



Fremantle Catholic Community

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Fremantle Oblate Community

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Fr David Shelton OMI, Community Member

Gospel Reflection Feast of Corpus Christi

Brennan Manning, an American Franciscan priest, tells this story about his mother, a lady in her mid-seventies in Brooklyn. Mrs Manning's day centred on her daily Eucharist. Because she began a voluntary stint at a drug detoxification centre each morning at 7.30am, the only Mass she could reach each day was at 5.30am.

Across the road from her lived a very successful lawyer, mid-thirties, married with two children. The man had no religion and was particularly critical of daily church-goers. Driving home from a late party at 5am one January morning, the roads glassy with ice, he said to his wife: "I bet that old bag won't be out this morning", referring to Mrs Manning. But to his shock, there she was on hands and knees negotiating the hill up to the Church.

He went home, tried to sleep, but could not. Around 9am he rose, went to the local presbytery and asked to see a priest. "Padre," he said, "I am not one of yours. I have no religion. But could you tell me what do you have in there that can make an old woman crawl on hands and knees on an icy morning?" Thus began his conversion, along with his wife and family.

Mrs Manning was one of those people who never studied deep religious books, never knew the big theological words, but she knew what it is to meet Jesus Christ in Holy Communion.

We have everything we need in Holy Communion. Jesus Christ is our bread of life. What more could we want?

Last Sunday - Trinity - was God's own feast. Today's feast day is all OURS. It is God's greatest Gift to us - His Son, Jesus, His Real Presence. His Body and Blood under appearances of bread and wine. It's the memorial of our Redemption, renewal of Calvary - there's a lot of doctrine, a lot of theology there to ponder.

But like Mrs Manning in the story, we do not need complicated systems, big words, far away shrines, psychological programmes or anything else. If we have a simple faith and belief in the Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. The Eucharist is Jesus. The Eucharist is everything!

Marvellous to see how God does things for us, in such simple ways. His birth as a baby - in a way that would be so easy for us to accept. Then, when his human life on earth came to a close, He stayed with us as our spiritual food in this wonderful manner that we're celebrate today.

Parish News

Please Note: There will no longer be a 7am Mass at the Convent from 1 July, 2019.

The Feast of the Sacred Heart

The Feast of the Sacred Heart will be celebrated on Friday 28 June, 2019 with Mass at 12.10pm and then a shared lunch in the Parish Centre, please bring a plate to share. For more information contact Pamela Cattalini or the Parish Office.

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

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 22 June Sts John Fisher & Thomas More

12.10pm Patrick Donoghue (dec'd)

5.30pm Sung Evening Prayer

6pm Francesca Basile (dec'd)

Sun 23 June

7am Pray for Oilly Pires (int)

8.30am Sacred Heart Sodality

11am Helen Griffith (dec'd)

5pm Evaristo Digiosaffatti (dec'd)

Mon 24 June

12.10pm Emilia Cuccovia (dec'd)

Constancia & Jose Fernandez (dec'd)

Tue 25 June

12.10pm Peter Melia (dec'd)

Albino Goncalves Capelinha (dec'd)

Wed 26 June

12.10pm Betty Bradley (dec'd)

Pray For Jose da Horta (dec'd)

7pm Ray Saunders (dec'd)

Thurs 27 June

12.10pm Josephine Williams (dec'd)

Pray for Thea Leonard (dec'd)

Fri 28 June

12.10pm Peter Liebeck & Benny Brown (dec'd)

7pm Angela Litz (dec'd)

Sat 29 June

12.10pm Intentions of the Ursuline Lay

Association Prayer Group

5.30pm Sung Evening Prayer

6pm Joan Swindells (int)

Music Ministry

Organist & Director of Music: Dominic Perissinotto

Cantor

5:30pm Evening Prayer: Lucinda Nichols / Alessandro Pittorino (organ)

6pm: Lucinda Nichols with "Schola" from Aquinas College – Hugh Lydon (director) / Alessandro Pittorino (organ)

8:30am: Caitlin Rowe / Andrew Brown (organ)

11am: The Basilica Choir / Eva-Marie Perissinotto (conductor) / Andrew Brown (organ)

5pm: Lucinda Nicholls / Alessandro Pittorino (organ)

Evening Prayer George Fredrich Handel – "How beautiful are the feet" from *Messiah* HWV 56

Processional AOV 49

Penitential Rite Colin D Smith cfc adapted Paul Mason – Mass Shalom: 2/25

Gloria Colin D Smith cfc adapted Paul Mason – Mass Shalom: 2/26

Responsorial Psalm CWB 323; Sequence Psalm 6pm: Veni Creator – chant; Others: CWB 316

Gospel Acclamation AOV 13

Offertory 6pm: Ralph Vaughan Williams – "The Call" from *Five Mystical Songs*;

8:30am: George Fredrich Handel – "Lord to Thee each night and day" from *Theodora* HWV 68;

11.00am: Sir Edward Elgar – Ave Verum Corpus Op 2 No 1;

5pm: George Fredrich Handel – "How beautiful are the feet" from *Messiah* HWV 56

Holy Holy Colin D Smith cfc adapted Paul Mason – Mass Shalom: 2/30

Eucharistic Acclamation Colin D Smith cfc adapted Paul Mason – Mass Shalom "When we eat": 2/31

Amen Colin D Smith cfc adapted Paul Mason – Mass Shalom: 2/31

Our Father CWB 524/525

Lamb of God Colin D Smith cfc adapted Paul Mason – Mass Shalom: 2/32

Communion 6pm: Gabriel Fauré – Ave Verum Op 65 No 1

8:30am: César Franck – Panis Angelicus;

11.00am: Camille Saint-Saëns – Panis Angelicus;

5pm: John Rutter – For the Beauty of the Earth

Reflection AOV 129; Recessional AOV 63

Organ Postlude 6pm & 5pm: Johann Sebastian Bach – Fugue in a minor BWV 543

8:30am & 11am: George Fredrich Handel – "Endless Pleasure, Endless Love" from *Semele* HWV 58

Children's Liturgy

Every Sunday of each month.

Liturgy will be held on

23 & 30 June

at the 8.30am Mass

All Children Welcome

Parish Youth Group

Parish Youth Group meets fortnightly on

Thursdays at 7pm. The next meeting

will be held on Thursday 4 July

More information call the Parish Office.

New members welcome to join

Sung Evening Prayer

Every Saturday at 5.30pm

leading into 6pm Vigil Mass

All Welcome

St Patrick's Morning Tea

Next Morning Tea on Sunday 7 July

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. This week's giving was 60% 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.

Fremantle Safeguarding Officers:

Phillipa Colgan 0431 929 739

Mary Davis 0409 115 191

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 heart 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.

Oblate and Parish Anniversary Celebrations

Parishioners and friends of the St Patrick's Community are invited to participate in an Anniversary Mass and Lunch on Sunday 18 August 2019. The day will commence with a one off 10:30am Sunday Mass, amalgamating our 9:45am Italian and 11am High Mass, and in addition to our Basilica Community, will be attended by around 70 Oblate associated guests from around Australia, attending an Oblate Congress over that weekend. We will be acknowledging the immense contribution a diverse range of people and cultures involved in building the Oblate Community in Australia over the last 125 years, as well as celebrating the 25 years as a Basilica.

Tickets for the lunch, at a cost \$50 per person, are available either from the Basilica Office (9am to 3am weekdays – cash or cheque), or online at www.trybooking.com/BDCVC (A service fee of 50c per ticket is applicable). Numbers are limited, so please book in advance to ensure you are there to be part of this significant event. *Tickets selling fast!*

Early Notices:

- Catholic Missions Appeal will be held on the weekend of 6/7 July in the Fremantle Parish. Please support this appeal.
- Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Sunday 7 July.

Do you have photos (old or new) of the Basilica or the Oblate Priests? We are seeking assistance in gathering photos for a photo presentation for the celebrations on 18 August. If you have photos please scan and email them to parishoffice@oblates.com.au or you can drop them into the office.

Care For Life

The Archdiocese would like to encourage more parishioners to write a letter to your MP expressing your view on the WA Governments wishes to legalise assisted suicide and euthanasia. There is information available in the side foyers this weekend or you can visit <http://careforlife.net.au/get> involved for more information.