



ST FRANCIS XAVIER ARMADALE

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PARISH TEAM

Fr Mark Baumgarten - *Parish Priest*

Deacon Patrick Moore

Deacon Errol Lobo

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

Mondays: 6.45pm Rosary Cenacle & Divine Mercy
7.15pm - 8.15pm Silent Adoration with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

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

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10/11 FEBRUARY 2024

6TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

READINGS

First Reading

Leviticus 13:1-2,44-46

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron, 'If a swelling or scab or shiny spot appears on a man's skin, a case of leprosy of the skin is to be suspected. The man must be taken to Aaron, the priest, or to one of the priests who are his sons.

'The man is leprous: he is unclean. The priest must declare him unclean; he is suffering from leprosy of the head. A man infected with leprosy must wear his clothing torn and his hair disordered; he must shield his upper lip and cry, "Unclean, unclean." As long as the disease lasts he must be unclean; and therefore he must live apart: he must live outside the camp.'

Antiphon to the Psalm:

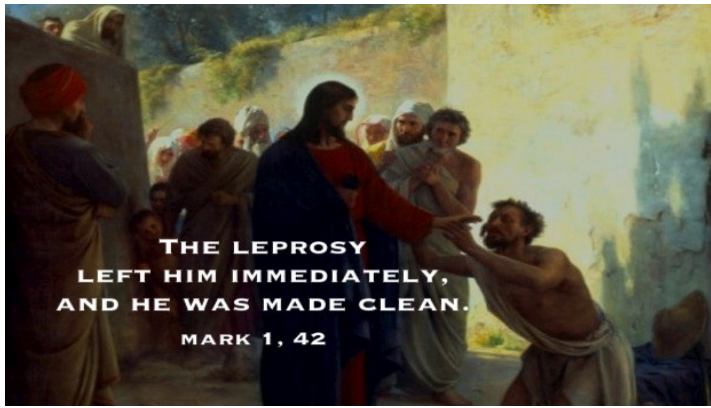
Psalm 31(32):1-2,5,11

**I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble,
and you fill me with the joy of salvation.**

Second Reading:

1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1

Whatever you eat, whatever you drink, whatever you do at all, do it for the glory of God. Never do anything offensive to anyone – to Jews or Greeks or to the Church of God; just as I try to be helpful to everyone at all times, not anxious for my own advantage but for the advantage of everybody else, so that they may be saved. Take me for your model, as I take Christ.



**THE LEPROSY
LEFT HIM IMMEDIATELY,
AND HE WAS MADE CLEAN.
MARK 1, 42**

Gospel Acclamation

Luke 7:16

Alleluia! Alleluia!

A great prophet has appeared among us;
God has visited his people.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 1:40-45

A leper came to Jesus and pleaded on his knees: 'If you want to' he said 'you can cure me.' Feeling sorry for him, Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him. 'Of course I want to!' he said. 'Be cured!' And the leprosy left him at once and he was cured. Jesus immediately sent him away and sternly ordered him, 'Mind you say nothing to anyone, but go and show yourself to the priest, and make the offering for your healing prescribed by Moses as evidence of your recovery.' The man went away, but then started talking about it freely and telling the story everywhere, so that Jesus could no longer go openly into any town, but had to stay outside in places where nobody lived. Even so, people from all around would come to him.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, 12 February -

08.00am - Mass
05.00pm - SVDP Meeting

Tuesday, 13 February -

01.30pm - Lenten Group in Meeting Room
04.00pm - Chi Rho
04.00pm - Chi Rho Teens
05.30pm - Legion of Mary
07.00pm - Mass
07.30pm - Parish Council Meeting

Wednesday, 14 February - *Ash Wednesday*

08.00am - Mass
09.00am - Mass with Xavier School
09.30am - Adoration
06.00pm - RCIA
07.00pm - Mass
07.30pm - KSC Executive Meeting

Thursday, 15 February -

08.00am - Mass

Friday, 16 February -

08.30am - Rosary
09.00am - Mass
07.00pm - Stations of the Cross
07.00pm - Catholic Charismatic Renewal Group

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 **Oliver Day, John Joseph Cook, Margaret Brown, Leonie Brown, Mavis Buckley, Inez Ronchi, Ernesto Palacios, Pauline Eustice, Albi Scartaccini, Margaret Brown, Clare Santa Maria, Gertie Somerville, Simon Dan** 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.

24:7 YOUTH MINISTRY
ARMADALE
YOUTH GROUP
2ND | 4TH | 5TH SUNDAY NIGHTS
7.00 - 8.30 PM
FUN | FOOD | FRIENDSHIP | FAITH
ST FRANCIS XAVIER PARISH | 270 FORREST ROAD
FOR EVERYONE IN YEARS 6-12
FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT
JEROME: 0468 695 932

St Francis Xavier Parish Armadale

AFTER SCHOOL RELIGIOUS
INSTRUCTION FOR
CHILDREN ATTENDING
SCHOOLS OTHER THAN
CATHOLIC

**Chi Rho classes
commence**

**13 February 2024
REGISTER NOW**



BAPTISM PREPARATION FOR
PRIMARY SCHOOL AGED
CHILDREN

A maximum of 2 sacraments
is allowed per year.

PREPARATION TO RECEIVE
THE SACRAMENTS OF:

- RECONCILIATION
- FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
- CONFIRMATION

**PLEASE CONTACT THE
PARISH OFFICE ON
9399 2143**

Our Parish Safeguarding Officers:

ATU AMATO 0430 336 594
SMITHA EMPRAYIL 0422 364 078
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Email: sgo.armadale@perthcatholic.org.au

Armadale Parish is committed to the safety and security of all
children, young people and vulnerable adults.

BAPTISM: We welcome into God's family through the waters of Baptism this weekend:

- ◆ **George Eamonn Culling**, son of Alexander and Tayler Culling
- ◆ **Alexander Rodger Nation & Noah John Nations**, children of Adrian and Lesley Nation
- ◆ **Rian Christopher Reynolds**, son of Matthew Reynolds and Rachel Dillon
- ◆ **Dakota John Ninyyette**, son of Dakota Ninyyette and Alyssa Foti

DEACON ERROL'S ORDINATION: Congratulations to Deacon Errol Lobo and Deacon Jason Yeap (currently at Banksia Grove Parish) who have been officially accepted for priestly ordination! **Their ordination will take place at 7pm, Friday 19 April at St Mary's Cathedral.** *Please keep the deacons in your prayers as they prepare for this most special occasion, and consider joining them at the Cathedral on the night.* We are planning to arrange a bus and car-pooling that evening – more details to come.

PROJECT COMPASSION LAUNCH: The Archdiocesan launch for Project Compassion 2024 is this weekend. *Please take home a set of envelopes and/or a box for your donations.*

24:7 YOUTH MINISTRY: First gathering for the year is **this Sunday at 7pm in the parish hall.** Youth from years 6-12 are welcome!

'PIETA': Personal daily prayer and reflections for Lent. Apologies there has been a delay in receiving the program, *copies will be on sale next weekend.*

LENTEN PREPARATION: Join us in the meeting room **this Tuesday 13 February at 1.30pm** as we look ahead to the 1st Sunday of Lent. This year we will be using the program 'Pieta' from the Archdiocese of Wollongong. \$5.00 per copy. *Sign up sheet is in the foyer.*

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES: Mass will be celebrated in St Francis Xavier Church on **Wednesday 14 February at 8am, 9am (with Xavier Catholic School) and at 7pm.**

ADORATION THIS WEDNESDAY: Will commence at 10am due to the Xavier School Mass.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY REGISTRATION 2024: Children aged 5-8 years are invited to gather in the parish meeting room at the Sunday 9.30am Mass. *To meet safeguarding requirements children must be registered and parental consent given (even if they attend on a casual basis).* **New registration forms must be completed each calendar year.** Enrolment packs are in the foyer or email the office.

CHI RHO: Classes commence this **Tuesday, 13 February at 4pm.** *A short meeting for all parents and candidates will be held in the church.* Religious instruction and sacramental preparation for children attending non-Catholic schools is held on Tuesdays from 4pm to 5pm during term time. **It is not too late to register!** *Enrolment packs are in the foyer and on the website. Please contact the office this week!*

LEGION OF MARY: Invite you to join them in the meeting room on **Tuesdays at 5.30pm** to learn more about the work of the Legion. *The Rosary is prayed on Wednesdays and Fridays at 8.30am.* All welcome!

GOOD FRIDAY STATIONS OF THE CROSS AT SCHOENSTATT: All parishioners are invited to take part in the Stations Tableau in the grounds of the Schoenstatt Shrine on Good Friday, 29 March at 10.30am. Readers will be contacted by Carol. **For those who would like to be involved, the first practice meeting will be Saturday 9 March at 10.30am in the parish meeting room.** Rehearsals will also be held on 16th and 23rd March.

MINISTRIES ROSTER: *The next roster will commence in March.* Acolytes, Readers & Hospitality Ministers, please notify your respective coordinator if you are going away on holidays or there are changes to your work roster.

EVENTS TEAM: Thank you to those who have already responded to the invitation to become part of the Events Team. **A meeting will be held in the next few weeks to give you the opportunity to put forward new ideas and ascertain your availability.** *If anyone may be interested in assisting with providing food or organising even one social event this year, please add your details to the sign up sheet in the foyer.*

SAFEGUARDING DURING MASS: It has been noted that children are going to the bathroom and even outside the church during Mass, by themselves. **Parents must accompany and supervise their children at all times.**

SAFEGUARDING BOOK FOR PARENTS & CHILDREN: 'You are God's marvellous creation' was released in 2021. The story book is aimed as a tool to assist parents to educate children aged 3-8 to protect their bodies. The books are designed for children to read together with their parents. *Copies are available in the foyer.*

DAY OF THE UNBORN CHILD: Pregnancy Assistance would like to invite you to the Day of the Unborn Child Mass which will be celebrated by Bishop Don Sproston on **Saturday 9 March at 10am at St Mary's Cathedral.** This Mass is a chance for you to mourn and honour all babies who are no longer with us but are loved and not forgotten. St John Paul tells us that when you have been through the tragedy of losing a child through abortion, the Church calls you back into its loving embrace, bringing you hope that your little one is safe with God and that you will be reconciled with both. When you have lost a child through miscarriage, still birth or ectopic pregnancy this Mass will be celebrated for you also, to remember your beloved babies who will be forever in your heart. *During the Mass you will have the opportunity to place a flower at the foot of the Altar in honour of all unborn children and specifically in remembrance of your own child or children who died prior to birth.* May the love and mercy of God be with you all. For more information please call Carmel or Lisette on 9328 2929.

SOUTHERN CROSS CARE 'NO ONE DIES ALONE' PROGRAM: SCC has launched the No One Dies Alone program to ensure all residents undergoing palliative care receive companionship and support in the 24-48 hours before their passing. You could help us accompany our residents in the last stages of their journey by becoming a volunteer. Flyers are in the foyer, visit crosswa.org.au/volunteer or call 0434 820 320.

**ASH WEDNESDAY
MASS TIMES**

St Francis Xavier Church

Wednesday 14 February

8am
9am with Xavier School
7pm

Lent Begins

Children's Liturgy of the Word

'MASS FOR CHILDREN'

Children learn about and participate in all the elements of the Mass, and join the congregation in time for the Celebration of the Eucharist.

Registration & Safeguarding Consent Forms are available in the foyer

For children aged 5-8 years

Includes a craft activity focusing on the Gospel theme of the Sunday



Sundays

during the school term

9.20am

Meeting Room

SCHOENSTATT MOVEMENT

HOLY WEEK RETREAT FOR WOMEN

WOMEN TERTIARY STUDENTS, PROFESSIONALS, HOME MAKERS AND THE YOUNG AT HEART ARE INVITED TO BEGIN HOLY WEEK WITH PRAYER & SILENCE, SHARING AND REFLECTION. THE PROGRAM ALSO INCLUDES LUNCH AND AFTERNOON TEA. PLEASE BRING ALONG A PLATE TO SHARE FOR LUNCH.

SCHOENSTATT SHRINE
9 TALUS DRIVE, MOUNT RICHON WA 6112

SUNDAY 24 MARCH, 11:00AM-3:00PM

COST: \$5 PER PARTICIPANT

RSVP BY
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SCHOENSTATT MOVEMENT

WEEKEND MARIAN LENTEN RETREAT

JOIN LIKE-MINDED PEOPLE ON A LENTEN JOURNEY FOLLOWING CHRIST AND LISTENING TO THE HOLY SPIRIT LIKE MARY. THE PROGRAM WILL INCLUDE TALKS, FELLOWSHIP, PRAYER AND SILENCE.

VINCENTIANS RETREAT CENTRE,
625 NETTLETON RD, KARRAKUP WA 6122

SATURDAY 2 MARCH, 9AM - MONDAY 4 MARCH 2PM

COST: \$120 PER PARTICIPANT

RSVP BY
23 FEB

SALVADO CATHOLIC COLLEGE

Term One has started very well at Salvado Catholic College. On the first day of term, we welcomed all new staff and students to the College. Our first cohort of very excited students moved into Year Ten. This week, we held our College Opening Liturgy for Year 5 to Year 10, celebrated by Deacon Errol. Prior to this we held a Liturgy for the Year 1 to Year 4 students. At the conclusion of the Opening Liturgy, the Year 6 Student Leader badges were presented to the students and they made their Leadership Pledge to the College community.

There are several important College events in the coming weeks including Years 8/9 (5:30pm) and Year 10 (6:30pm) Parent Information Nights on Thursday 15 February for all current families. These are being held in the Covered Assembly Space at the College. Sacramental Enrolment Masses are taking place on the weekend of February 17 and 18, it is important that all students undertaking one of the Sacraments in 2024 attend one of the Masses on this weekend from Saturday evening to Sunday evening. The Sacramental Enrolment Forms and the \$15 are to be handed to the St Francis Xavier Parish.

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>.

We are very grateful for the ongoing support of the St Francis Xavier Community.

Peace and Goodness to all.

Ian Hagen



Parish Lenten Preparation Program

Tuesdays during Lent

1.30pm

Parish meeting room

All Welcome!

Booklets for personal reflection \$5 each on sale soon!



SCHOENSTATT MOVEMENT

GIRLS AFTERNOON IN LENT

GIRLS AGED 8-11 ARE INVITED TO JOIN A LENTEN GET-TOGETHER FILLED WITH FAITH AND FUN ACTIVITIES. PLEASE BRING ALONG A PLATE TO SHARE FOR AFTERNOON TEA.

SCHOENSTATT SHRINE
9 TALUS DRIVE, MOUNT RICHON WA 6112

SUNDAY 17 MARCH, 1:30PM-4:30PM

COST: \$5 PER PARTICIPANT

RSVP BY
11 MAR

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