



Parish News



I wish to thank everyone at St Teresa's Parish for their support and love whilst I have been present in your parish. Also to thank everyone for their generous donations over the last couple of weeks leading up to my Ordination. May I Wish you Peace and Gods Blessings
Rev Jupiter Bin Justin

CELEBRATION MORNING TEA SUNDAY, 25TH MAY 202



As this will be the first Mass celebrated by **Father Jupiter Bin Justin** at our parish. Fr Alexis would like to encourage all parishioners to come to this 9.30am morning mass and celebrate with Fr Jupiter and his family on Sunday morning

Please bring something delicious to share and celebrate for the morning tea which will be held after the 9.30am Mass

ST TERESA of CALCUTTA PARISH, BALDIVIS PARISH CONTRIBUTIONS 2025 -2026

Please advise the parish office if you wish to receive **Weekly Parish Offering Envelopes** for

July 2025—June 2026

OR

You may arrange for a **Direct Debit Request (forms available)** You will then be able to nominate an amount to be donated to the Parish Account either ***weekly, fortnightly or monthly*** directly from your bank account.

PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE WITH YOUR PREFERRED METHOD OF PAYMENT

Thankyou

MOTHER'S DAY AFTERNOON TEA

Thank you to all who came and participated in this event. It was a lovely fun afternoon, and a huge success. The Fundraising committee raised an amount of \$1,209.20 *** Well Done Everyone ***

If anyone wishes to make a donation to the Fundraising Account the details are :

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Monica and Joel look forward to being at your service.





ST TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISH

5th SUNDAY OF EASTER

18th May 2025



OUR PARISH VISION:

We are a Parish community embracing our Catholic faith and cherishing the Good News of Jesus Christ. Enriched by our diversity, we reach out to others and welcome all into our Parish. In the spirit of Mother Teresa and through our living and praying together, we want to grow strong in faith, hope and in our love for God and one another.

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Priest: Father Alexis Vega

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Facebook/Instagram Administrators:

Kevin Poppen & Ann Priest

Reconciliation: Saturday 5:30pm or by appointment

Adoration and Benediction: 1st Friday of the month after 9am Mass

Baptisms: Second and Fourth Sunday of the month

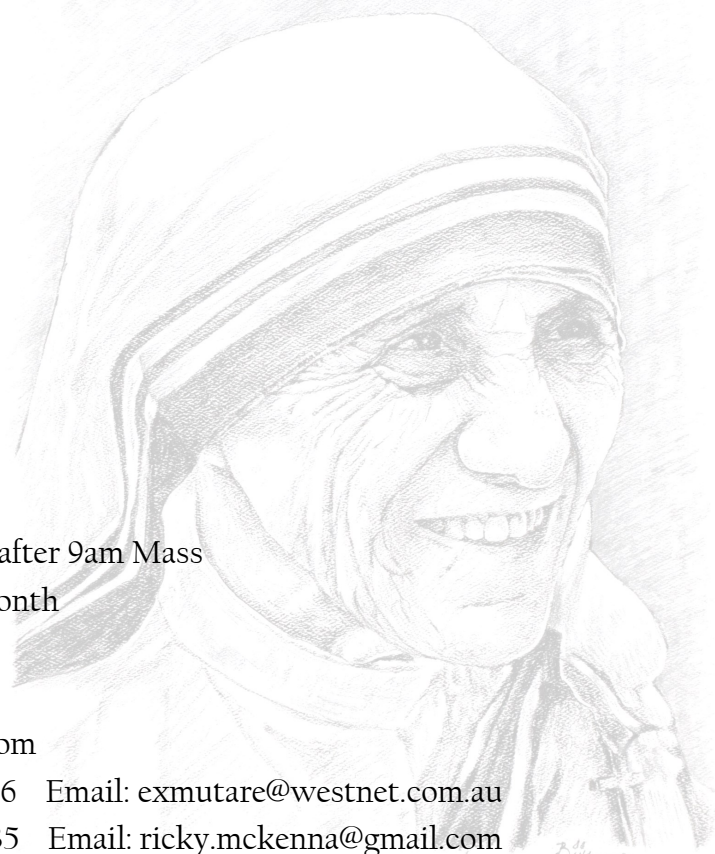
All other sacraments: by appointment

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Parish Calendar—Fifth Week of Easter

Sun, 18th May

5th Sunday of Easter

9:30am Mass

5:00pm Mass

Tue, 20th May

St Bernardine of Siena

9:00am Mass

Wed, 21st May

St Christopher of Magallanes

& Companions

9:00am Mass

Thurs, 22nd May

St Rita of Cascia

8:00am Mass

Fri, 23rd May

10:00am Mass

Sat, 24th May

Our Lady, Help of Christians

Patron of Australia

5:30pm Confession

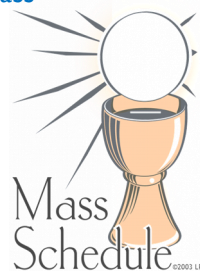
6:00pm Mass

Sun, 25th of May

6th Sunday of Easter

9:30am Mass

5:00pm No Mass



MOTHER TERESA CATHOLIC COLLEGE

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5th Sunday of Easter

1st Reading Acts 14:21-27

Paul and Barnabas went back through Lystra and Iconium to Antioch. They put fresh heart into the disciples, encouraging them to persevere in the faith. 'We all have to experience many hardships' they said 'before we enter the kingdom of God.' In each of these churches they appointed elders, and with prayer and fasting they commended them to the Lord in whom they had come to believe. They passed through Pisidia and reached Pamphylia. Then after proclaiming the word at Perga they went down to Attalia and from there sailed for Antioch, where they had originally been commended to the grace of God for the work they had now completed. On their arrival they assembled the church and gave an account of all that God had done with them, and how he had opened the door of faith to the pagans.

Responsorial Psalm 144(145):8-13a

I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

The Lord is kind and full of compassion, slow to anger,

abounding in love. How good is the Lord to all, compassionate to all his creatures. **R.**

All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord, and your friends shall repeat their blessing. They shall speak of the glory of your reign and declare your might, O God, to make known to men your mighty deeds and the glorious splendour of your reign. **R.**

Yours is an everlasting kingdom; your rule lasts from age to age. **R.**

2nd Reading Apocalypse 21:1-5

I, John, saw a new heaven and a new earth; the first heaven and the first earth had disappeared now, and there was no longer any sea. I saw the holy city, and the new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, as beautiful as a bride all dressed for her husband. Then I heard a loud voice call from the throne, 'You see this city? Here God lives among men. He will make his home among them; they shall be his people, and he will be their God; his name is God-

with-them. He will wipe away all tears from their eyes; there will be no more death, and no more mourning or sadness. The world of the past has gone.'

Then the One sitting on the throne spoke: 'Now I am making the whole of creation new.'

Gospel Acclamation Jn 13:34

Alleluia, alleluia!

I give you a new commandment: love one another as I have loved you. Alleluia!

Gospel John 13:31-33,34-35

When Judas had gone Jesus said: 'Now has the Son of Man been glorified, and in him God has been glorified. If God has been glorified in him, God will in turn glorify him in himself, and will glorify him very soon. 'My little children, I shall not be with you much longer. I give you a new commandment: love one another; just as I have loved you, you also must love one another.

By this love you have for one another, everyone will know that you are my disciples.'



Saint Teresa of Calcutta, Jesus called you to bring the light of His love to those who live in darkness. By tender, loving care for the poorest and the neediest, you became the sign of God's presence, His love and compassion in the midst of suffering and pain.

Following your example, help us to recognise the face of Jesus in our suffering brothers and sisters and to serve Him with humility and joy. Teach us to be carriers of God's tender love and mercy and so bear witness that God still loves the world through each one of us. **Amen**

UNDERSTANDING THE WORD OF GOD

Christ is risen! He has burst open the gates of hell and let the dead go free; he has renewed the earth through the members of his Church now born again in baptism, and has made it blossom afresh with men brought back to life. His Holy Spirit has unlocked the doors of heaven, which stand wide open to receive those who rise up from the earth. Because of Christ's resurrection the thief ascends to paradise, the bodies of the blessed enter the holy city, and the dead are restored to the company of the living. There is an upward movement in the whole of creation, each element raising itself to something higher. We see hell restoring its victims to the upper regions, earth sending its buried dead to heaven, and heaven presenting the new arrivals to the Lord. In one and the same movement, our Saviour's passion raises men from the depths, lifts them up from the earth, and sets them in the heights.

Christ is risen. His rising brings life to the dead, forgiveness to sinners, and glory to the saints. And so David the prophet summons all creation to join in celebrating the Easter festival: *Rejoice and be glad, he cries, on this day which the Lord has made.*

The light of Christ is an endless day that knows no night. Christ is this day, says the Apostle; such is the meaning of his words: *Night is almost over; day is at hand.* He tells us that night is almost over, not that it is about to fall. By this

we are meant to understand that the coming of Christ's light puts Satan's darkness to flight, leaving no place for any shadow of sin. His everlasting radiance dispels the dark clouds of the past and checks the hidden growth of vice. The Son is that day to whom the day, which is the Father, communicates the mystery of his divinity. He is the day who says through the mouth of Solomon: *I have caused an unfailing light to rise in heaven.* And as in heaven no night can follow day, so no sin can overshadow the justice of Christ. The celestial day is perpetually bright and shining with brilliant light; clouds can never darken its skies. In the same way, the light of Christ is eternally glowing with luminous radiance and can never be extinguished by the darkness of sin. This is why John the evangelist says: *The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has never been able to overpower it.*

And so, my brothers, each of us ought surely to rejoice on this holy day. Let no one, conscious of his sinfulness, withdraw from our common celebration, nor let anyone be kept away from our public prayer by the burden of his guilt. Sinner he may indeed be, but he must not despair of pardon on this day which is so highly privileged; for if a thief could receive the grace of paradise, how could a Christian be refused forgiveness?

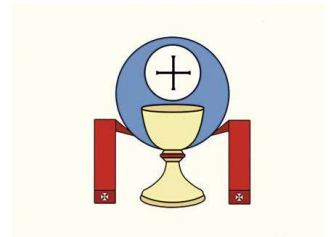
From a sermon by Saint Maximus of Turin, bishop

**ST TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND MASS AT ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL, PERTH—ON
Friday 23rd May 2025 at 7.00PM**

**THIS MASS WILL BE TO CELEBRATE THE ORDINATION TO THE
PRIESTHOOD OF
REV JUPITER BIN JUSTIN**

WHO IS OUR DEACON AT ST TERESA OF CALCUTTA PARISH,

WE ENCOURAGE YOU ALL TO COME AND SUPPORT REV JUPITER ON THIS BLESSED DAY



Rosters—Weekend 24th & 25th of May

Readers

Sat 6.00pm Nisha Das & Candice Carson
Sun 9:30am: Jacinta DaCruz & Sid James
Sun 5.00pm: Kath Ryan & Ferdinand Prajogi

Acolytes

Sat 6.00pm: Patrick Dwyer
Sun 9 30am: David Autagavaia & Ricky McKenna
Sun 5.00pm: No Mass

Flowers:

Mariatta Leaurmoana

COUNTERS: Kath Anderson & Maki Hales

JUNIOR ALTAR SERVERS

Sat 6.00pm: Audrey Gryl
Sun 9:30am: Emily Murphy, Izabella Moretti, and Carlos Autagavaia

Sun 5.00pm No Mass

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

Sat 6.00pm: Peter Van Der Kwast
Sun 9.30am: Sandra Carson (if required)

COLLECTIONS 11TH May 2025

1st Collection: \$ 996.25
2nd Collection: \$ 969.30

If you would like to continue with your weekly donation, you can set your account for weekly direct deposits:

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