

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH – SUBIACO

29 NOV 2009

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| Office | Monday – Friday 9am to 3pm |

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| Mass & Reconciliation | |
| Tues/Wed/Thus | 9am |
| Friday | 7am |
| Saturday Reconciliation | 4:30pm |
| Saturday Vigil | 6pm |
| Sunday | 8am, 10am, 6pm |

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| Parish Priest | Fr Joseph Walsh | jwalsh@stjosephssubiaco.org.au |
| Parish Secretary | Christine Jagger | enquiries@stjosephssubiaco.org.au |
| Pastoral Coordinator | Win Kealy | |
| Weddings | Lina Salomone | weddings@stjosephssubiaco.org.au |
| Secretary | Margot Whisson | enquiries@stjosephssubiaco.org.au |
| Youth Coordinator | Greg LeCoultre | glecoultre@stjosephssubiaco.org.au |

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| Sun 29th | 12md 2.00pm 4.30pm 5.00pm | Confirmation Mass and Sacrament Wedding rehearsal & Wedding rehearsal 3.00pm Wedding rehearsal Chamber Choir singing |
| Mon 30th | 1.30pm 7.30pm | Funeral service – Ruby Williams – Fr John Prendiville St Joseph's Choir rehearsal |
| Tues 1st Dec | 5.30pm | St Vincent de Paul meeting – Upper room |
| Wed 2nd | 10.00am 7.00pm | Ladies Prayer meeting – Upper room Parish visitation |
| Thurs 3rd | 3.00pm 5.30pm 6.30pm | Youth/School concert rehearsal Chamber Choir rehearsal Book Club – Board room |
| Fri 4th | 7.00pm | Comino Salvado Pilgrimage Reunion Celebration – on Piazza |
| Sat 5th | 10.00am 1.00pm 3.30pm 7.00pm 7.30pm | Children's Choir rehearsal Wedding service – Lisa Guagliardo & Joseph Torre Wedding service – Phoebe Scook & Timothy Leahy Children's Choir practice Children's Choir |

| ROSTERS | | |
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| ALTAR LINEN ROSTER | Vivian Bowler 2 nd wk | Mimma Lanza 4 th wk |
| SANCTUARY | Clement Nonde 5/12 | Shirley Peter 12/12 |
| MESSENGER | Pauline Smith 4/12 | Paula O'Connell 11/12 |

Youth Café – Young Adults are invited to join us in the Upper Room after the 6.00pm Sunday Mass. Supported by Lawley's Café Wembley and Torre Butchers, Northbridge .

St Joseph's Carols on the Piazza – 13th Dec 7pm – after the evening Mass.

St Joseph's welcomes youths, seniors and families to celebrate together, so bring your very own picnic dinner and enjoy some Christmas carol favourites. Performers will included the St Josephs Chamber Choir and special guests Briony Barratt (WAAPA Classical Voice student), Christian Barratt (with an original Christmas song) and the St Josephs Carols on the Piazza Concert Band (directed by 3rd Year WAAPA Jazz student Cameron van Reyk).

Parish Pastoral Council – Anyone interested in volunteering to come on the Parish Pastoral Council please contact Fr Joe.

Altar Servers – The next Altar Servers training will take place on Sat 12 Dec at 10.30am

Congratulations to the children who are making their confirmation today at the special Mass at 12 noon. We wish to thank Lisa Stewart, Anne Diamond & Win Kealy as well as Fr Joe for their help in preparing the children for this great Sacrament.

Preparation of Church for Christmas – You are invited to take a prepared slip giving the various sections of the Church for cleaning. Please note that furniture polish and cleaning products are not to be used. Usually a soft cloth, dampened as necessary is all that is required. Thank you in anticipation for your thoughtful and loving care of St Joseph's.

Special thanks to Monique and her wonderful helpers who decorated the Church for Christmas – it looks truly fantastic.

Thank You Letters of thanks have been received from Fr Mark Noonan CM PhD, President of All Hallows, Dublin who stayed with us for two months and also from Fr Perry Gildea CM Ph D. Director of the Vincentian Team in Belfast, who spent last week with us.

Congratulations to Lauren Mitchell, our Altar Server, who is now Australia's most successful gymnast, winning two Silver world championship medals.

Parking during non Mass times, west of the Church has been a problem for some time – many people use our space for hospital visitation, markets, shopping, or indeed to catch the train. We have been looking for ways to free up this area for Church visitors only.

Signage for the underground carpark has been agreed upon with our developers and will be installed in the next few weeks. We have also agreed to a small sign west of the ESIA indicating their building.

Thanks – to those of you who have made donations to the purchase of chairs for the Upper room. We now have approx. 30 to go to reach our target.

Can you help? There is a family in the parish with three young children and Mum is very ill – we are looking for a number of households to prepare and drop off a number of evening meals during January. If you are able to help, please contact Katrina by email. katrinacalvert@hotmail.com

St V de Paul Christmas Appeal – Help those in need – please take tag from the Christmas Tree, returning the item written on the tag, and put both the gift and tag in the basket under the tree.

The Women's Council for Domestic & Family Violence Services (WA) – ask your prayers today, for women and children who have lost their lives as a result of domestic and family violence. You are also invited to address human rights challenges women experience around the globe. – contact Terri Aldridge 9420 7264 or email womenscouncil@live.com.au