



Morphett Vale

Catholic Parish Bulletin

Our Parish Vision:

“The people of Mary Help of Christians Parish will seek to know and love God, and serve God by nurturing and sustaining our whole community.”

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A

21st June 2020

Parish Priest: Fr Roman Palma CR

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Weekend Masses

Saturday	MHC	6.00pm Vigil
Sunday	MHC	9.30am
Sunday	MHC	12Noon - Polish
Sunday	MHC	5.30pm

Weekday Masses

Monday	9.15am	MHC
Tuesday	9.15am	MHC
Wednesday	9.15am	MHC
Thursday	9.15am	MHC
Friday	9.15am	MHC

Please Note:- Booking for attendance at Masses is no longer necessary!

Thank you!

Reconciliation: 11.30am-12noon Saturday or by appointment

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Wednesday from 10.00am to 4.00pm

Rosary: 7.30pm Monday at Mary Help of Christians and after 9.15am Mass each day

Divine Mercy Devotion: 1st Sunday at 3.00pm - MHC Church

Devotion to Mary: Mass 1st Saturday of month - Mass - 10.30am

Devotion to the Sacred Heart: 1st Friday of month, Mass 7.30pm; Exposition; Benediction.

Baptisms: 3rd and 4th Sundays of the month. Enquiries please ring the Parish Office.

Marriages: Six months notice is requested. Phone the Parish Office for an appointment.

12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A

	12th Sunday in Ordinary Time 21st June 2020	13th Sunday in Ordinary Time 28th June 2020
First Reading	Jeremiah 20:10-13	2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16
Second Reading	Roman 5:12-15	Romans 6:3-4, 8-11
Gospel	Matthew 10:26-33	Matthew 10:37-42

PSALM RESPONSE: Lord, in your great love, answer me.

GOSPEL ACCL: Alleluia, Alleluia!
The Spirit of Truth will bear witness to me, says the Lord,
and you also will be my witnesses. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: ‘Do not be afraid. For everything that is now covered will be uncovered, and everything now hidden will be made clear. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the daylight; what you hear in whispers, proclaim from the house-tops.

“Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; fear him rather who can destroy both body and soul in hell. Can you not buy two sparrows for a penny? And yet not one falls to the ground without your Father knowing. Why, every hair on your head has been counted. So there is no need to be afraid; you are worth more than hundreds of sparrows.

“So if anyone declares himself for Me in the presence of men, I will declare Myself for him in the presence of my Father in heaven. But the one who disowns Me in the presence of men, I will disown in the presence of my Father in heaven.”

DID YOU KNOW?

- ◆ Sparrows were sold in market places as inexpensive food for the poor and were a symbol of something of minimal value.
- ◆ Members of the Church who have died rather than renounce their faith are called martyrs. The word ‘martyr’ literally means ‘witness’. Throughout history many have given their lives for the faith and in our own time people are still martyred because they will not swerve from their commitment to Christ.
- ◆ By the time Matthew wrote his Gospel the Church was already undergoing persecution in some areas and Christian faith was being sorely tested.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

ROSARY PRAYER FOR PRIESTS WITH MARY AND THE SAINTS

Every Wednesday after morning Mass we pray the Rosary for all priests, especially Fr. Roman and Fr. Marian. *Come and join us!*



DIVINE WILL PRAYER GROUP *Suspended until further notice!*

PRAYER FOR AN INCREASE IN PRIESTLY & RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS

Thursday 2nd July - 9.15am Mass will be offered for an increase in vocations to the priestly and religious life and for the sanctification of families.

FIRST FRIDAY MASS IN HONOUR OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

Friday 3rd July - Mass at 7.30pm followed by Exposition & Benediction.

FIRST SATURDAY MASS IN HONOUR OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Saturday 4th July - Mass at 10.30am followed by Rosary & Confessions

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS

Sunday 5th July at 3.00pm in MHC Church.

LATIN MASS Sunday 12th July at 10.30am in St Mary's Church.

FEAST DAYS AND MEMORIALS THIS WEEK!

Monday 22nd June Sts Thomas More & John Fisher, *Bishop, Martyrs - Memorial*

Tuesday 23rd June St Paulinus of Nola, *Bishop - Optional Memorial*

Wednesday 24th June **THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST - SOLEMNITY**

Thursday 25th June **The Eucharist Heart of Jesus - Feast**

Friday 26th June St Josemaria Escrivá - *Optional Memorial*

Saturday 27th June St Cyril of Alexandria, *Bishop & Doctor of the Church - Optional Memorial*

FRIDAY NIGHT ADORATION

Except for the First Friday of the month, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will not resume at this time. Thank you!

WEDNESDAY ADORATION TIME CHANGE

Adoration will begin after 9.15am Mass & conclude with Benediction at 4.00pm

CEMETERY WORKING BEE

Saturday 18th July starting at 9.00am. Finish lunchtime. General clean up.

Morning Tea will be served. Everyone very welcome.

Please bring gloves; hats; and protective eye wear if needed.

Please remember to keep social distancing requirements. *Thank you!*



RESUMPTION OF MASSES AND DEVOTIONS UP-DATE

The Premier has announced the further relaxing of COVID-19 restrictions with Step 2 Plus being implemented from Friday 19th June.

The key points to note are:

- ⇒ Increase of numbers for Places of Worship up to 75 people whilst maintaining the 4 square metre rule.
- ⇒ This number applies to Funerals and Weddings
- ⇒ From Monday 29th June under Step 3, the 4 square metre rule per person will apply for our Churches with no cap on numbers.

(Please note— Mary Help of Christians Church has space for 80 people)

These guidelines in conjunction with the Archdiocesan Guidelines for Mass and Holy Communion will remain in place until further notice along with the continued dispensation from the obligation of attending Sunday Mass.

As an Archdiocese it is important that we comply with Government regulations and our collective concern for public health, hence preventing the further spread of the virus.

Holy Communion to the Sick in their homes is now permitted, provided the same guidelines are followed. It is suggested that those giving Holy Communion in the home be aware of their own movements if they are visiting people's homes. Please be conscious that you are potentially providing Holy Communion to those who are vulnerable. Please contact Kathleen at the parish office if you need any further clarification!

COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATIONS IN OUR PARISH

The main doors of MHC Church
will now be opened for all Masses and Devotions!

***You NO longer have to book to attend Mass
EXCEPT for the Latin Mass on the 2nd Sunday of the Month,
as St Mary's Church has only enough room for 13 people!***

UPON ENTERING THE CHURCH:-

- ◆ Fill in the Attendance Register by **PRINTING** your name and contact number.
- ◆ Use the Sanitizing Gel.
- ◆ Sit only in the designated areas of the Church marked with an orange X.
- ◆ Except for families and households, people should be at least 1.5 metres apart.
- ◆ The Offertory Procession is omitted.
- ◆ No Entrance Procession except for Priest and Altar Servers.
- ◆ No meeting in the sacristy for prayer before Mass for Readers, Commentators and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.
- ◆ The Sign of Peace is omitted.
- ◆ Holy Communion is give only in the hand and NOT on the tongue.
- ◆ Ensure that there is the 1.5mts distance between you and the person in front when processing for Holy Communion.
- ◆ No Collections are taken up during Mass.
- ◆ Collection Bowls marked 1st and 2nd Collection will be placed in the Church where you can place your envelopes and donations before Mass.
- ◆ Please remember to keep the social distancing requirement when leaving the Church after Mass.
- ◆ Those who are at higher risk from COVID-19 are encouraged to stay home.

The Church Doors will be closed once 75 people have entered.

The Church Doors will also be closed at the beginning of each Mass as we do not have the finances to employ a security person to ensure that people adhere to the regulations and numbers are not exceeded.

Please ensure that you are on time for Mass so as to avoid the disappointment of not gaining entry.

*We thank you for your anticipated patience and understanding
in these matters!*

Morphett Vale Catholic Parish
is a Child Safe and Family Friendly Environment.

Our Child Protection Officer is:
Kathleen Gaffney - 8326 1555

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED!

SICK:

Breege McGinn, Elizabeth Horne, Judy Terry, Brian Storey, Melanie Bull, Anna Keating, Laura Boatswain, Andrew Schaaf, Tammy Kohler, Kate Hall, Julie Gamble, Jenny Messent

Lord, be with them and their carers at this time of anxiety and suffering!

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Henry Whetter, Graeme Whitmore, Kevin Doyle,
Barbara Saunders, Renata Dudzik, Terry Morrissey, Phillip Horne,
Maureen Riley, Mike Green, Teresa Gilleran,
May God have mercy on their souls!



ANNIVERSARIES:

Luke Zadey, Moussa Adam, Members of the Zadey, Adam, Khoury, Hanna & Saba Families, Michael Clark, Anna Orlowski, Nancy Donellan, Ron & Pat Bruton, Mercy Wilson, Gloria Yallop, Margaret Duffy, Val Kelly, Sr Marie Teresa Lyne, Charles, Doris, Ken & John Lyne, Jack Horne, Gerry Thiele, Billy Keenan, Alf, Ellie & Ron Bennett, Tony & Pat Murphy, Jim & Pat Kinnane, Nora Venner, Anna Orlowski, Eileen O'Sullivan, Rex Eglinton, Mary Caruana, Agnes Liston, Andrew Liston

Lord, grant them eternal peace in Your Kingdom!

PRAYER LIST POLICY:

If you wish the names of your loved ones to be included in the Prayers for the Sick, Recently Deceased or Anniversaries, then please contact the Parish Office. These will be listed for 4 consecutive Sundays in the parish bulletin. Names can be re-listed on request from the family to the Parish Office.

OBEDIENCE

Be content with obedience which is never an easy matter for a soul which has chosen God as its portion, and resign yourself for now, to being a little bee in a hive, that will soon become a big bee capable of making honey.

St Padre Pio's Spiritual Counsel.

PLANNED GIVING UP-DATE MAY 2020

Pledged:	\$ 10897.33	Received:	\$ 6654.00
		Loose Plate:	\$ 300.00
		Priest's Collection:	\$ 730.00
St Vincent de Paul		Winter Appeal	\$ 450.00
		Poor Box	\$ 141.85

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Planned Giving Envelopes for the 2020/2021 financial year are available to be picked up from the Church Foyer on Sundays or from the parish office during the week. We thank all who support the parish each week either through the Envelopes, Direct Debit or Credit Card donations, your gift is greatly appreciated!

This year we will not automatically be issuing receipts due to privacy requirements. If anyone would like a statement of donations, or more information on ways to become a member of the Planned Giving Program please contact Kathleen at the Parish Office - 8326 1555. *Thank you!*

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES ROSTERS

Due to the restrictions on the number of parishioners attending our Masses we will not be conducting a renewal program until December 2020. I will extend the existing Liturgical Ministry Rosters from Sunday 5th July until 31st December. The Rosters will be available next week at all Masses. If you have any concerns please contact me at the parish office - 8326 1555. Thank you! *Kathleen Gaffney*

SCREENING OF SUNDAY MASS

Cathedral Mass times will return to normal from this weekend (with a maximum of 75 people allowed).

The Archdiocese will continue to live stream **Sunday Mass at 11.00am.**

Please note the time change from 10.00am.

Mass can be viewed live and on demand on the home page of www.adelaide.catholic.org.au. via [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#).

For those without internet access:-

Sunday Mass from St Francis Xavier's Cathedral will be replayed on **Channel 44 at 4.00pm.**

An interstate Sunday Mass is screened every week on **Channel 10 at 6.00am**