Please mark the following on your calendar ........
First Saturday of the month Mass 9.00am - November 5th (October 1st No Mass)

**WEEKDAY MASSES:**
- Tuesday 20th September 9.00am Mass
- Wednesday 21st September 9.00am Year 4 Class Mass
- Friday 23rd September 9.00am NO MASS

**APROSTLESHIP OF THE SEA APPEAL NEXT SUNDAY**

The Apostleship of the Sea is the Catholic Church's Missionary work to the Seafarers whether they be on merchant, passenger, war or fishing vessels. While the Church has always been interested in Seafarers since Christ first gathered his fishermen-disciples around him, the movement began in the 1890s with several isolated and independent

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**Parish Ministries**

**SUNDAY 18th September**
- Reader: Gen Hulin
- Commentator: H. Cavoli
- Ministers of the Eucharist: J. Poett
- Altar Servers: Joseph Rose
- Offertory: D. Noble
- Greeter: J. Poett
- Pocket Angels: Deb Bearcroft
- Acolytes: George

**SUNDAY 25th September**
- Reader: R. Whitmore
- Commentator: D. Bearcroft
- Ministers of the Eucharist: P. Kerin
- Altar Servers: Sophie Wolfe
- Offertory: Venturini family
- Greeter: C. Vartesi
- Pocket Angels: Mel Mikulich
- Acolytes: Ted

**SUNDAY 2nd October**
- Reader: J. Goodheart
- Commentator: M. Page
- Ministers of the Eucharist: P. Sugg
- Altar Servers: Gylan Tiongco
- Offertory: H. Norrish family
- Greeter: D. Cavoli
- Pocket Angels: Holidays
- Acolytes: Angelo

**Next week's readings:** First Reading: Amos 6:1,4-7; Second reading: First Letter of St Paul to Timothy 6:11-16; Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

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**ST PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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St Patrick’s Catholic Primary School: Amherst & Annie Streets, Katanning
Principal: Mr Christopher Smith Phone (08) 98 212 281 Fax (08) 98 214 281

**WEEKEND MASS TIMES**

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**RECONCILIATION**

- Saturday 3rd September: 5.30pm
- Saturday 10th September: 6.00pm
- Saturday 17th September: 6.00pm
- Saturday 24th September: 6.00pm

**WEEKEND MASS TIMES**

**PARISH PRAYER**

Come Holy Spirit, we pray you guide our Parish community, all leaders and those in positions of responsibility. Fill them with wisdom, knowledge and Understanding. Guide them and bring them to unity in their decisions, that your will may be done. We pray for our aged and sick, grant them peace, that they may experience your love and healing presence in their lives. We pray for our parents and families, that they pray together, be tolerant and patient with each other, growing in faith, love and understanding. Guide our youth and children that they may grow in their trust of you and be strengthened in their faith, as they grow to maturity. Inspire our school teachers, staff and children that they may grow in love. May each of us manifest the fruits and gifts of your Holy Spirit, as we minister to each other with love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, trustfulness, gentleness and self control. We ask this through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.
**WEDDINGS AND BAPTISMS:** Fr Francis Constantino

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL:** Chairperson: Julie Poett

**PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE:** Chairperson: Norman Flugge

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** Welcome to our Parish. We pray you will find rest, comfort and peace in our parish and with our God. Please join us in fellowship and community and events. Please fill in the “Welcome to our Parish” form from front entrance and hand to Father. Thank you.

**NEWSLETTER:** Contact person Diana Cavoli 98211651 /0408211656

**CHILDREN’S LITURGY:** (Pocket Angels): Would you like to help with the children’s liturgy occasionally? Contact Paulette or Julie if you would like to be part of this valuable ministry.

**FIRST AID BOX** located in Crying Room at entrance to Church

**TOILET FACILITY** situated at the back of Parish House, the door nearest the school oval.

**CRYING ROOM:** Please pack away toys at the end of Mass. Thank you.

**FACES OF MERCY**

Betty Namnik is an integral part of the Parish community in Manjimup and Pemberton and a part of the Holy Spirit of Freedom Community which also has a community in Cebu in the Philippines.

Whilst in Cebu, Betty and the other members of the Holy Spirit of Freedom Community visit those who live on the streets and help them with provisions and medical treatment and pray with them. Cooked food and hygiene packs are taken to the prison, and visits are made to orphanages to deliver toys and play with the children. As a group they have provided for and arranged the building, rebuilding and repair of houses and sanitation. Following the earthquake in Bohol relief packages were taken to hundreds of families. Supplies of new or used sporting equipment, musical instruments and stationary items are also sent to the school.

**SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY**

We celebrate Social Justice Sunday next week on 25th September. This year, the Australian Bishops’ Social Justice Statement is titled “A Place at the Table: Social Justice in an ageing society”. The Statement celebrates the value and dignity of older people in Australian life. It challenges us to recognize their significant contribution to society and emphasizes that this contribution should not be valued in mere economic terms. The Statement calls for justice for those who are most vulnerable and views of older some or dis-further de-Social Justice the Australian

**NONE OF US CAN THINK WE ARE EXEMPT FROM CONCERNS FOR THE POOR AND FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE.**

Pope Francis

The next Eucharistic Adoration will be held on Friday 7th October. Everyone welcome to this prayerful meditation and recitation of the Holy Rosary/Litany/Benediction for one hour; or for whatever period of that Holy Hour that benefits the individual.

**YOUTHCARE at the KATANNING SHOW**

The YouthCare Committee are once again seeking assistance with their fundraising Catering at the Katanning Show.

If anyone is able to help either with monetary donations, food or helping on the day please write your details on the form located on the noticeboard at the entrance to the Church.

**2017 Columban Calendars now on sale!**

$9.00 each