# **BULLETIN** St Pius X Church The Most Holy Trinity - Year A 4<sup>th</sup> June 2023



# Manning Parish Catholic Archdiocese of Perth

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## Scripture Commentary by Dianne Bergant CSA



The report of Moses' encounter with God is rich with covenantal language. God initiates the encounter and descends upon the mountain in a cloud that both reveals and conceals the divine presence. Revelation of the divine name YHWH (the Lord) is followed by the explanatory phrase 'merciful, gracious, slow to anger, rich in mercy, lovingkindness and truth'. This phrase, which eventually became a creedal recital (see Ps 86:15; 103:8; 145:8; Num 14:18; Joel 2:13; Nah 1:3; Neh 9:17, Jonah 4:2), is not an interpretation of the name but a description of the divine essence. In response to this spectacular revelation, Moses prostrates himself in worship. Moses admits that this is a difficult people, stiff-necked or stubborn. They do not easily follow directives. They are in need of God's mercy.

The doxology from Daniel includes the refrain: Praiseworthy and glorious above all forever! God is first praised for having been the God of the ancestors. The reference here is probably to the promises that God made to Abraham and to his family (cf. Gen 12:1-3; 17:5-8). This is

followed immediately by the mention of God's holy and glorious name. God is next praised in the temple, the focal point of the religious life of the nation. Though believed to be present in the temple, God was really enthroned above the heavens. God holds sway over the depths as well. Thus God reigns over all.

The short passage from 1 Corinthians with the typical Pauline begins exhortation, followed by greetings from other Christians. Paul's exhortation is fivefold. He begins with a summons to reioice. He then admonishes the Christians to mend their ways. The admonition throws light on the situation in the Corinthian community. He exhorts them to be of one mind, for if their differences turn into factionalism, this might cause the entire fabric of community to unravel. The final exhortation is a summons to live in the kind of peace that will enable them to experience the presence of the God. Paul ends with a Trinitarian blessing.

In the gospel reading, the extent of God's love is drawn in bold lines in two different ways. The first is the scope of divine love; the second is the price that God is willing to pay because of that love. The author maintains that God's love for the world is so deep and so magnanimous that nothing is spared for the world's salvation, not even God's only Son. God gave/sent this Son first in the incarnation and again in his saving death. This Son was truly a gift from God. However, the Son had a sacred, allencompassing mission to perform. The world, though created good, often stands in opposition to God and, consequently, is in need of being saved. It is this sinful world that God loved (v.16); it is into this sinful world that God's only Son was sent (v.17).

### Project Compassion 2023

Thank you to all our Parishioners who contributed generously to this year's Project Compassion. The total raised was \$8,753.85. Receipts for those who had requested one, can be found in the Church foyer. Please remember to take your copy.



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# SCHEDULES

Confession Saturday 5.00 to 5.30pm Or anytime by appointment

#### **Normal Weekend Masses**

Saturday 6.00pm Vigil Mass Sunday 7.30am, 9.00am Mass & 11.00am Chinese Mass

#### **Normal Weekday Masses**

Monday 8.00am Communion Service Tuesday to Saturday 8.00am Mass (Check Parish Calendar for Variations)

#### Sacrament of Baptism

Saturdays at 10.30am **No Baptism during Lent Other Time** Negotiable with Father Patrick

#### Sacrament of Marriage

By appointment with Fr Patrick At least 6 Months before wedding Marriage Preparation Course Enrolment Website: www.cmfs.org.au Email: enquiries@cmfs.org.au



#### **St Pius X Primary School**

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ROSTER		Weekend 3/4 June	Weekend of 10/11 June
Special Ministers	Sat 6.00pm	David Handojo	David Handojo
	Sun 7.30am	Marilyn Lamplugh	Marilyn Lamplugh
	Sun 9.00am	Mary Webster	Mary Webster
Readers Sat 6.00pm		Carlos Sivalingam	Susanna Hooper
	Sun 7.30am	Pauline Joseph	Volunteer
	Sun 9.00am	John Collins	Antonia Chandra
Counters		Elizabeth NJoronha & Terry Scanlan	Colleen & Pat Lowry

#### **Parish Calendar**

June Mon 5	8.00am	Communion Service - Church
Tue 6	8.00am	Mass (Week 9 in Ordinary time) Church
Wed 7	8.00am	Mass (Week 9 in Ordinary time) Church
Thu 8	8.00am	Mass (Week 9 in Ordinary time) Church
Fri 9	8.00am	Mass (Week 9 in Ordinary time) Church
Sat 10	8.00am	Mass (Week 9 in Ordinary time) Church
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass (Corpus Christi - Year A) Church
Sun 11	7.30 am	Sunday Mass (Corpus Christi - Year A) Church
	9.00am	Sunday Mass (Corpus Christi - Year A) Church
	11.00am	Sunday Chinese Mass (Corpus Christi - Year A) Church

# Line Dancing Classes

Mondays and Wednesdays 10am - 12noon \$6 per session All proceeds go to the Parish This is a community building initiative to keep you fit and active with the help of Francis and Hellen Tay All are welcome; no age limits.



# Tai Chi Group

Mondays in Parish Hall except holidays Starts 7:30pm and finishes at 8:30pm All parishioners are most welcome For more information, please contact or text Maurice on 0408 782 224 or Stephen on 0403 167 838

# LITURGICAL RORMATION & RENEWAL 2023 PROGRAM

Pope Francis in his Apostolic Letter <u>Desiderio Desideravi</u> of June 2022 highlighted the need for liturgical formation.

A program of liturgical formation and renewal has been prepared for the Archdiocese. At the heart of this program of renewal, there should be a rediscovery of the richness of our Catholic faith in the Eucharist, including our belief in the real presence of Jesus Christ under the sacramental signs of bread and wine.

> Four short videos have been produced to be used as part of the Liturgical Formation and Renewal program. Check the Links below

https://liturgy.perthcatholic.org.au/videos-liturgical-formation-and-renewal/

# Morning Tea



Our hosts for morning tea in June are Margaret Byron and Beryl Dennis

Please join us this Sunday after the 9.00 am mass

ALL ARE WELCOME



# Seniors Gathering

Our Seniors Lunch will be on Thursday 15 June 2023 from 12 to 2pm

Please put your name & contact on the List provided in the Foyer.

# 2023 Sacraments Schedules

## First Holy Communion 9.00am Sunday, 11 June 2023

**First Reconciliation** 

10.30am-12.30pm Saturday 28 October 2023 Commitment Mass 6pm 16 Sept 2023 Parent/Child Workshop 5.30pm 12 October 2023

# Monsignor John Hawes Trails 4 Day Hawes Heritage Trail Pilgrimage

20 - 23 August 2023 - \$300 per person

On this Pilgrimage based in Geraldton, you will discover the iconic buildings and sites relating to the heritage of Priest/Architect John Cyril Hawes. The tour will include luxury coach transport, Mass daily and visits to local tourist attractions other than Hawes sites. Lunch and snacks are provided along with a Pilgrim Shell and Tour Booklet. Pilgrims will be accompanied by Fr Robert Cross, Tour Guide and Spiritual Director, as well as a Pilgrimage Coordinator. Travel to and from Geraldton and accommodation in Geraldton are the Pilgrim's responsibility. For more information go to www.monsignorhawes.com or Phone Gerry Eastman 0417 912997.

# Catholic Charismatic Renewal CCR Retreat - 16-18 June, 2023

Catholic Charismatic Renewal is conducting a weekend live-in retreat with presenters both local and national. The retreat aims to help us reclaim our Godgiven peace, hope and joy which have been so challenged by the world events of the past few years. Accommodation is in twin share chalets and, at \$150 total per person, this is excellent value for a soulrestoring weekend! All meals are supplied. Accommodation setup is perfect for spouses or friends to sign up together. For further details please see notice board flyer or contact Dan on 0409 849 049 or daniel.hewitt5@bigpond.com"

# **First Reading**

Exodus 34:4-6. 8-9

With the two tablets of stone in his hands, Moses went up the mountain of Sinai in the early morning as the Lord had commanded him. And the Lord descended in the form of a cloud, and Moses stood with him there.

He called on the name of the Lord. The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, 'Lord, Lord, a God of tenderness and compassion, slow to anger, rich in kindness and faithfulness.' And Moses bowed down to the ground at once and worshipped. 'If I have indeed won your favour, Lord,' he said, 'let my Lord come with us, I beg. True, they are a headstrong people, but forgive us our faults and our sins, and adopt us as your heritage.'

# Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Glory and praise for ever!

- 1. You are blest, Lord God of our fathers. (R.) Blest your glorious holy name. (R.)
- 2. You are blest in the temple of your glory. (R.) You are blest on the throne of your kingdom. (R.)
- 3. You are blest who gaze into the depths. (R.) You are blest in the firmament of heaven. (R.)

# Second Reading

## 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

John 3:16-18

Dn 3:52-56. R. v.52

Brothers, we wish you happiness; try to grow perfect; help one another. Be united; live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you.

Greet one another with the holy kiss. All the saints send you greetings.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

# Gospel Acclamation

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

# Gospel

Jesus said to Nicodemus,

'God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not be lost but may have eternal life. For God sent his Son into the world not to condemn the world, but so that through him the world might be saved. No one who believes in him will be condemned; but whoever refuses to believe is condemned already, because he has refused to believe in the name of God's only Son.'

#### Next Sunday Readings Weekend of 10/11 June 2023 Corpus Christi - Year A

First Reading: Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14-16 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:16-17 Gospel: John 6:51-58

## Manning Parish Youth **Quest Youth Ministry**



Guiding our youth on a Quest to know, love and serve the Lord. The youth ministry for the parish is open to youth aged in High School or University, and meet every second Saturday after mass.

Get in touch with us by finding us online at https://www.facebook.com/ youth.manningparish/

#### **Reflection for Young People** By Lisa Marie Calderone-Stewart

The second reading is like a greeting card from Paul. It is a note of encouragement and love. In Paul's day they don't have 'smiley faces' that say, 'Have a nice day', but Paul still cares enough to send the very best. He sends greetings and blessings in the name of God as Trinity – our Creator, our Saviour Jesus, and the Spirit they share. We share in that holy and divine Spirit whenever we greet and bless one another.

- When was the last time you sent someone a greeting card that your parents didn't make you send?
- When was the last time you received a card that wasn't a Christmas or birthday card?

Prayer is like a greeting card to God and from God. Greeting cards do not create love and friendship between people, but they are a channel so that feelings and thoughts can be shared and expressed more easily.

- What feelings and thoughts does God express to you? How do you know?
- What feelings and thoughts do you express to God? How do you do it?

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