

Wodonga Catholic Parish

INCORPORATING

SACRED HEART CHURCH, Beechworth Rd Wodonga, ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH, High St Wodonga,
ST FRANCIS, Bethanga, OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS, Tangambalanga, ST. JOSEPH'S Dederang, ST. JOSEPH'S Mt. Beauty
& Parishes of Tallangatta & Corryong.

October 17th-2021 The 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO USE THIS QR CODE:



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TO USE: Simply use the camera in your phone, hold it over the code. A link will appear - hit the link - this will take you to a form where you can record your name and phone number. **If you are having trouble with this code our priests are happy to help you.** *If you do not have a smart phone please use the iPad provided or sign-in sheet in the foyer of the church. Thank you for your understanding, it is very much appreciated.

Pope Francis Tweets: Pope Francis @Pontifex



The new synodal way will begin. Let us #PrayTogether so that the reflections and exchanges of this Assembly might help us rediscover the joy of being the People of God who journeys together, listening to everyone.

#Synod #ListeningChurch

Looking at the Readings:

The hint of reward for suffering in the first reading serves as a preamble to the Gospel. James and John are seeking favour and reward. We may remember in Matthew's version (Second Wednesday in Lent) it is their mother that asks the favour of Jesus. Jesus response is that before reward comes trials and suffering and it is the Father (in Matthew) that allot the places of honour.

James and John, however, were misunderstanding the journey to Jerusalem, the city of Kings, a place that Jesus will restore the glory and might of the nation. They wanted a share in that. But Jesus journey to Jerusalem was to the city of the rejection and death of Prophets. He was inviting them to that journey.

This encounter affords the opportunity for Jesus to teach about servant-leadership. The lesson helps us to connect Jesus with the suffering servant of God in the first reading from Isaiah and to learn the true nature of leadership in the Church and community.

The Suffering Servant

Today's first reading is two verses from the fourth song of the Suffering Servant of God. The Prophet Isaiah speaks of this servant chosen, set apart and saved to be God's witness before the nations. He is the mysterious "servant" likened to the servant Israel but distinguished as an individual. He is humble and gentle, he accepts contempt, is innocent but receives punishment. God saves him; the servant grows great, brings salvation and becomes the light of the nations. The first song of the suffering servant (Is 42:1-7) is read on Holy Monday and the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord; the second song (Is 49:1-6) on Holy Tuesday and third song (Isaiah 50:4-7) on Palm Sunday and Holy Wednesday, the fourth (Is 52:13-53:12) is read in its entirety on Good Friday and in part today.

Quotable Quote

Even before God Jesus is subversive, because he invites us to continually overturn the image we have formed of him. Through his whole life, as much as through his words, he directs us towards a God who became the servant of those to whom he gave birth through love. Gérard Bessière, Paris, 1976.

WODONGA PARISH CENTRE

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OFFICE HOURS

9:30 am - 3:00 pm
Monday to Friday

PRESBYTERY

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PARISH PRIEST

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0401 337 433

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Sister Eileen Reardon
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WEEKEND MASSES

WODONGA

Sacred Heart Church
Saturday @5:00 pm.
Sunday @8:30 am & 10.30 am

TANGAMBALANGA

Our Lady Help of Christians
3rd Sunday @10:30 am

DEDERANG

St Joseph's
1st Sunday @10.30am Mass

MT BEAUTY

St Joseph's
1st & 3rd Sunday @8.30am
5th Sunday @8:30am Liturgy
of The Word and Communion

TALLANGATTA

St Michael's Church
2nd & 4th Sunday -
@11:00am

CORRYONG:

Sacred Heart Church
2nd & 4th Sunday @
8:30am

WALWA: Christ The King

2nd & 4th Saturday
@4:00pm

Sandy Creek St Michaels

5th Sunday @ 8:30am

Mitta St Joseph's Church

5th Sunday @ 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Sacred Heart Church,
Wodonga
Tuesday to Friday 9:15 am

SATURDAY

St Augustine's Church
Saturday 9.30am

RECONCILIATION:

Sacred Heart Church,
Wodonga
Saturday 9:00am to 9:30am

Recent Deaths:

Gloria Deane

Anniversaries:

Norma Dixon, Rudolf Kalc, Ana Kalcic, Anton Kalcic

Sick:

Gabrielle Radcliffe, John Radcliffe, Salome Ramirez, Ric Glavocih, Mary Shaddock, Ricky Ellul, Zak Oliver, parishioners who are ill, their families & Carers.

Parishioners and Friends please join Fr Junjun and Fr Dean for our Virtual Morning tea and catch-up. This Friday at 11:00 am

We are having morning tea each Friday @11am via zoom.

Would you like to catch up with people in our parish community?

Are you unable to leave your home or just feeling a little alone or disconnected?

LIFE IS LIKE A CUP OF TEA....
TO BE FILLED TO THE BRIM AND ENJOYED WITH FRIENDS...



Each Friday our parish will host a zoom morning tea at 11:00 am, if you would like to join us please email Sonni at the Parish Centre: wodcath@bigpond.net.au.

If you would like to join us but do not understand how to use zoom or are unsure of the process, please let myself or Fr Dean know your concerns as we will try to help you through the process.

I look forward to seeing your faces. *Fr Junjun Amaya*

Liturgical Jottings: The Sense of the Sacred:

In the last five weeks this column has addressed the five senses: sight, hearing, touch, smell and taste in the liturgy. By the senses we receive information, experience our world and so interpret reality and come to a deeper understanding of God, ourselves and our faith. We have another sense, the Sense of the Sacred. This sense leads us into mystery and wonder and awe.

We gain a sense of personal identity and an experience of the spiritual. Music, architecture, signs, symbols and sacraments assist the religious person to see, apprehend and appreciate the mystery of God, Christ's ministry, passion, death and resurrection. *The Sense of the Sacred is present in each child, adult, believer and the unbeliever.* © 2021 Diocese of Sandhurst

Notice:

Would you like your loved ones recent death, anniversary or ill health acknowledged in this bulletin for prayers to be offered?

Please pass this information on to the Priest or email Sonni at : wodcath@bigpond.net.au.

OR phone the Parish Centre: **0260243366.**

Due to privacy laws we are unable to place names in the bulletin unless requested by a relative.

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WODONGA ROSTERS 24TH OCTOBER 2021

SACRED HEART CLEANING: Frank Hanrahan, Rosanna Jackson

SACRED HEART ALTAR: Dina & Bozidar Zmaja

MASS TIMES: 5:00 pm

8:30 am

10:30 am

Altar Servers: Volunteer
Lector 1: Marg Ware
Lector 2: Rosanna Jackson

Altar Servers: Volunteer
Lector 1: Michael Iverson
Lector 2: Barry Jackson

Altar Servers: Volunteer
Lector 1: Kendra Gonzadan
Lector 2: Crissy Gannan

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00 pm Sandy, Brian & Clive

8:30 am Dave, John & Maureen

10:30 am Christine, Phil & Jean

Children's Liturgy: TBA

COUNTERS: THIS WEEK 17TH SEPTEMBER

THIS WEEK: TEAM 5: Margo Keat, Marion & Gerry Fitzpatrick,

NEXT WEEK: TEAM 6: Marg Whitehead, Irene & Geoff Agnew, Des Lonergan, John Barrat

MT BEAUTY ROSTERS: 7TH NOVEMBER

LECTOR: TBA
Backup: TBA
COMMENTATOR: TBA
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: TBA & Volunteer
Mowing: TBA

DEDERANG ROSTERS: 7TH NOVEMBER

FIRST / SECOND READING: Alanna Kirley
WELCOME/PSALM/PRAYER OF FAITHFUL: Sharon Coulston
POWERPOINT: Madison Coulston
OFFERTORY: Kirley
CLEANING ROSTER: Kerry Kirley

Gospel: Mark 10:35-40

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached Jesus.

'Master,' they said to him 'we want you to do us a favour.'

He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?'

They said to him, 'Allow us to sit one at your right hand and the other at your left in your glory.'

'You do not know what you are asking' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptised with the baptism with which I must be baptised?'

They replied, 'We can.'

Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptised you shall be baptised, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.'

When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to him and said to them,

'You know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all.'

For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

Readings this week:

Isaiah 53:10-11
Hebrews 4:14-16
Mark 10:35-45

Readings next week:

Jeremiah 31:7-9
Hebrews 5:1-6
Mark 10:46-52

Responsorial Psalm:

Lord, let your mercy be on us,
as we place our trust in you.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! The Son of Man came to serve
and to give his life as a ransom for all. Alleluia!

Prayers of the Faithful:

Lord, hear our prayer.



Stand Up



WORLD YOUTH DAY SANDHURST

SATURDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2021
ST KILIAN'S BENDIGO

Let us Dream ~ Pope Francis

The Path to a Better Future.

Pope Francis Writings:

This uplifting and practical book, explains why we must-and how we can-make the world safer, fairer, and healthier for all people now.

Let us Dream is an epiphany, a call to arms and a pleasure to read. It is Pope Francis at his most personal, profound and passionate.

4 Sessions: Commencing Wednesday October 20th
10:00 am to 11:00 am @ Wodonga Catholic Parish Centre
Booking Essential PH: 60243366 (Let Us Dream Book Supplied)

A Safe Parish Is a Shared Responsibility:

Our Parish safety officer is
Sonia La Motte-Schubert
Ph: 60243366

Towards Healing helpline
Ph: 1800 816 030 (free call)

Lifeline is a non-profit
Organisation
FREE 24-hour Crisis Support
Ph: 13 11 14

Please Note:

Due to covid restrictions,
the collection baskets
CANNOT be passed around
during Mass.

Please place your
offering in the baskets situated on
the back pews in the centre of the
church. Thank you.

Booking for Mass Essential

**Due to Restrictions
we are limited to 20 people attending Mass.
Therefore bookings are essential.
Please call the Parish Centre to book. Ph: 60243366**

**Masks must be worn
during Mass**

Unable to attend Mass? It's time to get social!



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<https://www.facebook.com/wodongacatholicparish/>



Morning Mass live streamed on our Facebook page :
need more information? Please call myself on Ph: 0459356917
or Sonni at the Parish Centre: Ph: 60243366 *Fr Junjun Amaya*