

# ST ALOYSIUS PARISH

84 KEIGHTLEY ROAD, SHENTON PARK ARCHDIOCESE OF PERTH AUSTRALIA



#### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Through our worship and our daily living, we strive to follow faithfully the way of Jesus Christ, tell courageously the truth of Jesus Christ and live joyfully the life of Jesus Christ

# 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT - YEAR C 19 DECEMBER 2021

# **COVID-19 Safety Plan – Phase 4 – Shenton Park**

Please continue to:

- Record your attendance on the Contact Register, or by using the SafeWA QR app;
- Sanitise your hands on entering and leaving the church;
- Keep up to date via the parish website <u>www.shentonparkcatholics.org.au</u> on latest status

**St Vincent de Paul Society - Christmas Hamper Appeal** The Subiaco Vinnies would like to thank the generosity of the St Aloysius' community. They recently received \$195.70 through the Poor Box at the back of the church, and the gifts to the needy so far have totalled 43 bags or over 360 items! It is not too late as the need will continue. Also, Vinnies have Christmas cards (\$5/\$2), and Columban calendars (\$10) for sale – see Laurie to buy. Proceeds go to the local Vinnies chapter.

**Christmas Busy-Bee:** The Busy-Bee on Saturday to prepare the church and grounds for Christmas was supported as usual. Huge thanks to the workers who have cleaned and polished and prepared for a wonderful Christmas next Saturday.

**Morning Weekday Mass** – Please note there will no morning Mass (8.00am) on this Friday. The Christmas Eve Mass will be at 6pm in the evening.

**Nativity Play 2021:** We invite all interested children to participate in the 2021 Nativity Play to be held on Christmas Eve at the Vigil Mass (6.00pm). Please contact Fiona McGaughey 0420 234 425 or Trish Lobo 0402 113 396. Rehearsals will be held during Children's Liturgy at Mass this Sunday.

LifeLink Catholic Carring Agencies

**LifeLink.** There is still time to contribute and support the Archbishop's LifeLink Appeal. You can complete an envelope to make your provision and place in the collection box near the entrance. You are thanked in advance for your generosity. It will mean a lot to those who are in dire need.

Thanksgiving Offerings: Due to coronavirus, there are no collections during Mass. Offertory Gifts can be placed in the boxes provided at the back of the church. Optionally, Gifts can be transferred to St Aloysius Parish. BSB: 086 006, Account 6919 06978, Reference: your name. Thanksgiving for the last weekend: First Collection: \$ 399.50. Second Collection \$477.00. Thank you for your generosity.

**The Record Magazine.** The newest free copy of the Record Magazine is available in the foyer. Take a copy home and read the interesting articles.

**The Pope's Prayer Intention for December**: for a deeper relationship with Jesus nourished by the Word of God and prayer – describes perfectly a personal Christian faith.

#### **MASS TIMES**

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS 6.00pm SUNDAY MASS 9.30am WEEKDAY MASS 8:00am

RECONCILIATION 5.30pm Saturday / by appointment

BAPTISMS & MARRIAGES by Appointment

Welcome to all who worship with our parish community. Morning tea is shared on Sundays after 9.30am Mass in the Parish Centre. Newly arrived and not registered? Please fill in a Parish advisory in the porch.

#### PARISH CALENDAR

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
20 December	21 December	22 December	23 December	24 December	25 December	26 December
8.00am Mass	8.00am Mass	8.00am Mass	8.00am Mass	5.30pm Carols	9.00am	9:30am Mass
				6.00pm	<b>Christmas Day</b>	The Holy Family
				Christmas	Mass	, ,
				<b>Family Mass</b>		

### **ROSTER**

TIME / DATE	READERS	<b>EUCHARIST MINISTERS</b>	ALTAR SERVERS	CHILDREN'S LITURGY	
<b>18 December</b> 6 pm Vigil Mass	Readings: R Elkington Prayers: R Elkington	Sr Leonie	Glen, Georgy	Shan	
<b>19 December</b> 9.30 am Mass	1 <sup>st</sup> Reading: T Edwards 2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading: T Jacobs Prayers: A Ransom	Tuan Tran	Tuan Tran Emily, Henry, Ben		

Children's Liturgy: The celebration of the Word for Children is held during Sunday Mass. All are Welcome.

## XVI Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops

Catholics across Australia are invited to participate in a period of local consultation for the next international Synod of Bishops, which has the theme: "For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission". The People of God are invited to use a guided, prayerful reflection method to consider a series of questions and make submissions via an online portal. Those submissions will help the Bishops develop a national report to support the global process leading to an international gathering in 2023. Aware that a synodal Church is a Church that listens, considering that this first phase is essential for this synodal path and evaluating these requests, and always seeking the good of the Church, the Ordinary Council of the Synod of Bishops has decided to extend until August 15, 2022 the deadline for the presentation of the summaries of the consultations by the Episcopal Conferences, the Oriental Catholic Churches *sui iuris* and other ecclesial bodies. For more information go to <a href="http://www.catholic.org.au/synodalchurch.">http://www.catholic.org.au/synodalchurch.</a>

**Plenary Council Assembly.** The draft proposals and individual interventions from the 280 members of the first Assembly of the Plenary Council (3 - 10 October 2021) were published this week. They can be found at <a href="https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/">https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/</a>

Accommodation Required – West Australian Catholic Migrant and Refugee Office (WAMCRO) There is an urgent need for accommodation among people seeking asylum in Perth at the moment. The West Australian Catholic Migrant & Refugee Office (WACMRO) is looking for accommodation to provide for vulnerable persons seeking asylum in Perth. If you have a property to lease or a room to rent, please contact: Grace Kurniawan, <a href="mailto:wacmro@perthcatholic.org.au">wacmro@perthcatholic.org.au</a> or 08 9220 5950





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