

**Let us remember in our prayers ...**

**Recently deceased:** Fr Russell Hardiman, Fr Daniel O’Leary, Dave Anderson, Artemio Valvasori  
**Anniversaries:** Balimek Pushparatnam, Stan Given, Shane Paltridge, Henry de Wind, Joy Nicolay, Ferry Zul, Eric Maiden, Fiona Kiernan, Giuseppe (Joe) Agostino, Enrico Moschetti, Mary Long, Elle Mia Palasin  
**Sick:** Judy & John Kerr, Sergio Amadio, Patrick Sweeney, Patricia O’Hara, John Davidson, Mary-Rose Webb, Kathy Choate, Mercedes Ramos, June-Marie James, Peter Dalton, Jared Haddon-Casey, Kim Crossing

**POPE FRANCIS: HOMILY IN PANAMA**

*By Deborah Castellano Lubov*

God knows what it means to be tired and worn out, and he is here to help us with ours. Pope Francis’ stressed this in his homily at the first Mass he has presided over in Panama City at the Cathedral of Santa Maria La Antigua. Francis’ first visit ever to the Central American county for the XXXIV World Youth Day marks the Pontiff’s 26th international trip and his 40th country visited. In his homily, Francis warned against the weariness of hope, noting that there is the fatigue from all the commitments, daily tasks and so on, but then another type especially profound, one tied to this difficult phase the Church and its faithful are living through. “The weariness of hope comes from seeing a Church wounded by sin, which so often failed to hear all those cries that echoed the cry of the Master: “My God, why have you forsaken me?” he said. We can get used to living with a weariness of hope before an uncertain and unknown future, he said, noting: “this can pave the way for a grey pragmatism to lodge in the heart of our communities. Everything apparently goes on as usual, but in reality, faith is crumbling and failing.” He also warned against one of the greatest heresies of our time, namely that the Lord and Church has nothing more to say in today’s ever-changing world. “Disappointed by a reality that we do not understand or that we think has no room for our message, we can open the door to one of the worst heresies possible in our time: the notion that the Lord and our communities have nothing to say or contribute in the new world now being born.” What once arose to be the salt and light for the world, he noted, ends up stale and worn. Despite this weariness, the Holy Father encouraged them, urging them to “find the courage to be purified and to recapture the most authentic part of our founding charisms – which are not only for religious life but for the life of Church as a whole – and to see how they can find expression today. Let us open the door and let our wearied hope return without fear to the deep well of our first love, when Jesus passed our way, gazed at us with mercy and asked us to follow Him.” The Holy Father gave a recommendation: “let us revive the memory of that moment when his eyes met ours, the moment when he made us realize that he loved us, not only personally but also as a community. It means retracing our steps and, in creative fidelity, listening to how the Spirit inspired no specific works, pastoral plans or structures, but instead, through any number of ‘saints next door’ – including the founders of your institutes and the bishops and priests who laid the bases for your communities – he gave life and fresh breath to a particular moment of history when all hope and dignity seemed to be stifled and crushed.” The Pope told them to trust, to trust that just as Jesus did yesterday, “He will still do tomorrow: ‘Going to the roots helps us without a doubt to live in the present without fear.’ We need to live without fear, responding to life with the passion of being engaged with history, immersed in things. With the passion of lovers.” Wearied hope can be healed, he said, saying it “will enjoy that ‘particular tiredness of heart’ when it is unafraid to return to the place of its first love and to find, in the peripheries and challenges before us today, the same song, the same gaze that inspired the song and the gaze of those who have gone before us.”

*Visit [zenit.org](http://zenit.org) to read the full homily or more about the Pope at the Panama World Youth Day*

MUSIC & HYMNS	Entrance	Offertory	Communion	Recessional	Setting
<b>6pm Vigil Mass</b>	No Music at this Mass				
<b>8am Mass</b>	211	224	26	127	St Joseph’s Mass (385)
<b>10am Mass</b>	224	26	66	243	Mass Shalom (370)
<b>6pm Family Mass</b>	154	181	71	60	

**24:7 ST JOSEPH’S SUBIACO YOUTH MINISTRY**  
 Fridays @ 6.30pm  
 Upper Room

**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.

<b>Sanctuary</b>	8/9 February	Conor & Izumi Mallen	15/16 February	Claudia, Isabella & Eli Walsh
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**ST JOSEPH’S PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Joey Alexander** is the new Youth Coordinator and is known to the Parish as he participates in the Salvado Schola Cantorum Choir. Joey will coordinate the 6pm Sunday night Mass, assist in leading the Youth Choir and Band, coordinate the Adult Youth Group social and spiritual events and liaise with the Subiaco 24:7 Youth Ministers and the St Joseph’s Youth Ambassador. Many thanks to Paul Curtis for relaying all the relevant information to Joey so he has a great start in his new role.

**Aidan Walsh** and **Angela Firth** are Subiaco 24:7 Youth Group’s Youth Ministers for our 12 to 18-year-old school age youth. Aidan and Angela will lead the Friday night youth gathering. Both Aidan and Angela are qualified youth ministers with Certificate 4 in Catholic Ministry. Aidan is a long-standing regular at Sunday 6pm Mass and a member of the Youth Choir. Angela has been leading 24:7 Youth Groups in the Perth area for over 12 months and we are very glad to welcome her to St Joseph’s Subiaco.

**Tina Perez**, a committed Parish member and a leader of our Plenary Council discussions, has agreed to take on the St Joseph’s Youth Ambassador mantle. Tina will be on the lookout for events, resources and opportunities in the Parish, Archdiocese and beyond to assist and promote Parish youth. Tina’s business and organisational skills and enthusiasm will be an asset to all our youth ministers.

The **Youth Choir and Band** are resuming this week at the Sunday 6pm Mass. Anyone interested in participating please meet up with our new Youth Coordinator, Joey, before or after the Sunday evening Mass or email your details to [youth@stjosephssubiaco.org.au](mailto:youth@stjosephssubiaco.org.au).

**THANK YOU:** We take this opportunity to also send out a big thank you to several retiring 6pm Sunday night Mass helpers. **Vanessa Juliana**, who coordinated the Communion Minister’s roster for many years and **Chris and Michael Heelan**, who for the past year have been the friendly face of our Welcome team. We look forward to keeping in touch and seeing you on Sunday nights. A special thank you to **Sophie Patterson** for welcoming and being generally wonderful during January while she was in Perth on holidays. We look forward to seeing her again during 2019.

**Good luck and best wishes to all for a wonderful 2019.**

**WEEKLY EMAIL FOR VOLUNTEERS**

To assist with the smooth running of the weekend Masses, the office will be sending weekly reminder emails to all volunteers rostered for the weekend. Volunteers are asked to **confirm** their attendance or **notify** the office if they have arranged for a substitute either by return email or on 9381 0400 by **4pm on Thursday afternoon**. Your support is very much appreciated.

**LENTEN OPPORTUNITIES**

Monsignor Kevin will be conducting an **Adult Lenten Group** on Mondays during Lent. To be held in the Upper Room on 11, 18 and 25 March and 1 and 8 April from 6-7pm. Please send your expression of interest to [enquiries@stjosephssubiaco.org.au](mailto:enquiries@stjosephssubiaco.org.au).

Our Youth Coordinator, Joey Alexander, will be conducting an **Adult Youth Lenten Group** in the Upper Room every Sunday evening during Lent following 6pm Mass. Please send your expression of interest to [youth@stjosephssubiaco.org.au](mailto:youth@stjosephssubiaco.org.au).

All parishioners are invited to the **Life in the Spirit Seminar** to be held in the Upper Room on Tuesdays from 5 March to 16 April between 7.30 and 9.30pm. This seminar of teaching and sharing will lead you into a *personal* relationship with Jesus, revealing Him as *your personal* Lord and Saviour, and help you to see the power and presence of the holy Spirit in your daily life. Through this seminar the Sacred Scriptures will come alive for you! Please try to attend all sessions as they build on each other.

For further information contact Win on 0407 216 209 or Colleen on 0448 365 202.

Please email your expression of interest to [enquiries@stjosephssubiaco.org.au](mailto:enquiries@stjosephssubiaco.org.au) by 26 February.

**CALCUTTA STATIONS MISSION**

From 9 to 18 February the St Joseph’s Parish overseas outreach program, Calcutta Stations Mission, will be conducting a pilgrimage to India where some of our benefactors will have the opportunity to observe the mission first hand.

During the pilgrimage, we will take the opportunity to observe our food program for the homeless, mingle with our social workers, meet our Teacher Training scholarship recipients and visit the remote rural school we have built and continue to support, two hours north of Kolkata. In between our charity pursuits we will spend some time for quiet prayer at the tomb of Saint Mother Teresa at the Missionary Sisters’ Mother House. Early morning masses at the Mother House and at the Loreto Teacher Training College Church also offer a unique faith experience in preparation for the Lenten period and Easter.

We wish to thank our benefactors and St Joseph’s parishioners for your past and on-going support.

**PARISH DIARY**

<b>Sunday</b>		<b>Sunday, Week 4 in Ordinary Time</b>	
<b>3 February</b>	11am 11.30am	Baptism: <i>Aria Rose Priolo</i> Baptism: <i>Leo Campanella</i>	<i>Monsignor Kevin</i> <i>Monsignor Kevin</i>
<b>Monday</b>		<b>Monday, Week 4 in Ordinary Time</b>	
<b>4 February</b>			
<b>Tuesday</b>		<b>St Agatha, Virgin, Martyr, Memorial</b>	
<b>5 February</b>	4.30pm 6pm 7.15pm	Wedding Rehearsal: <i>Sabrina Piccini &amp; Nathan Torre</i> Upper Room: <i>St Vincent de Paul Meeting</i> Church: <i>Schola Cantorum Rehearsal</i>	<i>Fr Bronislaw Pietrusewicz SDS</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>		<b>St Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs, Memorial</b>	
<b>6 February</b>	10am 5.30pm	Upper Room: <i>Women’s Prayer Group</i> Tribune Chapel: <i>Centering Prayer</i>	
<b>Thursday</b>		<b>Thursday, Week 4 in Ordinary Time</b>	
<b>7 February</b>	4.30pm		
<b>Friday</b>		<b>Friday, Week 4 in Ordinary Time</b>	
<b>8 February</b>	6.30pm	<b>Optional: St Jerome Emiliani; St Josephine Bakhita, Virgin</b> Upper Room: <i>24:7 St Joseph’s Subiaco Youth Ministry</i>	
<b>Saturday</b>		<b>Saturday, Week 4 in Ordinary Time</b>	
<b>9 February</b>	1pm	<b>Optional: Saturday Mass of Virgin Mary</b> Nuptial Mass: <i>Sabrina Piccini &amp; Nathan Torre</i>	<i>Fr Bronislaw Pietrusewicz SDS</i>