

**CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: DECEMBER: HARRY & DIANA**

**CRYING ROOM:** Feel free to use this room during Mass. Kindly pack away toys at the end of Mass.

**PIETY STALL:** If you wish to buy religious articles, books or cards please contact Jenny Goodheart.

**FIRST AID BOX:** located inside the Crying Room at the entrance to the Church.

**TOILET FACILITY:** Situated at the back of the Parish house; nearest to school oval.

**RCIA/RCIC:** Anyone interested in learning about becoming a Catholic please contact Fr Gerome or Julie Poett.

**Rosters will be subject to change in accordance with Government Advices.**

**WEEKDAY MASSES: WED 23rd DEC: NO MASS: FRI 25th DEC: Christmas Day 10.30am**

**WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:**

<u>SATURDAY</u>	19th Dec	24th Dec SAT	25th Dec	26th Dec
TAMBELLUP	6.00PM		8.30am FRIDAY	
BROOMEHILL		3.30pm		
<u>SUNDAY</u>	20th Dec	24th Dec SAT		27th Dec
KOJONUP	8.30AM	5.30pm		8.30AM
KATANNING	10.30AM	7.30pm	FRIDAY 10.30am	10.30AM

**PARISH MINISTRIES:** If you are unable to attend on your rostered date please arrange for someone to replace you. Thank you!

	20th Dec	24th Dec	25th Dec	27th Dec
<i>Greeter</i>		Vigil 7.30pm	Christmas Day 10.30am	
<i>Intro &amp; Second Reader</i>	M. Hanna	J. Goodheart	E. Kennedy	
<i>First Reader</i>	M. Page	J. Poett	A. Jacob	
<i>Minister of the Eucharist</i>				
<i>Offertory</i>				
<i>Acolyte</i>	Alvarro	Volunteers	Volunteers	Angelo
<i>Altar Servers</i>				



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*"Inspired by our Patron Saint and guided by the Gospel teachings of Jesus, St Patrick's Parish strives to welcome and serve one another"*

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**PARISH PRAYER: Please refer to the overhead screen**

**20th December 2020 - FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT YEAR B**

**First Reading: Samuel 7:1-5,8-12,14,16**

Once David had settled into his house and the Lord had given him rest from all the enemies surrounding him, the king said to the prophet Nathan, "Look, I am living in a house of cedar while the ark of God dwells in a tent." Nathan said to the king, "Go and do all that is in your mind for the Lord is with you." But that very night the word of the Lord came to Nathan: "Go and tell my servant David, "Thus the Lord speaks: Are you the man to build me a house to dwell in? I took you from the pasture, from following the sheep, to be leader of my people Israel; I have been with you on your expeditions; I have cut off all your enemies before you. I will give you fame as great as the fame of the greatest on earth. I will provide a place for my people Israel; I will plant them there and they shall dwell in that place and never be disturbed again; nor shall the wicked continue to oppress them as they did, in the days when I appointed judges over my people Israel; I will give them rest from all their enemies. The Lord will make you great; the Lord will make you a House. And when your days are ended and you are laid to rest with your ancestors, I will preserve the offspring of your body after you and make his sovereignty secure. I will be a father to him and he a son to me. Your House and your sovereignty will always stand secure before me and your throne be established for ever."

**The word of the Lord**

**Responsorial Psalm: For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.**

**Second Reading: Saint Paul to the Romans 16:25-27**

Glory to him who is able to give you the strength to live according to the Good News I preach, and in which I proclaim Jesus Christ, the revelation of a mystery kept secret for endless ages, but now so clear that it must be broadcast to pagans everywhere to bring them to the obedience of faith. This is only what scripture has predicted, and it is all part of the way the eternal God wants things to be. He alone is wisdom; give glory therefore to him through Jesus Christ for ever and ever. Amen **The word of the Lord.**

**Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am the servant of the Lord: may his will for me be done. Alleluia!**

**Gospel: Luke 1:26-38**

The angel Gabriel was sent by God to a town in Galilee called Nazareth, to a virgin betrothed to a man named Joseph, of the House of David; and the virgin's name was Mary. He went in and said to her "Rejoice, so highly favoured! The Lord is with you." She was deeply disturbed by these words and asked herself what this greeting could mean, but the angel said to her, "Mary, do not be afraid; you have won God's favour. Listen! You are to conceive and bear a son, and you must name him Jesus. He will be great and will be called Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his ancestor David; he will rule over the House of Jacob for ever and his reign will have no end." Mary said to the angel, "But how can this come about, since I am a virgin?" "The Holy Spirit will come upon you" the angel answered "and the power of the Most High will cover you with its shadow. And so the child will be holy and will be called Son of God. Know this too: your kinswoman Elizabeth has, in her old age, herself conceived a son, and she whom people called barren is now in her sixth month, for nothing is impossible to God." "I am the hand maid of the Lord," said Mary "let what you have said be done to me." And the angel left her. **The Gospel of the Lord**

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:**

The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph Year B : 27th December 2020  
Genesis 15:1-6; 21:1-3, Letter to the Hebrews 11:8, 11-12, 17-19, Luke 2:22-40h

**There will be NO ADORATION of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday, 1 January 2021.** However, Holy Mass in honour of **Our Blessed Mother Mary will be celebrated at 11.00am on this day.** Holy Mass will also be celebrated on the first Saturday, **2 January 2021 at 9.00am.**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Fr Gerome will be away from the Parish from Monday, 4 January to Friday, 8 January 2021, therefore, no Mass will be celebrated during that week.

***Christmas Cake and Sherry Morning Tea***



The annual Christmas Cake and Sherry morning tea will be held in the Community Garden **TODAY** 20th December immediately following the 10.30am Mass. Come and enjoy some pre-Christmas fellowship! Christmas Hamper Raffle will be drawn, last chance to buy a ticket! \$2.00 ea or 3 for \$5.00

**PARISH NEWS**

**Advent Reflection Booklet and Fellowship Program**

The last gathering for the Advent Fellowship Program will be held this coming Wednesday at 6.00pm in the Parish Meeting Room. A beautiful reflection booklet is available for \$4.00 to use at home in private reflection, or if you would like to take part in our group fellowship, please see Emily Kennedy or Jenny Goodheart. All are welcome.

**Readers—if you are able to assist with January February Rosters please write your name on the sheet on the front entrance notice board—with thanks!**

**Christmas Mass Times for 2020:**

**Christmas Eve 24th December: 3.30pm Broomehill**  
**Christmas Eve 24th December: 5.30pm Kojonup**  
**Christmas Eve 24th December: 7.30pm Katanning**  
**Christmas Day Christmas Day: 8.30am Tambellup**  
**Christmas Day Christmas Day: 10.30am Katanning**



**Fifth Sunday Mass Timetable Amendment:** *there has been a further amendment to the fifth Sunday Mass Timetable: Tambellup—Sunday Mass at 8.30am; Kojonup—Saturday Vigil Mass 6.00pm; Katanning remains unchanged. This will take effect from January 30th-31st, 2021*

Let us continue to pray for the sick members of our families and also within our Parish especially: Nancy Laurino, and in a special way Laline Ford, and David McGuire. Please keep them in your prayers.



**NEW PARISHIONERS:** welcome to our Parish! We pray you will find peace and comfort in our Parish and with our God. Please join us in fellowship and community events. Please complete the "Welcome to our Parish Form" from the front entrance of the Church and return it to the Parish Office. Thank you and God bless.

The ability to budget can only come about through the 'generous financial support of members of the Parish who make a pledge through the "Planned Giving Programme." Like all families, everyone's pledge is important and commitment to the financial well-being of St Patrick's Parish is **VITAL**. If you would like to join or know more about the programme please contact the Parish Office or Mr Peter Kerin.



COLLECTIONS	6th Dec	13th Dec
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	\$ 223.05	\$ 182.40
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 90.00	\$ 120.00
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 265.00	\$ 265.00
CatholicCare Appeal	--	\$ 215.00
Piety	--	\$ 83.00