

The Grapevine



WORLD YOUTH DAY MADRID 2011

Pilgrims wanting to go with the Parish should register their interest with the youth office by filling out a short form that can be found in the Church foyer and hand to one of the priests or hand into the church office. Fundraising and formation will start shortly.



SAND SCULPTURE COMPETITION

SCARBOROUGH BEACH SATURDAY 10TH APRIL 9AM-1PM

Have fun in the sun this summer and help promote WYD 2011. Youth groups and communities are encouraged to put a team of people together to get creative in the sand and join in the fun activities. Great prizes, high profiles, beach games, and bring your own picnic. Registration form at www.cym.com.au or call 9422 7912.

VISION FOR YOUTH MINISTRY IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF PERTH

"The Journey Forth" with Anointed and Sent – 1st Edition. *Vision for Youth Ministry in the Archdiocese of Perth.* To read the full document, go to www.cym.com.au

YOUNG CHRISTIAN WORKERS DINNER DANCE FUNDRAISER

Saturday 17 April 7 –11pm at Herb Graham Recreation Centre, Mirrabooka. \$25 adults, \$15 child (12 years and under). All funds will support the work of the Perth Young Christian Workers in educating and empowering young people to grow and serve our community. If you are interested or would like to make a valued donation or donate items that could be used in a raffle, contact Marie Raheb 0422 510 816 or Fr Roy Pereira 0417 936 449 or email ycwperthwork@gmail.com.



Tickets also available at the Parish Office – contact Juliana on 9310 1747.

EASTER RAFFLE

A BIG THANK YOU to all our generous parishioners. A total of \$1,500 (inclusive of a \$100 cash donation from one of our parishioners) has been raised for the two orphanages in Burma with the blessing of Fr Phillip. The winners are B Chapman, Sarah Ho, Wendy, Ticket Number E35, Jeff Parker and J Basire. All winners notified and prizes collected. May God bless you for your kind support.



Parish Notices



EASTER WEEK MASS TIMES

1 April	Holy Thursday	7.30	Mass of the Lord's Supper
2 April	Good Friday	10.30am	Stations of the Cross
		3pm	The Lord's Passion
3 April	Holy Saturday	7pm	Easter Vigil Mass
4 April	Easter Sunday	8am, 9.30am, 11am and 6pm	

EXTRA RECONCILIATION

There will be extra Reconciliation for Parishioners who need it.

Friday 2nd April – After the Stations of the Cross and after the Main Service.

Saturday 3rd April – 11am-12pm, 5pm—6pm

NO MASSES

There WILL NOT BE Mass on Thursday morning at 7.00am (Holy Thursday), Friday evening at 5.30pm (Good Friday) and Saturday morning at 8.30am (Holy Saturday).

GOOD FRIDAY FASTING AND ABSTINENCE

Good Friday is a day of "fast" and "abstinence" from meat. Those who have completed their eighteenth year are bound by the obligation of fasting until the beginning of their sixtieth year (18-59 inclusive).

Sixth Sunday of Lent 28 March

In a world of inequality we are called to hunger and thirst for what is right. In this week's Project Compassion story we meet Bule from Malawi. Malawi is one of the poorest countries in the world and its people have continued to suffer a food crisis, food shortages, poor health and environmental degradation. Bule is participating in a Caritas Australia-supported project that is addressing this food insecurity and malnutrition. It provides training in sustainable agriculture practices that enables families like Bule to have access to enough food, safe water and a small but regular income. Your donation to Project Compassion empowers vulnerable communities to become self sufficient.

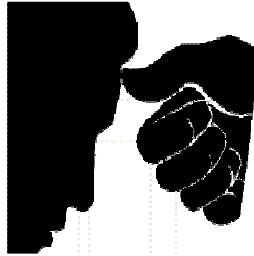


MORECARE - COMMITMENT SHEETS

Thank you for filling in the commitment sheets. Coordinators will get in touch with you soon. For those parishioners who would like to volunteer, there are still commitment sheets available at the back of the church.

CONFIRMATION FOR ADULTS IN 2010

If there are any adults who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation and would like to, please give your name to one of the priests. Alternatively you can leave your name and phone number with Margaret or Juliana in the office on 9310 1747. Confirmation will be celebrated in the parish on the **28th and 29th of August** and a class for instruction will begin shortly.



CONFIRMATION FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

A class will begin next term for students from year 7-12 who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation. If you would like to join this class please ring Margaret on 9310 1747 (Tues, Wed and Thurs).

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF STUDENTS

We will shortly begin a class for High School students who would like to become Catholics. This class will be run by Fr Dat in our parish. Students will be received into the Church and receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Communion and Confirmation. If you are interested in joining this group, please give your name to one of the priests or to Margaret or Juliana in the office on 9310 1747.

NEW MINISTRY BOOKLET

The Parish ministry booklet will be reproduced in the coming weeks for the census and commitment Sunday in mid May. Parish coordinators are asked to contact Marianne Cole notifying her of any changes that may have taken place, such as new coordinators, new times and dates, etc. Changes can be emailed to adultfaith@batemancatholic.org or by phone on 9310 1747.

2010 YIDARRA KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS

A reminder that an application for enrolment form should be lodged at the school by **Thursday 1 April 2010**. Currently at Yidarra, the two kindergarten classes operate for 2 full days per week, 8.55 am-2.45 pm, Monday and Wednesday **OR** Tuesday and Thursday. To be eligible for kindergarten 2011, your child's birthday must fall between 1 July 2006 - 30 June 2007. An application form and information package may be collected from the Yidarra school office between 8am-4pm Monday to Friday, or you may arrange for it to be mailed to you by phoning 9332 3011.



A QUICK JOURNEY THROUGH THE BIBLE

Friday 7-9 pm from 5 March to 30 April. This 8-week introductory course provides an excellent overview of salvation history and will give you the "big picture" of the Bible. This course is perfect for beginners, no prior knowledge assumed, everyone is welcome. St Thomas More Catholic Church Meeting Room. Enquiries: Benedict 0422 655 838 or email: Dr_Getwell@yahoo.com

Diocesan Notices

VOCATIONS

The call to holiness is to become all that God has created us to be, to love the Lord our God with all our heart, mind and soul, and to share our gifts and talents for the common good of all society. We pray that our young people will hear the call to dedicate their lives to God and make a commitment to serve God's people.

If you feel God is calling you, please contact Sr Ann on 9310 8248, any of the Parish Priests on 9310 1747 or Thai on 9332 5992.



CARITAS NEWS - THANK YOU

A certificate of appreciation was received from Caritas Australia for our generous donation to the Haiti earthquake emergency. Please refer to the notice board for news on Haiti.



BATTLE OF THE PARISHES

The Little Sisters of the Poor are inviting parishes to an annual quiz night. **Wednesday 5 May at 6:45pm** at Golden Nugget Room, Gloucester Park Perth. \$100 per table of 10. Bookings: Steve 0409 104 295

CHRISM MASS 2010

You are invited to attend the annual Archdiocesan Chrism Mass at St Mary's Cathedral, Perth on **Tuesday 30 March 2010 at 7pm**.



FR JUSTIN BELITZ OFM IS BACK IN PERTH.

His WA program is:

1-4 April: *Peace Be Still*, Chittering Valley. Wendy 9571 8108

10/11 April: *Silva Meditation*, Wollaston College. Alison 9341 7344

16 April: 7.30pm. Holy Family Parish, 2 Burt St, Kalamunda 9293 1646

17-22 April: 7pm & 9am. *Success: Full Relating*, Infant Jesus Morley, 47 Wellington Rd, Morley 9276 8500

28/29 April: *Day Spring*, Dianella 68 Waverley St, Dianella. *Success: Full Living*, 28th: Twilight Presentation 5.30pm. 29th: Workshop 9.30am-3.30pm. Beth 9376 1400.

Full details on notice board.