

H	6pm Vigil					
Y	8am	339	192	26	222	385
M	10am	280	247	261	243	370
N	6pm	211	169	289	166	

NEEDED!

People to assist with welcoming at the 10am Mass.
If you can help, please speak to Kevin Quinn at the back of the Church as you leave the 10am Mass.
Helping would involve 2 or 3 Sundays in six months.

Let us remember in our prayers ...

Recently deceased: Esta Sermon, Margaret Bull, Kathleen Brady, Joan Saunders

Anniversaries: Joe Schwarz, Mrs Ferreira, John Dallimore, William Felkin, Mary Long, Sylvia & Harry Montague, Mary Regan

Sick: Chris Lee, Rob Ferreira, Gerry de Wind, Penny Gamble, Mary Elena (Margareta & Jamil Sahyoun's very sick infant daughter)

VATICAN CITY - 31 JANUARY

Listening to the Scripture readings at Mass is hearing God speak directly to his people, offering spiritual sustenance and needed guidance for life's difficult journey, Pope Francis said. For that reason, the prescribed texts should never be skipped or substituted during the Mass, lectors should read clearly, and people should always listen with an open heart so that the words may eventually bear fruit in good deeds, the pope said at his weekly general audience.

As the readings are proclaimed, people in the pews should be silent and receptive, opening their hearts and minds to what is being said, not looking around or making small talk and criticising what other people are wearing, he said. People can receive spiritual nourishment from the "table" of God's Word, which is abundant and "rich" in so many biblical offerings, he said.

It is obvious then why "some subjective choices" are forbidden - such as omitting the prescribed readings or substituting them with nonbiblical texts, for example, like the newspaper for bringing up a current event, he said. Substituting God's Word with something else "impoverishes and compromises the dialogue between God and his people in prayer," the pope said, while sticking with the prescribed readings expresses and fosters ecclesial communion, helping everyone on their journey together.

The pope insisted on choosing readers who are well-prepared and speak clearly, not people who garble their words "and no one can understand a thing. The Lord's Word is an indispensable aid for not getting lost," he said. It is, as the psalmist says, "a lamp for my feet, a light for my path."

"How can we tackle our earthly pilgrimage, with its trials and tribulations, without being regularly nourished and enlightened by the Word of God that rings out in the liturgy," the pope asked. Also, he said, listening to God's Word requires much more than one's ears. It must go from the ears, to the heart and then to the hands, resulting in good works in the world, he said. "It's necessary to have an open heart to receive the Word," Francis said. "God speaks and we turn to him to listen to then put into practice what we have heard."

HOLY WEEK LITURGY ADVANCE NOTICE

Monday	5.30pm Mass	
Tuesday	9am Mass 5.30pm Mass	Both anointing of the sick
Wednesday	9am Mass 5.30pm Mass	
Holy Thursday	7pm Mass with Altar of Repose until Midnight (No 9am Mass)	

Good Friday	10am Stations of the Cross 3pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
Easter Vigil	7.30pm First Mass of Easter
Easter Sunday	8am Mass 10am Mass No 6pm Mass; alternative at the Cathedral TBC

Confessions: Available after both Good Friday Liturgies or by appointment

MASS TIMES	
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

OVERSEAS OUTREACH LEAVING COLLECTION

Following each Mass this weekend there will be a leaving collection for the Parish's Calcutta Mission.

LENT AT SAINT JOSEPH'S

ASH WEDNESDAY (14 February): *Masses* at 9am and 5.30pm.

TUESDAYS: Adult Lenten Group with Monsignor Kevin in the Upper Room; **20, 27 February and 6,13 and 20 March, 6-6.45pm.**

Enrolments **must be received by** Ash Wednesday, **14 February**. Registrations are limited to 15. **Please send expression of interest to** lbrandon@stjosephssubiaco.org.au.

WEDNESDAYS: Centering Prayer, Upper Room 5.30pm – 6.30pm, 'Growing Where You Are Planted'.

FRIDAYS: Stations of the Cross, 5.30pm from 16 February

SUNDAYS: Youth Lenten Group, After 6pm Mass on 18 February - 25 March. Registration: enquiries@stjosephssubiaco.org.au

FROM THE ST JOSEPH'S YOUTH TEAM

Check out these two upcoming **FREE** events on Sundays in February and March following 6pm Mass.



Boules, Bites & Beverages

When: Sunday 11 February

Where: Piazza Grass at St Joseph's Subiaco

Time: 7pm

Age: 15-35-years

Provided: FREE food

Bring: A smile, some competitive energy, and a good appetite.

Weekly Lenten Discussion Group

When: Sundays 18 February to 25 March inclusive

Where: Upper Room at St Joseph's Subiaco

Time: 7pm

Provided: Food and booklet but enrolment required.

Register at enquiries@stjosephssubiaco.org.au

Bring: A friend

STEP INTO LENT WITH AN ADULT FAITH COURSE AT THE CENTRE FOR FAITH ENRICHMENT

- **Exploring Faith:** 10am, Wednesdays, 14 February - 4 April
This captivating course will explore the theology of key contributors throughout history; from the foundational forbearers of the early Church to great thinkers of the modern era.
- **A Journey Through the Gospel of Matthew:** 10am, Fridays, 16 February - 23 March
Matthew's Gospel has much to teach us in terms of ancient times and customs as well as the real purpose of the Gospels. It offers a challenge, not only to better understand the Scriptures, but to live them in a more meaningful way.
- **Walking the Way of the Cross:** 10am, Tuesdays, 20 February - 27 March
With Paul and Mark as our guides, we will contemplate Jesus' Passion in the light of Creation and Scripture.
- **An Introduction to the Sacraments and Spiritual Life:** 10am, Thursdays, 1 March – 5 April
This course will bring participants into a deeper understanding of each of the seven Sacraments of the Church, with a particular focus on developing a stronger awareness of their purpose and impact in our lives.
- **Rediscovering the meaning of Baptism and Confirmation:** 9.30am-12.30pm, Thursday 15 Feb with Fr Vincent Glynn
- **Initiated and Sent: How Sacraments Transform Us:** 7 -9pm, Wednesday 14 March with Fr Greg Donovan

For further information, visit cfe@perthcatholic.org.au or program leaflets are available in the church foyer.

PROJECT COMPASSION 2018 LAUNCH WEEKEND

Head of Mission, Sr Anne McGuire RSM has been invited to speak at the 6pm Vigil Mass on Saturday 10 February.

HELP SAVE A LIFE

From the moment of our conception we are made in the image of God. Help us to support a change of heart in women and couples who think they have no other choice. Join us for a peaceful, safe and compassionate prayer vigil in Midland during the 40 days of Lent.

For more information, go to www.40daysforlife.com/perth or call Jo on 0439 657 597.

Donations to: 40 Days for Life Perth, BSB 306-041 A/C 0994144

PARISH DIARY

Day	Time	Event	Minister
Sunday 4	11am	Sunday, Week 5 in Ordinary Time Baptism: Declan Van Doornum & Henry Williamson	<i>Monsignor Kevin</i>
	11.30am		
Monday 5		St Agatha, Virgin, Martyr, Memorial	
Tuesday 6	10am	St Paul Miki and companions, Martyrs, Memorial Baptism Information Meeting Upper Room: <i>St Vincent de Paul Meeting</i> Schola Cantorum Rehearsal	<i>Monsignor Kevin</i>
	6pm 7.15pm		
Wednesday 7	10am 5.30pm	Wednesday, Week 5 in Ordinary Time Upper Room: <i>Women's Prayer Group</i> Tribune Chapel: <i>Centering Prayer</i>	
Thursday 8	4pm	Thursday, Week 5 in Ordinary Time Upper Room: <i>Camino Salvado Meeting</i>	<i>Monsignor Kevin celebrating Iona Opening Mass</i>
Friday 9	7.15pm	Friday, Week 5 in Ordinary Time Upper Room: <i>Scripture Study – All young adults invited</i>	
Saturday 10	11am	St Scholastica, Virgin, Memorial Nuptial Mass: <i>Monika Miscichowska & Bartosz Gierasmiuk</i> Nuptial Mass: <i>Chiara Princi & Joshua Gonzalez</i>	<i>Monsignor Kevin</i> <i>Monsignor Kevin</i>
	1pm		