

WELCOME TO THE CATHEDRAL PARISH OF SAINTS MARY & JOSEPH

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- Faithful to the Teaching of the Apostles
- Faithful to Prayer
- Faithful to the Breaking of the Bread
- Alive in the Community of the Spirit
- Sharing what we have with those in need
Acts 2:42-46

PARISH CLERGY:

Bishop of Armidale - *Bishop Michael Kennedy DD*
Administrator - *Fr Francis Afu*
out of the parish until 3rd October
Acting Administrator - *Fr Sabu Pulimalayil*
Acting Assistant - *Fr Vince Amaro*

OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Friday 9am-3pm
(Office is unattended between 1pm and 2pm for lunch)
Bulletin notices must be received by 1pm on Thursdays.

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B/2)

Sunday 30th September 2018/Psalter Week 2



SUPPORT YOUR PRIESTS AND YOUR PARISH:
1ST COLLECTION (supports the clergy): BSB: 082-105 Acc. No: 001023527
2ND COLLECTION (supports the Cathedral and parish): BSB: 082-105 Acc. No: 001006225
Reference with your Planned Giving Number and your name.

SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY 30th September 2018

THE BISHOPS' SOCIAL JUSTICE STATEMENT 2018-19

A PLACE TO CALL HOME

MAKING A HOME FOR EVERYONE IN OUR LAND

Celebrate Social Justice Sunday on 30 September 2018

... *Making a home for everyone in our land, is a response to the growing problem of homelessness in Australia. It seems hard to believe that in a rich nation such as ours, the latest Census figures show that the number of Australians who are homeless has grown to more than 116,000. House prices and even rents are spiralling out of reach of too many families and placing huge financial stress on ordinary people, even when they are employed. For those living on pensions or allowances, finding secure housing can be a far greater challenge – one that often takes a terrible toll on social wellbeing and mental health.*
Archbishop Mark Coleridge - President

There are some statements available in the Cathedral foyer or follow this link to access this year's statement online:
<http://www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au/files/SJSandresources/2018/050918/Social%20Justice%20Statement%202018%20WE%20B.pdf>

LITURGY THIS WEEK

SATURDAY: 9.15AM; 6PM VIGIL MASS
SUNDAY: 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY
8AM; 10AM; 5PM PRAYER OF THE CHURCH; 5.30PM

MONDAY: *St Therese of the Child Jesus*
7AM OLA CHAPEL; 12.30PM CATHEDRAL

TUESDAY: *The Holy Guardian Angels*
7AM OLA CHAPEL; 9.15AM CATHEDRAL

WEDNESDAY: 9.15AM CATHEDRAL; 12.30PM CATHEDRAL

THURSDAY: *St Francis of Assisi*
7AM CATHEDRAL; 9.15AM OLA CHAPEL followed by Eucharistic Adoration 10AM-10PM

FRIDAY: 9.15AM CATHEDRAL; 5.40PM CATHEDRAL followed by First Friday Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

SATURDAY: 9.15AM; 6PM VIGIL MASS
SUNDAY: 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8AM; 10AM; 5PM PRAYER OF THE CHURCH; 5.30PM

SACRAMENT of PENANCE

FRIDAY: 5-5.30PM
SATURDAY: 11.30AM-12NOON; 5.00-5.30PM

FIVE FIRST SATURDAYS DEVOTION TO OUR LADY.
Next Saturday, 6th October, following the 9.15am Mass in the Cathedral.


FIRST RECONCILIATION 2018

First Reconciliation will be celebrated on Wednesday 21st November at 6pm in the Cathedral. Preparation lessons continue after the holidays on Sunday 21st October at 9.10am in the Cathedral... **All enquiries to the Parish Office 6772 2218.**

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY LAND

The Commissary of the Holy Land, Fr Carl Schafer, wishes to thank parishioners for the generous donation of \$11,490.25 collected in the parishes of our Diocese in 2018 through the Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land. Fr Carl advises the money will provide local Christians with healthcare, education, employment and housing. The collection will also be used to maintain over seventy churches and shrines associated with the life of Jesus. Fr Carl says "Though often disadvantaged, Christians born in the Holy Land show heroic courage amid severe trials and they greatly appreciate the generous support from their fellow Christians overseas. Your donation helps to ensure their survival in their own native land."

OCTOBER MONTH OF THE ROSARY




October is the Month of the Rosary and rosaries will be said in parishioners' homes every Monday to Friday at 4pm in October. Please supply your name and address in the **roster** at the back of the Cathedral if you can host a rosary in your home.

ROSARIES THIS WEEK:
MON 1ST OCT, 12 noon Angelus followed by the rosary prior to the 12.30pm Mass; 4pm Margaret & Kerry Barrett, 21 Simpson Ave
TUES 2ND OCT, 10am in the Cathedral; 4pm Fay & Bob Watson, 11 McIntosh Cres
WED 3RD OCT, 12 noon Angelus followed by the rosary prior to the 12.30pm Mass; 2.30pm Ken Thompson Lodge;
THUR 4TH OCT 10am in the Cathedral; 4pm Theresia & Vernon Turner, 346 Castledoyle Rd; FRI 5TH OCT 4pm Sue Nano, 11 Thompson St; SAT 6TH OCT prior to the 9.15am Mass for the First Saturdays Devotion. **There will be a rosary half hour prior to each Sunday Mass.**

Our Sunday Cuppa ...

please join us for a cuppa after the 10am Mass in the Holy Family Parish Centre. Everyone is welcome.

Find out what is "The importance of Fatherhood Today" and discover the true meaning of your role, the way God meant it to be! Thursday 11th October 6pm – 9.30pm in the Torreggiani Room. RSVP Thursday 4th October to the Parish Office 6772 2218 or email armidalemenalive@gmail.com

MARTHA'S TABLE THIS TUESDAY 2ND OCTOBER IN THE FR TIM MCCARTHY MEETING ROOM AT 10AM. COME AND JOIN US FOR A CUPPA. ALL ARE WELCOME.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING this Tuesday 2nd October at 5.30pm in the Fr Tim McCarthy Meeting Room.



SAINTS MARY AND JOSEPH
CATHEDRAL INVITES YOU TO OUR

MULTICULTURAL SUNDAY

28TH OCTOBER 2018

10AM MULTICULTURAL MASS
FOLLOWED BY
CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND A
MULTICULTURAL LUNCH
IN THE TORREGGIANI ROOM

Please bring a plate of food representative of your traditional cuisine to share

INTERCHURCH FELLOWSHIP are collecting sewing machines in good condition to help the Yazidi women in the Armidale community. Contact Maureen Armatage 67724682 if you can donate a machine.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:
RECENTLY DECEASED: John Crowson, Pat Clancy (Moree), Rita Mammen, Valda Dargan, Tracy Smith, Silvestre Villacruz (Philippines), Samuel Farrugia, Bruce Zoeller
ANNIVERSARIES: Nicholas Williams, Margaret & Alf Schalk, Ivan Holloway, ,
SICK: Janette Armatage, Robert Markeljic, Don Armatage, Mary Harb, Rob Baker, Rosemary Britt, Ben Singh, Tommy Hawthorne, Brian Battersby, Tanya Neilson, Molly Burke, Melissa Gamblen, Fergus Watson, Hannah Whitton, Tom Britt, Danny Jones, Ghodsi Amini, Susan Maye, Michael Zhu, Aeron Ryan, John Fleming, Blake Ross, Gemma Milliken, Joseph O'Brien, Deacon Peter Harrison, Frederic Koelmeyer, Kay Robertson, Maureen Veitch, Maria Selvey, Eleanor Pankhurst, Kay Goodwin, Norma O'Brien, Anne Simpson, Silvia & Ralph Bowles.

ROSTERS THIS SUNDAY 30 TH SEPTEMBER				
	6PM	8AM	10AM	5.30PM
WELCOMER	K McMahon	Liz Fitzgerald	Tindales	P Stier
READER	W Clarke	J Cugley	L Tindale	L Thomas
	C Doherty	S Fleming	G Sinnot	J Chin
PoF	D Fittler	L Stephen	J Toakley	B Davies
EXMIN	RJudge	M Howie	DSchmude	D Steller
CLEANERS	Magellans			
ROSTERS NEXT SUNDAY 7 TH OCTOBER				
WELCOMER	MCarson	MGollan	Hallmans	Hansen
READER	JAtchison	FMiron	MEdgley	MBeeby
	GBurdett	SMiron	Volunteer	JHansen
PoF	JWard	MBarrett	Volunteer	LHanrahan
EXMIN	KMcMahon	KBarrett	AMcRae	KSteller
CLEANERS	LOM			