

**CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: MAY: GLO & AL**

**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:** Tuesday 18th May 9.00am; Wed 19th May 11.00am;  
Friday 21st May 9.00am

**WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:**

<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>15th May</u>	<u>22nd May</u>		<u>SUN 30th May</u>
TAMBELLUP	6.00PM			8.30AM
BROOMEHILL				
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<u>16th May</u>	<u>23rd May</u>	<u>SAT 29th May</u>	<u>SUN 30th May</u>
KOJONUP	8.30AM	8.30AM	6.00PM	--
KATANNING	10.30AM	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!*

	<u>16th May</u>	<u>23rd May</u>	<u>30th May</u>	<u>6th June</u>
<i>Greeter</i>			<i>First Holy Communion</i>	
<i>Intro &amp; Second Reader</i>	School	D. Bearcroft	School	M. Hanna
<i>First Reader</i>	School	J. Goodheart	School	E. Kennedy
<i>Minister of the Eucharist</i>				
<i>Offertory</i>				
<i>Acolyte</i>	Albert	--	Sam	--
<i>Altar Servers</i>	Hayley & Sharie	Dom & Luke	Piper & Jack	



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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**

**16th May 2021 - THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD YEAR B**

**First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11**

In my earlier work, Theophilus, I dealt with everything Jesus had done and taught from the beginning until the day he gave his instructions to the apostles he had chosen through the Holy Spirit, and was taken up to heaven. He had shown himself alive to them after his Passion by many demonstrations: for forty days he had continued to appear to them and tell them about the kingdom of God. When he had been at table with them, he had told them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for what the Father had promised. 'It is' he had said 'what you have heard me speak about: John baptised with water but you, not many days from now, will be baptised with the Holy Spirit.' Now having met together, they asked him, 'Lord, has the time come? Are you going to restore the kingdom to Israel?' He replied, 'It is not for you to know times or dates that the Father has decided by his own authority, but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you, and then you will be my witnesses not only in Jerusalem but throughout Judaea and Samaria, and indeed to the ends of the earth.' As he said this he was lifted up while they looked on, and a cloud took him from their sight. They were still staring into the sky when suddenly two men in white were standing near them and they said, 'Why are you men from Galilee standing here looking into the sky? Jesus who has been taken up from you into heaven, this same Jesus will come back in the same way as you have seen him go there.' **The Word of the Lord.**

**Responsorial Psalm: God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord..**

**Second Reading: A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Ephesians 1:17-23**

May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, give you a spirit of wisdom and perception of what is revealed, to bring you to full knowledge of him. May he enlighten the eyes of your mind so that you can see what hope his call holds for you, and what rich glories he has promised the saints will inherit and how infinitely great is the power that he has exercised for us believers. This you can tell from the strength of his power at work in Christ, when he used it to raise him from the dead and to make him sit at this right hand, in heaven far above every Sovereignty Authority Power of Domination, or any other name that can be named, not only in this age, but also in the age to come. He has put all things under his feet, and made him as the ruler of everything, the head of the Church; which is his body, the fullness of him who fills the whole creation. **The Word of the Lord.**

**Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!** Go and teach all people my gospel. I am with you always, until the end of the world. **Alleluia!**

**Gospel: John 16:15-20**

Jesus showed himself to the Eleven and said to them: 'Go out to the whole world; proclaim the Good News to all creation. He who believes and is baptised will be saved; he who does not believe will be condemned. These are the signs that will be associated with believers: in my name they will cast out devils; they will have the gift of tongues; they will pick up snakes in their hands, and be unharmed should they drink deadly poison; they will lay their hands on the sick, who will recover.' And so the Lord Jesus, after he had spoken to them, was taken up into heaven: there at the right hand of God he took his place, while they, going out, preached everywhere, the Lord working with them and confirming the word by the signs that accompanied it. **The Gospel of the Lord**

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:** Pentecost Sunday May 23rd 2021: Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11; St Paul to the Galatians 5:16-25; John 15:26-27; 16:12-15



St Patrick's students enjoying Banjo session with Joao!



The next Parish morning tea will be held next Sunday 23rd May, all welcome and if possible please bring a plate to share.

**Final Call! Please return Project Compassion Boxes and/or envelopes by today Sunday 16th May. They may be placed in the Collection bowls.**

**PARISH NEWS**



May is the month traditionally devoted to Mary the Holy Mother of God and all are invited to honour the Blessed Virgin Mary by devotion to the Holy Rosary. Holy Rosary is recited before Mass every Sunday commencing at 10.00am throughout the year.

Today, the feast of the Ascension invites us to face the universal experience of loss, the loss of a loved one or of something precious to us, and to face this experience in a transformative way.

**Welcome to St Patrick's students, staff and families to their whole school Family Mass today! All invited to join them in a sausage sizzle after Mass.**



A special birthday invitation! Ted Schaefer extends an invitation to all parishioners in joining him to celebrate his 90th birthday on Saturday 29th May at 2.00pm at the New Lodge Motel in Katanning. Essential to please RSVP to his daughter Bernadette on 0448995076. Ted requests no presents please, just the gift of your presence!

Let us continue to pray for the sick members of our families and also within our Parish especially: Nancy Laurino and Joan Clarke in Kerry Lodge, and in a special way Laine Ford, David McGuire; and Ken Baxter recovering from surgery. Former parishioner Nancy Tayler continues her treatment following motor vehicle accident. 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	2nd May	9th May
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	\$ 267.05	\$ 216.70
2nd Collection	\$ 37.45	\$ 33.25
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 80.00	\$ 140.00
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 302.00	\$ 302.00
Candles	\$ 33.05	\$ 18.30
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