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WEEKDAY MASS RESPONSES

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PARISH INFORMATION

www.stpetertheapostle.org.au

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Weekday Masses	Tuesday - Friday	9:00am
Reconciliation	Saturday	5:00pm - 5:30pm
Weekend Masses	Saturday	6:00pm
	Sunday	8:30am
	Sunday	10:00am
		5:00pm

Baptisms and Weddings	(08) 6468 6643
E-mail	stpetersoffice@westnet.com.au
Parish Secretary	Lesley Lockwood
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Parish Office	98 Wood Street INGLEWOOD WA 6052
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Office Hours	Tue & Thu 9:00am - 4:00pm

Sacrament Coordinator	Chris Neville (School Term)
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Sacrament Office	Parish Hall
Office Hours	Tue 8:30am - 4:30pm Wed 8:30am - 3:30pm

Parish Priest	Fr Jeronimo Flamenco Castillo
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Christ the King Year C
2019

St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

95 Wood Street, Inglewood WA 6052

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Fr Jeronimo Flamenco
Parish Priest



REFLECTION ... by Diane Bergant CAS

(Taken from 'Pastoral Liturgy')

The feast of Christ the King celebrates the power and authority of Christ by creating a collage of images that capture one or more characteristics of Christ's kingship. Each image reinterprets the concept of king, investing it with new meaning. Gathered together they create a kind of litany that extols the kingship of Christ.

Shepherd and commander call to mind the care and protection that Christ lavishes on those who place themselves under his care. King of Israel is a sign of universal rule. Image of the Invisible God acclaims the divine origin of Christ and of the rule that he exercises over all. First born of all Creation places Christ over the entire created world. Source of all Created Things acknowledges both the sovereignty of Christ and his importance as the model after which all things were fashioned. Head of the Body, the Church underscores the intimacy and interrelationship that exist between Christ and all those who are joined to him through faith and baptism. Firstborn of the Dead not only acclaims Christ's resurrection, but it also guarantees the resurrection of those who will follow him into death. Crucified King is clearly the image that reinterprets all other images.

The entire liturgical year is brought to completion in the last words of the gospel: 'Today you will be with me in Paradise.' These are the words that we all long to hear, words that are empty when coming from one who has no authority, but charged with power when spoken by the one who is king over us all.

PLENARY COUNCIL SESSION - REMINDER

Parish hall on Thursday, 28 November at 7pm—9pm.

THEME: How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that is Prayerful and Eucharistic?

**THE 2019 PARISH AGM WILL BE HELD IN THE HALL ON
SUNDAY, 1 DECEMBER AT 11.30AM AFTER THE 10AM MASS.
ALL WELCOME—PLEASE COME AND GIVE YOUR SUPPORT.**

Mass Times next week

Tuesday: 9.00am Wednesday: 9.00am Thursday: 9.00am
Friday: 9.00am

Saturday: Vigil 6.00pm

Sunday: 8.30am 10.00am 5.00pm

Reconciliation: Saturday: 5.00pm - 5.45pm

Eucharistic Adoration: Thursday 9.30am—1pm followed by Benediction

Parish Finance Update

2nd Collection including Planned
Giving envelopes (16/17 Nov)

\$1,759.40

Family Fast (Oct) \$ 120.15

Direct Debit (Oct) \$ 924.00

Heartfelt THANKS TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!

Fr Jeronimo and the Parish Council invite all volunteers in our parish to attend a 'thank you' function on Friday, 6 December.

Mass will be celebrated at 6.30pm and there will be a light meal afterwards in the hall to recognize and thank all our volunteers.

Please RSVP by 29 November.

Morning Tea

Please join our parish family for morning tea this Sunday in the church undercover area after the 10am Mass. All welcome.



To all parish hall users.....

Please ensure that all drinks, juices, milk and food are removed from the fridge when your function has finished.

We are having to dispose of a large quantity of these items which are well past their use by dates so we would appreciate your co-operation in this matter.

Pre Christmas Busy Bee

On Saturday, 14 December from 8am onwards please come to the church with your broom and bucket. It is time to prepare for Christmas and your help is required. There are windows to be washed, cobwebs removed, weeding and general cleaning around the church and hall.



Feast Days this week

Sun 24 November—**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**—Piu XI instituted this feast in 1925 in response to the rise of totalitarianism. It celebrates Christ's reign over the human race and human hearts. The feast emphasises God's ultimate forgiveness as well as Christ's eschatological return and final sovereignty over all creation. This last theme is continued during Advent.

Sat 30 November—**St Andrew**—Born at Bethsaida (Galilee). He was a fisherman and perhaps a disciple of John the Baptist. He introduced his brother, Simon Peter, to Jesus and became one of the first to follow Christ. Widely venerated since ancient times and remembered as one of the twelve who bore witness to the life, death and resurrection of Jesus.

Help Required

Willing volunteers are required to help out with hall/toilet cleaning once a week for one hour—please contact Rolly—0419 926 696 for more information.

Also collectors for the 5pm Mass are required. Contact Ross—0419 987 903—if you can assist.

Baptisms

Last week we welcomed **Tobias Italiano** to God's family.

Congratulations to Tobias and his family.

Parish Meetings next week...

Mon 25 Nov Good Neighbours parish house 1.30pm

Wed 27 Nov Liturgy comm parish house at 7pm

Thurs 28 Nov Finance comm parish house at 7pm

Thurs 28 Nov Plenary Council in Hall at 7pm

Sun 1 Dec Parish AGM in hall at 11.30am

Next week's readings (30 Nov/1 Dec) are for 1 Sun of Advent Yr A

1st Reading: Isaiah 2: 1-5

2nd Reading: Romans 13: 11-14

Gospel: Matthew 24: 37-44

Annual Rosary Procession in honour of Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception

Sunday, 8 December at 10am

St Joseph's Church

20 Hamilton St, Bassendean

Procession will be followed by homily, Benediction and refreshments in the parish hall. Please bring a plate. All welcome.

First Reading: 2 Samuel 5: 1-3

All the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron. 'Look' they said 'we are your own flesh and blood. In days past when Saul was our king, it was you who led Israel in all their exploits; and the Lord said to you, "You are the man who shall be shepherd of my people Israel, you shall be the leader of Israel."' So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron, and King David made a pact with them at Hebron in the presence of the Lord, and they anointed David king of Israel.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**



Responsorial Psalm: 121: 1-5

Response:

Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.

- I rejoiced when I heard them say:
'Let us go to God's house.'
And now our feet are standing
within your gates, O Jerusalem. **R.**
- Jerusalem is built as a city
strongly compact.
It is there that the tribes go up,
the tribes of the Lord. **R.**
- For Israel's law it is,
there to praise the Lord's name.
There were set the thrones of judgement
of the house of David. **R.**

Second Reading: Colossians 1: 12-20

We give thanks to the Father who has made it possible for you to join the saints and with them to inherit the light.

Because that is what he has done: he has taken us out of the power of darkness and created a place for us in the kingdom of the Son that he loves, and in him, we gain our freedom, the forgiveness of our sins. He is the image of the unseen God and the first-born of all creation, for in him were created all things in heaven and on earth: everything visible and everything invisible, Thrones, Dominations, Sovereignities, Powers – all things were created through him and for him. Before anything was created, he existed, and he holds all things in unity.

Now the Church is his body, he is its head. As he is the Beginning, he was first to be born from the dead, so that he should be first in every way; because God wanted all perfection to be found in him and all things to be reconciled through him and for him, everything in heaven and everything on earth, when he made peace by his death on the cross.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation: Mark 11: 9, 10

Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed is he who inherits the kingdom of David our Father; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. **Alleluia, alleluia!**

Gospel: Luke 23: 35-43

The people stayed there before the cross watching Jesus. As for the leaders, they jeered at him. 'He saved others,' they said, 'let him save himself if he is the Christ of God, the Chosen One.' The soldiers mocked him too, and when they approached to offer him vinegar they said, 'If you are the king of the Jews, save yourself.' Above him there was an inscription: 'This is the King of the Jews.'

One of the criminals hanging there abused him. 'Are you not the Christ?' he said. 'Save yourself and us as well.' But the other spoke up and rebuked him. 'Have you no fear of God at all?' he said. 'You got the same sentence as he did, but in our case we deserved it: we are paying for what we did. But this man has done nothing wrong. Jesus,' he said, 'remember me when you come into your kingdom.' 'Indeed, I promise you,' he replied, 'today you will be with me in paradise.'

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**