



CATHOLIC CHURCH ARMADALE PARISH

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Hours: Monday—Friday, 9.00am to 4.00pm

1ST/2ND JANUARY 2022

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

CHURCHES

- **ST FRANCIS XAVIER:** 279 Forrest Rd, Hilbert
- **ST KEVIN:** Richardson St, Serpentine

PARISH TEAM

Fr Mark Baumgarten - Parish Priest
 Fr Matteo Verdi - Assistant Priest
 Deacon Patrick Moore (Stella Maris Seafarers' Centre - 0414 703 408)
 Mrs Karen Daubney - Parish Secretary (Mon & Tue)
 Mrs Julie Bogoni - Parish Secretary (Wed to Fri)
 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 Saturday 8.30am to 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 Available every Sunday at 11.00am.
 Baptism Preparation Meeting 1st Thursday of the month at 6pm. Please contact the parish office to make a booking.

MARRIAGES By appointment please contact the office. Six months notice required.

SCHOENSTATT SHRINE

9 Talus Drive, Mt Richon
Phone: 9399 2349 www.schoenstattwa.org.au

Opening Hours: 7.00am - 8.00pm

Mondays: 6.45pm Rosary Cenacle & Divine Mercy
7.30pm - 8.30pm Silent adoration with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Fridays: 10.00am Holy Mass, followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 8.15pm

XAVIER CATHOLIC SCHOOL

271 Forrest Rd, Hilbert WA 6112
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ST JOHN BOSCO COLLEGE

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READINGS

1st Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6

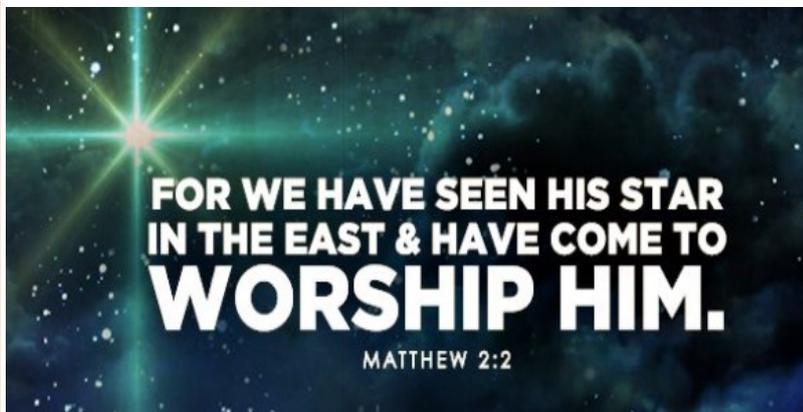
Arise, shine out Jerusalem, for your light has come, the glory of the Lord is rising on you, though night still covers the earth and darkness the peoples. Above you the Lord now rises and above you his glory appears. The nations come to our light and kings to your dawning brightness. Lift up your eyes and look round: all are assembling and coming towards you, your sons from far away and daughters being tenderly carried. At this sight you will grow radiant, your heart throbbing and full; since the riches of the sea will flow to you; the wealth of the nations come to you; camels in throngs will cover you, and dromedaries of Midian and Ephah; everyone in Sheba will come, bringing gold and incense and singing the praise of the Lord.

Antiphon to the Psalm: Ps 71:1-2, 7-8, 10-13

*Lord, every nation on earth
will adore you.*

2nd Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6

You have probably heard how I have been entrusted by God with the grace he meant for you, and that it was by a revelation that I was given the knowledge of the mystery. This mystery that has now been revealed through the Spirit to his holy apostles and prophets was unknown to any men in past generations; it means that pagans now share the same inheritance that they are parts of the same body, and the same promise has been made to them, in Christ Jesus, through the gospel.





GOSPEL

Matthew 2:1-12

After Jesus had been born at Bethlehem in Judaea during the reign of King Herod, some wise men came to Jerusalem from the east. 'Where is the infant king of the Jews?' they asked. 'We saw his star as it rose and have come to do him homage.' When King Herod heard this he was perturbed, and so was the whole of Jerusalem. He called together all the chief priests and the scribes of the people, and enquired of them where the Christ was to be born. 'At Bethlehem in Judaea,' they told him 'for this is what the prophet wrote:

And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah you are by no means least among the leaders of Judah, for out of you will come a leader who will shepherd my people Israel.'

Then Herod summoned the wise men to see him privately. He asked them the exact date on which the star had appeared, and sent them on to Bethlehem. 'Go and find out all about the child,' he said 'and when you have found him, let me know, so that I too may go and do him homage.' Having listened to what the king had to say, they set out. And there in front of them was the star they had seen rising; it went forward and halted over the place where the child was. The sight of the star filled them with delight, and going into the house they saw the child with his mother Mary, and falling to their knees they did him homage. Then, opening their treasures, they offered him gifts of gold and frankincense and myrrh. But they were warned in a dream not to go back to Herod, and returned to their own country by a different way.

Our Parish Safeguarding Officers:



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We share a commitment to safeguard our children and vulnerable adults and make our Church safe for everyone

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, 03 January - Public Holiday

09.00am - Mass *The Most Holy Name of Jesus*

Tuesday, 04 January

Wednesday, 05 January

08.30am - Rosary

06.00pm - Legion of Mary Meeting

Thursday, 06 January

Friday, 07 January - St Raymond

08.30am - Rosary

07.00pm - Catholic Charismatic Renewal

PRAY FOR THE SICK: Please pray for all 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 **David Carlson, Fr Fatu Mulikiha'amea, Eileen Mullen, Michael Murphy, Colin Nairn, Trudy Ronan, Roman Wiktorowicz** 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.

WELCOME & THANK YOU: to Fr Dan Strickland who is celebrating Mass at St Kevin's this Sunday.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS THIS WEEK: Mass will be celebrated at **9am on Monday 3 January.**

BAPTISM PREPARATION: *Please note there is no meeting this week.* The next Baptism Preparation meeting will be held on **Thursday 3 February.**

CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL: will be recommencing this **Friday 7 January at 7pm.** Please join us in Xavier House for praise and worship, talks and fellowship. A great way to meet other families in the parish. All welcome!

RCIA: Recommences **10 January.**

CHILDREN'S RETREAT: A fun day, including prayer, singing, games and activities is being planned for **Wednesday 19 January** from 9.30am to 2pm for primary school aged children. It will be held in the parish hall and run by the Children's Liturgy Team. Parents are welcome to stay. Please bring a plate of food to share. *A Sign up sheet will be in the foyer next weekend.*

CHI RHO REGISTRATION DAYS 2022: Religious instruction and sacramental preparation for children attending non-Catholic schools is held on Tuesdays from 4pm to 5pm during term time. **Registration days will be held on Tuesday, 1 & 8 February. Classes commence 15 February.** *Please let your family and friends know.*

COVID RESTRICTIONS REMINDER

Thank you for adhering to the Government and Archdiocesan requirements. Please continue to sign in, via the SafeWA app, use the hand sanitizer provided and maintain social distance whilst seated or in the communion line. If you do not wish to take home your bulletin, please place it in the bin provided.