

**DEATHS:** Larry Ferris, babies Brenden & Darren Cranston, Peter Dempsey, Christopher Anderson, Br. Charlie Bradshaw, Bessie Ah Sam, Lewis Ellis.

**ANNIVERSARIES** Ronald Belia, Lauren Skyring, Mary Finucane, Narelle McCoy, Peter Hoch, Gwen Anderson, Roy Martel, Eileen Sam, Chris Raines, Ethel Amatus, Emma Ebrero.

**LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK:** Laurel Rutley, Trisha Kennedy, Ian Gardner, Leonard Nunis, Rose Stámara, Don Kube, Bozo Pinjuh, Rosaria Panichelli, Kate Anderson, Jenny Escriva, Bob Keoghan, Tyrone Mullins, Brian Jensen, John Hetherton, Ben Mooney, Jorjah Price, Joe Jury, Joyce Lymen, Harry Curry, Victor Eathorne, Margaret Taylor, Jonathon Smith, Sarina Norris, Molly Magowan, Sr Kath Clancy, Rita Van Ryt, Ted Helmuth, Julieta Sturrock, Marie Blunck, Judith Billanes, Jovi Baier, Will Carland, Peter King, Sr Margaret Scott (Immaculata), Veronica Spain, Ebony Lees, Lyn Galley, Ted Butterworth, June Oliver, Angela Fell, Terry Casey, Fred Dowse, Laurie Raynes, Lally Biondi.

**All Saints**

Apocalypse 7: 2-4, 9-14

St John 3: 1-3

Matthew 5: 1-12

**32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Kings 17: 10-16

Hebrews 9: 24-28

Mark 12: 38-44



**OUR GIFT TO GOD – FOR GOD’S GIFT TO US**

Planned Giving \$ 2107.57

Loose \$ 735.10

**\$4423.74**

**WYD to date \$2494.50**

**APPEALS**

Missions \$85.00

**SOME IMPORTANT DATES COMING UP:**

- NOVEMBER** 1<sup>ST</sup> All Saints  
2<sup>nd</sup> All Souls – 8am Mass in Church & 5.30pm Mass at the Cemetery  
3<sup>rd</sup> Melbourne Cup  
4<sup>th</sup> GSCC Awards Night 7pm Civic Centre  
6<sup>th</sup> St Joseph’s Christmas Fair from 6pm  
19<sup>th</sup> Community Prayers for Rain 12.15pm at Civic Centre

**PLEASE SUPPORT our Multicultural Festival sponsors for 2009**

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**MISSION APPEAL:** Envelopes were handed out last weekend for a second collection tis weekend. The DVD showed how needed eth funds are. Can you help out today when we have as second collection?

**WEBSITE OF THE WEEK:** <http://www.4marks.com/> 4marks is a social networking site which helps people meet and exchange information, enabling them to connect in the physical world and strengthen Christian culture. The educational area of the site offers several subscription courses for individuals, groups and families. In order to take full advantage of this site's features you must subscribe to one of their services - without a subscription the biggest resource is the articles section.

**PARISH CHOIR:** meets this Sunday and every Sunday at 4pm to prepare for Advent and Christmas Vigil.

**LIFE MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP:** help people see their life and how it manages to make a difference to living now to be held to 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> November. Enquiries – Mary Butler 4743 1332 or Parish Office.

**DISCUSSION NIGHT:** We had a very lively discussion on the topic “Saints” and still welcome your thoughts. Next meeting will be 27<sup>th</sup> January 2010. Topic “Your Early Catechism Lessons- How Have “They Shaped Your Life”

**WYD MADRID 2011:** Our Parish is conducting quiet prayer each Wednesday from 6pm til 6.30pm in support of pilgrims and the youth of our area. Please join us in prayer for this special group in our community. **100 CLUB WINNER #97** Margaret Janetzki Last week’s winner was Daniel Anderson. Thank you for donating back to WYD funds.

**CELEBRATE LOVE:** is a two day, couple’s weekend presented in a Catholic context exploring intimacy and spirituality. It is a private experience for married couples in loving relationships and is being held soon. [www.celebratelove.com.au](http://www.celebratelove.com.au) or phone 07.4743 6088

**MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY:** Thank you to all who participated in the celebration of the Rosary. Our Parish is doubly blessed when we find each other in prayer not only at Church but in our homes as well.

**MINISTERS FOR ALL MASSES URGENTLY REQUIRED:** Please consider being a Reader, Leader, Eucharistic Minister or Presenter of Gifts. Your name would be placed on a roster for these ministries. Please contact Corena in the Parish Office 4743 6088 if you can help.

**THANKS:** On behalf of Breast Cancer Network Australia, Betty Spanner would like to thank the CWL and parishioners for the lovely morning tea, the music and for the support and help given for our Mini Field of Women two Sundays ago. God bless you all.

**BECOMING A CATHOLIC:** There has been some interest in adults becoming a Catholic and a new programme begins very soon. Please see Fr. Mick or the Parish Office to have your name included and to be contacted.

**KEEP SUNDAY SACRED:** Pope Benedict XVI said that “Society risks being enslaved to work and must recover the traditional day of rest”. Each week we shall be delighted to offer you thoughts with this in mind..... “Leisure is essential to growth and quality of life. Because we reverence our own personhood we understand the need for time and space for pay and rest. No matter how valuable our work, only an integrated life will keep us whole.” *Yankton Benedictines.*

**SPIRITUAL COMPANIONING:** Would you like to reflect on your life and prayer, and find where God is present in every day events? An invitation sheet is available at the Church Entrance. Please help yourself and see where the Spirit may be leading you ....

**CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE:** invites women to meet the Diocesan President of CWL, Lydia Toohey, this Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> November, at 10am in Edmund Rice Room. Come along and show your support. You can also support the **Petition to Retain the Definition of Marriage between Man and Woman**, which is being circulated by the CWL. It is available for signatures after all masses this weekend.

**FOCUS GROUPS:** Parish Pastoral Council Focus Group – **Pathways to Holiness** meets 5.30pm this Tuesday. All are welcome to come along.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/PENANCE/CONFESSION:** We are beginning the programme families to use at home. Family times to celebrate will be made once families have completed the preparation programme. For parent information - contact the Parish Office or the Catholic Schools for more information. Dates et are November 22<sup>nd</sup>, December 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:** No one is so rich that he does not need another's help; no one so poor as not to be useful in some way to his fellow man. *Leo XI1, Jan 18, 1901.*

**NOVEMBER BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE:** The book on the Sanctuary reminds us to pray for all who have lost loved ones. If you wish to have names of deceased family or friends added please see the sheet at the front door.