



## PARISH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION, NORTH WODEN

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*Lord, it is wonderful  
for us to be here.*

### **17-18 October, the Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)**

#### **WEEKDAY AND WEEKEND MASSES, LITURGY and RECONCILIATION TIMES:**

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| Monday    | 9.30 am Curtin                                              |
| Tuesday   | 9.30 am Curtin                                              |
| Wednesday | 9.30am Curtin – Liturgy of the Word and Communion           |
| Thursday  | 5.30pm Curtin                                               |
| Friday    | 9.30am Curtin (incl. Anointing of the Sick on First Friday) |
| Saturday  | Reconciliation 5.00-5.30pm Curtin; Mass 6.00pm Curtin       |
| Sunday    | 9.30am Curtin, 5.30 pm Curtin                               |

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:** Give the Lord glory and honour.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** Alleluia, alleluia! Shine on the world like bright stars; you are offering it the word of life. Alleluia!

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

#### **MAY THE DECEASED REST IN PEACE AND RISE IN EASTER GLORY**

**Recently Deceased:** Kevin Robinson, Florian Falez, Tess Clarke, Susan Ryan, Ruth Bader Ginsburg, Helen Reddy, Louise Tarlinton, Joan Allan, Sebastian Webb, John Fahey, Tony Patterson, Maria Pullin (sister of Bishop Pat), Kevin Fitzpatrick, Barbara Koren, Janette Edwards, Joan Maher, Toni Clark, Mary Grech, Sr Mary Paul OLHC, Victims of Beirut port explosion, Victims of the Corona virus, Barbara Develin, Kathleen O'Shea, Pat Carter, Hilary Halpin, Gabriella Bufalo, Mary Flanagan, Brendan Laurie, Peter Hackwill, Leo Langtry, Lidia Montagner, Eileen Schofield, Cecilia Read, Fr Noel Connolly.

**Anniversaries of Death:** Jack Crosbie, Helen Day, Nick Dulay, Jose Infante, Valerie Mills, Pat Ryan and Jack Ryan, Melanie Swan, Jeanette Webster, Nicanor Pazcoguin, Paul Murphy, Sr John Keenan RSM, Sr Germaine RSM, Marie Pugh, Marjory Swan, Tony O'Donnell, Pam Dewhurst, Arthur and Doreen Job, Peter Crane, Ron Beath, Antoine Chuc Nguyen, Anne Perkins.

#### **MAY THE SICK BE COMFORTED BY OUR PRAYERS**

Nell Stenning, John O'Connor, Kyra Berger, Ian McDonald, Jim and Maureen Daly, Mark Tirrikainen, Nicola Sheehan, Fr Laurie Blake, Emma Lowe, Rose Winstanley, Joseph Garside, those afflicted with Corona virus, Bella Davison, Leah Yaxley, John Kololo, Frederick Schinkel, Maree Peters, Witlock family, Timothy Francis Roberts, Rosa B Nguyen, Lourdes A Bautista.

#### **God and Caesar**

We love our country, and it is good we do so. But should we agree with everything that happens in it and with all its structures? A lot of times we don't know what is best for it. A Christian should learn to be discerning and to judge what happens among us and what we should do in the light of the gospel. For we are citizens both of our country and of the Kingdom of God. Let us pray with the Lord in today's eucharist that we may be good citizens of both.

**Marivoet, Fr. Camilo J. (1998). *Liturgy Alive Models of Celebration (Year A)*.**

**IMPORTANT COVID-19 NOTICE:** Changes to restrictions came into effect at 9am Friday 9 October 2020. Church services are now permitted up to a maximum of 200 people (excluding staff and those conducting the service) for each indoor space and each outdoor space. Parishioners **must** sign in on arrival using the sign-in sheets available in Holy Trinity Church foyer as we are required to collect information for contact tracing purposes if required.

**Optional sign-in using Check In CBR app:** Holy Trinity Church is now registered with the ACT Government “Check In CBR app”. This is a contactless, secure and convenient way for parishioners to have their data stored securely with ACT Health in the event contact tracking is needed. Sign-in via the app is optional. The 5 step process to download and use the app: (Internet connection and phone or tablet device required)

1. Download the Check In CBR App from Google Play Store or the Apple App Store.
2. Register your details (required for the first time only).
3. On arrival at Church, open the app, select ‘Check In Now’, hover your smartphone over the displayed QR code.
4. Add in any additional people – those who are with you without their own device or app.
5. When the check-in is complete, the app will display a successful check in screen.

**Enrolment for the Sacrament of First Eucharist:** Children in Year 4 or above who have celebrated their First Reconciliation may be enrolled in the Parish’s Family-Based Sacramental Program for First Eucharist. Enrolments have commenced and are available via the Qkr app. The enrolment form and associated fee must be received by 16 October. Parents must attend the Parent Information Night at 6pm on Tues 20 Oct via Zoom, details available from the Parish Schools or Parish Office.

**PARISH TALKS:** The first in this series is on Monday 19 October at 10am in the Parish Centre (after 9.30am mass). **Dr Bruce Stevens** is a clinical and forensic psychologist and adjunct professor at Charles Sturt University. He recently held the position of Wicking Professor of Ageing at Practical Theology at CSU. Bruce will open up for us some understanding on ***Mindful Self-compassion***. Come and join us (over a cuppa) to listen to how we can, as we grow in age, be kinder to ourselves and others! No RSVP required. Further information contact Julie Long on 0434-583-946. The second talk, 7.30pm, Tues, 11 November will see **Anne Kirwan**, Director, reflect on ***‘The Work of CatholicCare’***, the social welfare agency of the archdiocese. Stay tuned; more presentations to follow.

**Concerned Catholics of Canberra-Goulburn** invite all to join in a Public Forum (Zoomed) on Thurs., 22 Oct., 5-6.30pm. **How can *The Light from the Southern Cross* shine in dioceses?** Forum will examine recommendations from the report promoting co-responsible governance in the Catholic Church in Australia. Speakers: Susan Pascoe AM and Virginia Bourke, Chair Andrea Dean. Contact: Mark Metherell 0417 603 697. Further information on the notice in the foyer, or [www.concernedcatholicscanberra.org/new-events](http://www.concernedcatholicscanberra.org/new-events)

**WORLD MISSION APPEAL NEXT WEEKEND: This year’s appeal is for the Jesuit Arrupe Centre in Cambodia.** The Centre provides education, vocational training and health services for children and youth with disabilities. Thank you in anticipation for your support.

**ONLINE MARIAN PROCESSION: AND MULTICULTURAL MASS** Due to COVID restrictions, the 2020 Marian procession will take place online. Led by our ethnic communities, the event is an opportunity for all to pray the Rosary together. Register and find out more at <https://hozana.org/en/community/9352-marian-procession>. There will be a 10am, 25 Oct, Devotional Hour at the Cathedral (in lieu of the usual Galong gathering) followed by the 11am Multicultural Mass (live-streamed). Find out more at the Catholic Voice [www.catholicvoice.org.au](http://www.catholicvoice.org.au)

**COMMUNION TO THE AGED AND HOUSEBOUND: We would like to resume the taking of Holy Communion to those in homes and aged care residences.** Visitation of the latter will require proof of having a flu vaccine. If you would like to assist, please contact the Parish Office this week so that a current roster might be drawn up, mindful that some who previously undertook this ministry are not regularly attending Mass at present.

**PARISH MEDITATION GROUP** meet weekly. Details Vikki McDonough, [mulvaney@netspeed.com.au](mailto:mulvaney@netspeed.com.au) or 0437 876 487.

**Prayer Circle Support:** Cathy Harris, 6281 2574.

**Readings for next Sunday:** Ex 22:20-26; Thess 1:5-10; Mt 22:34-40.

| <b>LITURGICAL ROSTERS NEXT WEEK: 24-25 October, the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)</b> |                                                  |                                          |                                      |
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| <i>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Month</i>                                                          | <b>Curtin Sat. 6pm</b>                           | <b>Curtin Sun. 9.30 am</b>               | <b>Curtin Sun. 5.30 pm</b>           |
| <b>Acolyte</b>                                                                                     | Anthony De Salis                                 | Dan McKay                                | Darryl Kite                          |
| <b>Servers</b>                                                                                     |                                                  |                                          |                                      |
| <b>Reader</b>                                                                                      | H Honey                                          | A L Kimpton                              | Volunteer required                   |
| <b>Commentator</b>                                                                                 | Nedra Kelaart                                    | Denis Howden                             |                                      |
| <b>Welcomer</b>                                                                                    | Margaret Williams                                | Jeanette Clarke                          |                                      |
| <b>Communion to Sick</b>                                                                           | St Andrew’s: <b>No visits at this time</b>       | Fred Ward: <b>No visits at this time</b> | Homes: <b>No visits at this time</b> |
| <b>Collectors</b>                                                                                  | J David                                          | Volunteer required                       | Volunteer required                   |
| <b>Collection Counters</b>                                                                         | Rosemary O’Mally, Maureen Jeffrey, Bryan Stevens |                                          |                                      |

