

**After School Religious Education Classes** commence on **Tuesday, 16th February at 4.00pm at the Parish Centre**. Please return the completed enrolment forms to the office ASAP.

**Holy Hour for All....** The monthly Holy Hour will be held on **Monday, 8th February from 7.30pm-8.30pm** in the church. Please come along and spend an hour with Jesus before the Blessed Sacrament as we pray for ourselves, our children, young people, the sick and all of the parish community during this time. The hour will have quiet time for reflection, hymns and prayer, so please come along and bring others as well.

**CHOIR NEWS....** We welcome back our Choirs this weekend after taking some time off during the month of January to not only relax from choir duties but more importantly to spend time with their families during Mass. Many members also spent time away during the school holidays. **We're back!** If you would like to sing with our Sunday morning choirs this year, please come along to our fortnightly Choir Practices starting on **Tuesday, 9 February**. Practices will be held in the Church from 7.30-8.30pm. The Music Ministry are a supportive group of people who are always willing to offer their time and talents for our Parish liturgies throughout the year. For all enquiries, please call John Richards on 0417 933 470.

<b>DAY</b>	<b>SAINTS JOHN &amp; PAUL CHURCH SCHEDULE 8-14 FEBRUARY 2010 5TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (1)</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>9.00am Mass</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>9.00am Mass</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>ST SCHOLASTICA 9.00am Mass 7.00pm Mass</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>9.00am Mass 7.00pm St Peregrine Healing Mass</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>9.00am Mass</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>9.00am Mass 9.30am Reconciliation (till 10.00am) 5.30pm Reconciliation (till 6.00pm) 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C) 6.30pm Vigil Mass</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>7.30am Mass 9.00am Mass 10.30am Mass</b>

## MINISTRY TEAM

**Parish Priest:** Fr Thai Vu (pp@johnpaulwilletton.org.au)  
**Assistant Priest:** Fr Anand Reddy (ap@johnpaulwilletton.org.au)  
**Pastoral Workers:** Sr Monica (9310 4072); Sr Veronica (9443 1036)  
Rosa Pasquale (9332 3813)

**Secretary/Bursar:** Rossana Terpolilli  
**R.E. Co-ordinator:** Mildred Rego (9450 4573)  
**John Paul Care**  
**Co-ordinator:** Betty Thompson (9457 4991)

### CHRISTIAN MEDITATION COMMUNITY (WA)

**INC...** Fr Laurence OSB, Director of the World Community for Christian Meditation, will speak at Notre Dame University, Mouat St, Fremantle on Tuesday, 16 February at 9.00am on the topic: "Making the Most of Crisis: How a Contemplative Mind Grows," and at St Joseph's Catholic Church, Salvado Rd, Subiaco on Tuesday, 16 February at 7.30pm on the topic: "Hope & Change: Christian Meditation in Troubled Times." Door charge \$5.00 to help cover costs and travel expenses. Any queries, phone (9444 5810) or email: [christianmeditation@iinet.net.au](mailto:christianmeditation@iinet.net.au)

**HEALING MASS** in honour of St Peregrine, patron of cancer sufferers and helper of all in need, will be celebrated in Saints John & Paul Church on Thursday, 11 February 2010 at 7.00pm. There will be Veneration of the Relic and Anointing of the Sick. For more details, please phone Noreen Monaghan on 9498 7727.

**Marriage Enrichment Program...** Looking for an opportunity to renew and deepen your marriage? Want to discover new ways of communicating, create shared dreams, deepen romantic love and celebrate your marriage? Catholic Marriage Education Services is running a 6 week marriage enrichment program for all married couples on Thursday evenings starting 4 February. For more information or to register, contact C M E S on 9325 1859 or email [derek.cmes@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:derek.cmes@perthcatholic.org.au). Cost is \$60.00.

### WHAT'S ON

**8 FEBRUARY 2010:**  
7.30pm SVDP—Meeting Room 2  
7.30pm Proclaimers Preparation Session—John Paul Church  
**9 FEBRUARY 2010:**  
7.30pm RCIA—Large Meeting Room  
7.30pm Finance Committee—Meeting Room 2  
**10 FEBRUARY 2010:**  
9.30am Craft Circle—Large Meeting Room—John Paul Centre  
9.30am-11.00am Exposition of the BS—John Paul Church  
7.30pm John Paul Prayer Ministry—JP Church—All welcome  
7.30pm John Paul Care—Meeting Room 2  
**11 FEBRUARY 2010:**  
11.00am-12.00noon Divine Mercy Devotions—JP Church  
7.00pm Personal Advocacy—Large Mtg Room & Mtg Room 2  
**12 FEBRUARY 2010:**  
10.00am Parish Team—Meeting Room 2  
No Growing Vine Due to Parish Kitchen Refurbishments  
11.00am Legion of Mary—Large Meeting Room

### READINGS FOR NEXT WEEKEND—6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)...

**1st Reading:** Jer 17:5-8  
**2nd Reading:** 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20  
**Gospel Reading:** Lk 6:17, 20-26

### PERMANENT NAME BADGES...

Would the following people, who have not yet collected their name badges, please do so ASAP from the Parish Office:

**Nancy & Mark De Souza; Richard Desouza; Michelle Diviney; Phil, Janine & Blake Hughes; Michael & Mary Le Roy-Bertinazzo; James Pinto; Margaret Swinbourne and Meraliza Ministros.**

**FOCOLARE WORD OF LIFE** meeting will be held on Friday, 12 February 2010 at 7.30pm at 38 Parry Avenue, Bateman. All welcome. **Contact:** Alyce 9310 5196.

### PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY LAND...

A pilgrimage to Jordan, Holy Land and Egypt has been put together leaving in August 2010. Fr Terry Raj from St Jude's Parish at Langford will be the Spiritual Director. An information leaflet showing some of the highlights of the 19-day visit is available. Numbers are limited to 30. For what is included, the cost of \$6,980 pp is a bargain. Enquiries: Matt Piccoli 6460 6877; email [mattpicc1@gmail.com](mailto:mattpicc1@gmail.com)

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED URGENTLY....

CRE (Christian Religious Education) is a non-denominational education programme in government schools. To be involved in this voluntary teaching you would need to be an adult member of a Christian denomination Church. Trained or training teachers are most welcome or we can arrange training for you through YouthCARE. If interested, please call Yvonne Urquhart on 9450 5201.

**URGENTLY WANTED....** Granny flat or 2 rooms to let for a senior lady seeking shared accommodation in the Willetton area. Lady has own furniture. If you can help, please phone Michela on 9457 0763.

### PROCLAIMERS WORKSHOP EVERY MONDAY, 7.30PM (See "What's On" for

Venue). The coming weekend's rostered Proclaimers who are to attend are:

**Saturday, 13 February 2010**

**6.30pm** Merle Fernandes, Paul De Ponte

**Sunday, 14 February 2010**

**7.30am** Neil MacPherson, Julie Howe

**9.00am** Veronica Reutens, Karen Keddie

**10.30am** Geoff Simons, Ramzi Peska

**Facilitator: Neicha Sequeira—9332 0563**

## JOHN PAUL CARE

This parish pastoral organisation offers, through its volunteers, short term (up to 3 months) emergency care to anyone who lives within the parish. Assistance is offered in the areas of bereavement/grief support, visiting the sick and the elderly, **mental** health, support for parents, cooking, transport, gardening and handyman. To enquire about these services, please contact the following:

- Parish Office (Mon-Fri from 9am-4pm) 9332 5992
- FAMILY SUPPORT: Betty 9457 4991
- MEALS: Mary 9310 2426
- MENTAL HEALTH: Bob 9332 3528  
(Information only)
- GARDENING: Greg 9456 1747
- BEREAVEMENT: Geraldine 9456 2985  
(or Betty: 9457 4991)
- TRANSPORT: Reena 9310 4173

The John Paul Care brochure is available in the foyer of the Church. It offers the opportunity to volunteer or to request assistance. **Please feel free to take one home.**

**CONFIDENTIALITY ASSURED AT ALL TIMES**

**LOSING A LOVED ONE** may be the most difficult time in your life, but you need not be alone. The **JOHN PAUL CARE BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP** welcomes you to our meetings which are conducted in a friendly, relaxed and confidential setting. Meetings are held on the **1st Wednesday of each month at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre.**

### TEST DRIVE THE BROTHERS' LIFE

The De La Salle Brothers are offering guys (20 - 35yrs) an incredible volunteer opportunity for 2 weeks in Balgo Hills, Western Australia. For those interested in learning about the Brothers' life whilst helping young people in need, this 'Challenge Program' (15-29 May) is for you! Applications close 29 March. For details please visit [www.delasallebrothers.com](http://www.delasallebrothers.com)

**WATERCOLOUR PAINTING CLASSES** will recommence for Term 1 at the John Paul Centre on Thursday, 11 February 2010. The teacher is highly qualified. If you want to explore your creative side and would like to enrol, please phone the Canning Arts Group on 9457 9600 ASAP.

**9.00AM PROCLAIMERS OF THE WORD OF GOD....** please collect your roster from the Church foyer.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR....**

*Lauren Vassallo who is ill.*

### **Prayer Is For Real People....**

Prayer is  
the real you  
recognizing the presence  
of the real God.  
God has waited for you;  
God has moved you to want Him;  
and you respond in words or thoughts  
or concepts,  
or by just  
"being"  
in His presence.  
Prayer is the real you  
acknowledging the real God  
in spite of:  
your bad grammar or your lisp  
or your elegant adjectives,  
your self-criticism  
or your "cover-up",  
your intelligence  
or your knowledge;  
the real you,  
hungry for something special  
in spite of not having much to say  
although your heart is full  
and your brain befuddled.  
Prayer is being honest, then,  
"getting to the nub",  
caring about what counts.  
You may wrestle;  
Jacob did.  
You may see a vision  
a concept in a picture.  
Do not put a veil between;  
it will just fool you.  
Remember God is real too  
and will start just where you are,  
even if you don't know where that is.

Breathe deeply!  
It's a big relief  
to be  
just you.

Grace Adolphsen Brame



### **GOSPEL CHALLENGE**

*(Is 6:1-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11; Lk 5:1-11)*

*"Put out into deep water and pay out your nets for a catch."*

**Jesus is asking me to take a risk and reach out to others with the message of the Gospel.**

**What is my response?**