseph's Chapel, 16 York St, South Perth

Bring a torch ... and a friend! For enquiries contact Maree Riddler RSJ at mriddler@sosjwa.org.au or call 0414 683 926.

INFORMATION SESSION: BE A VOLUNTEER OUT THERE Saturday 26 May, 10.30am, City of Perth Library, 573 Hay Street, Perth

Communities in Myanmar, PNG, Samoa, Timor Leste, Kiribati and Kenya seek volunteers to mentor locals and build capacity. Palms volunteers **immerse themselves in overseas communities** for long-term skill exchange. If you have teaching, medical, business, admin or trade skills, **share them with our global family!** Go to www.palms.org.au/volunteer or contact Palms Australia on 02 9560 5333.

PREGNANCY ASSISTANCE APPEAL

Pregnancy Assistance provides compassionate care and emotional and practical support to pregnant women and new mums facing distressing circumstances. For the month of May, we are appealing for donations of **nappies (newborn and infant), formula and toiletries for baby and mum**. A box will be left in the Church foyer during the month of May and any donations would be greatly appreciated and given to our families in need. Any queries please call Pregnancy Assistance on 9328 2929. Thank you.

CENTRE FOR FAITH ENRICHMENT ADULT COURSES Newman Siena Centre, 33 Williamstown Rd, Doubleview

- **Writings of St Augustine:** 10am-12pm, Wednesdays, **9-30 May**
- **Acts of the Apostles: ONLINE:** 7.30 -8.30pm, Thursdays **10-24 May** with Rev Dr Charles Waddell

For further information, email cfe@perthcatholic.org.au or phone 9241 5221.

CHURCH WORKERS SAFEGUARDING TRAINING Friday 8 June, 10am to 11.30am, St Mary's Cathedral

The next Safeguarding Program information session for those who work with children in the Perth Archdiocese will be held in June.

RSVP: One week prior to course. Contact: safeguarding@perthcatholic.org.au

DISCERNMENT RETREAT DAYS 10am-4pm, St Catherine's House of Hospitality, 113 Tyler St, Tuart Hill

Men: Saturday **23 June** (RSVP by Tuesday 19 June) | **Women:** Saturday **30 June** (RSVP by Tuesday 26 June)

These free events are for men and women aged 18-35 years. Both days include Mass and Prayer & Reflection. Lunch will be provided.

For enquiries or to RSVP, please email vocations@perthcatholic.org.au.

VERITAS 2018 CATHOLIC YOUTH FESTIVAL 6-8 July, Corpus Christi College, Bateman

VERITAS is a teens and young adult event. Last year over 600 young people from across Western Australia attended. It is a weekend filled with faith formation, live bands, workshops, youth rallies and fun. Early bird registration (save up to 50%) ends 30 April. To find out more and to register, visit www.veritasperth.com. For general enquiries email Catholic Youth Ministry on admin@cym.com.au.

PARISH DIARY

Sunday 29 April	11am 11.30am	Fifth Sunday of Easter, Baptism: <i>Luca Christian Grossetti</i> Baptism: <i>Hendrix Chircop, Joshua & Max Trimboli</i>	<i>Monsignor Kevin</i> <i>Monsignor Kevin</i>
Monday 30		Monday, Fifth Week of Easter	
Tuesday 1 May	10am 6pm 7.15pm	Tuesday, Fifth Week of Easter Church: <i>Baptism Information Meeting</i> Upper Room: <i>St Vincent de Paul Meeting</i> Church: <i>Schola Cantorum Rehearsal</i>	
Wednesday 2	10am 5.30pm 7pm	St Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor, Memorial Upper Room: <i>Women's Prayer Group</i> Tribune Chapel: <i>Centering Prayer</i> Church: <i>Ericius Tan Choir Rehearsal</i>	
Thursday 3	7pm	St Philip & St James, Apostles, Feast Church: <i>Rod Gonzales Music Group Rehearsal</i>	
Friday 4		Friday, Fifth Week of Easter	
Saturday 5	11am 3pm	Saturday, Fifth Week of Easter Baptism: <i>Henry Moh</i> Wedding Service: <i>Angela Carrabotta & Graham Starr</i>	<i>Monsignor Tim Corcoran</i> <i>Monsignor Kevin</i>