# **BULLETIN**

### St Pius X Church

### The Most Holy Trinity Sunday

12<sup>th</sup> June 2022



# **Manning Parish**

#### **Catholic Archdiocese of Perth**

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### **New Testament Commentary Mary Coloe PBVM**



We do not find an explicit statement of the doctrine of the Trinity in the Gospels; it took centuries of discussion before the Council of Nicea came up with the language we profess in our creed about Father, Son, and Spirit. What we do find is a seminal faith and an experience of God present in the life of Jesus and the early Christians. As a Jew Jesus would have daily prayed the great Jewish proclamation of faith, 'Hear O Israel the Lord our God, the Lord is one.' Drawing on his Jewish traditions and Scriptures Jesus spoke to God as 'Abba', father. While the Greeks had the idea of God as a distant impersonal and immovable being, Jesus knew God as personal and loving.

Jesus' experience of an intimate loving God continued in the experience of the early Christians who glimpsed that while the historical Jesus of Nazareth was no longer with them, Jesus as the Risen Christ was a powerful presence, still alive in their midst, and they experienced this as a

powerful Spirit of love, courage, gratitude and peace, even in the midst of hostility and suffering. They knew with the certainty of experience God as Father, as Son and Spirit. How this could be so, remained mystery, as it still is, but the experience of love has its own certainty, as Paul writes with conviction: 'the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given to us.' For this certainty, he will travel thousands of miles to share his experience, and ultimately will give his life.

The section from John's Gospel continues Jesus' Final Discourse as he tries to console and encourage his disciples on the night of his arrest. He promises them that even in his absence they will still have an advocate, a teacher and guide; they will not be left orphaned. The understanding of God as Trinity can also help us understand our own life.

The Trinity expresses the Christian faith that the essence of Divine life is a love that reaches out to another in desire to be in relationship. As this Gospel reveals, the Spirit is turned towards Jesus, the Son; all the Spirit expresses comes from the Risen Christ, just as all the Father has, is given over to the Son. Our own relationships and desires for love image the dynamic self-giving within the life of God. As Genesis states, 'in the image of God they were created, male and female.'

In celebrating the Trinity, may we also celebrate and give thanks for our participation in this life of loving desire. May the patterns of our own loving mirror the generous self-giving of our God.

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#### **Office Hours**

Tuesday to Friday 9am to 12 noon

### **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**

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# Manning Parish Youth Quest Youth Ministry

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ROSTER		Weekend 11/12 June	Weekend 18/19 June
Readers	Sat 6.00pm	Carmen de Sousa	Barbara Thompson
	Sun 7.30am	Carol Nicklette	Pauline Joseph
	Sun 9.00am	Giselle Shankar	Elicia Eng
Counters		Elizabeth Noronha, Terry Scanlan	D & B Molony

Parish Calendar				
June Mon 13	8.00am	Communion Service (St Anthony of Padua) Church		
Tue 14	8.00am	Mass (Week 11 in Ordinary time) Church		
Wed 15	8.00am	Mass (Week 11 in Ordinary time) Church		
Thu 16	8.00am	Mass (Week 11 in Ordinary time) Church		
Fri 17	8.00am	Mass (Week 11 in Ordinary time) Church		
Sat 18	8.00am	Mass (Week 11 in Ordinary time) Church		
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass (Corpus Christi Year C) Church		
Sun 19	7.30am	Mass (Corpus Christi Year C) Church		
	9.00am	Mass (Corpus Christi Year C) Church		
	11.00am	Chinese Mass (Corpus Christi Year C) 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 & 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



### Safeguarding Induction for All Church Workers Online

We invite ALL church workers (volunteers or paid) to attend an online safeguarding induction. A church worker is anyone in the parish in any role – paid or voluntary. The session will cover the Safeguarding Policies and Procedures, the importance of Safeguarding in the parish and the role of the Parish Safeguarding Officer.

To register please visit: www.safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au or phone 9221 7762

Available dates are:

Tuesday, 14 June 2022 at 7.00pm Thursday, 30 June 2022 at 1.00pm

### Special Ministers Roster (Old or New)

We are considering using Special Ministers on Saturdays 6.00pm and Sundays 7.30am and 9.00am Masses and rosters are being prepared for the next six months (July December 2022)

If you would like to assist, please put your name on the list provided in the foyer. Training will be provided for new Special Ministers.







### 2022 Sacraments Schedules

Parents, if your child/children are attending State Schools you need to enrol for the Sacramental programs. Please contact the parish office to obtain an Enrolment Form or visit our website to get one - manningparish.org.au/sacraments so that we can organise the preparation for them.

Confirmation 6.30pm Friday, 10 June 2022 (Completed)

**First Holy Communion** 9am Sunday, 11 September 2022

Commitment Mass 6pm 30 July 2022

**First Reconciliation** 10.30am-12pm Saturday, 29 October 2022

Commitment Mass 6pm 15 Oct 2022

### Old & New Readers

We are in the process of preparing a roster for July - December 2022 at all Masses. We need more volunteers and if you would like to assist, please put your name and contact details on the list provided in the fover.

If you have not read before, there will be training before you do it for the first time.

## Planned-Giving 2022/2023

Dear Parishioners, we would like to thank you for your continuous support of your parish and priest financially. Due to COVID-19 we have not been taking up First and Second Collections and the income has been reduced though we are still managing due to constraint in spending. It is great that quite a number of parishioners have taken up electronic fund transfer and Direct Debit in the Giving. We would like to have more parishioners to follow this path of giving and it would help with the running of your parish.

Basil Conti, Chairperson of Finance Committee

### "In the Footsteps of Mary MacKillop"

The Sisters of Saint Joseph have prepared an Australian Pilgrimage. Commencing in Melbourne on 18 October, journeying through Victoria and South Australia, and ending at Mary MacKillop Place, North Sydney on 29 October 2022. During the pilgrimage we visit many places associated with Mary MacKillop's life and ministry.

For more details, please see flyer on notice board in the foyer.

Proverbs 8:22-31

The Wisdom of God cries aloud:

The Lord created me when his purpose first unfolded, before the oldest of his works. From everlasting I was firmly set, from the beginning, before earth came into being. The deep was not, when I was born, there were no springs to gush with water. Before the mountains were settled, before the hills, I came to birth; before he made the earth, the countryside, or the first grains of the world's dust. When he fixed the heavens firm, I was there, when he drew a ring on the surface of the deep, when he thickened the clouds above, when he fixed fast the springs of the deep, when he assigned the sea its boundaries – and the waters will not invade the shore – when he laid down the foundations of the earth, I was by his side, a master craftsman, delighting him day after day, ever at play in his presence, at play everywhere in his world, delighting to be with the sons of men.

### Responsorial Psalm

Ps 8:4-9. R. v.2

(R.) O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!

- When I see the heavens, the work of your hands, the moon and the stars which you arranged, what is man that you should keep him in mind, mortal man that you care for him? (R.)
- Yet you have made him little less than a god; with glory and honour you crowned him, gave him power over the works of your hand, put all things under his feet. (R.)
- All of them, sheep and cattle, yes, even the savage beasts, birds of the air, and fish that make their way through the waters. (R.)

### Second Reading

Romans 5:1-5

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith we are judged righteous and at peace with God, since it is by faith and through Jesus that we have entered this state of grace in which we can boast about looking forward to God's glory. But that is not all we can boast about; we can boast about our sufferings. These sufferings bring patience, as we know, and patience brings perseverance, and perseverance brings hope, and this hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us.

### **Gospel Acclamation**

See Revelations 1:8

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

John 16:12-15

Jesus said to his disciples:

'I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.'

# Next Sunday Readings 19 June 2022

# The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 Gospel: Luke 9:11-17

### **Reflection for Young People**

By Lisa-Marie Calderone Stewart

Saint Patrick is famous for making the shamrock a handy tool to illustrate the Blessed Trinity: one plant, three leaves that are all connected and united – symbolising the one God, three persons that are all connected and united.

Sometimes close relationships are also compared to the Trinity: the person you love, the person who loves you, and God. If God is a part of your relationship, it's hard to think of the two of you without the power, joy and courage that God brings. Do you have any relationships like that? What are they like?

A family, a team or a close group of friends can also form a community of love that is similar to the Trinity – several persons that are connected and united in a very special way. Do you belong to any such group? If so, what makes it special?

The Holy Spirit brings the truth of God. Sometimes in our life we are running away from a truth, or trying to ignore or avoid it. What basic truth in your life do you think God wants you to be more aware of?

Sometimes in our life, when we have done something wrong or when we are about to do something wrong, the Spirit of God speaks to us through our conscience. Have you ever thought about doing something, until that voice inside you called you to do something else? What happened?

The main message of every Gospel is to know the way of the Spirit and to follow the way of the Spirit. How easy is it to live your life that way? How is living your life that way similar to preaching the Gospel?

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Jesus told his disciples how the Holy Spirit would bring glory to the Father and the Son. What things can you do to bring glory to God?