


Keeping the Memory Alive (1).... For many years I was teaching in various places in Western Australia and Victoria. In 1990 and 1991 I completed the Pastoral Workers Diploma at the Maranatha Institute of Adult Faith Education. It was at that time that I joined the parish. Fr Doyle invited me to become a Special Minister of the Eucharist and to join the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults core group. Eventually he asked me to write the history of the parish from information in “*The Word*” of which a copy of every issue has been kept since its inception in 1977. I am also a Proclaimer of the Word at the 9.00am Sunday Mass and am involved in John Paul Care and the Bereavement Support Group. I visit sick and elderly people at home or in nursing homes. I am also a member of the St Vincent de Paul Society and I spend Wednesday and Friday mornings in the parish office.

I believe that Saints John and Paul is a wonderful and very vibrant parish in which to be working. I am very grateful for the support that the parishioners have given over the years, and continue to give, to the many parish ministries. *Sr Monica*

Keeping the Memory Alive (2).... I migrated to Perth in January 1980 and started worshipping at the John Paul Parish Centre. I was baptised and confirmed into the community at Easter in 1984. Fr Doyle then invited me to do the two year course at the Maranatha Institute of Adult Faith Education. Armed with the Diploma in Pastoral Ministry, I was well equipped on my parish life journey and am proud to have been one of the first two Pastoral Workers at that time (1987).

Fr Doyle honoured me with the challenging portfolio of “Minister of Ethnic and Multicultural Affairs” and so my role was “to wear two different hats”. Today, we can witness the ongoing participation of our very multicultural parishioners. It became apparent that there was a need for a program for Catholic teaching and with Fr Doyle’s encouragement I spearheaded the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults program (RCIA) in 1986. With an enthusiastic core group we began the journey and the subsequent years have seen the growth of this vital program. *(continued on page 2)*

DAY	SS JOHN & PAUL CHURCH SCHEDULE 28 JUNE - 4 JULY 2010 13TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME	What's On! 
MON 28 June	ST IRENAEUS, BISHOP & MARTYR 9.00am Mass	7.30pm Proclaimers' Prep—John Paul Church 7.30pm SVDP—Meeting Room 2
TUE 29 June	SS PETER & PAUL, APOSTLES 9.00am Mass	7.15pm Legion of Mary—Meeting Room 2 7.30pm RCIA—Large Meeting Room
WED 30 June	9.00am Mass 7.00pm Mass	9.30am Craft Circle—Large Meeting Room 9.30am Exposition of the BS—John Paul Church 7.30pm JP Prayer Ministry—JP Church
THU 1 July	9.00am Mass	11.00am Divine Mercy Devotions—JP Church
FRI 2 July	12.00noon Healing Mass & Anointing of the Sick 7.30pm Catholic Faith Renewal: Teaching; Mass; Supper (JP Centre)	10.00am Parish Team— Meeting Room 2 10.30am Growing Vine—John Paul Centre
SAT 3 July	ST THOMAS, APOSTLE 9.00am Mass 9.30am Reconciliation (till 10.00am) 5.30pm Reconciliation (till 6.00pm) 6.30pm Vigil Mass	
SUN 4 July	7.30am Mass 9.00am Mass 10.30am Mass	

MINISTRY TEAM

Parish Priest:	Fr Thai Vu (pp@johnpaulwilletton.org.au)	Secretary/Bursar:	Rossana Terpolilli
Assistant Priest:	Fr Anand Reddy (ap@johnpaulwilletton.org.au)	R.E. Co-ordinator:	Mildred Rego (9450 4573)
Pastoral Workers:	Sr Monica (9310 4072); Sr Veronica (9443 1036) Rosa Pasquale (9332 3813)	John Paul Care Co-ordinator:	Betty Thompson (9457 4991)

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I have been responsible for starting and organising the first Multicultural Food Festival and Multicultural Mass for the Parish. It is amazing and awesome to see the colourful participation and involvement of parishioners, and growth in the parish community. Funds raised have gone towards supporting various parish ministries and refurbishment of the parish centre/kitchen, just to name a few.

Fr Doyle “caught me” to run the Proclaimers Workshops for current and new proclaimers which provide updated procedures to ensure the smooth running and conformity of proclamations at the weekend Masses. There has been a significant improvement in proclamation skills.

I have been involved with many other aspects of Parish life and for me it is a special privilege to be Communion Minister at Mass, and to bring communion to the sick.

The Church is like my second home and I have managed to juggle family life and my full time Secondary School teaching career. I feel I belong, and am part of the framework. My involvement has allowed my faith to grow and my relationship with Jesus has deepened. I am blessed to belong to this vibrant Parish and the friendships and love that have evolved over the years. *Lilian Kee*

THE WINTER DINNER DANCE IS ON AGAIN!

That wonderful time of year has come around once again when all parishioners are invited to attend the Parish’s very popular dinner dance – the best value night of fun and entertainment on the Parish calendar! The dance will be held on Saturday, 31 July starting from 7.30pm-11.30pm in the Parish Hall and the theme for this year is ‘Bling!’ so dust down your sparkly clothes and wear those big diamonds!! Remember, this is also a fundraising event and the Hospitality Committee has worked hard to keep the cost down to \$30 per ticket while still providing a delicious two course dinner, music, great prizes and terrific company! So start planning your table of family and friends or just come along and join a combined table organised by the Hospitality Committee. This is a great way for parishioners (especially those new to the Parish) to get to know each other better in a friendly, relaxed atmosphere. Please direct any enquiries or early bookings to Geraldine Richards (9310 1079), Christine Fernandez (9364 6375) or Joanne & Simon Bowen (9310 3970). And remember ... get in quickly because tickets *always* go fast! We’ve sold 70 already!!

THE WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA invites you to attend a Eucharistic Hour on Sunday, 11 July at 3.00pm in the Our Lady Queen of Apostles Church, 57 Tudor Avenue South, Riverton. We will bring with us the National Pilgrim Virgin Statue of our Apostolate. All are very welcome. Enquiries 9339 2614.

ALL ACOLYTES need to present a photocopy of their Working with Children Card to the Parish Office ASAP. This is a legal requirement. *FR THAI*

HEALING MASS/RALLY at St Mary’s Cathedral, Perth on 1 July 2010 at 7.30pm—Father John Rea SM. For more details email marioborg@disciplesofjesus.org

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEKEND—14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)....

1st Reading: *Is 66:10-14*
2nd Reading: *Gal 6:14-18*
Gospel Reading: *Lk 10:1-12, 17-20*

NEW ALTAR SERVERS... We would like any girls or boys who have made their First Communion to attend training to become Altar Servers. There will be a clipboard left in the church foyer for you to place your particulars on for the next two weeks. I am hoping to hold the training sessions during the school holidays but if this is not possible for you I will make other times. I will contact the family after all the names have been submitted but if there are any queries please ring Pat Bonser on 9332 6219.

MINISTRY “BANNER” DISPLAY: *John 4:36*
“He who reaps receives wages and gathers fruit for eternal life, so that sower and reaper may rejoice together.” The cross with the red and gold hearts symbolizes the blood that was shed in the ultimate act of service to humanity, i.e. Christ gifting His life so that we may have eternal life. The gold ribbons flowing from the heart show that through this act of service, Jesus connects the giver and the receiver. The green leaves sprouting from the dead wood of the cross, depict that there is life after death. The display is framed by a gold chalice, symbolic of the “Giving Cup.” *Art & The Environment Group*
THE 6.30PM READERS ROSTER is available for collection in the Church foyer.

PROCLAIMERS WORKSHOP EVERY MONDAY, 7.30PM (See “What’s On” for Venue). The coming weekend’s rostered Proclaimers who are to attend are:

Saturday, 3 July
6.30pm Rod Marsh, Karen O’Connor
Sunday, 4 July
7.30am Neil Smith, Joan Smith
9.00am Veronica Santoro, Paul Kain
10.30am Geoff Simons, Ramzi Peska
Facilitator: Mildred Rego – 9450 4573

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.**

Parish Weekend... This weekend is our first Parish Celebration Weekend. It is a recognition of all that we are blessed to have in our parish - faith, vibrancy and community. It will all be on show after each of the Masses during the weekend so please come down to the hall and take the time to see just what our parish has to offer. Enjoy a sausage from the free sausage sizzle, get a cake from the hospitality table and take the time to browse the many groups on display in the hall. It is 30 years since this parish started holding weekend Masses in the hall and 25 years since the church was built. This weekend, the last weekend in June, has been marked as our Annual Parish Celebration Weekend and it represents an opportunity to refocus on who and what we are as a community. As we have two Patron Saints with Feast Days that are separated by six months it was difficult to choose one over the other, so this Parish Celebration Weekend is effectively our Parish Feast!

This weekend we will also mark the Year For Priests with the commissioning of two Honour Boards recognising all our past and present Parish Priests and Assistant Priests. The Honour Boards were suggested by one of our long standing parishioners and were hand made by another long standing parishioner. They will be presented to the parish at each of the weekend Masses and then commissioned and hung in the foyer of the Parish Centre after the 10:30am Mass.

We look forward to seeing you all in the hall during the Parish Celebration Weekend! **The Parish Pastoral Council and the Parish Stewardship Team**

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

1. JPYM QUIZ NIGHT [COMING SOON]

Yes a Musical themed Quiz Night will be coming on 10 July straight after Mass. Includes entertainment by the very exclusive JPYM Band and talented singers, buffet dinner, costumes, raffle prizes and mind-challenging quiz questions. Tickets on sale very soon!!! All proceeds to WYD funds.

2. JPYM GOES TO CAMP [COMING SOON]

Yes a retreat too!! Coming in the month of August!!! Themed around the Holy Spirit and receiving the power! Coming very shortly! For more details please refer to the JPYM notice board or contact Joel 0450 903 606 or Kathleen 0421 755 731.

3. Visit us at the MINISTRY FAIR!! - Come talk to us about what's coming up! See you there!

It's Time to **BLAST** off again!! If you're between 10 and 15, join us for some Fun, Fellowship and Friendship this Saturday, 3 July, 3.00pm—6.00pm, Parish Hall. For more details, contact Maria 0430 280 122 or Selwyn 0414 166 637. Come on down and have a **BLAST!**

RCIA—Know someone inquiring about the Catholic Faith?

The Rite of Catholic Initiation for Adults prepares new members to join our Catholic faith; and helps baptised Catholics in



renewing their faith. Faith development and growth is achieved through a series of presentations, sharing and reflection. The Parish of Willetton invites all who are interested in the Catholic faith to an Information Evening on Tuesday, 29 June from 7.30pm-9.00pm at the Parish Centre Large Meeting Room.

If you or someone you know has expressed an interest in the Catholic faith, please come along. If you cannot join us on this evening, or you would like to find out more about RCIA, please visit: <http://www.johnpaulwilletton.org.au/rcia.html> Alternatively, you may contact Neicha 9332 0563 or Howard 0412 177 378 for more information.

LOST: A Panasonic Lumix Camera left on roof of vehicle between Pinetree Gully Rd, Willetton & Farrington Rd Shopping Centre, Leeming Sunday, 13 June. Camera was in blue camera case. **Reward offered.** If found contact Mick 0407 932 791.

GOSPEL CHALLENGE

(1 Kg 19:16, 19-21; Gal 5:1, 13-18; Lk 9:51-62)

Jesus asks me to follow Him. True discipleship calls me to go beyond the familiar territory of my comfort zone to paths which seem difficult.