



PARISH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION, NORTH WODEN

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Safeguarding Sunday

12 – 13 September 2026; 24th Sunday of Ordinary Time in Year A

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH MASSES, LITURGY and RECONCILIATION TIMES FOR THIS COMING WEEK:

14 Sept Monday	9.30am – <i>The Exaltation of the Cross</i> ; Mass ; 11 am Funeral – Helen Benkovic
15 Sept Tuesday	9.30am – <i>Our Lady of Sorrows</i> ; Mass ;
16 Sept Wednesday	9.30am – <i>Sts Cornelius and Cyprian</i> ; Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion
17 Sept Thursday	5.30pm – Mass
18 Sept Friday	9.30am – Mass
19 Sept Saturday	5.00pm - 5.30pm - Reconciliation ; 6pm – Mass
20 Sept Sunday	9.30am – Mass 5.30pm – Mass

MAY THE DECEASED REST IN PEACE AND RISE IN EASTER GLORY

Recently Deceased: Helen Benkovic, Erin McGregor, Robert Ermini, George Patterson, Michael Charles, Brian Carrol

Anniversaries of Death: Denis Rowe, John Stanley Hedley, Marc Kelaart, Winifred Mona Spargo, Ron McLeod, Anne Taylor-Brown, Warren Thomas, Mary Carmody

May the sick be comforted by our Prayers

Nan Falson, Tim Smyth, Margaret Ryan, Ted Lindsay, Joe Gormly, Patricia Doyle, Gerardo Servello, Zander Savery, Rajan Fernandez, Leila Jordan, Geraldine Ford, Emily Capper, David Swan, Mary Clark, Lex Govaars, Tom Gravanic, Carmel Coleman, Jeanette Ford, Richard Foote, Chris Feeny, Olga Johnson, Margaret Williams, Pieter van Gent, Mark Lodder, Greg Nash, Francis Boyd, Jeannette Clarke, Jarrod Clarkson, David Garratt, Marjorie O'Connor, Matthew Dwyer, Genevieve Crane, Maureen Sewell, John Warren, Lily Lim, Donald Stott

A New Lease On Life

Most of us have experienced how difficult it is to forgive. It is almost impossible. In Old English it means 'to give to the uttermost,' 'extremely,' 'as far as you can go.' Isn't that it really is, going all the way? Who can forget the hurt? Yet we should. Who doesn't see and feel the scars and keep the memories? And yet we shouldn't. Think of God: when he forgives, the evil belongs in the past. It is gone. God keeps no accounts. He wants us to think only of the future. Jesus did not condemn but gave new chances. Let us ask for the Lord's attitude now in this Eucharist.

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

Father's Day Appeal – **Collection for retired priests:** The Archdiocesan Clergy Retirement Foundation thanks everyone who contributed so generously this year. The average age of our retired clergy is 84 with 6 in their 90s and one celebrating 100 in November. These good men are so grateful, your generosity will be remembered in their daily prayers. For those still wishing to donate, envelopes are available in the church foyer and can be left either with the weekend collection or posted to the Foundation Office. Donations can also be made at www.cgcatholic.org.au/donate **On behalf of the 22 retired priests of this Archdiocese, thank you for your generosity prayers and thoughtfulness.**

We acknowledge the Ngunnawal peoples, Aboriginal peoples and Torres Strait Islander peoples, who are traditional custodians and first peoples of this land. We pay respect to their elders past and present. We acknowledge that they have occupied and cared for this land over countless generations and we celebrate their continuing contribution to the life of our city and region. We also extend our respect to all Aboriginal peoples living in our community.

Next weekend – First Eucharist Masses | We welcome 55 children who will receive the Eucharist for the first time next weekend. This will occur at all three weekend Masses. We welcome and pray for them as they take this step in their initiation into the Body of Christ, the Church.

Friday 25 September Book Launch Melissa Bray, who is an Acolyte here in our parish, is having her book on Australian women economists launched at the National Press club [Book launch: Power in Numbers: Australian Women in Economics](#) her book can be ordered here [Power in Numbers, Melissa Bray and Catie Bradbear - Melbourne University Publishing](#) Well done Melissa! (see our website for links)

Ozanam Sunday Appeal | St Vincent de Paul Society will conduct an annual appeal on the 26 – 27 September. Funds raised will assist our Society 'Twins' in Indonesia and India. Receipts will be available for tax purposes.

Saturday 17th October 2026 3pm – 7pm Braddon Catholic Girls High School 50th Reunion Year 10 (1974) and Year 12 (1976) at Merici College, Wise St Braddon. Bookings are essential and tickets cost \$30. **Book via Humantix by searching "Merici Alumni" then select the event "Class of 1974/1976 Reunion Braddon"** RSVP by 1 October. Celebrations will continue from 7:30pm at the Ainslie Football Club, 52 Wakefield Avenue Ainslie.

Saturday, 24 October 11am onwards | Holy Trinity Primary School is turning 60!

Holy Trinity Primary School warmly invites all parishioners, former and current students, staff, families, and friends to join us on as we celebrate our 60th Anniversary. We will begin the day with Mass celebrated by Fr James at **11:00am**. Following Mass, visitors can enjoy the Holy Trinity Art Show, showcasing artwork created by every student and teacher. The exhibition captures the imagination, talent, and unique spirit that make our school community so special. Alongside the Art Show, visitors will have the opportunity to enjoy guided tours led by our students, as well as a coffee van and a selection of hot food available throughout the event. This is a wonderful opportunity to reconnect, reminisce, and celebrate the rich history of Holy Trinity. Spread the word and join us for this memorable occasion.

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP: 6pm, Wednesdays. All welcome. Contact Vikki, 0437 876 487 or mulvaney@netspeed.com.au

Readings for next Sunday; 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A, Is 55:6-9, Phil 1:20-24, 27, Mt 20:1-16

Please sign on for your ministry on the form in the foyer

LITURGICAL ROSTERS NEXT WEEK: 19 – 20 September 2026			Third Sunday of the Month
	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 9.30am	Sunday 5.30pm
Acolyte	Anthony De Salis	Marianne Crane	Mark Murphy
Lector	Emma Fairfax	Alan Grinsell-Jones Juliana Maher	Kim Hofmeier Glenn Roff
Commentator	Rachel Smith	Denis Howden	N/A
Welcomer	Srs Angela and Frances	Max Grinsell-Jones	Ann Heard
E.M. Communion	Christine McLaughlin	Brendan Ryan	John O'Connor
Comm to the Sick	Warr: John Eysers	FWG: Emma Fairfax	Homes: A: Jane Brown Homes B: Sr Mary
Counters	21 Sept	Joanne and Phillip Mitchell	
Wednesday Liturgy	16 Sept	Marianne Crane	Christine McLaughlin

Parish Safeguarding commitment: our parish is committed to safeguarding and upholding the dignity and rights of all our children and vulnerable people. If you have concerns about these matters please contact Fr James, or our safeguarding volunteer Anne Hitchings Wodennorth.safeguarding@cg.org.au, or Maria Hicks ipss@cg.org.au the Manager for the Archdiocese's Professional Standards and Safeguarding.