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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B 14 - 15 July 2018

PLENARY COUNCIL

Now that the first stage is over, the Australian Catholic Church is now embarking on a listening and Dialogue Phase where all parishes, through their groups, families and individuals will be encouraged to reflect on and discuss the following question:

WHAT YOU THINK GOD IS ASKING OF US IN AUSTRALIA AT THIS TIME?

So what do we do next?

For the Cathedral Parish

Throughout the rest of this month we will establish a Plenary Team - Its membership will include members of our Pastoral Council - a coordinator and an assistant coordinator this will be a strong emphasis of our Cathedral Parish Pastoral Council.

We will encourage our Parish Coordinator to help with the Diocesan Plenary Network and work with the Diocesan Coordinator.

Through our Cathedral Coordinator we will become part of the Diocesan Plenary Network.

In August – we will participate with the Diocese who will hold training sessions for Animators/Coordinators.

We will invite your participation in the Listening/dialogue sessions - from Aug -2018 to Ash Wednesday 9th March 2019.

We encourage all parishioners, primary schools and secondary school to combine in praying for the Plenary by continually including prayers of petition in school prayers and through our prayers of the faithful.

I invite all parishioners, primary schools and secondary school to use the plenary prayer encourage its use in the family home daily as I encourage all parish groups to pray the Plenary prayer in your meetings – this prayer is available to all in the Parish Bulletin and on the website (<http://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/pray/>)

ONCE WE HAVE A PLENARY TEAM, WHAT NEXT?

We will be in constant communication with Sale Diocesan Plenary Team as several resources are being developed nationally to assist dioceses and parishes to hosting, listening and dialogue sessions – we anticipate regular news updates about them.

OUR CATHEDRAL PARISH PROUDLY HAD TWO REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT WITH THE DIOCESAN GAUDIUM ET SPES TEAM WHO ATTENDED THE PROCLAIM 2018 CONFERENCE IN BRISBANE FROM WEDNESDAY JULY 11 TO FRIDAY JULY 13 – WE ARE GRATEFUL TO JENNIFER FITZGERALD AND VERONICA BARNES AND ANTICIPATE THEIR LEADERSHIP THROUGHOUT THIS WHOLE TIME – from this conference we anticipate our Cathedral Parish and other parishes throughout the Diocese will be assisted in the prayer and planning for the Plenary 2020.

Sophy Morley is the Diocesan Convenor for the Plenary 2020 process. Sophy would welcome any input/comments/questions that you may have.

Remember easy access is available to one and all by using the Plenary Council website
<http://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au>

With the kindest of wishes
Dean Peter

PARISH CALENDAR

18 July 7pm - PPC meeting, Chair Brenda Burditt

17 July 10.30am - Liturgy Group meeting

6 August 7pm - RCIA Information Evening, Bishop's House

8 August 10am - E-conference

5 - 12 August - National Vocations Awareness Week

RITE OF WELCOME AND BAPTISM: This weekend at St Mary's Cathedral, we welcome for Baptism Feanne Dumaguin daughter of Saturnino and Nery. Congratulations to the family from all of us.

PETER'S PENCE Thank you for your generous support in last week's Peter's Pence Collection! As a parish, we collected **\$815.15**. Our contributions will be combined with those from our brothers and sisters around the world to help Pope Francis provide essential relief to people in need.

ALL RESCUED: We rejoice at the rescue of the twelve young 12 soccer boys and their coach in a combined effort the world round, who teaming together showed a respect for the value of young lives, risking their lives by combining as team and family. This is a marvellous story that inspires and affirms the care and compassion that is in all our hearts. Our prayer is may we all marvel at what love can do, what risks love takes and what peace and joy love brings. Hail Mary.....

31 CLUB REMINDER 18 - 24 July 2018

ST VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL **\$2,488.00** was gifted by the Parishioners of Sale, Rosedale, Stratford, Briagolong and the Catholic Community of Loch Sport. The Society thanks you with respect and gratitude for your generosity.

BAPTISMS: By arrangement through the Parish Office or with Veronica, phone 5144 4100. **ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament**, Friday after Mass 1130am—12.00noon **First Friday of the Month** 11.30am-4.00pm At St Rose of Lima, Rosedale on 1st Wednesday of each month 9.30am-10.30am **RECONCILIATION: Cathedral: Friday** 11.30am after Mass, **Saturday** After the 9.30am Mass—10.30am **Stratford and Briagolong on Sunday or Rosedale on Saturday evening:** Before or after Mass or anytime by arrangement with the priest. **MARRIAGES:** Not less than six months notice please.

NATIONAL VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK

The Dioceses of Sale/Melbourne/Ballarat/Sandhurst/Tasmania need more priests and religious. Each one of us can do something about this. Firstly - pray each day. A simple prayer may be the cause of one person saying 'yes'. Secondly - talk about the possibility of a vocation to others. Lend your voice to the call of the Lord.

NVAW WEEK 5 - 12 AUGUST In this Year for Youth and Vocational Discernment, we pray for the young people of our parish and family - that our prayers and support will assist them to discern God's plan for their life.

THE EMMAUS WALKING RETREAT

14 - 21 October 2018

The Emmaus Walking Retreat is a seven-day Walking Retreat in South Gippsland Victoria, from San Remo to Welshpool. The walk takes us along the George Bass Coastal walk, Bass Coast Rail Trail and the Great Southern Rail Trail. This Guided Retreat is an opportunity to spend some reflective time walking as a small community. The disciples on the road to Emmaus contemplated their own journey, having walked with Jesus in their lives. In a similar manner participants are invited to explore their own spiritual journey, walking with Jesus. A reasonable degree of fitness is essential with average daily distances between 15 and 24 kms. Participants all received a copy of the walk's Itinerary and Prayer Guide. Accommodation and transport are provided, while meals are not included. **Campion Centre of Ignatian Spirituality** 99 Studley Park Road Kew Vic 3101 Phone: 03 9854 8110.

MONEY HANDED IN Money was found near the piety stall recently if you believe this is yours please check with Clare in the Parish Office.

RCIA INFORMATION EVENING

Monday 6 August 2018 at 7pm in the Bishop's House.

Are you someone or do you know someone who....

- ◆ Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- ◆ Has a child over the age of seven who has not been baptised?
- ◆ Was baptised Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

We offer an opportunity to come together as a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teaching and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist during the Easter season. There are separate sessions for children and youth. You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting.

For information, please contact the **Parish Office on 5144 4100** or **Brenda Bowden, RCIA Coordinator on 0408 260 955**

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Saturday 14 July 5.30pm: Maria Chrzanowska, Marian and Janina Chrzanowski (A's)

COUNTERS:

15 July: Team 6: Mike & Margaret Hickey, Sue Harvey

22 July: Team 7: Mary Lonsdale, Libby Johnson, Theo & Sandra Smolenaars

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND:

Planned Giving: \$1,581.00

House: \$752.95

With thanks from a grateful parish.

SACRISTY: 19 July: Team 6: Pam Young, Phyl Capraro, Liz Ronchi

26 July: Team 1: Lyn Althaus, Jenny Rebecchi

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**Mass Timetable this week
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B
14 - 15 July 2018**

| Day/Date | Time | Place |
|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| Saturday 14 July <i>Reconciliation after 9.30am Mass</i> | 9.30am 11.00am 5.30pm 7.00pm | Cathedral Loch Sport Cathedral Rosedale |
| Sunday 15 July | 9.30am 9.30am 5.00pm | Cathedral Stratford Cathedral |
| Monday 16 July | 9.30am | Cathedral |
| Tuesday 17 July | 9.30am 10.30am | Cathedral Wilson Lodge |
| Wednesday 18 July | 10.30am | Ashleigh House |
| Thursday 19 July | 9.30am | Cathedral |
| Friday 20 July | 11.00am | Cathedral |
| Saturday 21 July <i>Reconciliation after 9.30am Mass</i> | 9.30am 5.30pm 7.00pm | Cathedral Cathedral Rosedale |
| Sunday 22 July | 9.30am 9.30am 5.00pm | Cathedral Briagolong Cathedral |

Plenary Council Prayer

*Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost.
Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.
O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia
and guide us on the pilgrim way of the
Plenary Council.*

*Give us the grace to see your face in one another
and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the
road.*

*Give us the courage to tell our stories
and to speak boldly of your truth.*

*Give us ears to listen humbly to each other
and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying.
Lead your Church into a hope-filled future,
that we may live the joy of the Gospel.*

*Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
bread for the journey from age to age.
Amen.*

*Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us.
St Mary MacKillop, pray for us.*

PARISH PRAYER.

*God our loving Father, we give you thanks and praise for our Cathedral Parish of Sale, for your people and your Creation.
Nourish us by your daily Word and Eucharist. Enrich us in our faith, hope and love.
Strengthen us with the spirit of your mercy and grace. Make us grateful for your gifts as we journey through our lives
together.
May we be a welcoming and serving community, always discerning and doing your will for one another.
We make this prayer through Christ Our Lord. Amen.*

We remember those who have died **Michael Campbell (Bairnsdale), Mary Marshall, Sr Kathleen Ryan (Sr Aurelian - Sion), Darby Orchard**, and those whose anniversaries occur about this time **Bernadette Wade, James Morgan, Maria Chrzanowski, Marian and Janina Chrzanowski**. We pray for those who are sick **Fr Brian O'Connor, Ivy Acquino, Rosie Carroll, Noreen Lyttle, Maureen O'Kane and Suzanne Wheeler**. We pray in thanks for all who care for the sick.

| Date: 22/07/2018 | Welcomer | Commentator | Reader | Offertory Procession | Extraordinary Minister of Communion |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Saturday 5.30pm | | Damian Hogan | Liz Tabuteau Margaret Shirreffs | | Frank Fidge, Wilbert Smits, John Cooper |
| Sunday 9.30am | Harold & Mary Hopkins | Sue Mattson | Jeff Hobbs Bill Smolenaars | Doug Waite | Lenie Smolenaars, Peter Centra, Brian Donnelly |
| Sunday 5.00pm | | Jennifer Fitzgerald | Andrea Elgueta Louie Minoza | | Lyn and Len Althaus, Kath Telling |



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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

FIRST READING:

A reading from the prophet Amos 7:12-15

Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, said to Amos, 'Go away, seer; get back to the land of Judah; earn your bread there, do your prophesying there. We want no more prophesying in Bethel; this is the royal sanctuary, the national temple.' 'I was no prophet, neither did I belong to any of the brotherhoods of prophets.' Amos replied to Amaziah, 'I was a shepherd, and looked after sycamores: but it was the Lord who took me from herding the flock, and the Lord who said, "Go, prophesy to my people Israel."

The Word of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation.

I will hear what the Lord God has to say,
a voice that speaks of peace,
peace for his people.

His help is near for those who fear him
and his glory will dwell in our land. (R.)

Mercy and faithfulness have met;
justice and peace have embraced.
Faithfulness shall spring from the earth
and justice look down from heaven. (R.)

The Lord will make us prosper
and our earth shall yield its fruit.
Justice shall march before him
and peace shall follow his steps. (R.)

SECOND READING :

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Ephesians 1:3-14

Blessed be God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with all the spiritual blessings of heaven in Christ. Before the world was made, he chose us, chose us in Christ, to be holy and spotless, and to live through love in his presence, determined that we should become his adopted sons, through Jesus Christ for his own kind purposes, to make us praise the glory of his grace, his free gift to us in the Beloved in whom, through his blood, we gain our freedom, the forgiveness of our sins. Such is the richness of the grace which he has showered on us in all wisdom and insight. He has let us know the mystery of his purpose, the hidden plan he so kindly made in Christ from the beginning to act upon when the times had run their course to the end: that he would bring everything together under Christ, as head, everything in the heavens and everything on earth. And it is in him that we were claimed as God's own, chosen from the beginning, under the predetermined plan of the one who guides all things as he decides by his own will; chosen to be, for his greater glory, the people who would put their hopes in Christ before he came. Now you too, in him, have heard the message of the truth and the good news of your salvation, and have believed it: and you have been stamped with the seal of the Holy Spirit of the Promise, the pledge of our inheritance which brings freedom for those whom God has taken for his own, to make his glory praised.

The Word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark 6:7-13.

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs giving them authority over the unclean spirits. And he instructed them to take nothing for the journey except a staff – no bread, no haversack, no coppers for their purses. They were to wear sandals, but, he added, 'Do not take a spare tunic.' And he said to them, 'If you enter a house anywhere, stay there until you leave the district. And if any place does not welcome you and people refuse to listen to you, as you walk away shake off the dust from under your feet as a sign to them.' So they set off to preach repentance; and they cast out many devils, and anointed many sick people with oil and cured them.

The Gospel of the Lord.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Cathedral: Friday after Mass from 11.30am -12noon
1st Friday of each Month 11.30am - 4.00pm
Reconciliation:
Cathedral: **Saturday:** Following Mass: 10am to 10.30am.



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READINGS NEXT WEEK

16th Sunday in Ordinary time, Year B
1st Reading: **Jeremiah 23:1-6**
2nd Reading: **Ephesians 2:13-15**
Gospel: **Mark 6:30-34**

SUNDAY MASS TIMETABLE

Saturday: Cathedral - 5.30pm Vigil
Saturday: Rosedale - 7:00pm Vigil
Saturday: Loch Sport - 11.00am (2nd & 4th)
Sunday: Cathedral - 9:30am
Sunday. Briagolong - 9.30am (2nd & 4th)
Sunday Stratford - 9.30am (1st,3rd & 5th)
Sunday: Cathedral - 5.00pm (Winter)

**NEW IN THE PARISH? CHANGED ADDRESS IN THE LAST YEAR?
NEED PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES OR TO
UPDATE THE PARISH RECORDS?**

Please let us know we'd like to meet you! If you complete the form below, you could place it on the plate at Mass or hand it in to the Parish office. We'll hope to catch up soon.

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