

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: APRIL: Glo and AI

CRYING ROOM: Feel free to use this room during Mass.

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 Marlon or Julie Poett.

The next Parish morning tea will be held after Mass on Sunday 28th April - please bring a plate to share if possible.

WEEKDAY MASSES: NO WEEKDAY MASSES UNTIL WEDNESDAY 19th JUNE.

WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:

<u>SATURDAY</u>	<i>20th April</i>	<i>27th April</i>	<i>4th May</i>	<i>11th May</i>
TAMBELLUP	NO MASS		NO MASS	
BROOMEHILL				NO MASS
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<i>21st April</i>	<i>28th April</i>	<i>5th May</i>	<i>12th May</i>
KOJONUP	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM
KATANNING	10.30AM	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!*

	<i>21st April</i>	<i>28th April</i>	<i>5th May</i>	<i>12th May</i>
<i>Greeter</i>				
<i>Intro & Second Reader</i>	D. Bearcroft	B. Wilkie	**M.Hanna	J. Poett
<i>First Reader</i>	A. Schiano	H. Cavoli	**P. Kerin	S. Benitez
<i>Minister of the Eucharist</i>				
<i>Offertory</i>	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
<i>Acolyte</i>	Angelo	Sam		Albert
<i>Altar Servers</i>	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers



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PARISH PRAYER: Please refer to the overhead screen

SUNDAY 21st APRIL 2024 - FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4:8-12

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Peter said: 'Rulers of the people, and elders! If you are questioning us today about an act of kindness to a cripple, and asking us how he was healed, then I am glad to tell you all, and would indeed be glad to tell the whole people of Israel, that it was by the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, the one you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by this name and by no other that this man is able to stand up perfectly healthy, here in your presence, today. This is the stone rejected by you the builders, but which has proved to be the keystone. For of all the names in the world given to men, this is the only one by which we can be saved.' **The word of the Lord**

Responsorial Psalm: The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

Second Reading: First Letter of St John 3:1-2

Think of the love that the Father has lavished on us, by letting us be called God's children; and that is what we are. Because the world refused to acknowledge him, therefore it does not acknowledge us. My dear people, we are already the children of God but what we are to be in the future has not yet been revealed; all we know is, that when it is revealed we shall be like him because we shall see him as he really is. **The word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me. Alleluia!

Gospel: John 10:11-18

Jesus said:

'I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep. The hired man, since he is not the shepherd and the sheep do not belong to him, abandons the sheep and runs away as soon as he sees a wolf coming, and then the wolf attacks and scatters the sheep; this is because he is only a hired man and has no concern for the sheep. 'I am the good shepherd; I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for my sheep. And there are other sheep I have that are not of this fold, and these I have to lead as well. They too will listen to my voice, and there will be only one flock, and one shepherd. 'The Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me; I lay it down of my own free will, and as it is in my power to lay it down, so it is in my power to take it up again; and this is the command I have been given by my Father.' **The Gospel of the Lord**

Next Week's Readings: Fifth Sunday of Easter 28th April 2024: Acts of the Apostles 9:26-31; First Letter of St John 3:18-24; John 15:1-8

An ANZAC Day Prayer: Gracious and loving God, the cross of Christ is the sign of your desire for justice and peace for all. Open our minds to your vision as we remember all who suffered through Australia and New Zealand's involvement in wars, conflicts and peacekeeping operations. Grant all servicepersons who sacrificed health and life for the good of all, the gift of your deep peace. May we who inherit the freedom for which they fought become instruments of your peace in our homes, workplaces and world. We ask this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen



Today, the fourth Sunday of Easter, we celebrate the occasion of Good Shepherd Sunday, because of the Scripture readings which highlight the actions of the Lord in being our Good Shepherd. We are constantly reminded again that Our Lord's love for each and every one of us is truly great and ever enduring, and we really should consider ourselves as being really fortunate for having been loved in such a way. We also celebrate the occasion of Vocation Sunday, as we remember and especially pray for all those people who had answered God's call to be His servants and disciples, to be the ones who live their lives and carry out their actions as the shepherds of the flock of the Lord, in the model of the Good Shepherd Himself, namely our priests and bishops, and of course, our Pope Francis. However we must not forget that each and every one of us as Christians also have our own unique vocations in life. Vocation in the Church is not just the vocation to priesthood only, as there are also those who continue to live in the world and living our own respective and diverse ways of life as members of the laity. Each and every one of these vocations are truly important, and we are hence reminded that as Christians we must always be active in living our Christian faith.

PARISH NEWS

Fr Marlon will be on leave from 15th April until his return on 16th June. During this time there will be no weekday Masses, no Masses in Tambellup and Broomehill.

Kojonup and Katanning will remain on their usual Sunday timetable. Albany Parish provides Mass on the second and fourth Sundays of the month in Gnowangerup at 9.30am.

During this time we are grateful for locum priests Fr Nathan Barrie, Fr Edmund Nixon and Fr Geoff Aldous; and Deacon Ian Lewis. Please make them welcome!

On this Fourth Sunday of Easter also known as Good Shepherd Sunday we welcome with thanks Fr Nathan Barrie who has come to offer Holy Mass for us in Fr Marlon's absence. Please make him welcome!



"O God, in whom we live and move and have our being, grant us sufficient rain so that, being supplied with what sustains us in this present life, we may seek more confidently what sustains us for eternity,"

Let us continue to pray for the sick members of our families and also within our Parish especially: Aris Mills, Laline Ford and David McGuire; Also our parishioners in Kerry Lodge and Bethshan, Clara Illiano, Ted Schaefer, Bonnie Quartermaine. Please keep them in your prayers.



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	7th April	14th April
1 st Collection	\$ 209.65	\$ 269.00
2nd Collection	\$ 60.00	\$ 21.40
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 160.00	\$ 100.00
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 302.00	\$ 302.00
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