



**NOTRE DAME CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Parish of Belmont-Redcliffe and Cloverdale  
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**MASS TIMES**

- **Sat: 6.00pm Vigil Mass**
- **Sun: 8.00am, 10.00am, 6.00pm**
- Tuesday: 5.30pm
- Wednesday: 8.45am
- Thursday - Saturday: 8.30am

**28<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time YR A**

**15 Sun:** 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday O/T  
**16 Mon:** No Mass  
**17 Tues:** St Ignatius of Antioch  
**18 Wed:** St Luke  
**19 Thu:** Weekday Mass  
**20 Fri:** Weekday Mass  
**21 Sat** Weekday Mass/ Vigil 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in O/T


**SACRAMENTS & PRAYERS**


- Reconciliation: Sat 9am-9.30am
  - Rosary: Sat 8am
  - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Fri 9am-5pm
  - Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help: Wed 6.30pm
- \*For Baptisms & Weddings\***  
*Please call the Parish Office*

**PARISH FAITH FORMATION**

- **Bible Studies:** Tuesday @6pm in the Parish Centre - All welcome.
- **RCIA:** Tuesday @7.15pm.
- **Children's RE/Sacrament Prep:** Thursday @4.30pm during school terms.

**PARISH SCHOOLS**

 Notre Dame Catholic Primary  
360 Daly Street, Cloverdale WA 6105  
6272 7100 | [www.nds.wa.edu.au](http://www.nds.wa.edu.au)

 St Maria Goretti's Catholic School  
64 Morrison Street, Redcliffe WA 6104  
6279 2000 | [www.smg.wa.edu.au](http://www.smg.wa.edu.au)

**WELCOME TO MASS!** A very warm welcome to all, especially to new visitors. Remember to hand sanitise on entry, face masks are optional wear whilst in church. Thank you for your cooperation.

**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR A**

*COME TO THE BANQUET. Our God invites all people to the banquet of the kingdom, a banquet characterised by joy, integrity, and true peace. Sometimes, however, we decline this invitation preferring the lesser banquets that we know. May God enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called.*

**MASS COLLECTIONS**

Dear Parishioners, the COVID-19 crisis has impacted our liturgies and church celebrations. However, we still want to provide you with spiritual support, and we must continue to pay the bills. Please continue your monetary support to the Parish. Sign up to our Planned Giving program or you can use direct debit (contact Parish Office for details). Thank you.

PARISH BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS	First Collection EFT Details		Second Collection EFT Details	
	<b>A/C Name:</b> Cloverdale Presbytery		<b>A/C Name:</b> Cloverdale Parish	
	<b>BSB:</b> 086 006		<b>BSB:</b> 086 006	
	<b>Account #:</b> 140 608 771		<b>Account #:</b> 667 172 433	
	<b>Reference:</b> Name		<b>Reference:</b> Name	

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES ROSTER**

Mass	Acolyte	Commentator	Readers	Extraordinary Ministers	Altar Servers
<b>Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> Oct 6.00pm</b>	Greg Kempton		M Jackson R Bennett	C Nguyen M Jackson	J Nofal I Sharp
<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct 8.00am</b>	George Sekulla	R Bennett	S Robinson A Sali	L Turuva M Smith	P Sekulla
<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct 10.00am</b>	Andy Nguyen	V Erskine	A Semaan V Conier	Jong T Seputro	M & M Fernandes- Dodsley L Carson
<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct 6.00pm</b>	Pedro Borja		T Fernandez N Barker	B Ryan S Rodrigues	S Barker M Lanarolle

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**Parish Events**

**Masses in the Parish**

As of Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2022, the State Government announced that WA was no longer in a State of Emergency, however some restrictions will still apply.

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2022, 'The Sunday Obligation'** for the faithful was re-instituted by Archbishop Timothy Costelloe. This means that you are required to attend Sunday Mass, unless you are unwell. Although Mask-wearing is no longer mandatory in places of worship, it is your right to exercise common sense. If you wish to continue to wear a face mask while attending Mass, you are free to do so. Please hand sanitise as you are entering the church. If you are unwell or have a cold, please stay home until feeling better.

**Mass at Home** available on CH10 6am Sunday morning or go [www.massforyou.com.au](http://www.massforyou.com.au)

**Pilgrim Statues**

If you wish to have one of 'Our Lady's' statues visit your home for a week, please contact Sandra Robinson on H: 9277 2872 or M: 0405 117 138. **14<sup>th</sup> October:** K & L Fernando 16 Treffone St Redcliffe & R Saldanha 3/15 Ellard St, Belmont.

**Altar Server Training**

Has now been completed. Congratulations to our 10 new Altar Servers, they will be rostered on from November onwards. Thank you to Jerome our Acolyte who took them through their training.

**RCIA Commencement for 2023/2024**

If you know of anyone who would like to join the Catholic Faith Community, our RCIA has commenced, but it is not too late to join for the classes @ 7pm in the parish centre. Please contact Parish Office & details will be passed onto Ann, our coordinator.

**Appeal for Banksia Grove Parish**

Fr Vinh Dong PP of Banksia Grove Parish is calling on the assistance and support of our parish. The new church has now been built at Banksia Grove with cost of over \$6 million. They are a young parish and many of the parishioners are of migrant back grounds on working visa whose finances are limited. Recently Fr Mark Baumgarten (parishioner of Belmont/Redcliffe) has release a CD titled '**Now and Not Yet**'. These CD's will be available this weekend, 14/15<sup>th</sup> October. No price is set, but a donation towards Banksia Grove Parish will secure you a copy. There will also be a 'Passing Out' Collection after all Masses.

**November Memorial Masses 4/5<sup>th</sup> November**

The month of November is fast approaching, and our Memorial Masses will be celebrated the weekend 4/5<sup>th</sup> November 2023 to pray for all those who have passed away in the last 12 months, from the beginning of November 2022 until now. Sheets are available at both entrances for you to write the name of your deceased relatives or friends & which mass you will be attending. You will be invited to process with Fr Quynh at your nominated mass and place a memorial candle. Please place names on the list or email the parish office no later than 29<sup>th</sup> October.

**The Record Magazine – October Edition**

Still many copies available at both entrances, good articles and a good recipe at the back. Please take a copy home to read.

**Around the Archdiocese**

**Safeguarding Induction Training Online Course**

Training Level 1 is for all church workers, paid or volunteers, who have not attended the course in the last 3 years. The overview provides and overview of the Safeguarding Policies & Procedures. For more information Ph: 08 9221 7762  
E: [safeguarding@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:safeguarding@perthcatholic.org.au) or <https://safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au/training/>.  
Next Session is: Online Sessions: 19<sup>th</sup> October @ 2pm & 24<sup>th</sup> October @ 7pm. You can book online or phone Ingka 9221 7762.

**Rosary Procession Around Lake Monger**

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 7pm**, Our Lady's Rosary Procession around Lake Monger will take place leaving from the gazebo, down from the Dodd Street Carpark. All are welcome to come along and join in the praying of the Rosary as we walk around the lake. The paths are wheelchair and pram friendly. Those who are unable to walk may join others and sit in the gazebo where the Rosary will be led by Legionaries. Please bring your own chair. No naked flames are allowed so please bring a torch. Further info; Rosemary Bennett 0421 580 783.

**Notre Dame Community**

**Parish Upcoming Events**

**Melbourne Cup Luncheon:** Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November, more details over the next couple of weeks.

**Parish Thanksgiving Mass & Supper**

Thank you to all who attended last weekend, a lovely evening was had by all. A big thanks to the Social Committee for putting on the event & to the Rozario Family for providing the music for the evening.

**Containers for Change**

The parish has registered for the Containers for Change Scheme. Take your cans, bottles & plastics to 'TOMRA RECYCLING CENTRE' 41 - 43 Abernethy Rd Belmont (just past Wheeler St) scan the bar code and follow instructions. All monies will be paid into the 'Parish Building Fund Account'. Flyers available with all details on including the 'barcode' to scan.



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**In Our Prayers...**

**In Memoriam**

We commend to the Father's love all our faithful departed especially: *Raymond Joseph Kessler, deceased members of Kim Nguyen's family, Judith & Edward Saldanha, recently deceased Patricia (Pat) Clune and all souls in Purgatory.*

**Parishioners who are unwell:**

*Peter Butcher, Deacon Al & Aileen Atkinson, Anne Redmond, Maureen & Oliver Daly, Ravi Ratnayake, Fran Carter, Marjorie Williams, Glen Arathoon, Wilton Ottaway & Sharon Bridger.*

**Baptisms**

We welcome into our Catholic Faith Community: *Isla & Billie Coleman.*





**GOSPEL**

Mt 22:1-14

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

*Whomsoever you find invite to the wedding.*

Jesus said to the chief priests and elders of the people: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a feast for his son's wedding. He sent his servants to call those who had been invited, but they would not come. Next he sent some more servants. "Tell those who have been invited" he said "that I have my banquet all prepared, my oxen and fattened cattle have been slaughtered, everything is ready. Come to the wedding." But they were not interested: one went off to his farm, another to his business, and the rest seized his servants, maltreated them and killed them. The king was furious. He despatched his troops, destroyed those murderers and burnt their town. Then he said to his servants. "The wedding is ready; but as those who were invited proved to be unworthy, go to the crossroads in the town and invite everyone you can find to the wedding." So these servants went out on to the roads and collected together everyone they could find, bad and good alike; and the wedding hall was filled with guests.

When the king came in to look at the guests he noticed one man who was not wearing a wedding garment, and said to him, "How did you get in here, my friend, without a wedding garment?" And the man was silent. Then the king said to the attendants, "Bind him hand and foot and throw him out into the dark, where there will be weeping and grinding of teeth." For many are called, but few are chosen.'

■ **The Gospel of the Lord.**

*Shorter form, Mt 22: 1-10*

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# Breaking Open the Word



# THE SAVING WORD

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME / A

15 OCTOBER 2023

## CALLED TO HOPE

The readings for today are both comforting and unsettling. Isaiah's vision of the whole human family gathered in peace on the mountain of the Lord is one that all people of goodwill hope will one day come to pass. The Gospel, on the other hand, introduces a discordant and unsettling note as Jesus continues to confront his opponents with the disturbing parable of the wedding feast. It seems hardly fair that a poor man dragged off the street to make up the numbers at a wedding feast should then be cast out because he was improperly dressed. If Matthew is compared with Luke 14:15-24 it quickly becomes apparent that Matthew has combined two parables of Jesus regarding weddings. One spoke of guests who were invited but refused, the other spoke of someone who came to a wedding improperly dressed. Since Matthew's community comprised both Jewish and Gentile Christians it seems his aim was to make sure both groups avoided complacency and taking God's gracious invitation for granted.

As Paul reflects on his experience as an apostle, one thing he learned was that there was no room for complacency. The ministry he had received to preach the gospel was one which entailed many risks, poverty and plenty, acceptance and rejection. In order to preach the gospel, he worked to support himself but was often assisted by communities that he had established. As he nears the conclusion of the letter to the community in Philippi, he thanks them for their generosity and support.

## FIRST READING

Isa 25:6-10

**A reading from the prophet Isaiah**

*The Lord will prepare a feast and will wipe away the tears from every cheek.*

On this mountain,  
the Lord of hosts will prepare for all people  
a banquet of rich food, a banquet of fine wines,  
of food rich and juicy, of fine strained wines.  
On this mountain he will remove  
the mourning veil covering all peoples,  
and the shroud enwrapping all nations,  
he will destroy Death for ever.  
The Lord will wipe away  
the tears from every cheek;  
he will take away his people's shame  
everywhere on earth,  
for the Lord has said so.  
That day, it will be said: See, this is our God  
in whom we hoped for salvation;  
the Lord is the one in whom we hoped.  
We exult and we rejoice  
that he has saved us;  
for the hand of the Lord  
rests on this mountain.

■ **The word of the Lord.**

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 22. R. v. 6

**R. I shall live in the house of the Lord  
all the days of my life.**

1. The Lord is my shepherd; / there is  
nothing I shall want. / Fresh and green are the  
pastures / where he gives me repose. / Near  
restful waters he leads me, / to revive my  
drooping spirit. **R.**

2. He guides me along the right path; / he  
is true to his name. / If I should walk in the  
valley of darkness / no evil would I fear. / You  
are there with your crook and your staff; / with  
these you give me comfort. **R.**

3. You have prepared a banquet for me / in the  
sight of my foes. / My head you have anointed  
with oil; / my cup is overflowing. **R.**



4. Surely goodness and kindness shall follow  
me / all the days of my life. / In the Lord's own  
house shall I dwell / for ever and ever. **R.**

## SECOND READING

Phil 4:12-14, 19-20

**A reading from the letter of St Paul to the  
Philippians**

*I am able to do all things in him who strengthens me.*

I know how to be poor and I know how to be  
rich too. I have been through my initiation and  
now I am ready for anything anywhere: full  
stomach or empty stomach, poverty or plenty.  
There is nothing I cannot master with the  
help of the One who gives me strength. All the  
same, it was good of you to share with me in  
my hardships. In return my God will fulfil all  
your needs, in Christ Jesus, as lavishly as only  
God can. Glory to God, our Father, for ever and  
ever. Amen.

■ **The word of the Lord.**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

cf. Eph 1:17, 18

**Alleluia, alleluia! / May the Father of our  
Lord Jesus Christ / enlighten the eyes of  
our heart, / that we might see how great  
is the hope / to which we are called. /  
Alleluia!**

**Christopher Monaghan CP**