



PARISH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION, NORTH WODEN

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15-16 JUNE, THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY (YEAR C)

WEEKDAY AND WEEKEND MASSES and RECONCILIATION TIMES:

Monday	9.30 am Curtin
Tuesday	9.30 am Curtin
Wednesday	9.30am Curtin
Thursday	9.30am Curtin
Friday	9.30am Curtin
Saturday	Reconciliation 5.00-5.30pm Curtin 6.00pm Curtin
Sunday	9.30am Garran, 5.30 pm Curtin

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Blest be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

O Lord our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come. Alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Since you are the children of God, God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father.

MAY THE DECEASED REST IN PEACE AND RISE IN EASTER GLORY

Recently Deceased: Victims of the Darwin shootings, Julia McDonald, Quentin Pongia, Kevin Walsh, Bianca Bagetti, Daphne Thompson, Bob Hawke (former PM), Victims of Burkino Faso shootings, Jean Vanier (founder of L'Arche), Mario Camarotto, Manuela Gomez, Catherine McGrath, Jimmy McGrath, Sr Elizabeth Glass RSJ, Patrick Cully, Lesley Thompson (mother of Fr Richard, South Woden), Jane Crawford, Ollie Bugno, Nadia Di Paoli, Carol Currey, Anne Denny, Vonnie Beath, Bilington family and all victims of Sri Lankan terrorist attacks.

Anniversaries of Death: Patrick Keily, Nicolas Dambrosia, Kathleen Majer, All those who died in and following the D-Day landings, Brian Lacey, Tano Travia, Antonio Trimboli, Nick D'Ambrosio, Maria Huang, Bob Bliss, Margaret Walsh, Ellen Woods, Pat and Hilda Hopkins, Monica George, Murray Crawford, Dorothy Donnellan, Wendy Egan, Barry Moran, Richard Pugh, Sean Reiher, Jack Perry, Bill Manera, Peter Nguyen, Anna Nguyen, Agnes McCabe, John Morris.

MAY THE SICK BE COMFORTED BY OUR PRAYERS

Dick Barry, Anthony Clift, Gary Pertz, Luke Ward, Eric Reiher, Alan Alder, John Vincent, David Parker, Mark Shepherd, Violet Webster, Catherine Peachey, Lois Loft, Geoff Hill, Lucy Duncan, Rod Duncan, Gillian Moyes, Edith Schumann, Kevin Cains, Stephen Evans, Luke Ward, Dermott Cummins, Jessica Perlibachas, Natasha Phillopinas, Nayomi Allaprandi, Timothy Roberts, Helen Pudovskis.

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Today we celebrate that our God is one yet three. I know, sounds crazy. However the understanding of the Bible is that God has self-revealed as Creator, Saviour and Sanctifier or Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Yet these descriptors are inadequate to the mystery of God. Fr Brendan Byrne SJ speaks of the early Church sensing that their communion with the Father in Jesus was so strong that, *"eventually, they came to recognise it as involving a third divine person."* This sense of the triune yet one God *"was not a remote heavenly mystery, let alone an arid theological puzzle, but a way of expressing the Christian sense of being drawn into the divine communion of love."* In this awareness *"they found the impulse and the energy to be instruments of the saving outreach of that love into the world."* And so we understand the Church to be both communion and mission in Christ. **Today we pray with and for those young parishioners who gather with their families to celebrate their First Holy Communion. May the nurturing of their faith and potential at home and school be regularly nourished by gathering with and partaking of the Body of Christ so as to be the Body of Christ. We also hope that the formulation of the Six**

National Themes for Discernment of the Plenary Council (which arose from the almost 17,500 submissions received between May 2019 and March 2019) will assist us through prayer and reflection to be a Christ-centred Church that is: *Missionary and Evangelising; Inclusive, Participatory and Synodal; Prayerful and Eucharistic; Humble, Healing and Merciful; A Joyful, Hope-filled and Servant Community; Open to Conversion, Renewal and Reform.* Further info at www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au. We acknowledge both challenges and emerging possibilities as on this Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity we affirm that the Church is both ever ancient and ever new.

Fr John

PARISH MATTERS

ST VINCENT DE PAUL: Winter Appeal is now open to assist those struggling during the cold winter months. Donations can be made by envelope in the foyer or in the Poor Box.

St Vincent de Paul CEO Sleepout: Parishioner Claire Frazer, PPC member and Principal of St Gregory's School, Queanbeyan, will be participating in the Vinnies CEO Sleepout and seeks your support so that Vinnies can continue their much needed outreach to the homeless of Canberra. Register at <https://www.ceosleepout.org.au/fundraiser/clairefrazer>

PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM: as the financial year is drawing to a close there will be an opportunity to renew your planning giving at all Masses next weekend.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES – Confirmation: Parent Information Night (PIN) Tuesday 30 July; Celebration 17 and 19 September. First Reconciliation: PIN Thursday 17 October; Celebration Thursday 28 November.

CLERGY MOVES: In the ensuing months the following moves will occur: **Fr Tom Thornton** Parish Priest, from Young to Charnwood; **Fr Joshy Kurien** PP, from Cootamundra to Goulburn and Crookwell; **Fr Tony Percy** VG and PP Wanniasa, **Fr Norvin Dias** (from Sydney) Assistant Priest at the Cathedral. The parishes of Young and Cootamundra will become vacant soon.

CONCERNED CATHOLICS CANBERRA GOULBURN: 7.30pm Wed 26 Jun 2019, ACCC, 15 Blackall Street, Barton, 'Our Church or Our Museum?', Fr Frank Brennan SJ AO. All welcome. Supper provided. Contact rod@rodpage.com

ACT RIGHT TO LIFE ASSOCIATION INC.: All welcome to hear Senator Amanda Stoker, Liberal Senator for Qld, speaking on pro-life issues, particularly Euthanasia. Holy Trinity Parish Centre, Strangways St, Curtin, 2 pm, Sun 30 June. Short discussion and refreshments to follow. Further information: 02 62812365

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC STUDENTS ASSOCIATION: National Conference will be held at St Joseph's College Hunters Hill, Sydney, 5-7 July. For information <https://www.facebook.com/australiancatholicstudents/>

PILGRIMAGE TO EDEN: parishioners are invited to join the Archbishop's annual pilgrimage to Eden in honour of St Mary of the Cross MacKillop. Saturday, 10 August, 2019.

MERICI 60 CONCERT: As part of Merici College's 60th Anniversary celebrations, a nostalgic concert and fundraiser will be held at 7pm, Fri 9 and Sat 10 Aug in the College Auditorium, Wise Street Braddon. Tickets at www.trybooking.com/BCWAY. All funds raised will be used to improve student spaces.

Prayer Circle Support: Cathy Harris, 6281 2574.

Planned Giving and Loose Collection: \$784.00

Readings for Next Sunday: Gen 14:18-20; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11-17.

LITURGICAL ROSTERS NEXT WEEK: 29-30, The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) Year C

	Curtin Sat. 6pm	Garran Sun. 9.30 am	Curtin Sun. 5.30 pm
Acolyte	Long Nguyen	Stafferd Fernandez	Gary Parker
Servers			
Reader	V Ciuffetelli	Juliana Maher	K Anderson
Commentator	Nedra Kelaart	Alan Grinsell-Jones	
Usher/Welcomer	Margaret Williams	Jeannette Clarke	
Ministers of Comm.	Tony Butler, Alex Evers	Jane Hunt, Peter Wynter	
Communion to Sick	St Andrew's Liz Anderson	Fred Ward Maureen Boyle	Homes Jenny Ryan
Collectors	C Wagstaff, J David	T Fitzgerald, D Jeffrey	Alex Reynolds, J Warhurst
Collection Counters	Rosemary O'Mally		