Welcome to Sacred Heart Parish Thornlie

Parish Priest: Fr George James george.james@perthcatholic.org.au Office Hours: Tues, Thurs and Fri 9.30am to 2.30pm **Presbytery and Office Address:** 50 Ovens Road, Thornlie WA 6108 Office Ph: 08 9459 4459 Off Em: thornlie@perthcatholic.org.au Web: thornlie.perthcatholic.org.au Parish Secretary: Jenny Martin



A place of prayer, hospitality and support

Weekend Masses Saturday Vigil 6pm Sunday at 8am and 10am Knanaya Mission(Malayalam)5.30pm Weekdav Masses Tuesday to Saturday at 9am Reconciliation Saturday 5pm to 5.30pm

> Weddings Contact at least 6 months **Baptisms**

1st & 3rd Sunday of the Month

9th/10th November 2024

Year B

10th

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32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

1. PARISH BUSY BEE SATURDAY 30TH NOVEMBER AT 10AM

Are you able to spare an hour or two to assist us? Our Maintenance committee is organising a busy bee for the church to prepare for Christmas. 10am Saturday 30th November followed by a sausage sizzle.

We would love your support to clean and tidy up our church. A sign up sheet is available on the foyer table. Your support is very much appreciated.



2. EVANGEL'S MINISTRY PRAISE AND WORSHIP NIGHT

On Friday 15th November followed by fellowship. All welcome! Please forward your enquiries to Peter 0411 024 963 or Andv 0404 893 190

3. ASSIST A STUDENT

Assist A Student is a programme of the St Vincent de Paul Society to provide funds to students from partner countries in Asia and the Pacific to assist with education expenses. Brochures and a poster, which give further details are available in the fover.

If you would like to donate, please follow one of the methods in the brochure and either post, pass to any member of the Society or donate online. Donations over \$2 are tax deductable.

Many thanks for your assistance to serve those in need. We will contribute \$100 of poor box donations from this weeks contributions to Assist one Student on behalf of our Parish.

4. RCIA REFLECTION ON GOD'S WORD

- 1. Name the parishioners who give their all in service to God. Thank God in prayer for each one.
- 2. How might I make a generous contribution of time, money, energy or service this week?

5.NEW YEARS EVE MASS & CELEBRATION - SAVE THE DATE!

Join us for a Special Celebration this year at Sacred Heart for NYE, Tuesday 31st December 2024. Commencing with New Years Day Thanksgiving Vigil Mass at 6pm followed by a Huge Night of Fun including RAFFLES, DOOR PRIZE, SPOT PRIZES & LUCKY NUMBERS

Dance the Night Away with LIVE ENTERTAINMENT BY :



SANDY & ANDY "DYNAMIC DUO" playing your favourite tunes from all genres including the 50s, 60s, 70s, 80s, 90s, RnB, Reggae, Soul, Rock and Roll, Country, Jazz and so much more.

Tickets Only \$30 with Dinner included (TBA) - Secure Yours Now! Contact Sandy Louis - 0448 771 494 or Andy Vernie - 0404 893 190

November Seniors Mass Lifelink Weekend 11th Remembrance Day

9am

7pm

6pm

9am

5pm

CALENDAR

- **Evangels Music Night** 15th Milestone Wedding Mass 16th Whole School Mass 27th
- School Christmas Concert 29th

DECEMBER

4th School Graduation Mass 6pm 6th Christmas Carols night 6.30pm

SAFEGUARDING

We share a commitment to safeguard our Church for everyone.

Our Safeguarding Officers

Amanda Pereira 0423 396 822 Terry Ryan 0427 429 278 Darlene Min 0407 901 882 Michael Elder 0417 902 225

Our Inclusivity Coordinators Jeannie Willock 0404 606 429 Arathi Fernandes 0431 724 428

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> The Record https://therecord.com.au/

Reconciliation

Reconciliation is held in the church every Saturday from 5pm—5.30pm. No bookings required.

PARISH GROUPS AND MINISTRIES

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:

The Parish Pastoral Council meets on a Tuesday night every six weeks. Contact Maryse Aranda on 0432 913 679.

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE:

The Finance Committee meets every 2nd Wednesday of every 2nd month. Contact Peter McGuire on 0413 887 148.

PARISH MUSIC MINISTRY:

There are 9 Choir Groups in our Parish. Contact Alastair MacKenzie 0421 016 309.

CHILDREN'S CATECHIST CLASSES:

After school classes on Wednesday are available for children of all ages. Contact Jeannie Willock on 9459 4145 or 0404 606 429.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY:

The St. Vincent De Paul Group meets fortnightly on Mondays at 6.45pm. Contact Trish Humphries on 0488 017 943. For Vinnies welfare assistance please call 1300 794 054.

PARISH SENIORS GROUP:

The Seniors Group meets every 1st Thursday of the month at 10am. Monthly outings are also conducted on the 3rd Thursday of the month. Contact Frank Scolt 9455 2985.

PARISH SOCIAL COMMITTEE:

The Social Committee meets every 1st Wednesday of the month. Contact Barbara Chapman on 9456 5207. An invitation to all parishioners to join us for a cup of tea/coffee after every 10am Sunday Mass.

LEGION OF MARY:

The Legion of Mary meets every Wednesday at 9.30am. Contact Jennifer Farrugia 0452 457 042.

CENACLE PRAYER GROUP:

Parishioners are invited to join the Cenacle Prayer Group held every Tuesday after the 9am Mass.

DAILY ROSARY: "*The Family that prays together stays together*", join fellow parishioners and participate in the recitation of the Holy Rosary **every day before Holy Mass.**

PERSONAL ADVOCACY GROUP:

Parish outreach and faith formation for people with intellectual disabilities. Contact Karen Toledo on 0407 468 044.

RCIA GROUP:

Interested in embracing the Catholic faith or being part of the Ministry? Contact the Anne Kennedy on 0426 561 328 or the office.

ADORATION EVERY FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH: Every first Friday of the month Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after morning Mass concluding at 10.30am.

MOTHERS PRAYER GROUP:

Second and Fourth Saturday of the month at 10am in the Parish Hall. Please call Gertrude 0411 262 221 or Mary 0416 848 232 for more information.

MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE:

For any maintenance issues please contact Denis Mitchell on 0476 589 191.

PARISH NOTICES cont..

6. NOVEMBER BOOK OF REMEMBERENCE

During November, we honour our deceased loved ones by adding them to our 2024 Book of Remembrance of the Dead. This book is placed on the Altar during all November Masses. The Book can now be found on the foyer table, and you can still include your loved ones if you wish. A reminder also that individual Mass Intentions during this time, are not included in the Bulletin.



7. PILGRIMAGE TO VIETNAM AND CAMBODIA

Fr Vinh Dong will be taking a group to Vietnam and Cambodia from 25.03.2025 to 15.04.2025. Those who wish to join please contact Fr Vinh 0422 422 773 or vinh.dong@perthcatholic.org.au

8. COLUMBAN ART CALENDARS

2025 Columban Art Calendars are on sale for \$10 each. Proceeds will support the essential work of the St. Columban Mission Society

9. VACANCY SCHOOL GROUNDS/MAINTENANCE PERSON

Our school is looking for a Grounds / Maintenance person. Full time / Part time (negotiable). For further information please contact the school on 9251 3000 or admin@shthorn.wa.edu.au

10. CHRISTMAS CAROLS NIGHT

The Music Ministry is holding their annual Christmas Carols night at the School oval on 6th December commencing at 6.30pm. All are welcome. A wonderful evening to remind us of the spirit of Christmas.

11. LIFELINK

The ARCHBISHOP'S CHRISTMAS APPEAL FOR LIFELINK is being held throughout the Archdiocese this weekend. If you did not collect the Archbishop's Appeal Letter after Mass last weekend, <u>please collect one</u> <u>as you leave the Church today</u> - or use one of the <u>special giving</u> <u>envelopes</u> which have been provided on the pews today. We urge you to give generously to help the work of our Archdiocesan

agencies which reach out to care for our brothers and sisters struggling in the community. PLEASE MAIL YOUR GIFT IN THE REPLY-PAID ENVELOPE PROVIDED OR RETURN YOUR ENVELOPE AND DONATION TO THE PARISH. AT ANY TIME OVER THE COMING WEEKS.



ROSTER: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 16th/17th November 2024

	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 8am	Sunday 10am		
Acolytes	T Yeap M Elder	C Rubanathan D Soans	H Veerman T Ryan	Church Cleaners	D O'Donnell B O'Donnell R Maple P Chua
Readers	S Menon J Harvey	A Aranda C Morais	S O'Hara A Pedro	Vacuum Cleaners	P Richards B Massay
Special Ministers	J Morris S Walker A Fernandes	E Wilkinson	P Chua A D'Souza N Naylor	Ministers to the Sick	E Porter-8am P Chua A D'Souza
Altar	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Foyer Cleaner	J Holavar
Choir	Gospel Choir	8am Choir	Hearts on Fire		
Children's Liturgy	A Ocholimoi M Carter	N/A	M Anthony M Gomez		

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Kings 17: 10-16

Elijah the Prophet went off to Sidon. And when he It is not as though Christ had entered a man-made reached the city gate, there was a widow gathering sanctuary which was only modelled on the real one; but sticks; addressing her he said, 'Please bring a little it was heaven itself, so that he could appear in the water in a vessel for me to drink.' She was setting off to actual presence of God on our behalf. And he does not bring it when he called after her. 'Please' he said, 'bring have to offer himself again and again, like the high priest me a scrap of bread in your hand.' 'As the Lord your going into the sanctuary year after year with the blood God lives', she replied, 'I have no baked bread, but only that is not his own, or else he would have had to suffer a handful of meal in a jar and a little oil in a jug; I am just over and over again since the world began. Instead of gathering a stick or two to go and prepare this for myself that, he has made his appearance once and for all, now and my son to eat, and then we shall die.' But Elijah said at the end of the last age, to do away with sin by to her, 'Do not be afraid, go and do as you have said; sacrificing himself. but first make a little scone of it for me and bring it to me, and then make some for yourself and for your son. For thus the Lord speaks, the God of Israel:

"Jar of meal shall not be spent, jug of oil shall not be emptied, before the day when the Lord sends rain on the face of the earth."

The woman went and did as Elijah told her and they ate the food, she, himself and her son. The jar of meal was GOSPEL ACCLAMATION not spent nor the jug of oil emptied, just as the Lord had foretold through Elijah.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

(R.) Praise the Lord, my soul!.

- 1. It is the Lord who keeps faith forever who is just to those who are oppressed. It is he who gives bread to the hungry, the Lord who sets prisoners free. (R.)
- 2. It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind, who raises up those who are bowed down. It is the Lord who loves the just, the Lord who protects the stranger. (R.)
- 3. The Lord upholds the widow and orphan but thwarts the path of the wicked. The Lord will reign for ever, Zion's God, from age to age. (R.)

SECOND READING

Hebrews 9:24-28

Since men only die once, and after that comes judgement, so Christ, too, offers himself only once to take the faults of many on himself, and when he appears a second time, it will not be to deal with sin but to reward with salvation those who are waiting for him.

Alleluia. alleluia!

Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs. Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 12:28-34

Jesus sat down opposite the treasury and watched the people putting money into the treasury, and many of the rich put in a great deal. A poor widow came and put in two small coins, the equivalent of a penny.

Then he called to his disciples and said to them, 'I tell you solemnly, this poor widow has put more in than all who have contributed to the treasury; for they have all put in money they had over, but she from the little she had has put in everything she possessed, all she had to live on.

MASS INTENTIONS

All intentions will be placed in the Book of Remembrance and we will offer Mass for them every day in November.



GOLDEN BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

Michael Doherty Mary Kate Doherty The O'Dea Family The Myer Family The Fernandez Family The Moulder Family Maria Lim Eddie Patrick Wong Oscar Victor Bird Anthony Doherty Mary Brigid Corcoran Wendy Koh William John Harte Thomas Richard Jenkins Derek West Loreta Diaz The Mallon Family **Bishop Robert Healy**

Holy Father, Eternal and Almighty God, we pray for our loved ones whom You have called from this world. Give them happiness, light and peace.

May they, having passed through death, participate in eternal light with the saints, as you promised Abraham and his descendants. Amen

