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13 November 2022

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YR C

St Joseph Pignatelli Parish

"Omnia in bonum"

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 6.00pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 7.30am and 9.00am

DAILY MASSES:

Tuesday: 6.30am - Adoration

7.30am - Mass

Wednesday: 9.00am - Mass

Thursday: 6.30am - Adoration

7.30am - Mass

Friday: 6.30am - Adoration

7.30am - Mass

Saturday: 8.00am - Adoration

8.30am - Rosary

9.00am - Mass

9.30am - Novena

Reconciliation: Saturday: 9.30am - 10.00am

5.00pm - 5.45pm

YouTube: ST JOSEPH PIGNATELLI PARISH

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1i-](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1i-S8X7f0gBGYUseTh53qq)

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Planned Giving: Parish income was 68.50% of the projected income. Year to date is 79.22%. Thank you for your generosity.



Judgment is coming

As we get older, we grow more aware of how short life is and that before very long, we will be faced with the key moment of death. Last Sunday, our readings spoke about the afterlife and urged us to entrust ourselves into God's hands, for He is the God of the living. But how literally should we take what Jesus says today, about the end of time? Our Liturgy says that he will come again in glory to judge the living and the death. But it is still impossible to know the details about the end of time. There are sects and groups who claim to know the exact date of the Lord's coming, and the failure of previous predictions never seems to discourage them from settling on another date for Armageddon.

Jesus warns against believing such vivid predictions. Even though he himself used the idea of the judgement day as a motive to turn people's hearts back to God, he admitted that "no man knows the date, not even the Son, but the Father only." There are too many references to the Final Judgement in our Scriptures to dismiss it as merely a figure of speech. Many believers find it helpful to keep the Judgement-Day as part of their spiritual horizon.

An advice much favoured by preachers was "Live as though each day may be your last?" Most people feel disinclined to think about the last things. But it is spiritually purifying on occasion, especially in November, the month for remembering our dead. Like Martha in the Gospel we are fully occupied with what needs to be done in the immediate here and now. We can appreciate the practical advice given by St Paul to people who were looking out excitedly for the Lord's return and neglecting to earn their living. "Go on quietly minding your own affairs," he says, "and if anyone will not work, neither let him eat!" This is tough love, but it makes perfect sense for the life of the community.

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: Mal 3:19-20
Second Reading: 2 Thes 3:7 – 12
Gospel: Lk 21:5-19



NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

First Reading: 2 Sm 5:1-3
Second Reading: Col 1:12-20
Gospel: Lk 23:35-43

*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.*

The Human Wisdom of St Thomas Aquinas

The most perfect types of beings, such as intellectual beings, make the most complete return to their own essences. In knowing something outside themselves, they step outside themselves in a certain sense: in so far as they know that they know they already begin to return to themselves for the act of knowledge is midway between the knower and the thing known.

Prayer Intentions: Children Who Suffer:

Pope's General Intentions: We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

Thanksgiving: We pray in thanksgiving for all those who continue to support our parish, those who celebrate Birthdays and Anniversaries this month, those who are recovering from illness and those who care for them.

Speedy Recovery and Healing: In your charity please pray for the following: Rosa Celenza, Marise, Frank McKenna, Toni Vasta, Pat Naylor, Jan Dixon, Janice Hawkins, Kathleen Kania, Joe Migro, Brian Cant, Terry Cant, Maureen Henderson, Itala Imerito and Irene Olivier

Recent: Peter Bosci RIP

Death Anniversary: Thomas Miller RIP

Dedicate the Sanctuary Lamp: If you wish to have the Sanctuary Lamp burning for a week, in memory of a loved one, to honour a special occasion, or a special intention, please contact the Parish Office. Cost: \$10 per week.

Requested Week: 13 November 2022 - 20 November 2022 - Private intention

Baptism: We welcome into our Parish community **Rory and Xavier Sloan**. We ask God to bless them, their family and Godparents with lasting peace and joy as they journey through life together.

Parish Feast Day Celebration: "A Night in Sorrento" on **Friday 18 November 2022** at 7.00pm. Tickets are available from the Parish Office at \$60 per person. Come and enjoy a sumptuous meal and fun night with heaps of entertainment. Be quick as only a **five tickets** are left.

Cuppa and Chat Group: meet on Wednesdays after the 9.00am Mass in the Parish Hall. All are most welcome. Bring along a friend and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee and the social interaction.

ONLINE SAFEGUARDING INDUCTION FOR ALL CHURCH WORKERS: (volunteers or paid) **Wednesday 16 November at 2pm**. A church worker is anyone in the parish in any role, paid or voluntary. The session will cover Safeguarding Policies and Procedures, the importance of Safeguarding in the parish and the role of the Parish Safeguarding Officer. To register please visit,

<http://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training-calendar-church-workers/>

Holy Hour for Vocations: *Pastores Dabo Vobis* until 2 December on Friday evenings at 7.00pm - 8.00pm in our parish. The Church should daily take up Jesus' persuasive and demanding invitation "pray the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest" All are welcome to attend the Novena. Please pick up a Prayer for Vocation from the table in the foyer.

Advent Program: "Incarnate through Art" Commences 23 November to 14 December 2022 on Wednesday evenings at 7.00pm in the Parish Board Room. All are welcome.

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 are available in the pews and on the table at the entrance of the Church. Envelopes may be placed near the Altar in the box provided.

Presbytery Refurbishment Appeal: Parishioner Loretta Tilli is initiating a fundraising appeal to undertake a much needed refurbishment of the presbytery. Any fellow parishioners who are willing to help with either a donation or are handy on the tools, please contact Loretta on 0411 767 420 or Email: twintop1@hotmail.com

Adult Faith Education Programme Rediscovering the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist at Myaree Parish – Marmion Street & Evershed Street, Myaree on Wednesdays until **23 November** from 7:30pm – 8:30pm (4 sessions) with Dr Carmel Suart and Fr Vincent Glynn Cost: Suggested donation: \$20. For further information or to register please contact the Centre for Faith Enrichment on P: 92780261 or E: cfe@perthcatholic.org.au or Pater Noster Catholic Parish Myaree on P: 9330 3584 or E: paternostermiaree@yahoo.com.au

The Archbishop's Christmas Appeal for Life Link: is being held throughout the Archdiocese this weekend. Please collect the Archbishop's Appeal Letter as you leave the Church today - or use one of the special giving envelopes which have been provided on the pews today. We urge you to give generously to help the work of our Archdiocesan agencies which reach out to care for our brothers and sisters struggling in the community. Please 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 by credit card to www.lifelink.com.au

Planned Giving: Please continue your monetary support to the parish. You may sign up to our Planned Giving program or you can use online banking (please put your last name or Envelope Number in the Payer line):

Name: The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth Attadale Church Account:

First Collection (Presbytery) contributions:
BSB: 086-006 **A/c No: 306232832** Ref: SJP 1

Second Collection: BSB: 086 – 006
A/c No: 666370630. Ref: Envelope number or **SJP Parish** for those with no envelopes.

Second Collection: Our Parish now has a Tap to Give device for those who wish to donate loose money to the Second Collection. A **Pay**



Pass terminal is now available at the back of the church for your convenience.

Please simply tap the phone to make a payment and kindly wipe the key pad after use for the next person. Thank you for your continued generosity.

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**Roster for 20 November 2022
Christ the King - Year C**

	Sat. 6.00pm	Sun. 7.30am	Sun. 9.00am
Acolyte	Michael Corrie	Indiran Rajadurai	Alex Banovich
Altar Server	Raphael Barich Zacchaeus Barich	-----	Christian Rocchiccioli Eoin Ledden Dara Ledden
Reader	Pat Berry Dianne Sivewright	Pauline Marlborough Tania Hicks	Francine Middleton Tony Middleton
Projectionist	Pauline Mascarenhas	Pierse Cant	Lincoln Chong
Chaperone	Pat Berry	-----	Michelle Rocchiccioli
Counters	Pauline Marlborough and Jacinta Young		
Morning Tea	Jenny Cogin, Bernadette Dell and Stephanie Carne		

Parish Pastoral Council
Rino Trolio (Chair)
Jacinta Young (Vice-chair)
Lara Syed (Secretary)
Diana Ietto (Vice Secretary)
Ros Nichols (AP)
Adrian Wilkes (Acolytes)
Laura Sirolli (School Rep)
Lisa Ryan (Sacraments)
Eric Kumar (SVDP)
Tania Hicks (Faith)
Christian Rocchiccioli (Youth)
CWL Delegate

Parish Finance Committee
Colin Young
Joe Pierluigi
Tony Middleton

Pignatelli Cares
Jenny Cogin

Maintenance Committee
TBA

Faith Formation
Tania Hicks

Children's Sunday Liturgy
Sam Cripps

Archives
Sue Baker

Religious Ed Programme
Pauline Matthys

Sacramental Coordinator
Lisa Ryan and Lucy Almeida

Parish Pastoral Coordinator
TBA

Catholic Mission's Christmas Concert 2022 "Leaning towards the Light" on Saturday 10 December at the Chapel of St Thomas Aquinas, Aquinas College, 58 Mount Henry Road, Salter Point. From 6-6.45pm a panel discussion on modern slavery. Concert at 7.00pm until 8.15pm with drinks and canapes. We will hear from the Aquinas College Schola Cantorum .

Seats are limited and bookings are essential. For tickets visit <https://www.trybooking.com/CDTHE> (Adults \$40, Concessions \$25). For those unable to make it, the event will be livestreamed at <https://cm.org.au/Perth2022>. All proceeds will help fund Catholic Mission projects that provide support and education to vulnerable women. For further information and details Email Francis at director.cm@perthcatholic.org.au or Phone 6234 1760.

Art Exhibition for The Church in Need Margaret Fane will be holding an exhibition of Watercolours and abstracts in our parish on Sunday 27 November 2022 after the 7.30am Mass and the 9.00am Mass. Parish Electronic transfer available.. For further information and any enquiries please phone 0432834743.