

Holy Family Como Bulletin



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Weekend Masses Saturday 6pm, Sunday 8.30am & 10.00am **Weekday Masses:** Tuesday – Friday 9am

Reconciliation: Saturday 5.00pm-5.30pm **Baptisms, Marriage & Funerals:** By appointment Only

Adoration: Thursday 9.30am-11.30am **Safeguarding Officers:** Mark Ferroa 0425454763 & Breda Pires 0422237261

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30th Sunday in Ordinary Time- Year A Sunday 29th October 2023 The Liturgy of the Word

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice; turn to the Lord and his strength; constantly seek his face.

FIRST READING

Exodus 22: 20-26

The Lord said to Moses, "Tell the sons of Israel this, "You must not molest the stranger or oppress him, for you lived as strangers in the land of Egypt. You must not be harsh with the widow, or with the orphan; if you are harsh with them, they will surely cry out to me, and be sure I shall hear their cry; my anger will flare and I shall kill you with the sword, your own wives will be widows, your own children orphans. "If you lend money to any of my people, to any poor man among you, you must not play the usurer with him: you must not demand interest from him.

"If you take another's cloak as a pledge, you must give it back to him before sunset. It is all the covering he has; it is the cloak he wraps his body in; what else would he sleep in? If he cries to me, I will listen, for I am full of pity."

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R. I love you, Lord, my strength.

SECOND READING

Thessalonians 1:5-10

You observed the sort of life we lived when we were with you, which was for your instruction, and you were led to become imitators of us, and of the Lord; and it was with the joy of the Holy Spirit that you took to the gospel, in spite of the great opposition all round you. This made you the great example to all believers in Macedonia and Achaia since it was from you that the word of the Lord started to spread - and not only throughout Macedonia and Achaia, for the news of your faith in God has spread everywhere. We do not need to tell other people about it: other people tell us how we started the work among you, how you broke with idolatry when you were converted to God and became servants of the real, living God; and how you are now waiting for Jesus, his Son, whom he raised from the dead, to come from heaven to save us from the retribution which is coming.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them. **Alleluia!**

GOSPEL

Matthew 22: 33-40

When the pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees they got together and, to disconcert him, one of them put a question, "master, which is the greatest commandment of the law?" Jesus said, "you must love the lord your god with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second resembles it: you must love your neighbour as yourself. On these two commandments hang the whole law, and the prophets also."

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

We will ring out our joy at your saving help and exult in the name of our God.

St Paul's Sunday Missal



Next Sunday's Readings

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Malachi 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10

Ps 131:1-3

1 Thessalonians 2:7b-9, 13

Matthew 23:1-12

HOLY FAMILY DIARY

30th Oct– 5th Nov 2023

Monday 30th October
No Mass

Tuesday 31st October
9.00am Mass

Wednesday 1st November
(ALL SAINTS DAY)

9.00am Mass
9.30-11.30am Craft Group
7.00pm Mass

Thursday 2nd November
(ALL SOULS DAY)

9.00am Mass
9.30-11.30am Adoration
7.00pm Mass

Friday 3rd November
9.00am Mass

Saturday 4th November
6.00pm Mass

Sunday 5th November
31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
8.30am Mass
10.00am Mass

Advent Daily Reflection
Booklets Available to buy
in the office - \$5 each



ONLY 2 WEEKS TO GO
PARISH FUNDRAISING LUNCH
Sunday 12th November from 11am

Tickets: Adults \$25
Children \$5

Parish Hall, BYO Drinks
Tickets available on the day, after
weekend mass or from the parish office
during office hours.

****All funds raised go towards the
maintenance & upkeep of the parish****

VOLUNTEERS FOR GARDENING

The gardening group **urgently need**
help keep our parish gardens
looking fresh and beautiful.

VOLUNTEER FOR CLEANING

Our parish also needs help with the
cleaning of the parish.

VOLUNTEERS FOR GIVING COMMUNION IN AGED CARE

If you have spare time on Sunday,
we need help administering
communion at aged care facilities in
the area. If you can help with any of
the above, please contact the office
ASAP, thank you

CHURCH NOTICEBOARD

For more of what's happening in the
Archdiocese or Employment, please
see the Notice board in the foyer.

All Saints Day Masses
will be at 9.00am and 7.00pm on
Wednesday 1st November
All Soul's Day Masses
for The Commemoration of the
Faithful Departed will be at
9.00am and 7.00pm on
Thursday 2nd November

NOVEMBER MASS INTENTIONS

During the month of November, we
pray for the deceased, trusting them to
the mercy of God. Mass intention
envelopes are **available in the
church foyer from 1st November.**

Place your envelope in the box in the
Church in front of the Baptismal Font.
The envelope will then be placed on
the commemorative curtain on the
altar. Mass will be offered for the
intentions of all envelopes throughout
November.

WELCOME PROGRAM
For all who wish to
join the Catholic Faith
Community



*Anyone interested in
being a part of this journey, please
speak to Fr Dat after Mass and give
him your contact details. We will be
in touch soon with details of the
journey planned.*

*Those already within our Catholic
Community, we need you to 'walk
with' these newcomers. Please give
your name to Fr Dat, Breda & Tony
It is a fascinating journey searching
the basics of our Faith, sharing
stories of our love for God and
God's love for us in our life, and
grappling with the mysteries we
struggle to understand.*

Breda & Tony Pires (0418 900 046)

CALLING ALL READERS
Those currently on the roster and
those who would like to become
a reader at Mass

1. Please leave your name and
contact details in the white box
in the foyer if you would like to be
a **new reader**.
2. Note in your diary for all current
readers, the **READER'S LUNCH**
on 10th December 11am – 2pm.
RSVP in the marked box in the
foyer, if you haven't already done
so.

This is a vital Ministry calling us to
be the best we can so that God's
Word is clearly heard, people's faith
is enhanced, **Contact Marie Tiley**
for more information

MASS OFFERINGS

Recently Deceased: Maria
Formentin

Anniversary:
Joffre Manricks



Wellbeing of:
Enzo Almonte, Mary Haydock,
John Lucas

The Power of Prayer list is now on the
noticeboard. If you would like someone
on the Power of Prayer, write their
name on the form in the church foyer.
The list will be updated each week.

Wedding Anniversaries October 2023

**Congratulations to the following
couples who are celebrating
their anniversaries in October:**

Ben & Mary Bianchini,
Renata & Brian Lawrence,
Bill & Josie Staude,
Val & Murray Fisher,
Ted & Margaret Capp,
Kim & Sue Gardiner,
Gloria & Freddie Tan,
Wayne & Elise Leggett,
Margaret & Ed Devereux,
Alena & Maxwell Johnson,
Kathryn & Paul Sloan,
Noel Puzey & Theresa Miller,
Edwin & Bernice Lim,
Paul & Jacqui Vinci,
Adrian & Brigitte Loh,
Kevin & Connie Ogola,
Caroline & Wayne Capes,
Michael & Nadia Bird,
Shanthi & Ben Dias

**God bless you all on your special
day**

SAFEGUARDING COMMITMENT STATEMENT

Holy Family Parish Como is
committed to providing a safe &
secure environment for all its
members, leaders, especially its
children & vulnerable adults. The
care, safety & welfare of children &
vulnerable adults is a collective
responsibility embedded in policies
& practices of the Parish which
reflect a commitment to a zero
tolerance to abuse.

7 of 12 Safeguarding Messages:
You can shout, STOP or NO! if
someone tries to touch your private
body parts. Then you go and tell a
trusted adult.

*This message is placed at the request of
the Safeguarding Office of the Perth
Archdiocese.*

Pope Francis Reflection

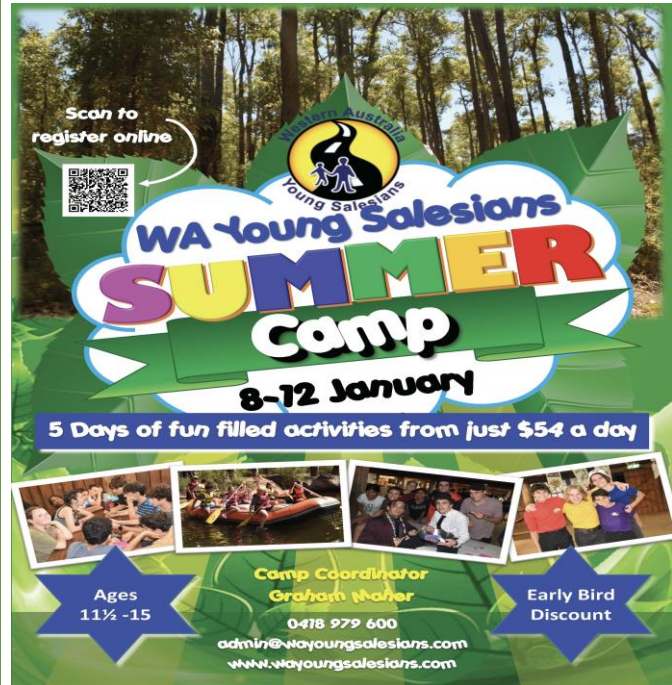
Dear brothers and sisters, our thoughts turn to Palestine and Israel. The number of victims is rising and the situation in Gaza is desperate. Please, let everything possible be done to avoid a humanitarian disaster. The possible widening of the conflict is disturbing, while so many war fronts are already open in the world. May weapons fall silent! Let us heed the cry for peace of populations, of the people, of the children! Brothers and sisters, war does not solve any problem: it sows only death and destruction, foments hate and proliferates revenge. War cancels out the future. I urge believers to take just one side in this conflict: that of peace. But not with words, with prayer, with total dedication. With this in mind, I have decided to call for a day of fasting and prayer, of penance, from Friday 27 October, to which I invite sisters and brothers of the various Christian denominations, those belonging to other religions and all those who have at heart the cause of peace in the world, to join in as they see fit. That evening, at 6pm, at Saint Peter's, we will spend an hour of prayer, in a spirit of penance, to implore peace in our time, peace in this world. I ask all the particular Churches to participate by arranging similar activities involving the People of God."

PRAYER FOR PEACE

God of mercy and compassion, of grace and reconciliation, pour your power upon all your children in the Middle East: Jews, Muslims and Christians, Palestinians and Israelis. Let hatred be turned into love, fear to trust, despair to hope, oppression to freedom, occupation to liberation, that violent encounters may be replaced by loving embraces, and peace and justice could be experienced by all.

God of all creation, bring justice and peace to our world. Teach us to be peacemakers. Guide us in our pursuit of justice and the common good. Inspire us to welcome all, forgive all, and love all. Direct us as we walk in the shadow of Jesus: the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Inspire us to perceive the world through your eyes, that we might find hope and joy each day, supportive of each other, for the sake of your Kingdom. Amen.

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Love one another.



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NEIGHBOUR

with **ALL YOUR HEART** and
with **ALL YOUR SOUL** and
with **ALL YOUR MIND.**
This is the great and first commandment.
MATTHEW 22:37-38

30TH SUNDAY ORD TIME

There are lots of rules in our lives, school rules, road rules, even church rules, but Jesus summed up the rules in two great teachings Love God & love your neighbour.

LET US PRAY

Lord, I have only one life and shall not live this day again. Help me to remember that everyone is my neighbour. If I can do something good or show kindness, then help me to do it today, for unless love is shared it cannot grow.



ROSTERS				
		Saturday 6:00 pm	Sunday 8:30 am	Sunday 10:00 am
COMMENTATOR/READER				
28 th /29 th October	30 th Sunday in Ord	Dimitrio Sidi	Susannah Robinson	Regionald Thevanayagam
4 th /5 th November	31 st Sunday in Ord	Dimitrio Sidi	Jill Browne	Tony Pires
ACOLYTE				
28 th /29 th October	30 th Sunday of Ord	Hasan Sidi	Bill Staude	Tony Bray
4 th /5 th November	31 st Sunday in Ord	Peter Quinn	Michael Taylor	Leo Burke
ALTAR SERVER				
28 th /29 th October	30 th Sunday of Ord	Isabelle Chiew Vasana Boonyothayan	Dominic Newman Dinuli Kariyakarawana	Angel Sara Siby Jovan Halim
4 th /5 th November	31 st Sunday in Ord	Hayden Willey Raegan Tanuwijaja	Claudia Taylor-Beard Evelyn Newman	Martina Teran- Carrasco Saheli D'Silva
CHOIR				
28 th /29 th October	30 th Sunday of Ord	Sagrada Familia	Holy Family Choir	Ukulele Choir
4 th /5 th November	31 st Sunday in Ord	Sagrada Familia	Holy Family Choir	D'Cantor Choir

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