

# Weekly Parish Newsletter

## Credo

OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH  
3 KITCHENER STREET, NORTH BEACH  
WA 6020



### Welcome to Our Lady of Grace Parish - Fifth Sunday of Easter, Year B, 2024

#### Christ The True Vine

When, like St Paul, we 'believe in the name of Jesus Christ', God lives in us and we in him. We become branches of the true vine, Jesus Christ.

#### FIRST READING



A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Acts of the Apostles 9:26-31

When Saul got to Jerusalem he tried to join the disciples, but they were all afraid of him: they could not believe he was really a disciple. Barnabas, however, took charge of him, introduced him to the apostles, and explained how the Lord had appeared to Saul and spoken to him on his journey, and how he had preached boldly at Damascus in the name of Jesus. Saul now started to go round with them in Jerusalem, preaching fearlessly in the name of the Lord. But after he had spoken to the Hellenists, and argued with them, they became determined to kill him. When the brothers knew, they took him to Caesarea, and sent him off from there to Tarsus.

The churches throughout Judaea, Galilee and Samaria were now left in peace, building themselves up, living in the fear of the Lord, and filled with the consolation of the Holy Spirit.

**The Word of the Lord**

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 21:26-28. 30-32 R/v. 26

**R/ I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people.**

1. My vows I will pay before those who fear him  
The poor shall eat and shall have their fill.  
They shall praise the Lord, those who seek him  
May their hearts live for ever and ever! **R/**
2. All the earth shall remember and return to the Lord,  
all families of the nations worship before him.  
They shall worship him, all the mighty of the earth;  
before him shall bow all who go down to the dust. **R/**
3. And my soul shall live for him, my children serve him.  
They shall tell of the Lord to generations yet to come,  
declare his faithfulness to peoples yet unborn:  
These things the Lord has done.' **R/**

#### SECOND READING

A reading from the first letter of St. John 1 John 3:18-24

My children, our love is not to be just words or mere talk, but something real and active: only by this can we be certain that we are the children of the truth and be able to quieten our conscience in his presence, whatever accusations it may raise against us, because God is greater than our conscience and he knows everything. My dear people, if we cannot be condemned by our own conscience, we need not be afraid in God's presence, and whatever we ask him, we shall receive, because we keep his commandments and live the kind of life that he wants. His commandments are these: that we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and that we love one another as he told us to. Whoever keeps his commandments lives in God and God lives in him. We know that he lives in us by the Spirit that he has given us.

**The Word of the Lord**

#### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION John 15:4-5

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Live in me and let me live in you, says the Lord;  
my branches bear much fruit.

**Alleluia!**

#### GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John  
John 15:1-8

Jesus said to his disciples:

"I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. Every branch in me that bears no fruit he cuts away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes to make it bear even more.

You are pruned already,  
by means of the word that I have spoken to you.  
Make your home in me, as I make mine in you.  
As a branch cannot bear fruit all by itself,  
but must remain part of the vine,  
neither can you unless you remain in me.

I am the vine,  
you are the branches.  
Whoever remains in me, with me in him,  
bears fruit of plenty;  
for cut off from me you can do nothing.  
Anyone who does not remain in me  
is like a branch that has been thrown away  
- he withers;  
these branches are collected and thrown on the fire,  
and they are burnt.

If you remain in me and my words remain in you,  
you may ask what you will and you shall get it.  
It is to the glory of my Father that you should bear much fruit, and  
then you will be my disciples'.

**The Gospel of the Lord**



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**Mass Times for Next Week**

- Mon** 9am Liturgy of the Word
- Tues** 6:45am & 9am
- Wed** 6:45am & 9am
- Thurs** 6:45am  
10am (Trinity Village)  
All Welcome
- Fri:** 6:45am & 9am
- Sat:** 8am

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**WEEKEND MASSES**

- Sat (Vigil)** 6pm
- Sun** 7:30am  
9:30am  
5:30pm

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**RECONCILIATION**

- Sat** 5pm to 5.45pm

This week's Homily from Father Hyginus can be found on our website: [www.ourladyofgrace.com.au](http://www.ourladyofgrace.com.au)

**KNOW YOUR GOD**  
"Love your neighbour as yourself"  
- Matthew 22-39

**PARISH NOTES**

**Please Help With Our Monthly Community Morning Tea**

For some time, we have had wonderful morning teas that have helped us to meet people from the community, catch up with friends and share our lives with one another. Madeleine Sullivan and her team have put in a lot of work and time to bring this monthly delight to us. We cannot thank them enough. We thank God also for blessing our community with many people who are happily generous with their talents.

Unfortunately, Madeleine is no longer able to help us with the coordination of our monthly morning tea, and she is happy for another person to step into the role. As we thank her for the very good job done, I invite all those who are happy to assist

the community with this very important role to please let me know or ring the parish office. God bless you all as I await your generous response.

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**Christian Leaders Scholarship**



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The Christian Leaders Scholarship helps nurture meritorious young Christians to become the next generation of leaders in our society. The Scholarship is offered by a group of Christian leaders in their personal capacity to promote Christians continuing making a positive impact in our society.

Application to the Scholarship is currently open. The scholarship is open to students commencing full-time university studies in 2025; and students currently in their first year of university studies. Application closes on Sunday 9 June 2024; however, as applications are being evaluated as they are received, worthy applicant(s) may be awarded before the closing date.

For more information, please refer to our [website](#).

**HOLY SPIRIT PILGRIMAGE (2024): Europe Pilgrimage and Tour**

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From 12/09/2024 - 27/09/2024

**Spiritual Director:** Fr. Emmanuel-tv.

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**Arts and Crafts Group**

The Arts and Crafts group meet weekly on a Tuesday at 9.30am, in the Pastoral Centre. Please come along to see the work this group does and learn new craft skills.

# Parish Notices

## The Safeguarding Program

### Safeguarding Training and Registration

#### **SAFEGUARDING LEVEL 1 – INDUCTION**

This 60-minute induction is for all those working or volunteering (paid or unpaid church worker) in the Archdiocese. It introduces the Safeguarding Policy and Guidelines, types of abuse (physical, emotional, sexual and neglect), the Code of Conduct and the importance of safeguarding in church roles.

Online sessions use ZOOM video conferencing. You will need an internet connection, a computer, smartphone or tablet with speakers, a microphone and a webcam either built-in or attached to your device. If you are unable to access IT, please visit your Parish/Agency/Organisation office to arrange the use of facilities.

We value your privacy and are committed to upholding the Australian Privacy Principles (Privacy Act 1988). Before providing us with your personal information, we encourage you to read our Privacy and Confidentiality Policy on personal information collection.

If you do not receive the ZOOM link a day prior the induction, please contact us on 9221 7762.

#### **March - April 2024**

ONLINE - Tuesday, 30 April 2024 at 2 pm

#### **May - June 2024**

ONLINE - Tuesday, 7 May 2024 at 7 pm

Armadale Parish - Thursday, 9 May 2024 at 1.30 pm

Armadale Parish - Thursday, 9 May 2024 at 6.30 pm

ONLINE - Tuesday, 14 May 2024 at 2 pm

ONLINE - Thursday, 23 May 2024 at 7 pm

ONLINE - Thursday, 30 May 2024 at 10 am

Whitford Parish - Saturday, 1 June 2024 at 10 am

ONLINE - Thursday, 06 June 2024 at 7 pm

ONLINE - Thursday, 13 June 2024 at 2 pm

East Vic Park Parish - Thursday, 13 June 2024 at 6 pm

Clarkson Parish - Wednesday, 19 June 2024 at 6 pm

ONLINE - Friday, 21 June 2024 at 10 am

ONLINE - Tuesday, 25 June 2024 at 7 pm

Kelmscott Parish - Thursday, 1 August 2024 at 7 pm

Kelmscott Parish - Thursday, 10 August 2024 at 10 am

## *Our Lady of Grace School Weekly Message*

### **Our Lady of Grace School Tours – TERM 2**

If you are interested in booking a tour of our school, and seeing up close our expansive playgrounds, our new outdoor learning spaces and classrooms, we have two tour dates this Term. To enquire or to book, please contact Mrs Ryan on 6241 9500 or email [enquiries@olg.wa.edu.au](mailto:enquiries@olg.wa.edu.au) In your email please include your preferred upcoming tour date (the mornings of Tuesday 7 May or Thursday 6 June).



## Children's Liturgy every Sunday from 9.15am in the Parish Hall

Want to share the values of Sunday morning mass with your children? Bring them along to Children's Liturgy in the Parish Hall every Sunday during the school term. The half hour session at the beginning of mass includes prayers and an activity to help the children better understand the mass.

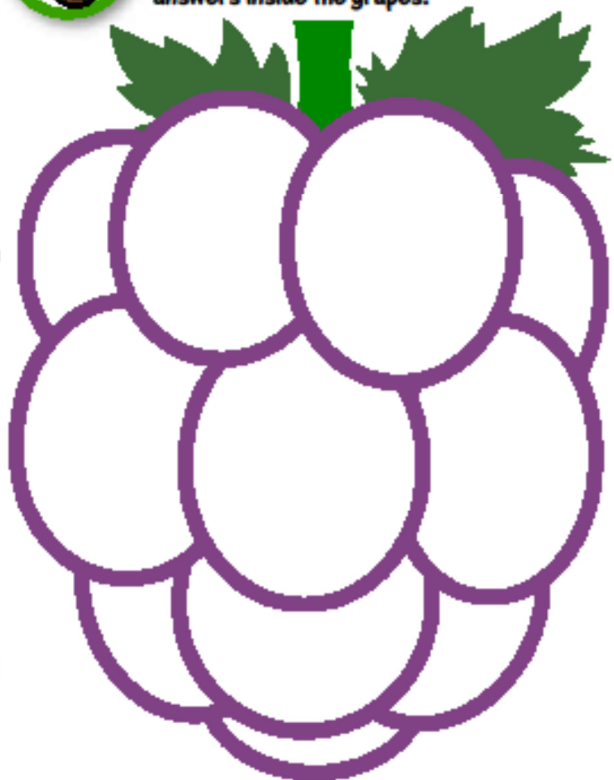
# I am the vine and you are the branches

5th Sunday of Easter, Year B

Who are some people in your community who are like branches of the vine? On each branch, write down a name and how they contribute their 'fruit' to the community.



Jesus says that we must be fruitful disciples. What are some of the ways that you can be a disciple to Jesus? Write or draw your answers inside the grapes.



Can you work out which of these three branches is the one bearing fruit?



# Parish Rosters

## Acolyte/Senior Altar Server Roster - April 2024

Mass Times	Acolyte/Senior Altar Server
6pm Saturday	Paul Lusk, Irene Walker
7.30am Sunday	Darren Vilé
9.30am Sunday	Juliet Taylor, Malcolm Dwyer
Sunday 5.30pm	Carla Christou (28th)

## Proclaimers of the Word

Date	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 7.30am	Sunday 9.30am	Sunday 5.30pm
4th & 5th May	Dot Harris	Bianca MacDonald	Thomas Moorhead	Rob Nunn
	Clare Broad	Janet Vladich		
11th & 12th May	Paul Massad	Margaret Farrell	Kathy Bogoyev	Paul, Harry & Abigail Armstrong
	Paul Forrestal	Kaye Hurd	Carolyn Halleen	

## Children's Liturgy

Date	Team
5th May	Tania Farcich, Taryn Tattersall, Vanessa Glenn
12th May	No Liturgy - Mother's Day Lond Weekend
19th May	No Liturgy - Sacrament of Confirmation

## Cleaning Roster

Date	Team
3rd & 4th May	Theresa Holtshausen, Kylie Pires, Kathy McKenna, Jessica Hawkins, Adriana Dubert
10th & 11th May	Pieta Thornton, Helen Stillitano, Rachel Wake, Talei Wilshurst, Danielle Wardrope, Brigid Evans, Annalise Chemello, Julia McCracken
17th & 18th May	Teresa Cassetai, Chantelle Burns, Judy Calcei, Silvana Acquaviva, Annette Gravestock



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### **PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL**

Fr Hyginus Ebede, Deacon Paul Stacy,  
Stephen Lee, Mark Fuderer, Susan Wright,  
Madeleine Sullivan, Louisa Merry, Irene Walker,  
Marilyn Lobo, Jim Joseph, Marc Tattersall,  
Paul Lusk

### **PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Fr Hyginus Ebede, Deacon Paul Stacy,  
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### **WEDDINGS**

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## *Community Groups*

### **OUR LADY OF GRACE SCHOOL**

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### **ADORATION CHAPEL**

Margaret & Jim Staddle  
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### **AL-ANON**

Fridays 9.30am in Room 1  
p: 9325 7528  
w: www.al-anon.alateen.org/australia

### **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**

Tuesdays 10.30am - 12.00 noon  
Parish Hall - Open Meeting

### **CATENIAN ASSOCIATION**

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### **CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY GROUP**

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### **CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUPS**

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Linda  
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Thursdays 7.30pm to 8.30pm  
Millie  
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### **LEGION OF MARY**

Wednesdays 10am in Room 1

1st Saturday of every month after the 8am  
Mass, you are all welcome to join to pray the  
Rosary for World Peace.

Giulia  
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### **REACHOUT - CARE & CONCERN**

Freda (contact anytime)  
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### **SACRI CATECHETICAL ASSOCIATION**

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### **SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP**

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### **ST. VINCENT de PAUL**

2nd & 4th Tuesdays 9.45am in the  
Somers Lounge