



# Fremantle Catholic Community

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## Fremantle Oblate Community

Fr John Sebastian OMI, Parish Priest  
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Fr Anthony Colbert OMI, Hospital Chaplain  
Fr David Shelton OMI, Prison Chaplain  
Fr Subash Fernando OMI

## Gospel Reflection

**A Biblical Prophet is one who has received a divine call to speak God's Word to His people.** Even though the Word of God can be a hard and challenging Word, it is also a Word of love because it means God has not abandoned His people **God's heralds and Prophets had to be prepared for opposition and rejection.** It was so for Old Testament Prophets, and for Jesus too.

**Jesus' own people cannot bring themselves to believe in the greatness of someone who is one of themselves.** And so, His power to work miracles among them is not effective. Their rejection of Him is an anticipation of His rejection by the Jewish nation as a whole.

There is much sadness for Jesus in what should have been a very joyful **homecoming.** **The local people were "astonished" - for that read "scandalised"** by tales of the miracles He worked elsewhere. In simple terms they were saying: Who does He think He is??

Mark, in his Gospel, was also addressing here a problem which was puzzling the minds of his contemporaries: How explain why the majority of Jews were rejecting Jesus while the Gentiles were streaming into the new faith?? So, this rejection of Jesus by his home town is a miniature picture of the larger story in the young Church.

Many People today believe in supernatural powers...the NEW AGE philosophy is bound up with gods and goddesses...Mother Earth is a replacement for the traditional God...angels are popular etc...but many people have lost or do not have any faith in Jesus as the Son of God become flesh...or as our Saviour and Redeemer.

**Quote: When God became one of us, he didn't become a king or a politician or a national hero as many thought the Messiah should be. Instead, he became a working man.** The Gospels show us Jesus as a healer, teacher, wonder-worker, but these activities lasted only 3 short years. For the rest of his time on earth, he worked as a village carpenter. There was nothing spectacular about his work. **He didn't make things by miracles but by the ordinary means of hammer and saw.** And, as far as we know, nothing he made ever set new fashion trends or became a collector's item. **Though many of us see our daily jobs as dull and boring, we must not underestimate their importance. Whatever we may say about them, God's son could say the same.**

## Parish News

### *Catholic Mission Appeal Thank You*

THANK YOU for your generous response to the Catholic Mission Appeal last weekend. It will strengthen the prophetic work of our missionaries in far-flung places of our world that we may never even be aware about. Should you be inspired to do more and perhaps spend some time in an overseas missionary community during your holidays, then feel free to call the Catholic Mission Office on 9422 7933 to arrange for an interview to explore the possibilities.

*Please return your Catholic Mission Donation Envelope to the Parish Office or on the collection basket before 16 July, 2018.*

### **Seafarers' Sunday**

This weekend we celebrate **Seafarers' Sunday** and we welcome Deacon Patrick Moore, Stella Maris who will talk at the weekend Masses, a leaving collection will be taken up at the end of the Mass.

### WEEKDAY AND WEEKEND SERVICES

#### Masses

7.00am Convent Mass Monday to Friday  
(except public holidays)

12.10pm Mass Monday to Saturday

7.00pm Evening Mass Wednesday and Friday

6.00pm Saturday Vigil Mass

Sunday Masses: 7.00am, 8.30am,

9.45am (In Italian), 11.00am and 5.00pm

#### **St Anne's North Fremantle**

Sunday Mass 8.15am

First Sunday of the month 12.15pm Polish Mass

Notre Dame Chapel Sunday Mass 6pm

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 9.30am-10.30am;

10.30am-11.30am Reconciliation in Italian

11.00am-12.00noon and 4.30pm-5.30pm

First Friday 11am-12noon

BAPTISM AND WEDDING ENQUIRIES CONTACT  
THE PARISH OFFICE DURING OFFICE HOURS

### Mass Intentions and Feast Days

Sat 7 July

6pm **Connie Da Silva (dec'd)**

Sun 8 July *14th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

7am

8.30am Lucy, Julie & Didy (int)

11am **Jose Abreu (dec'd)**

**Michele Amato (dec'd 1 month anniv.)**

5pm **Teodoro & Giustino Carozza (dec'd)**

**Nicodemo & Marianicola Carozza (dec'd)**

Mon 9 July

12.10pm **Maria Germinario (dec'd)**

**Serafina Altamura (dec'd)**

Tues 10 July

12.10pm **Muriel Reid (dec'd)**

Wed 11 July *St Benedict*

12.10pm **Pasquale De Gennaro (dec'd)**

**Teresa & Giuseppe Servillo (dec'd)**

7pm **Natale Ricciardi (dec'd 5th anniv.)**

Thurs 12 July

12.10pm **Jose de Caires (dec'd)**

Fri 13 July

12.10pm **Ardunio & Lucia Di Giusto (dec'd)**

7pm

Sat 14 July

12.10pm Mary (int)

6pm

# Music Ministry

Organist & Director of Music: Dominic Perissinotto

## Cantor

6pm & 5pm: Delia Price / Andrew Brown (organ)  
8:30am 7 11am: Fleur Brockway

## Processional AOV 184

Penitential Rite Christopher Wilcocks – Missa Magis: 8/65;

11am: Edward Julius Biedermann – Missa in honorem BM Virginis Op 30

Glory to God Christopher Wilcocks – Missa Magis: 8/66;

11am: Edward Julius Biedermann – Missa in honorem BM Virginis Op 30

Responsorial Psalm CWB 389; Gospel Acclamation CWB 556

Offertory 6pm & 5pm: Thomas Tallis – If Ye Love Me;

8:30am & 11am: George Fredrich Handel – “Thou art gone up on high” from *Messiah* HWV 56

Holy Holy Christopher Wilcocks – Missa Magis: 8/70

Eucharistic Acclamation Christopher Wilcocks – Missa Magis “When We Eat”: 8/71

Amen Christopher Wilcocks – Missa Magis: 8/71; Our Father CWB 524/525

Lamb of God Christopher Wilcocks – Missa Magis: 8/72;

11am: Edward Julius Biedermann – Missa in honorem BM Virginis Op 30

Communion 6pm & 5pm: John Rutter – Be Thou My Vision;

8:30am & 11am: Old Negro Melody arr HT Burleigh – Deep River

Communion Reflection AOV 29; Recessional AOV 28

Organ Postlude 6pm & 5pm: Denis Bedard – Festive Toccata

8:30am & 11am: Gottfried August Homilius – Prelude in G Major

## Children's Liturgy

Held every Sunday of the month.  
The next Liturgy will be held on the following Sundays  
8, 15, 22 & 29 July  
at the 8.30am Mass  
All Children Welcome  
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**The next Parishioners' Morning Tea**  
will be held on Sunday 5 August after  
the 8.30am Mass  
All Welcome

## The Planned Giving Program

The planned giving program is an important part of the Parish as it allows us to maintain all aspects of the Basilica, Presbytery and Parish Administration Centre. In order to keep the Parish viable we must maintain a target of 95% and above each week. Last week's giving was 61% of the target.

Thankyou!

## Safeguarding Officers

The Perth Catholic Archdiocese is committed to the safety and security of all children and young people. If you have any safety concerns about a person in the parish or about a child protection or child safety issue, you can discuss it with the Parish Safeguarding Officers.

**St Patrick's, Fremantle Safeguarding Officers:**  
Phillipa Colgan 0431 929 739  
Mary Davis 0409 115 191

## Parish Events

### Seafarers' Sunday

Weekend 7/8 July

(a Leaving Collection will be taken up at all Masses on that weekend)

**New Training for Ministers of Communion and Readers**

Tues 17 & 24 July at 7pm in Basilica  
**Notre Dame Graduation Mass**

Tues 24 July at 10.30am

## Evening Sung Prayer

Is 2018 the year you make more time to talk with God?

The next Evening Prayer service will be held on *Saturday 21 July, 2018 commencing at 5.30pm and lead into the regular 6pm Vigil Mass*. This is the perfect opportunity to spend some extra time with God.

Evening Prayer, part of the traditional Liturgy of the Hours, consists of psalms, hymns, readings, prayers and antiphons.

A cantor and organist will lead you in this monthly celebration of prayer.

## Pope Francis' Apostolic Exhortation "Gaudete et Exsultate"

The discussion group for Pope Francis' Exhortation - A Call to Holiness- will be held at 7pm on Monday evenings finishing at 8 pm. A cup of tea after for those who wish to stay. Contact Don or Mary Ann Yeats 9384 0416 for further information.

## New Training of Extra Ordinary Ministers of Communion and Readers

The Parish will be holding a training session for new Extra Ordinary Ministers of Communion and new Readers in July. Two Training sessions will be held on 17 & 24 July at 7pm in The Basilica. Both sessions are to be attended.

If you would like to become a new Extra Ordinary Minister of Communion or a new Reader, please register your details with the Parish Office before 10 July. Parish Office, Mon to Fri 9am to 3pm on 9335 2268.

## Plenary Council 2020

**The Plenary Council's first stage of preparation is Listening and Dialogue, until Ash Wednesday 2019.**

This journey of listening to God by listening to one another. This is an opportunity to spend some time thinking and talking about your experiences of faith, life and the Church. Everyone is invited to respond to the question: *What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?*

You can have your say by submitting your response on the Plenary Council website [www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/resources/have-your-say](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/resources/have-your-say).

What else can I do to prepare for the Plenary Council?

**Pray:** The Holy Spirit is leading us and the stillness of prayer opens our hearts to hear God's voice. Copies of the Plenary Council Prayer are available in the side foyers or on the website [www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/pray](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/pray).

**Subscribe:** To the Plenary Council e-newsletter on the website.

**Share:** The webpage and social media links with your friends, family and colleagues.

**Invite:** Your friends and family to have a conversation about the future of the Catholic Church in Australia. Ask everyone—**"What do you think God is asking of us at this time?"** and then send your responses online at the website.

*Please Note: The Basilica grounds will not be open for parking until 11.45am on Tuesday 24 July, 2018.*

## Plenary Council Prayer

Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost.

Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.

O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council.

Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road.

Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth.

Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning hear to hear what you are saying.

Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the journey from age to age.

Amen

Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us.

St Mary MacKillop, pray for us.

