47 Adelaide Street, Fremantle, WA, 6160

Basilica of St. Patrick

The Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity, Year B Sunday 26th May 2024

Oblate Priests' at the Basilica

Fr Meno Basti OMI (Parish Priest & Rector)
Fr Giancarlo Iollo OMI
(Assistant Priest & Italian/Notre Dame Chaplain)
Fr John Patrick John Mary OMI
(Assistant Priest & Hospital Chaplain)
Fr. Anthony Colbert OMI (Assistant Priest)

Church Opening Hours

Monday to Friday 10am to 3pm (Basilica Guardians Permitting)

Daily Mass & Adoration

Monday to Saturday: 11am Adoration followed by Angelus and Midday Mass

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 6pm Vigil Mass Sunday: 8am, 8.15am (St Anne's, North Fremantle), 9.30am (Italian), 11am and 5pm

Confessions

First Friday of Each Month: 11am Saturday: 9.30am, 11am and 4.30pm

Parish Council Members

Marlene Dullard (Acting Chair) Sonia La Macchia Maria Gorman

Parish Finance Committee

Collin Visaggio (Chair) Trevor Gorey Michael Piu

Basilica Parish Office

Angie Emanuele (Parish Manager) email: parishmanager@fremantlestpatricks.org.au

Parish Office working hours

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Parish Safeguarding Officers

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Safeguarding of our children in the Parish

The Archdiocesan Safeguarding Project was started in 2016 by Archbishop Timothy Costello SDB with the aim of providing a safe and secure environment for all its members, leaders and especially children and vulnerable adults. The parish of St Patrick's Basilica is committed to creating a safe parish. To read more, visit http://fremantlestpatricks.org.au/parish-safeguarding-project/

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

This week we return to the liturgical season of Ordinary Time. This Sunday and next Sunday, however, are designated as solemnities, special days that call our attention to the central mysteries of our faith. Today, on the first Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. This feast invites us to consider what we believe about God, who has revealed himself to us in the Trinity, one God in three Persons. The Gospel for this Solemnity is taken from the Gospel of Matthew. In its conclusion, Matthew's Gospel quickly moves from the disciples' discovery of Jesus' empty tomb and Jesus' appearance to Mary Magdalene and the other Mary to the commission that Jesus gives to his disciples in today's Gospel.

The final commission, as this part of Matthew's Gospel is sometimes called, is given on the mountaintop. Throughout Scripture, many of the most important events happen on a mountaintop, and Matthew used this motif often. Peter, James, and John saw Jesus transfigured on the mountaintop, and Jesus taught the crowds from the mountaintop in the Sermon on the Mount. In today's Gospel, the eleven disciples go the mountaintop in Galilee, as Jesus had instructed them through Mary Magdalene and the other Mary. They see Jesus, and they worship and doubt at the same time. Jesus approaches them and commissions them to baptize and teach. It is a task for which Jesus had previously prepared his disciples; recall that Jesus had already sent the twelve apostles to preach the Kingdom of God and to heal. Yet earlier, the Twelve were sent only to the House of Israel; in this final commission, the eleven are told to go to all nations. The mission of Jesus is now to be taken to all people, and the task is to baptize and to teach.

Jesus commissions his disciples to baptize in the name of the Trinity; this is one of the clearest attestations for Baptism in the name of the Holy Trinity found in Scripture. Other New Testament references to Baptism describe it as being celebrated in the name of Jesus. As we read this Gospel on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, we are reminded that this central mystery of faith is meant to be lived. As baptized Christians, we share in the life of the blessed Trinity and seek to invite others to share in God's love. (Source Loyola Press)

Music Ministry

Organists & Cantors

Sat 6pm Vigil Mass: Aquinas Schola (Director: Hugh Lydon),
Organist: Alessandro Pittorino
Sun 8am & 1lam Masses: Paul O'Neill (Cantor),
Samuel Yeow (Organist)
5pm Mass: Eimear Foley (Cantor),
Michael Peters (Organist)

Hymns

Mass Setting: Paul Taylor: Mass of St Francis Processional Hymn:

CWB 788 Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Thanksgiving Hymn: CWB 712 Holy, Holy, Holy
Recessional Hymn: CWB 710 Holy God, we praise your name

The Liturgy of the Word

Entrance Antiphon

Blest be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love.

First Reading Deuteronomy 4:32-34,39-40

The Lord is God indeed: he and no other

Moses said to the people: 'Put this question to the ages that are past, that went before you, from the time God created man on earth: Was there ever a word so majestic, from one end of heaven to the other? Was anything ever heard? Did ever a people hear the voice of the living God speaking from the heart of the fire, as you heard it, and remain alive? Has any god ventured to take to himself one nation from the midst of another by ordeals, signs, wonders, war with mighty hand and outstretched arm, by fearsome terrors – all this that the Lord your God did for you before your eyes in Egypt?

'Understand this today, therefore, and take it to heart: the Lord is God indeed, in heaven above as on earth beneath, he and no other. Keep his laws and commandments as I give them to you today, so that you and your children may prosper and live long in the land that the Lord your God gives you for ever.'

The word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 32(33):4-6,9,18-20,22

Response: Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

For the word of the Lord is faithful and all his works to be trusted.

The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love. **Response.**

By his word the heavens were made, by the breath of his mouth all the stars. He spoke; and it came to be. He commanded; it sprang into being. Response.

The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine. **Response.**

Our soul is waiting for the Lord.
The Lord is our help and our shield.
May your love be upon us, O Lord,
as we place all our hope in you. **Response**.

Second Reading Romans 8:14-17

The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God

Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The spirit you received is not the spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out, 'Abba, Father!' The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God. And if we are children we are heirs as well: heirs of God and coheirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

The Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation cf Revelation 1:8

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

Gospel Reading Matthew 28:16-20

Go and make disciples of all nations

The eleven disciples set out for Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had arranged to meet them. When they saw him they fell down before him, though some hesitated. Jesus came up and spoke to them. He said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time.'

The gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon Gal 4: 6

Since you are children of God, God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father.

The Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

The Apostles' Creed I believe in God,

Amen.

the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Our Parish Prayer

O God, the creator and giver of all good things, bless our Parish and Basilica of St Patrick and the community that worships here. Inspire us to work together to spread your love.

Strengthen our faith and grant us the spirit of service so that, with your grace and the help of Mary Immaculate and St. Eugene de Mazenod, we may glorify you, provide for the needs of our wider community and make ourselves Holy.

We ask you this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Parish Notices

Anointing of the Sick Mass

Anointing of the Sick Masses will recommence in the Parish in June. The first Mass will be held on **Tuesday 11 June at the Midday Mass**. Masses will then be held bi-monthly on the first Tuesday. Dates will be advertised in bulletin.

Parish Morning Tea

The next parish morning tea will be held on Sunday 9th June after the 8am Mass in the Presbytery carport. All Welcome.

Senior's Morning Tea

The next Senior's Morning Tea will be held on Monday 17 June 2024 at 10am in the parish hall. All senior's welcome.

Tap and Go Facility for Collections- UP AND RUNNING!

You can tap and go for the 1st and 2nd Collections and any general donations you wish to make to the parish. The terminals are now set up and located near St Patrick's Statue in the side foyer, also near the Piety Stall in the front foyer and near the Cross behind the Baptismal Font.

Safeguarding Induction for all Church workers

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference has broadened the scope of safeguarding of children to include adults at risk. This induction provides an overview of the: -

- ·Catholic Safeguarding Standards, Policies and Procedures.
- ·Understanding Abuse, Grooming and Prevention.
- ·Reporting of concerns.
- ·Role of the Safeguarding Officer.
- ·Collective Responsibility and Care.

ALL church workers (volunteers or paid) are to attend a 1-hour safeguarding induction. A church worker is anyone in the Archdiocese in any role – paid or voluntary.

Please register for the upcoming session if you haven't attended the induction in the last 3 years.

The upcoming session is as follow: -

Date: Thursday, 11 July 2024

Time: 7-8 pm

Venue: Mater Christi

340 Yangebup Road, Yangebup

Registration: https://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training/#induction

The St Vincent De Paul Society Needs You!!

You want to help, and you don't know how? Join Vinnies. If you aren't sure about how much time it involves or what's expected – call us and have a quiet chat and we can answer any of your questions.

People fear a big commitment which they may not be able to cope with but really, it's a little commitment but what you can help achieve with that small amount of time can change lives in very profound ways.

Call me – let's talk. Clare – 0406 973 595

Mass Intentions

Saturday 25th May

6pm Vigil: Antonio & Maria Garces 9dec'd)

Sunday 26th May

8am Mass: Ignazio De Bari (dec'd)

11am Mass: Joan Hasson & Hugh Keogh (dec'd)5pm Mass: Evaristo Digiosaffatte (dec'd)

Monday 27th May

Midday Mass: Pietro Martinelli (dec'd)

Tuesday 28th May

Midday Mass: Moises Francisco (dec'd)

Wednesday 29th May

Midday Mass: Giuseppe Cuccovia (dec'd anniv.)

Thursday 30th May

Midday Mass: Leonardo Goncalves (dec'd)

Friday 31st May

Midday Mass: David James Turriff-Smith (dec'd)

Saturday 1st May

Midday Mass: Souls in Purgatory 6pm Vigil: Julia Carr (int. good health)

Planned Giving

The Planned Giving Programme is an important part of the Parish and assists us to maintain all aspects of the Basilica, Presbytery and Parish Administration Centre. To keep the Parish viable, we must maintain a target of 95% and above each week. Last week giving was 67%.

Please consider joining the Planned Giving Programme. For more information contact the Parish Office. Thank you!

EFT First Collection Details

BSB: 086 006 A/c No: 56187 5405

Reference: 1st Collection and your name First Collection supports the Priests

EFT Second Collection Details

BSB: 066 107 A/c No: 0080 0216

Reference: 2nd Collection and your name **Second Collection supports the Parish**

Upcoming Events

Tuesday 4 June to 10 June

CBC Exams in Parish Centre

Saturday 8 June

CBC Family Mass

Sunday 9 June

Parish Morning Tea

Tuesday 11 June

Anointing of the Sick Mass

Monday 17 June

Senior's Morning Tea