St Benedict's Catholic Church

Corner of Sturt Ave & Jerrabomberra Ave (PO Box 55)

Parish Team:

Narrabundah ACT 2604 Fr Stephen Fletcher, MGL (Parish Priest)

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St Benedict's Catholic Parish aims to be a caring and prayerful community, committed to outreach & service, where each person is valued, and their gifts encouraged.

The Most Holy Trinity 10 & 11 June 2017

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Tues—Thurs from 9am to 3pm

WEEKEND MASS TIMES: WEEKDAY MASSES:

Saturday 6pm Tuesday 5.30pm
Sunday 9am Wednesday 12.30pm
Sunday 7pm (Charisma c Mass) Thursday 5.30pm
Sunday 7pm Youth Mass Friday 5.30pm (Healing Mass)
(every last Sun of the Month)

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday

Friday following 6.15 –7.00pm a er (Healing Mass)

8.00am

Saturday 5pm – 5.30pm or by appointment

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH:

Every 3rd Friday Padre Pio 5pm
Every Saturday 7.30am

ROSARY:

Saturdays a er 8.00am Mass

Thursdays – 7.30pm (during May & October)

BAPTISMS: 11am, 2^{nd} & 4^{th} Sundays of the month

WEDDINGS: By appointment **ANOINTING OF THE SICK:**

During the 5.30pm Mass on first Fridays,

10.30am at Jindalee 1st Thursday of the month 10.30am at Mt View 3rd Thursday of the month

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Half hour before every weekday Mass as well as the following:

 Monday
 8am – 9pm

 Tuesday
 8am – 10pm

 Wednesday
 9am – 10pm

 Thursday
 9am – 10pm

 Friday
 6am – midnight

 Saturday
 12am – 8am

Hearing Loop is located in the right Centre rows of the church. Please ensure your hearing aid is tuned to make the best use of this facility.

Readings for this weekend:

1st Reading: Exodus 34:4-6. 8-9
2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Gospel: John 3:16-18

Responsorial Psalm:

Glory and praise for ever!

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to

come. Alleluia!

CONGREGATION FOR THE DOCTRINE OF THE FAITH: THE MESSAGE OF FATIMA - con nua on....

he Pope then con nued more forcefully and with more specific references, as though commen ng on the Message of Fa main its sorrowful fulfilment: "Behold, as we stand before you, Mother of Christ, before your Immaculate Heart, we desire, together with the whole Church, to unite ourselves with the consecra on which, for love of us, your Son made of himself to the Father: 'For their sake', he said, 'I consecrate myself that they also may be consecrated in the truth' (*Jn* 17:19). We wish to unite ourselves with our Redeemer in this his consecra on for the world and for the human race, which, in his divine Heart, has the power to obtain pardon and to secure repara on.

The power of this consecra on lasts for all me and embraces all individuals, peoples and na ons. It overcomes every evil that the spirit of darkness is able to awaken, and has in fact awakened in our mes, in the heart of man and in his history.

How deeply we feel the need for the consecra on of humanity and the world—our modern world—in union with Christ himself! For the redeeming work of Christ must be *shared in by the world through the Church*.

The present Year of the Redemp on shows this: the special Jubilee of the whole Church.

Above all creatures, may you be blessed, you, the Handmaid of the Lord, who in the fullest way obeyed the divine call!

Hail to you, who *are wholly united* to the redeeming consecra on of your Son!



PARISH NEWS

Next week 18 June —Monthly Family Mass Sunday at 9am: There will be a morning tea a erwards AND a **Chocolate Wheel** join the fun and try your luck bring along your coins for a chance to win from the following 12 great prizes. **All proceeds to the Collins Wing renova on.**

• \$50 Voucher for the Australian Italian Club Narrabundah.

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- \$36.95 Cake voucher from the Cheesecake Shop Erindale
- \$35 voucher for the Diamond Café (Chinese restaurant) at Karabar.
- \$50 vouchers (x 2) for the Griffith Vietnamese restaurant
- \$50 voucher for the Kashmir house at Narrabundah.
- \$50 voucher to be spent at any Kmart store in Australia
- \$50 (x 2) debit cards to be spent at Lowes at the Hyperdome.
- \$50 voucher for the Millhouse Café Queanbeyan
- \$50 voucher for Rivers store at DFO.
- \$40 debit card to be spent at Woolworths Erindale



We s II need more people to be on the roster for the following:

◆ Liturgical Rosters Vacancies:

*For Saturday 6pm Mass: Eucharis c Ministers *For Sun 9am Mass: Welcomers

- ◆ Sacristan for Sunday 9am Mass
- ♦ We DESPERATELY need ADORERS for Wednesdays from 2-5pm and Thursday 1pm-3pm.
- ◆ CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: We are greatly in need of volunteers to help clean our Church. Many hands make light work!

If you can assist please write your name down on the list in the foyer or for more info please ring 62957879 or email the Parish Office. Thank you

St Benedict's Mission Centre is presen ng a Talk series on the Old Testament called "The God of the Old Testament" with cake and cuppa at 7.30pm-8.30pm on the following Thursdays in the Collins Wing.

Dates: 22 June, 6 & 27 July, 3 & 17 August, 14 & 28 Sept, 5 & 26 Oct and 2 Nov. All are welcome.

For more informa on please ring Fr Baiju on 0490 400 557 or email: baijuthomasis@gmail.com.

Collins Wing

We are already half-way to our target to pay for the Collins' Wing renovations – please support this important project by grabbing a donation envelope from the foyer and place it in either of the collection bags, or hand it to a priest, a PPC member or the Parish Office. A big thank you to those who have generously contributed.

For Direct Debit donations: St Benedict's Parish:

BSB: 062 786 Account No: 0000 14992

Ref: CWDonation: Surname.



2017 First Holy Communion celebration is on 18 June, Sunday gam Mass at St Benedict's Church.



Qkr! is coming to St Benedict's. The new way to make Parish Dona ons through a phone app. More details to come!

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE PERSONS WWVP CARD REMINDERS:

If your card is due to expire in June or July 2017 and you have renewed, are wai ng to, or have received a new card please bring the card to the Parish Office with another form of iden fica on, such as your driver's license that includes your date of birth on the informa on listed. The Parish will take a copy of the both the front and back of the card.

Please note: It is an offence to engage in regulated ac vity for vulnerable people without a current WWVP registra on.

YOUTH NEWS

Youth Mass is held <u>every last Sunday of the month</u> at 7pm Charisma c mass. Come and experience the liturgy run by the youth, for the youth.

Fusion Youth Group is held every 2nd Friday during the school term, from 7pm-9pm at the outreach centre. This is for high school students to connect in fellowship and grow more in their faith. Like 'Fusion Youth Group' on Facebook to stay updated on our next gatherings.

Like 'St Benedict's Youth' on Facebook. Keep updated on the latest events that involve the youth in this parish, the Archdiocese, and schools.



Connect with us on Facebook! Like 'St Benedict's Church and Mission Centre, Canberra' to keep updated on events run by both the parish and its mission centre.

"2017 Good Shepherd Appeal"

Collection for Formation of our Seminarians:

To date, proceeds from our parish collection amount is \$125.00.

For those still wishing to make a donation envelopes are available in the foyer and can be left either on the Collection basket or place in the poor box.

EVENINGS FOR THE ENGAGED, marriage preparation program, will be held over two consecutive Saturdays on 8th and 15th July 2017. Enquiries to Mark and Kathy Haseler, 6166 7634.

17 - 18 June 2017 "Cowra Liturgy Weekend"

Speakers include Bishop Pat O'Regan, Dr Laurie Woods, Ms Karla Slaven, Mr Paul Dunn and many more. Enjoy a weekend of music liturgy and fun! Contact Fr Laurie Beath, Phone: 02 6342 1369 or E-mail: office.cowra@cdob.org.au

20 June 2017 "Diversity & Empathy: Opportunities for Leadership" The ACU 2017 Blackfriars Lecture Series will commence on 20 June with speaker Sally Moyle (CEO of CARE Australia). Sally joined CARE Australia in November 2016 as the Chief Execu ve. 5.30pm for registration and refreshments. Lecture from 6.00pm to 7.00pm. Room 300 G23, Blackfriars Building. RSVP by 15 June OCD.Canberra@acu.edu.a or (02) 6209 1129.

Refugee Week - 18 to 24 June

At each Mass on the **weekend of 24/25 June,** we will welcome representa ves from the Joint Parish Refugee Group. The talk will include:

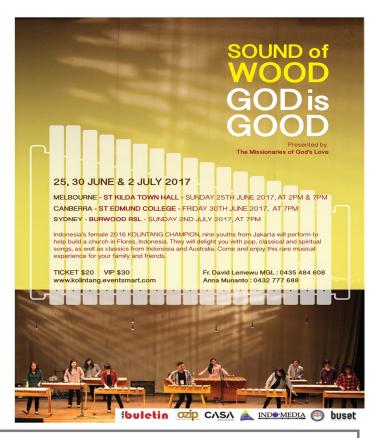
- presenta on by Tim McKenna or Sr. Jane Keogh about their recent visit to Manus.
- Outline of how dona ons from the Parish in 2016 were used;
- request for dona ons to 'Manus Lives Ma er' by card or cash, to con nue our support in the next year;
- opportunity to help these men find a safe place to rebuild their lives.

CHILDREN NEWS

KINGDOM KIDS MINISTRY:

This weekend 11 June (second Sunday of each month) Families are warmly invited to the 9am Mass and children are welcomed and encouraged to join in the ac vi es of Kingdom Kids. For info email Anita on kingdomkidsministry01@gmail.com. Remember the prayer wall for those inten ons you want the children to pray for.

PRAYER WALL: The children from the 9am Mass con nue to pray for the inten ons of our parish community.



St Benedict's Catholic Parish acknowledge the **Ngunnawal People**, the Tradi onal Owners who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the con nued deep spiritual a achment and rela onship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of Reconcilia on.

New to St Benedict's Community? Welcome

Please see all the ways you can be part of this community by checking out the contact list in the foyer and see the back page of the bulletin. Please fill out a new parishioner form in the foyer or download it from the website.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Graham Pollard Julie Douglas Fr Mat Wuwu Sid Marris Ma a Wellspring Helen Bennet Meaghan Younger Claudia Krebs Nick Seselia Pat Doyle Anita Zinkle Fr Steve Fletcher Next PPC mee ng: 22 June at 7.30pm in Collins Wing

ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEKEND 17 & 18 June 2017

	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 9am
Welcomers	Louise Gaudry	vacant
Presenta on of	Bennet Family	Maralyn & Ron
the Gi s		Molyneux
Eucharis c	B Barron vacant	A & M Wellspring
Ministers		
Readers	BA Daly & Louise	Julie Douglas vacant
	Gaudry	
Sacristan	Margie Avellino	
Flowers & Altar	Claudine Smith & Louise Gaudry	
Cleaning		
Church Cleaners	Muneko Ono & Zbiggy Zmurko	
Mt View	MGL Priests	
Jindalee	Rita Parker	

FEASTS & IMPORTANT DATES THIS WEEK

12 June St Chris an

13 June St Anthony of Padua 14 June St Anastasius XVII

15 June St Alice

June St John Francis

Readings for next weekend:

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 8:2-3. 14-16 2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

Gospel: John 6: 51-58

Collec ons from the last weekend:

First Collec on: \$ 1304.80 Planned Giving Collec on: \$ 694.00 Loose Collec on: \$ 337.20

The Catholic Weekly and The Catholic Leader are available at the Church foyer for \$2. Please place money in the Poor Box.

PARISH MINISTRIES CONTACT LIST

Parish Pastoral Council Fr Stephen Fletcher 6295 7879 Contact Frs Mat & Baiju 62957879 **RCIA** Coordinator Sacramental Coordinator Melanie Stratford

Melanie.Stratford@cg.catholic.edu.au School of Iconography Wendy Fisher-Hudson 6295 8791

Parish Grounds/Maintenance Bob OdHeir (Graham Tooth) Liturgical Rosters Parish Office 6295 7879

Pastoral Groups

Young Men of God MenAlive Evenings for the Engaged Ministry to the Newly Married

Torrien Lau 0432 679 630 Mark & Kathy Haseler 6166 7634 Catharina & Graham Williams, Debbie & Brian Kensey 6231 3389

Healing/Prayer Mark and Maria Ransom

6286 5679

Listening to Jesus/ Called & Gifted Adrian Wellspring 62958532/0421451412 Visitation Group Parish Office/ Mark Doverty 6295 7878 Social Group Sue Neimanis 6295 0687 Family Planning Veronica & Pablo Jimenez 0406277365 Adoration Frs Mat/ David 0424869539 /0435484608 Adoration Roster Sally FitzGerald 0422066080

Neighborhood Care

Gowrie Court Meals

Bible Study & Prayer Groups

Marian Devotions Padre Pio Praver Group Bible Study

Mothers Prayers Cell Prayer Group

Living Water Prayer Group

Youth & Children Ministries Fusion DOJ Chaplain Youth Minister

Kingdom Kids Ministry

Pat Hannan 6156 3882 Maria Ransom 6286 5679 Parish Office

Parish Office 6295 7879

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Anne Hartwell 6282 0874 Maria Michas 0427092149 Gary & Zenka Taffe 0423-707-838

Fr Chris Faton 62953415 Chiara Catanzariti 0429699322 chiaraccatanzariti@gmail.com

Anita Zinkel kingdomkidsministry01@gmail.com

St Benedict's Primary School 6295 8027

School First Friday Mass is at 10am in the Church

As A Parish Let Us Pray For...

Our Sick: Stan Marris, Phillip Cooney, Barrie Marshall, Merv O'Brien, Brad Chalmers, Helen French, Imelda Gadd, Jessica Rodriguez, Miguel Rodriguez, Wendy Gaudiosi-Logan, Rick Orford, Ellen Brennan, Pauline Wilkie, Pat Atkins, Carol Rees, John Newlyn, George Durr, Jindalee & Mt View residents.

Recently Deceased & Anniversaries: Imelda Gadd, John Mar n, Athol Knight, Harold Cook, Isabella Ferrari, Rita Smidthammer, John Pyne , Clare Drinkwater, Ceica Glenn, Heather Daly, Ian Smith, Patrick Morrison, Rosa Gallace, Barbara Jeffery, Edna Keir, Louise Agnew, Marea Brennan, Louis Camilleri.