



St Francis of Assisi Parish

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PARISH BULLETIN Sixth Sunday in Ordinary time 11th February 2018

Parish Priest:	Fr Anthony Girolami	Assistant Priest:	Fr Anthony Cruz
Pastoral Associate:	Ruth Lees - 9407 6704	Pastoral Associate:	Sr Ignacia Coching - 9407 6707
School Principal:	Mark Basile - 9407 3100	Youth Minister:	Carmel Walsh - 9407 6705
Parish Administration:	Bernice Quinn - 9407 6700	Parish Bookkeeper:	Rachel Masouh - 9407 6701

WEEKEND MASS TIMES: SATURDAY VIGIL: 5:00 PM; SUNDAY: 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM & 5:00 PM

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Monday – Saturday 9:15 am. Rosary recited after Mass.

RECONCILIATION: Wednesday 7:30 pm - Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday evening after Mass and Novena

Saturday 9:45 am

ADORATION: Saturday 9:45 am – 11:00 am concluding with Benediction

Wednesday 7:30 am – 7:30 pm

VIGIL MASS:	1st Friday of the month 7 pm to 1 am.	Next Mass:	2nd March
FILIPINO MASS:	2nd Sunday of the month at 12 noon.	Next Mass:	11th February
ITALIAN MASS:	2nd Tuesday of the month at 11:30 am. Rosary 11 am.	Next Mass:	13th February
MALTESE MASS:	3rd Sat of the month at 4 pm. Confession 3:30. Rosary 3:40.	Next Mass:	17th February
DIVINE MERCY NOVENA:	2nd Fri of the month 7:30 pm in Chapel & Fridays after 9:15 am Mass.	Next Novena:	9th March
YOUNG ADULTS MERCY NIGHT:	Last Friday of the month 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm.	Next Night:	23rd February
ST ANTHONY'S PRAYER GROUP MASS:	1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7 pm.	Next Mass:	20th February
INDONESIAN FAMILY GROUP MASS:	3rd Saturday of the month at 7 pm.	Next Mass:	17th February
JESUS YOUTH PRAYER GROUP:	3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:45 pm in the Chapel.	Next Night:	20th February
MEN'S NIGHT:	First Wed of the month at 7 pm. Contact Frank - 0414648475.	Next Night:	7th March
HEALING MASS:	2nd Saturday of the month 6:30 pm.	Next Mass:	10th March
NOVENA TO ST ANTHONY (MALAYALAM):	Every Tuesday at 7:00 pm.		
AGAPE MALAYLEE CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP:	Every Sunday 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm in the Chapel or Church.		
CHILDREN'S ROSARY:	First Saturday of the month after 9:15 am Mass in the Chapel.		
CHILDREN'S LITURGY:	Sundays 10:30 am Mass during school terms. Contact - mpchildrenslit@gmail.com		
LEGION OF MARY:	Every Thursday at 10:15 am in the parish nook.		
JUNIOR LEGION OF MARY:	Every Thursday during school term at 3:45 pm in the Church foyer. Contact Jackie - 0422 443 324.		
WORD OF LIFE PRAYER GROUP:	Thursdays in the Chapel at 7:30 pm. Contact Franca - 0439 670 219.		
PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP:	Contact Alfons and Helen Glatzel - 9404 2050.		
LIFE TEEN:	Sundays after 5 pm Mass, meet in Church foyer. Contact Carmel - millpark.youthministry@cam.org.au		
PLAYGROUP:	Every Thursday during school terms in small hall. Contact Julie - 0408 033 877 or Sandra - 0419 039 547.		

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Recently Deceased: Saturnino (Tony) Jandayan, Jacqui Vella.

Death Anniversaries: Alfred Sultana, Paul Zahra, Thushari, Josephine.

Those who are ill: Joan Mackey, Zack Mifsud, Islay Mitchell, Anna Samanna, Fr Joe Yu, David Wallace, Anthony Lethbridge, Lucrezia Cerminara, Leonie Langford, Fr Ernie Smith.

Reading Roster	10/11 February (week 2)	17/18 February (week 3)
Sat. 5:00 pm:	Sanja Ovens & Cliff DaCosta	Teresa Wong & Anne Young
Sun. 9.00 am:	Carmen Saliba & Sue Spiteri	John Andrews & Cath McMaster
Sun. 10.30 am:	Regina DiPasquale & Marcelle Henderson	Joe Galati & Marie Sikand
Counting Roster:	February 11 - Team 2	February 18 - Team 3
	A Trinchi, S Borg, S O'Rourke	B Crofts, M & S Ovens
Altar Linen Cleaning Roster:	February 12 - 18	February 19 - 25
	Nena Smith	Olive Lord / Lizbeth Perera

Next Week's Readings: Gen 9:8-15. Ps 24:4-9. R. cf. v. 10. 1 Pet 3:18-22. Mk 1: 12-15.

WORD OF LIFE CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP: 15th February - Lent Reflection.

We meet every Thursday night in the Chapel commencing at 7:30pm with Praise and Worship followed by a session mentioned above.



LENTEN TIMETABLE

Ash Wednesday

Masses & Distribution of Ashes - 9:15 am, 12 noon & 7:30 pm.

Fridays in Lent

Friday mornings - Stations of the Cross will follow the 9:15 am Mass.
Friday evenings - 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross followed directly by Mass.

Lenten Penances

As a parish let us make a combined effort:

- to arrive at Mass on time.

- to be quiet in the Church before and after Mass.

- to remain in the Church until the priest leaves.

Project Compassion

Please take a Project Compassion box home with you and return it at Easter.

Church Fellowship Area

Please be aware the fellowship area is only for parents with babies or toddlers who are unsettled.

For everyone else, please be seated in the Church.

FAMILY FAIR



Our Family Fair in 2018 will be on Sunday, 18th March.

Donations are Needed:

Books! Toys! GROCERIES! NEW ITEMS FOR THE SPINNING WHEEL!
(NO pre-loved Clothes or used household items) NOTE: There will be NO Trash 'n' Treasure Stall in 2018. Please drop your donations at the School or Parish Office on Tuesday mornings during February.

Please pick up a Fair Newsletter after Mass!

Come to the Fair on Sunday 18th March!



7 Great Rides:

Dragon Wagon Roller Coaster!

The Sizzler!

Giant Super Slide!

Chair-o-plane!

Ferris Wheel!

Seaworld Playground!

Carousel Merry-Go-Round!



Buy a pre-paid armband for unlimited rides at the Fair.

Pick up an order form after Mass.

Come & Enjoy!

Cells Launch 2018 - this Tuesday!

All Cell groups, families, and friends are invited to the CELLS 'LAUNCH' to begin the New Year of Cells

on Tuesday 13th February starting at 7 pm in St Francis Hall.

THEME: The Family

If you are interested in finding out about Cell Groups – Come & see!!

Enquiries contact Ruth: 9407 6704.

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI SCHOOL ENROLMENT FOR 2019 PREPS

Enrolments for 2019 are now being taken. Enrolment packs can be collected from the School Office or downloaded from the school website www.sfmillpark.catholic.edu.au

Open Days will be held on:

Saturday 24 February 9.30 am - 12 pm

Saturday 24 March 9.30 am - 12 pm

Saturday 5 May 9.30 am - 12 pm



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PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOL

To book a school tour call 9407 3100. Bookings are essential. Applications close May 11th 2018. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the School on 9407 3100 or email the Principal, Mr Mark Basile at principal@sfmillpark.catholic.edu.au

Enrolment for children attending non-Catholic schools for Religious Education classes can be done at the Parish Office from this Monday, 5th February, 11.00 am – 5.00 pm. Enrolment day will be on Tuesday 27th February at 4 pm in the Church. Please pick up an enrolment form after Mass. New enrolments please bring a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate. Cost per child for the year is \$60. Classes resume on Tuesday 6th March at 4.15 pm. Email May mpark@sfmillpark.catholic.edu.au for any enquiries.

LIFE TEEN 2018

Life Teen will be up and running for 2018 today, Sunday February 11th. All youth aged 12-19 are welcome to join us. We meet after the 5pm Mass on Sundays in the Church foyer. Contact Carmel Walsh: 0432302672



AVVISO: La messa in italiano sarà celebrata martedì 13 febbraio prossimo, alle ore 11.30 am, precederà il Santo Rosario alle ore 11.00. Dopo la celebrazione ci sarà uno spuntino, nell'atrio della chiesa.

Dopo la celebrazione il Gruppo Sociale Italiano San Francesco d'Assisi apre le porte, per il diciassettesimo anno, alle attività sociali. Siete tutti benvenuti.

SINGERS & MUSICIANS NEEDED

Singers and musicians are needed to join our Choirs to sing and play at Sunday Mass. There is special need for pianists. If you are available please contact the parish office on 9407 6700.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT VILLA MARIA CATHOLIC HOMES 1424 Plenty Rd, Bundoora

Would you like to join a group of committed Catholics who assist residents to attend Mass in our Chapel? Mass is celebrated each Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Some residents need to have their wheelchairs pushed, others need a friendly person walking with them. Help is needed between 10:30am and 12 noon. If you are a reasonably fit person and would like to help on any of these days, please phone Christine on 9422 4061 for further information.