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First reading

Acts 13:14,43-52

Paul and Barnabas carried on from Perga till they reached Antioch in Pisidia. Here they went to synagogue on the Sabbath and took their seats.

When the meeting broke up many Jews and devout converts joined Paul and Barnabas, and in their talks with them Paul and Barnabas urged them to remain faithful to the grace God had given them.

The next sabbath almost the whole town assembled to hear the word of God. When they saw the crowds, the Jews, prompted by jealousy, used blasphemies and contradicted everything Paul said. Then Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly. 'We had to proclaim the word of God to you first, but since you have rejected it, since you do not think yourselves worthy of eternal life, we must turn to the pagans. For this is what the Lord commanded us to do when he said:

I have made you a light for the nations, so that my salvation may reach the ends of the earth.'

It made the pagans very happy to hear this and they thanked the Lord for his message; all who were destined for eternal life became believers. Thus the word of the Lord spread through the whole countryside.

But the Jews worked upon some of the devout women of the upper classes and the leading men of the city and persuaded them to turn against Paul and Barnabas and expel them from their territory. So they shook the dust from their feet in defiance and went off to Iconium; but the disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 99(100):1-3,5

R.

We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

Cry out with joy to the Lord, all the earth.
Serve the Lord with gladness.
Come before him, singing for joy.

Know that he, the Lord, is God.

He made us, we belong to him,
we are his people, the sheep of his flock.

Indeed, how good is the Lord, eternal his merciful love.

He is faithful from age to age.

R,

Second reading

Apocalypse 7:9,14-17

I, John, saw a huge number, impossible to count, of people from every nation, race, tribe and language; they were standing in front of the throne and in front of the Lamb, dressed in white robes and holding palms in their hands. One of the elders said, 'These are the people who have been through the great persecution, and because they have washed their robes white again in the blood of the Lamb, they now stand in front of God's throne and serve him day and night in his sanctuary; and the One who sits on the throne will spread his tent over them. They will never hunger or thirst again; neither the sun nor scorching wind will ever plague them, because the Lamb who is at the throne will be their shepherd and will lead them to springs of living water; and God will wipe away all tears from their eyes.'

Gospel Acclamation

John 10:14

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me. Alleluia!

Gospel

John 10:27-30

Jesus said:

'The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice; I know them and they follow me.
I give them eternal life; they will never be lost and no one will ever steal them from me.
The Father who gave them to me is greater than

and no one can steal from the Father.

The Father and I are one.'

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(MOTHER TERESA'S)

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Tel: 9523 6097

8th MAY 2022 **FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER** YEAR C



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

From Father Arulraj

HAPPY MOTHERS DAY to all Mothers and Grandmothers. This day reminds us of Our Holy Mother Mary, and that the month of May is dedicated to her. Anyone wishing to join in praying the Rosary at Church may do so. (Please See PRAY WITH US on Page 2)

Congratulations to all the children who celebrated their First Reconciliaton. Thankyou to Father Victor and all the visiting priests, teachers and helpers and especially the children. May you always know the greatness of God's love and forgiveness.

From Father Victor....

In Today's Gospel, Jesus revealed himself as a good shepherd who knows his own flock and is a sacrifice for them. As we are called to serve our communities and or our parishes, we must never forget how a good shepherd served his flock. It is through self-sacrifice of our time and talent, patience and understanding for others.

God knows us and He calls us by name. As we are looking at different saints or clergy to learn from them, others look at us and learn from us. And as our struggles become real, even as others turn to us for guidance, we also have a shepherd to turn to for help. Most of us sometimes forget this, but we are leaders in our own way. The church of tomorrow depends on how we set the foundation for the church of today. There will be crisis and there will be need, but there will always be good people standing behind us.

As we hear this Gospel today, Let us remember Saint Teresa of Calcutta and her work of the Missionaries of Charity. She founded this order to serve people who are struggling with their lives and suffering from various diseases. During her lifetime, she ministered to the poor, sick, orphaned and dying, and she did not discriminate against anyone because of their religious backgrounds. I'm sure there are moments when she struggled. She too turned to her own shepherd for guidance and

We are all called to serve, just like Saint Teresa of Calcutta, just like Jesus. It is normal for others to turn to you for help and for you to overwhelmed, but never forget that you always have a Good Shepherd that you can turn to when you feel lost and in doubt.

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MASS TIMES AT ST TERESA OF CALCUTTA

Tuesday - Friday: 9.00am Saturdays: 6.00pm

Sundays: 9.30am & 5.00pm

1st Friday of each month: 6.00pm & 1st Sat of each month: 9.00am

CHILDREN'S LITURGY 9.30am Sunday Mass

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Saturday: 5.30 - 5.50pm (prior to Mass)

MORNING TEA.....PLEASE JOIN US.....

After Mass: Every Wednesday and Sunday

morning.



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MASS INTENTIONS

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

CLARE CUNNINGHAM (RIP)

1ST Anniversary—7th May 2022



PRAY WITH US

ROSARY— after 9am Mass every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, and before Mass on Wednesday) and also Sunday at 8.30am, before Mass

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

Every Friday at 7.45am.



See notice board for update on Public health and social measures as from 28 April.

CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM!

Open your phone camera and point it to each of the QR codes to follow our pages!







PLANNED GIVING for 1st May 2022

1st Offering: \$ 509.65 2nd Offering: \$ 1,756.00 (incl. direct debits \$820 and

other donations)



MANY THANKS TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS

The Parish has planned giving envelopes and direct debit forms available to Parishioners. Forms are on the tables in the Narthex.

For a ONE-OFF DONATION please send to:

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08 May GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

8th May marks the 59th Anniversary of the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The Holy Mother Church takes this day to publicly fulfill the Lord's command to "ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). As much as we try our best to promote the culture of vocations within our family, parish community, and archdiocese; we ultimately affirm the primacy of grace and faith that only God can send good and faithful labourers into his harvest. We appreciate all forms of vocations, highlighting God's unique call to each one of us and our individual response to that call. On this day the Church emphasises on vocations to the ordained ministries, and all forms of consecrated and missionary way of life. Further info; Fr. Israel Quirit by email:

vocations@perthcatholic.org.au or 08 9220 5901.

READERS OF THE WORD FOR 7th & 8th May

Sat 6.00pm Ern Azzopardi POF Kathleen Anderson Sun 9.30am Judy Hook POF Maria Poppen Sun 5.00pm Ferdinand Prajogi

READERS OF THE WORD FOR 14TH & 15TH MAY

Sat 6.00pm Annabella Jaramillo POFCandice Carson Sun 9.30am Nia Parker POF:Michael Parker

Sun 5.00pm Judy Hook

ALTAR SERVERS FOR 14TH & 15TH MAY

Sat 6.00pm: Chandima Bandara (Snr Serveer) Lesanda and Danupa Bandaraa Sun 9.30am: Stig Kalande and Joshua Gales

Sun 5.00pm Danielle Poppen



OTHER NEWS

We acknowledge the Whadjuk Noongar people, the Traditional Owners who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.

Thank you to everyone who donated to the <u>Caritas</u> collection. The total raised was \$2,040.70

SACRAMENTAL DATES 2022

See notice board for dates and details.

Classes for the public school children who are receiving sacraments - Saturdays 4.00- 4.45pm.

<u>Youth of Baldivis</u>! Do you sing? Read? Or want to be involved in youth activities? If so, we would love to have you participate in our Monthly Youth Mass on the third Saturday at 6pm of every month.

Feel free to contact the Parish office on 9523 6097

Psychological & Counselling Services for Children, Teenagers, Adults, Family & Career Counselling

Please contact Dr Simon Karginoff (or Maya) for consultation, by email:

doctork@westnet.com.au

or text message on 0481533689 (Fri or Sat) You can also call or email the Parish office on 9523 6097 or baldivis@perthcatholic.org.au

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JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE OUT HORES DE MAYO AND SAN-TACRUZAN

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Rockingham

May 6-14-Novena/Rosary, flower offerings at 7pm

May 15—9.30am Mass followed by Procession,

M program and fellowship

For more details contact:

Glenda 0422 177723

See Notice board for more info.

Please bring a plate to share



ATTENTION

EVERYONE WHO IS ON A ROSTER FOR WEEKEND MASSES

There have been a number of Masses recently where we have been let down by the rostered person who has <u>not</u> been available for attendance at Mass. We are all there to help Father during Mass and It is important that the Mass which is our finest form of Prayer runs reverently and smoothly.

If, for whatever reason you are unable to come on your allotted day, it is not enough to say that you cannot attend. <u>Could you please contact someone on the "Contact List" and confirm a replacement to carry out the necessary duty,</u> whether it is "Reading", "Prayers of the Faithful", "Serving at Mass both Senior and Junior", "Choir" or "Controlling the Overhead Projections".

(All rostered people have been provided with a Contact List, if you do not have one, please ask Gigi or Helen in the Parish Office for a copy)

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