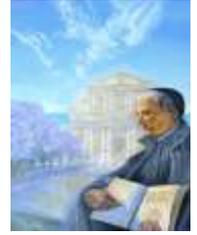




St Joseph Pignatelli
ATTADALE PARISH

THE SPIRE

A Wel coming Parish Family



“Omnia in bonum”

22 November 2020

CHRIST THE KING - YR A

Website:attadale.org

Sunday Mass Times

Saturday	6.00pm
Sunday	7.30am 9.00am

Reconciliation

Saturday 9.30am - 10.00am
5.00pm - 5.45pm
Before or after Weekday Mass

Weekday Mass Times

Tuesday	7.30am - Mass of the Saints
Wednesday	9.00am - SJP School Mass St Catherine of Alexandria
Thursday	7.30am - Mass
Friday	7.30am - Mass
Saturday	9.00am - Mass - Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary 9.30am - Novena to Mother of Perpetual Help Followed by Reconciliation

St Joseph Pignatelli Parish

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Planned Giving Thank you for your generosity and financial support. Parish Income for last week was 84.17% of the projected income. Year to date 58.86%.

The Sanctuary Lamp burns before Our Blessed Lord in the tabernacle each week.

If you would like the Sanctuary Lamp burning for you or a particular intention of yours, please contact the parish office. Cost: \$10.00 each. If you do not want your intention to be published in the Newsletter, you may mention “Private Intention”.

Requested Start Date : 8 November - 15 November - Private Intention
15 November - 22 November - Parish



Parish Pastoral Council

Rino Trolio (Chair)	Jacinta Young (Vice-chair)
Lara Syed (Secretary)	Ros Nichols (AP)
Adrian Wilkes (Acolytes)	Chad Beins (Appeals)
Laura Sirolli (School Rep)	Lisa Ryan (Sacraments)

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Jenny Cogin

Archives

Sue Baker

Davidson Committee

Fr Don Kettle	Ian Elder (Chair)
Bernadette Dell (Secretary)	Tony Middleton (Finance Committee)
Ros Nichols (Mel Maria Primary School)	

Parish Finance Committee

Colin Young
Joe Pierluigi
Tony Middleton

Children's Liturgy Coordinator

Vacant Position

Parish Religious Education Programme

Marie Sadler Pauline Matthys

Parish Sacramental Coordinators

Lucy Almeida Lisa Ryan



Christ The King

When Pius XI instituted the Feast of Christ the King, he was primarily responding to the excesses of Marxism and secular humanism, which sought to erase the name of Jesus Christ from human memory.

Today, the Feast of Jesus Christ King of the Universe is the occasion to go deeper into this essential aspect of the Faith as well as revisit and re-evaluate the truth of Christ's royalty in the context of the present day relations between the Church and the modern world.

Christ has created us and redeemed us, thus making of us a royal priesthood, participants in his life and nature. Our participation in his royal governance should free us from every type of slavery in favour of a new elevated, purified, consolidated life in Christ. "What could be more pleasing and agreeable than the thought that Christ is Ruler, not only by right of nature, but by right of conquest, which he acquired when he became our Redeemer! O that ungrateful men would remember how much we have cost our Saviour! We were not redeemed at the price of gold or silver ... but by Christ's precious Blood. We no longer belong to ourselves, because Christ has paid a precious ransom for us" (Quas Primas).

Christ has every right to rule over us. As Paul says "For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet" . From all eternity, God the Father beheld in Christ, his only begotten Son, all humanity who would be created by him and handed over to his Son as fruits of his victory on the cross. St. Paul says that God Father has set Christ, "at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come" We have been chosen in him, predestined in Christ "that we might sing the praise of his glory" Just as the angels, we have been created to give God glory in Jesus Christ our King. The laity, above all, have a special participation in Christ's royal priesthood and are called to exercise it in works that promote the human person, acting as leaven in society spreading the Gospel spirit in their workplaces and homes. We are called to give witness to Christ's kingship through our testimony and works of apostolate to the glory of Christ the King, Redeemer and Saviour of humanity.

Prayer Intentions:

Pope's General Intentions: Artificial Intelligence

We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind.

Sick List: Of your charity please pray for the following people on our sick list:

Lucia D'Souza, Iris Rankin, Cindy Wihardja, Jimmy Watson, Don Goligher, Fiori Rinaldi, Dawn France, Rosa Celenza, Regina Pass, Ella and Casey Harris, Phyllis McKenna, Mick Della Bona, Pat Naylor, Janice Hawkins, Hilary Early, Kathleen Kania, Jan Dixon, Marise, Jake and Michael Gabbedy.

Deceased: Recent: Salve Divinagracia, Roma Daly and Desmond Reardon

Anniversary: Emar Robertson and Gordon L'estrange



Congratulations to all our children on receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation last week and their families who continue to nurture and guide them on their faith journey!

A special thank you to our staff and to our parish catechists for all their hard work in supporting families in preparing the children throughout the year.



2021 Columban Calendars

are available for \$10 each. Pick up a calendar and kindly place your money in the small envelopes provided. The envelopes may be dropped in the cream strong box near the entrance of the church.

First Friday Devotion St Pius of Pietrelcina

Join us on First Friday **4 December**

7.00pm Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament
+ Confessions + Rosary + Unbound Prayers

8.00pm St Padre Pio Holy Mass.

8.30pm Refreshments in the Parish Hall

First
Friday
Adoration

Christ the King - Year A

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Ez 34:11-12. 15-17
Second Reading: 1 Cor 15:20-26. 28
Gospel: Mt 25:31-46



NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

First Reading: Is 63:16-17; 64:1. 3-8
Second Reading: 1 Cor 1:3-9
Gospel: Mk 13:33-37

The Human Wisdom of St Thomas Aquinas

The further a being is distant from that which is Being of itself, namely, God, the nearer it is to nothingness. But the nearer a being stands to God, the further away it is from nothingness.

*May your words, O Lord be on my lips and in my heart.
May they guide me on life's journey and keep me near to you.*

November Masses Throughout the month of November we recommend to God the souls in purgatory that He may soon bring them to His Glory, especially those of our relatives, friends and enemies and those we are bound to pray for. Your loved ones will be remembered at daily Mass throughout November. Mass Offering envelopes will be made available in the pews and on the table at the entrance of the Church. Envelopes should be placed in front of the Altar in the box provided.



Votive Candles



The Sight of burning votive candles - - is common in most Catholic churches. The candles are usually placed before statues of saints or at shrines. But how did this tradition get its start?

The lights burned as a sign of solidarity with Christians still on earth. Because the lights continually burned as a silent vigil, they became known as vigil lights. Another common type of candle offering is the votive light. Lighting a candle is a way of extending one's prayer and showing solidarity with the person on whose behalf the prayer is offered. I would encourage you to light a candle, which has been the custom of the parish over the years.

Pax Christi Fr Don

We have welcomed into our parish Community;

Ellie Turner and Charlotte Cadd

We ask God to bless them, their families and Godparents as they begin their Faith journey through life.



Sunday Morning Parishioners are invited to Morning Tea on Sundays
- after the **7.30am Mass** in the Northern Piazza.
- after the **9.00am Mass** in the Parish Hall.

Come and say Hello to familiar faces and welcome new ones.
Enjoy our very popular and delicious Sunday Morning Tea.



WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS

St Joseph Pignatelli Parish is a welcoming family community.

Please fill in a Membership Form available from the back of the Church and place it in the collection basket or you may contact the Parish Office.

Please join us for morning tea after the 9:00am Mass on Sundays, and introduce yourself to Fr Don and other parishioners.

Thank you Pax Christi Fr Don

**Roster for 29 November 2020
First Sunday of Advent - Year B**

	Sat. 6.00pm	Sun. 7.30am	Sun. 9.00am
Acolyte	Michael Corrie	Indiran Rajadurai	Graham Mahony
Altar Server	Zima-Jade Henderson	-----	Lauren Wilkes Christian Rocchiccioli Eoin Ledden
Reader	Helen Rodari Ross Bowden	Sue Baker Pierse Cant	Lucy Almeida Bernadette Dell
Projectionist	Pauline Mascarenhas	Pauline Marlborough	Lincoln Chong
Chaperone	Helene Rodari	-----	Elizabeth Curtis
Morning Tea	Lynne Buzzard, Amanda Hesford (and children) and Megan Cooper		

Planned Giving You may drop the envelope in the box on the table in the church. Alternatively payment can be made by electronic funds transfer onto the Parish Account. Details of SJP Account.
Name: The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth Attadale Church Account:
First Collection (Presbytery) contributions:
 BSB: **086-006** A/c No: **306232832** Reference: **SJP 1**
Second Collection: BSB: **086 – 006**
 A/c No: **666370630**. Reference: **Envelope number** or **SJP Parish** for those with no envelopes.

**PLEASE STAY SAFE
COVID-19 SAFETY REGULATIONS
APPLY**



- If you are unwell or have any symptoms of cold or flu, please do not enter the church
- Kindly sanitise your hands using the hand sanitiser provided
- Please remember to wipe down the pew before you leave the church
- **If you pick up a copy of the bulletin, please take it home.**

Christmas Festivities... Star of the Sea Cottesloe Parish on Sunday 6 December, 5pm to 8.00pm, 2 McNeil Street, Peppermint Grove. An evening of Christmas festivities, food and fun for the family. Nativity play, carols, Christmas fair, raffle, sausage sizzle, high ropes, obstacles course and more! All proceeds to Lifelink. Further info; jamie@jamieobrien.net.au.



St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal As Christmas approaches we turn our thoughts to the vulnerable in our society and the great work of the St Vincent de Paul. We appeal to your generosity and would appreciate donations. Non-perishable foodstuff and Christmas presents for children can be placed in the large box in the foyer. The presents should be wrapped and have a label attached indicating age and gender. The gifts will be collected on **Wednesday 16 December** by SVDP.

Archbishop's Christmas Appeal for Lifelink is being held throughout the Archdiocese. If you did not collect Archbishop Costelloe's personal letter at Mass last weekend, please collect one as you leave and read his message, or, use one of the special giving envelopes which have been provided on the pews for you today. We urge you to give generous support to help the work of our Archdiocesan social service agencies and help people in need.

You can mail your gift in the reply paid envelope provided or return your envelope and donation to the parish at any time over the coming weeks.

You may also donate (securely) online at www.lifelink.com.au

