

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: SEPTEMBER: Diana & Harry

CRYING ROOM: Feel free to use this room during Mass.

FIRST AID BOX: located inside the Crying Room at the entrance to the Church.

TOILET FACILITY: Situated at the back of the Parish house; nearest to school oval.

RCIA/RCIC: Anyone interested in learning about becoming a Catholic please contact Fr Marlon or Julie Poett.

WEEKDAY MASSES: Wednesday 18th September 11.00am;
Friday 20th September 9.00am.



Free Reading Material at entrance to the church.

WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:

<u>SATURDAY</u>	14th September	21st September	28th September	5th October
TAMBELLUP	6.00PM			6.00PM
BROOMEHILL				
<u>SUNDAY</u>	15th September	22nd September	29th September	6th October
KOJONUP	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM
KATANNING	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM

PARISH MINISTRIES: *If you are unable to attend on your rostered date please arrange for someone to replace you. Thank you!*

	15th September	22nd September	29th September	6th October
Greeter				
Intro & Second Reader	B. Wilkie	J. Poett	H. Cavoli	A. Schiano
First Reader	P. Kerin	S. Benitez	S. Watterson	D.Quartermaine
Minister of the Eucharist				
Offertory	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Acolyte	Sam		Albert	Alvarro
Altar Servers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers



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"Inspired by our Patron Saint and guided by the Gospel teachings of Jesus, St Patrick's Parish strives to welcome and serve one another"

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 Parish Pastoral Council Chairperson: Mrs Marie Hanna
 Parish Finance Committee Chairperson: Mr Norman Flugge
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PARISH PRAYER: Please refer to the overhead screen

**SUNDAY 15th SEPTEMBER 2024 - TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
YEAR B**

First Reading: Isaiah 50:5-9

The Lord has opened my ear.

For my part, I made no resistance,
neither did I turn away.

I offered my back to those who struck me,
my cheeks to those who tore at my beard;

I did not cover my face
against insult and spittle.

The Lord comes to my help,
so that I am untouched by the insults.

So, too, I set my face like flint;

I know I shall not be shamed.

My vindicator is here at hand. Does anyone start proceedings against me?

Then let us go to court together.

Who thinks he has a case against me?

Let him approach me.

The Lord is coming to my help,

who will dare to condemn me?

The word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm: I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living.

Second Reading: Letter of St James 2:14-18

Take the case, my brothers, of someone who has never done a single good act but claims that he has faith. Will that faith save him? If one of the brothers or one of the sisters is in need of clothes and has not enough food to live on, and one of you says to them, 'I wish you well; keep yourself warm and eat plenty', without giving them these bare necessities of life, then what good is that? Faith is like that: if good works do not go with it, it is quite dead. This is the way to talk to people of that kind: 'You say you have faith and I have good deeds; I will prove to you that I have faith by showing you my good deeds – now you prove to me that you have faith without any good deeds to show.' **The word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! Jesus preached the Good News of the kingdom and healed all who were sick. **Alleluia!**

Gospel: Mark 8:27-35

Jesus and his disciples left for the villages round Caesarea Philippi. On the way he put this question to his disciples, 'Who do people say I am?' And they told him. 'John the Baptist,' they said 'others Elijah; others again, one of the prophets.' 'But you,' he asked 'who do you say I am?' Peter spoke up and said to him, 'You are the Christ.' And he gave them strict orders not to tell anyone about him. And he began to teach them that the Son of Man was destined to suffer grievously, to be rejected by the elders and the chief priests and the scribes, and to be put to death, and after three days to rise again; and he said all this quite openly. Then, taking him aside, Peter started to remonstrate with him. But, turning and seeing his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said to him, 'Get behind me, Satan! Because the way you think is not God's way but man's.' He called the people and his disciples to him and said, 'If anyone wants to be a follower of mine, let him renounce himself and take up his cross and follow me. For anyone who wants to save his life will lose it; but anyone who loses his life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it.' **The Gospel of the Lord**

Next Week's Readings: Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B 22nd September 2024: Book of Wisdom 2:12,17-20; Letter of St James 3:16—4:3; Mark 9:30-37

History Corner!

"St Patrick's Ball 19th March 1953 (from newspaper article)

On March 19 a large crowd of dancers enjoyed themselves at the St Patrick's Ball, Katanning. The frocking was very colourful, and music played by Jack O'Neill's orchestra. The crowd was estimated at about 400 dancers, while quite a big audience viewed the presentation of Debutantes from the balcony of the town hall. This year six debutantes were presented to Bishop Goody of Perth; Margaret Abbott, Lydia Bellotti, Yvonne Coventry, Margaret Davis, Helen Mouritz and Noreen Norrish. Two flower girls Dianne Young and Jennifer Longmire preceded the Debs down the red carpet with sprays for the ladies of the official party. Mrs Galloway and Miss Pat Galloway played Irish airs while the girls made their graceful entrance and curtsy to His Lordship".

The article (from Trove) contains full details of the dresses worn.

PARISH NEWS

The next Parish morning tea will be held after Mass on Sunday 22nd September; please bring a plate to share if possible.



Today's gospel reading leads us into a section of Mark's gospel that explores challenges confronting all disciples on their journey of faith. The first challenge is to clarify the nature of our commitment as disciples of Jesus. Our experience of global conflicts should make us wary of accepting militaristic messiahs. We have learnt from bitter experience that war does little to bring peace and justice. In our times, to know and follow Jesus as the Christos or Messiah is to seek and support more moderate and lasting responses to both perceived and real injustice. It may call us to ensure that all have access to a more equitable share of earth resources. It certainly calls for profound trust in the saving power of God. The gospel calls us into the ways of respect, of commitment, and of peaceful negotiation, to ever deeper insight into the ways of Jesus the Christ. *Sr Veronica Lawson RSM*

St Patrick's Primary School is hiring Education Assistants for 2025!

Full time and part time positions available, for Education Assistants to join the St Pat's team. Full details on school website

<https://www.stpatskatanning.wa.edu.au/employment/>

Enquiries: (08)98208100 or brett.wilkie@cewa.edu.au



Let us continue to pray for the sick members of our families and also within our Parish especially: Laline Ford and David McGuire; Also our Parishioners in Kerry Lodge and Bethshan, Clara Illiano and Bonnie Quartermaine. Please keep them in your prayers.



The ability to budget can only come about through the 'generous financial support of members of the Parish who make a pledge through the "Planned Giving Programme."

Like all families, everyone's pledge is important and commitment to the financial well-being of St Patrick's Parish is **VITAL**. If you would like to join or know more about the programme please contact the Parish Office or Mr Peter Kerin.



COLLECTIONS	1st September	8th September
1 st Collection	\$ 201.65	\$ 344.00
2nd Collection	\$ 65.40	\$ 142.00
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 170.00	\$ 195.00
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 302.00	\$ 302.00
Candles	--	\$ 43.00