



ST FRANCIS XAVIER ARMADALE

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PARISH TEAM

Fr Mark Baumgarten - *Parish Priest*

Fr Errol Lobo

Deacon Patrick Moore

Mrs Karen Daubney - *Parish Secretary*

Mrs Julie Bogoni - *Parish Secretary*

Mrs Helen Chew - *Parish Finance Officer*

Ms Helen Lesniak - *Chi Rho Coordinator*

WEEKEND MASSES

ST FRANCIS XAVIER - Hilbert

Saturday: 6.00pm Vigil Mass

Sunday: 7.30am, 9.30am & 6.00pm

ST KEVIN - Serpentine

Sunday: 9.00am

WEEKDAY MASSES

ST FRANCIS XAVIER - Hilbert

Monday & Thursday: 8.00am

Tuesday: 7.00pm

Wednesday & Friday: 9.00am

Saturday: 8.00am

ADORATION

Wednesday: 9.30am - 12.30pm

Saturday: 8.30am - 9.00am

RECONCILIATION

ST FRANCIS XAVIER - Hilbert

Saturday 8.30am - 9.00am & 5.00pm - 5.45pm

Sunday 5.15pm - 5.45pm

ST KEVIN - Serpentine

First Sunday of the month after 9am Mass

BAPTISMS / MARRIAGES

By appointment; please contact the office.

SCHOENSTATT SHRINE

9 Talus Drive, Mt Richon 6112

Phone: 9399 2349 www.schoenstattwa.org.au

Opening Hours: 7.00am - 8.00pm

Fridays: 10.00am Holy Mass, followed by

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 8.15pm

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27/28 APRIL 2024

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - YEAR B

READINGS

First Reading:

Acts 9:26-31

When Saul got to Jerusalem he tried to join the disciples, but they were all afraid of him: they could not believe he was really a disciple. Barnabas, however, took charge of him, introduced him to the apostles, and explained how the Lord had appeared to Saul and spoken to him on his journey, and how he had preached boldly at Damascus in the name of Jesus. Saul now started to go round with them in Jerusalem, preaching fearlessly in the name of the Lord. But after he had spoken to the Hellenists, and argued with them, they became determined to kill him. When the brothers knew, they took him to Caesarea, and sent him off from there to Tarsus.

The churches throughout Judaea, Galilee and Samaria were now left in peace, building themselves up, living in the fear of the Lord, and filled with the consolation of the Holy Spirit.

Antiphon to the Psalm:

Psalm 21(22):26-28,30-32

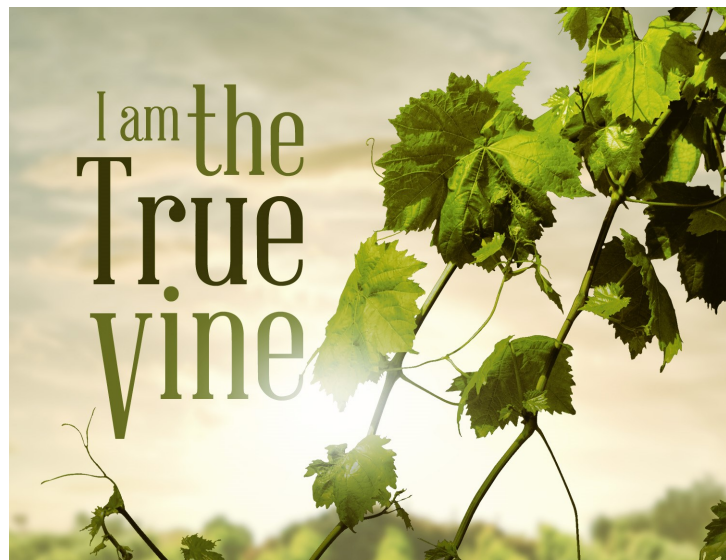
I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people.

Second Reading:

1 John 3:18-24

My children, our love is not to be just words or mere talk, but something real and active; only by this can we be certain that we are children of the truth and be able to quieten our conscience in his presence, whatever accusations it may raise against us, because God is greater than our conscience and he knows everything. My dear people, if we cannot be condemned by our own conscience, we need not be afraid in God's presence, and whatever we ask him, we shall receive, because we keep his commandments and live the kind of life that he wants. His commandments are these: that we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and that we love one another as he told us to. Whoever keeps his commandments lives in God and God lives in him. We know that he lives in us by the Spirit that he has given us.

A LOVE THAT HEALS OUR CONSCIENCE
1 John 3:18-24



WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, 29 April - St Catherine of Siena

08.00am - Mass

Tuesday, 30 April - St Pius

04.00pm - Chi Rho

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05.30pm - Legion of Mary

07.00pm - Mass

Wednesday, 1 May - St Joseph the Worker

08.30am - Rosary

09.00am - Mass

09.30am - Adoration

06.00pm - RCIA

Thursday, 2 May - St Athanasius

09.00am - Mass

06.00pm - Baptism Preparation

07.30pm - Finance Committee Meeting

Friday, 3 May - Sts Philip & James

08.30am - Rosary

09.00am - Mass

09.30am - May Devotions

07.00pm - Catholic Charismatic Renewal

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Please pray for those in our Parish 'Book of the Sick'. *You are welcome to add names to this book in the church foyer and cross out names when prayers are no longer required.*

DEATH & ANNIVERSARY: Prayers this week will be offered for Susan Carroll, Harry Carn, Cecilia Shirvington, Geert (Gerry) De Jonge, Nunziato Nocida, Kevin Doherty, Peter Furrows, Bp Myles McKeown, George Ronald White, Salvatore (Sam) Saffioti, Catherine Anne Marshall, Dagmar Hylton and all our dearly departed, those recently deceased and those who have their anniversaries around this time. May all our dearly departed rest in the Lord's peace.

Gospel Acclamation

John 15:4-5

Alleluia, alleluia!

Live in me and let me live in you, says the Lord;
my branches bear much fruit.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 15:1-8

Jesus said to his disciples:

'I am the true vine,
and my Father is the vinedresser.
Every branch in me that bears no fruit
he cuts away,
and every branch that does bear fruit
he prunes to make it bear even more.
You are pruned already,
by means of the word that I have spoken to you.
Make your home in me, as I make mine in you.
As a branch cannot bear fruit all by itself,
but must remain part of the vine,
neither can you unless you remain in me.
I am the vine,
you are the branches.
Whoever remains in me, with me in him,
bears fruit in plenty;
for cut off from me you can do nothing.
Anyone who does not remain in me
is like a branch that has been thrown away – he
withers;
these branches are collected and thrown on the fire,
and they are burnt.
If you remain in me
and my words remain in you,
you may ask what you will
and you shall get it.
It is to the glory of my Father that you should bear
much fruit,
and then you will be my disciples.'

Safeguarding Induction at Armadale Parish

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 & 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 one of the upcoming sessions if you haven't attended an induction since it was last held at Armadale Parish in May 2021.

Date: Thursday, 9 May 2024

Time: 1.30-2.30 pm

6.30-7.30 pm

Venue: St Francis Xavier Parish Hall
279 Forrest Road, Hilbert

Online registration preferred visit -

<https://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training/#induction>
or call 9221 7762.

All volunteers at Armadale Parish are required to attend!



Our Parish Safeguarding Officers:

ATU AMATO	0430 336 594
SMITHA EMPRAYIL	0422 364 078
REBECCA FURFARO	0431 905 142
WENDY MONGAN	0429 977 887

Email: sgo.armadale@perthcatholic.org.au



THANK YOU: Fr Errol would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all who attended the Ordination Mass and to all who assisted with his Thanksgiving Celebration last weekend. A special thanks to those who assisted at the Masses and for those who assisted with the morning tea afterwards. Thank you to all those who helped set up, assisted in the kitchen and those who brought food to share. A beautiful morning was had by all who attended. *Thank you also to parishioners for their generous gifts and kind wishes. May God bless you all!*

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Recommences this Sunday at 9.20am in the meeting room.

PLANNED GIVING APPEAL: There will be a speaker at all Masses this weekend to conduct our annual parish appeal.

EL SHADDAI PRAYER GROUP: Join us this **Sunday at 11am** in Xavier House. All welcome!

24:7 YOUTH ARMADALE: Young people in years 6-12 please join us this Sunday at 7pm in the parish hall, we will be introducing our brand new term theme! *During term two, we will be of the Prodigal Son, giving us an opportunity to reflect on times where we have abandoned Christ in our own lives and how He anxiously awaits our return.*

RIP MRS SUSAN CAROLL: A funeral service for parishioner **Mrs Susan Carroll will be held on Thursday 2 May at 2pm** at the **West Chapel in Fremantle**. *Our deepest sympathy and prayers to James, Lisa and family at this time.*

ADORATION: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is held every Wednesday from 9.30am to 12.30pm and Saturday 8.30am to 9am.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: A reminder that the next meeting is **this Thursday 2 May at 6pm**.

FR MARK'S CONCERT: This is your Last chance to purchase tickets for Fr Mark's album launch concert, which will take place in the parish hall next **Saturday 4 May**, starting at 7.30pm. Tickets are \$10, a family pass is \$40, and children under 12 are free. You can get tickets online at www.trybooking.com/CQTAN or by calling the parish office.

LEGION OF MARY: During the **month of May** we will be honouring our Blessed Mother Mary with Devotions every **Friday at 9.30am** commencing with hymns, Rosary and Prayer Petitions. We invite all parishioners to join us for the Devotions.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS: PLEASE NOTE there will be no Divine Mercy Devotions during the Month of May. Devotions will resume Friday 7 June at 9.30am after the 9am Mass.

MAY PILGRIMAGE: The Schoenstatt Sisters of Mary invite you to make a pilgrimage to the Shrine at 9 Talus Drive, Mt Richon on **Sunday 5 May from 2.30pm to 4.30pm**. The afternoon will include Rosary procession, reflections, Benediction and refreshments.

COMMITMENT MASSES: *Next weekend* at all Masses the Reconciliation candidates from the Chi Rho program and our three parish schools will be making their commitment to prepare well for their First Reconciliation in June and August. *Please make the young people and their families welcome.*

CHURCH PARKING TEAM: The parking team requires new members. You would be required for an hour before Mass times at Christmas and Easter, and if special events are on. It is a small commitment but vital to these events running smoothly. We are looking for people over the age of 18yrs. Many hands make light work. Contact Tony 0415 732 578.

PLANNED GIVING BOXES: For parishioners using the weekly giving envelopes, the next set of envelopes commence on 5 May, *please collect your new box from the foyer.*

PROJECT COMPASSION 2024: As this year's appeal draws to a close the amount raised once again reflects the generous nature of the members of our Parish. Even in the current difficult economic times our total this year has surpassed the \$9,000 mark .. Thank you once again for your generous support

"TIME TO CONSIDER THE PRIESTHOOD": A Priesthood Vocation Open Day for men from the age of 17 years and above at St Charles Seminary in Guildford, on Sunday 5th May 2024, from 9am to 1.30pm, including brunch. This Open Day will answer questions about the Seminary and discernment into Priesthood. For further information or to register attendance please call (08) 9279-1310 or email: stcharlesseminary@perthcatholic.org.au

HOLY WATER: Will be available throughout Eastertide (after the Easter Vigil) from a container near the Baptism Font, *if you would like some, holy water bottles are on sale at the piety stall or please bring your own.*



Legion of Mary

MAY DEVOTIONS

Every Friday in May
Mass 9am
Devotions 9.30am

All Welcome

MEETINGS: TUESDAY 5.30PM

PARISH GIVING

Thank you to all parishioners who give so generously of their time, energy and talent to our parish.

To ensure our Church and Offices are properly maintained, we also rely on financial support from parishioners.

The first collection is in support of our priests, retired priests and seminarians and the second collection supports our parish events, our youth, faith formation, building maintenance and running costs.

There are several ways in which you may contribute to the life of the parish:

- **Direct Debit** (regular automatic payment from your bank account - forms available in the church foyer and from the office)
- **Planned Giving Envelopes** (please contact the office)
- **Cash** - Boxes at the rear of the Church
- **Electronic Funds transfer:**

SFX Parish - 1st Collection
BSB: 086006 A/C: 851712575

SFX Parish - 2nd Collection
BSB: 086006 A/C: 852006613

- **'Tap & Go'** in the foyer of the church. Simple and easy to use, follow the instructions:

1. Touch Screen 2. Select amount 3. Scan card

If your contact details have changed please notify the office.

Our grateful thanks for your continued support!

FR MARK'S ALBUM LAUNCH CONCERT

7.30PM, SATURDAY
4TH OF MAY, 2024

ARMADALE PARISH HALL

SCAN HERE
FOR TICKETS



May Pilgrimage at the Schoenstatt Shrine

Sunday 5 May 2024, 2.30 – 4.30 pm

Rosary Procession, Reflections
PMA - Coordinators' Recommissioning
Benediction, Refreshments

You are welcome to bring flowers;
children are invited to dress
in white for the procession.

9 Talus Dr Mt Richon, www.schoenstattwa.org.au



"Mary, Teach us to pray." (Year of prayer 2024)

Armadale Parish Young Adults present

WINTER DANCE

Whether you're a seasoned dancer or
just getting started, Armadale Parish
welcomes you to our second annual
Winter Dance.

Join us for a fun-filled evening of music,
movement, and community.

Date: Saturday 25th May

Time: 7pm

Address: 279 Forrest Road, Hilbert WA

Tickets: \$25



All proceeds will be donated
to the St Vincent de Paul
Society

SALVADO CATHOLIC COLLEGE

The College Leadership Team and a number of staff attended the Ordination of Deacon Errol on Friday the 19th which was a wonderful celebration. We have been so blessed to have Deacon Errol as a regular visitor to the College, we look forward to this continuing. On Wednesday we held our College ANZAC Day Prayer Service. It was fabulous to have all the students from Years One to Ten in attendance, and we held a separate Prayer Service for the Kindy and Pre-Primary students.

Two of our Year Ten students represented the College at the Serpentine Jarrahdale ANZAC Commemorative Service at Mundijong War Memorial on ANZAC Day, laying a wreath. It was lovely for the students and College to take part in this important community event.

We are accepting enrolments for Pre-Kindergarten for 2024, Kindergarten for 2025 and 2026, as well as Year 7 to Year 10 for 2024, and Year 7 to Year 11 for 2025. Further details can be obtained from the College Enrolments Officer, Mrs Kasey Atwell on 9526 4500 or enrolments@salvado.wa.edu.au. For enrolment information and fee schedules please visit our College website at: <https://www.salvado.wa.edu.au/enrol>.

Peace and Goodness to all.

Ian Hagen
Principal



CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY PRESENTS

SUMMIT



Guest Speaker

FR. CHRISTIAN IRDI

SUNDAY MAY 5 | 4:30PM TO 8PM



ST CHARLES
SEMINARY



Sunday
5th May

TIME TO CONSIDER the Priesthood

HEB 3:7-11 "IF TODAY YOU HEAR HIS VOICE, HARDEN NOT YOUR HEART."

VENUE: 30 MEADOW ST, GUILDFORD
DATE: 5TH MAY 2024
TIME: 9AM - 1.30PM
BRUNCH INCLUDED

RSVP ☎ 08-9279 1310

"A PLACE WHERE GOD CALLS YOU TO, IS
A PLACE WHERE GOD WANTS YOU TO
BE!" For men 17yrs & older

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