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PARISH VISION:
A Welcoming Community,
United in Faith,
Centred in
the Eucharist,
Which embraces the Spirit
and Nature of all
God's People

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF SALISBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

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SUNDAY MASS TIMES

St Augustine's Church

23 Commercial Rd Salisbury Saturday: 6:00pm Sunday: 9:00am & 6:00pm

Polish Sunday: 12 noon Filipino 1st Sunday of Month: 3:00pm

Italian 2nd Sunday of Month: 10:30am Holy Family Mass Centre:

Shepherdson Rd Parafield Gardens Sunday: 10:30am

St Finbar's Church:

Greencroft Road, Salisbury North

Sunday: 9:00am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday <u>after</u> 9:30am Mass and <u>before</u> the 6:00pm Vigil Mass 5:15pm - 5:45pm 12th October 2025 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C

First Reading - 2 Kings 5.14-17

A reading from the second book of Kings.

Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram and a mighty warrior, obeyed Elisha: he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean. Then he returned to the man of God, he and all his company; Naaman came and stood before Elisha and said, "Now I know that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel; please accept a present from your servant." But Elisha said, "As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing!" Naaman urged Elisha to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, "If not, please let two mule-loads of earth be given to your servant; for your servant will no longer offer burnt offering or sacrifice to any god except the Lord."

Responsorial Psalm - Psalm 98.1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 (R.2b)

R. The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

O sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvellous things. His right hand and his holy arm have brought him victory. **R.**

The Lord has made known his victory; he has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations. He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel. **R.**

All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God. Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth; break forth into joyous song and sing praises. **R.**

Second Reading - 2 Timothy 2.8-13

A reading from the second letter of Paul to Timothy.

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David—that is my gospel, for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore, I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. The saying is sure: If we have died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us; if we are faithless, he remains faithful— for he cannot deny himself.

Gospel - Luke 17.11-19

A reading from the holy gospel according to Luke.

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When Jesus saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then Jesus said to Samaritan, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."



RECENTLY DECEASED

Belen Ranido Tampoc Ken Millward Natalina Lopresti

ANNIVERSARIES

Emmanuel Buhagiar
Fortunata Fimmano
Ismael Quintana Leiva
Joseph Busuttil
Lorenzo "Laurie" Daminato
Luigi Bittoto
Malcolm Sinclair
Meg Marron
Oscar Tolentino
Ricardo Quintana Leiva
Roma Daminato
Teresa Tolentino
Theresa Buhagiar
Visitacion Niutta

THE SICK Kim Wilson **Andrew Neal** Annette Harvey Apple Sangalang Chelsea Cunningham **Corine Roberts** Dimetri de la Rea Eileen & Paul O'Gorman Erlinda de la Rea Francescopaolo Mastrullo Hazel Gabriela Mu (Baby) Jan Von der Borch Jim Love Joseph Riley Kirsten Sudario Lynda Nora Kearney Mary Harris Michelle Purvis-Bond Mitchell O'Brien Olivia P. Oscar Lacuesta Paul Cunningham Paul K. Paul Sahb Paul Waldon Paul Wilkinson Peter Smith Raelene Brown Ramon Romero **Richard Pearce** Shaun I Stephanie Lopez Theresa P. Tonie Michael Carlos Gotardo Felicitas Uribe Jovencio Velasco Kristina G. Joni Maris Sanderson Obdulia Berniz Orlando Velasco Pamela Nicholls Ryder Peter O'Toole Silvia Reyes de Mejia Teofila Malagar Mimi Wise & Rick Wise Roger Maranan

Monette Navata

Salvador Nuñez Victoria Kyriakopolous

REGULAR WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tues – Thurs at 8:00am Fri – Sat at 9:30am in St Augustine's Church <u>Please Note:</u> Saturday with Adoration after Mass

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon: 9:00am - 12:30pm Tues - Thurs: 9:00am - 3:00pm Fri: 9:00am - 12:30pm

RECONCILIATIONS St Augustine's Church

Saturday <u>after</u> 9:30am Mass and <u>before</u> the 6:00pm **Vigil Mass** 5:15pm-5:45pm

BAPTISMS

St Augustine's Church Within Mass:

Every Saturday at 9:30am
Outside Mass:
3rd Sunday at 10:30am
Holy Family Mass Centre

1st & 4th Sunday Within the 10:30am Mass

TUESDAY EVENING POLISH MASS WITH EXPOSITION

in St Augustine's Church Adoration at 5:30pm Mass at 6:00pm. For all enquiries please contact: Polish Chaplain - 8445 8466

Parish Stewardship... Grateful and Generous as Pilgrims of Hope

Sometimes the best way to explain something is to say what it isn't.

Stewardship is not...

Something the Church recently made up. Stewardship is not a fad. It comes directly from the Bible. It's how God expected His people to live since the beginning. Stewardship helps us from putting other "gods" before God. Fund-raising. Stewardship is giving from

Fund-raising. Stewardship is giving from our "first fruits" — our first and best without expecting anything in return. Through our Sunday Offertory we unite our sacrifice with Jesus to do the will of God, the Father.

Something I do on my own. God has given each of us gifts. How we use those gifts is our gift back to God. No gift is too small or insignificant. Stewardship transforms not only our own lives, but the life of our parish community.

STEWARDSHIP RENEWAL WORKING BEE #1 – CAN YOU HELP?

REMINDER: This Tuesday 14 October, starting at 10.00am in the Parish Family Centre, we are holding a Working Bee to assemble letters and Information for all our Parish Families. If you can help us, please come along, and lend a hand. This will entail folding and placing material into envelopes.

We still need 5 more Helpers to assist (approx. 2 hours). If you are able and willing to assist, please leave your name on the "Working Bee Prospective Helpers" sheet at the Church Entrances or telephone the Parish Office on Monday morning.



Our Parish is a Safe Organisation for Children, Young People and vulnerable Adults. We are committed to their care, wellbeing and protection. We believe they have the right to be healthy and safe, and to have their voice heard, respected and valued. We have zero tolerance for all forms of abuse and prioritise the safety and wellbeing of children, young people and vulnerable adults in all that we do.

SAFEGUARDING CONTACT PERSONS

Fr Charles Lukati, Grace Healey, Nicholas Dangcalan, Diane Innes

Contact details can be found on the posters that are in the Church, Family Centre and Parish Office and in our Safeguarding Noticeboard in front of the Family Centre. If you have any suggestions or complaints, please send a confidential email to: businessmanager@salcath.org.au

GOSPEL REFLECTION - Luke 17:11-19

Like the other nine lepers, the Samaritan was cured of his skin disease. Unlike the other nine, he thanked Jesus and expressed faith in Jesus as the agent of his divine healing. Only to him did Jesus say: 'Your faith has brought you salvation.' So, 'salvation' is evidently more than physical cure. Every aspect of this man's personality, bodily, socially, relationship with God, was made whole. Being brought to this 'holistic' situation we call 'salvation'. This Gospel assures us that there is nothing which makes me 'taboo' to Jesus. Jesus is only too willing to reach out to that part of me which is diseased, ill-at-ease with myself, other people, creation, or God. Having faith in Him allows the full force of His love to heal me, to take effect. We could pause for a moment to pray that we might join the Samaritan walking along the road to final salvation, praising God. © Fr Michael Tate; mtate@bigpond.com

St Vincent de Paul Society **LEAVING COLLECTION**

There will be a Leaving Collection after all Masses this weekend in support of those in need in our local community.

BEING CALLED TO SERVE OTHERS

Dear Parishioners,

Being called to serve others is central to being a Christian. It is recorded in John's Gospel that after Jesus had washed the disciples' feet, he said, "If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet" (John 13:14). The word "Ministry" comes from a Latin word meaning service. Every Christian should take this instruction of Jesus seriously. Most Catholics serve others through leadership in their family, workplace and community, and by participating in a ministry in their parish.

Are you following Jesus' instruction? In what way(s) are you being called to serve? It does not matter if you are new to Salisbury Catholic Parish, you have been here for a long time. There is a ministry for you!

In the next few weeks of our Stewardship Renewal Program, you will receive your Service & Ministry Choice Form. Please make a 1-year commitment to at least one Service or Ministry. As we are invited to serve, God bestows on us the necessary gifts to fulfil our ministry.

With much appreciation.

Fr Charles Lukati



The month of October is designated by the Catholic Church as the "Month of the Rosary". The Catholic church celebrates the Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary on October 7. Families are encouraged to make a deliberate daily effort to pray the Holy Rosary together during this month.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

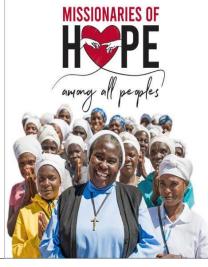


In remembrance of all our deceased parishioners and loved ones who passed away,

The Book of Remembrance will be at the back of the Church for those who want to write the names of their deceased loved ones. Prayers will be offered for them in all our **November Masses.**

Archdiocesan Synod **Formation Sessions Available Online**

All are invited to prepare for the 2026 Archdiocesan Synod. To access the Synod Formation Series and information on upcoming sessions, visit www.togetherontheway.au/formation-sessions or contact Peter Bierer (pbierer@adelaide.catholic.org.au)



For women like Sharon, who must choose between feeding their children or selling their crops to survive, and Grace, who risked her life traveling 160km for safe childbirth, hope comes through Sr Jane and Kayula. Through sustainable farming, Sr Jane helps women provide for their families. At the Chilonga Mission Hospital, Kayula ensures mothers and babies receive the dignity and care they deserve.

This World Mission Month, we invite you to extend your generosity to help enhance the vital work of the Church. Your support can make a significant difference to the lives of many, offering hope to the people of Zambia.



mission catholicmission.org.au/mission

This World Mission Month, we invite you to journey with our missionaries, who are bringing Christ's love to those most in need.

An envelope has been included with this weekend's Echo. Please return with vour donation next weekend. October 18th/19th.

Thank you.

COMMITTEES AND GROUPS

Knights of the Southern Cross

The Knights of the Southern Cross are active in the Parish.

Contact: Paul Hawkes 0439 832 834

Knitting Group (Knit & Knatter)

Will be held on Friday mornings at 10:00am - 11:30am in the Parish Family Centre.

Contact: Lorraine 8263 7333

Lay Canossian Association

The Lay Canossian group meet on the First Tuesday of each month at 9:00am in the Parish Family Centre.

Reflecting the Gospel

Every Wednesday at 9:00am in the Parish Family Centre.

Contact: Win Simons 8258 2314

Rosary at St. Finbar's

Rosary held at St Finbar's 9.00am every Saturday.

Contact: Win Simons 8258 2314



Children's Liturgy of the Word

St Augustine's Church:

Saturdays at 6pm Sundays at 9am & 6pm

St Finbar's Church:

Sundays at 9am

Holy Family Mass Centre

Sundays at 10:30am

NOTE: Children's Liturgy is for

children in the age group of 5-12 years.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St Augustine's Parish School Years R - 6

25 Commercial Rd. Salisbury 5108 Ph: 8182 7900 Fax 8182 7999 Principal: Daniel Cowan

Holy Family Parish School Years R - 6

71 Shepherdson Rd. Parafield Gdns. 5107 Ph: 8250 6616 Fax 8250 3043 Principal: Christopher Platten

Thomas More College Years 7 - 12 23 Amsterdam Cres. Salisbury Downs 5108

Ph: 8182 2600 Fax: 8182 2699

Principal: Corey Tavella

NOTIZIE ITALIANE - Domenica 12 Ottobre 2025 28^a Domenica - Anno C (Luca 17, 11-19.)

(Source: Pope Saint John Paul II - Homily 21 September 1986)

Lungo il cammino verso Gerusalemme, Gesù attraversava la Samarìa e la Galilea. Entrando in un villaggio, gli vennero incontro dieci lebbrosi, che si fermarono a distanza e dissero ad alta voce: «Gesù, maestro, abbi pietà di noi!». Appena li vide, Gesù disse loro: «Andate a presentarvi ai sacerdoti». E mentre essi andavano, furono purificati. Uno di loro, vedendosi guarito, tornò indietro lodando Dio a gran voce, e si prostrò davanti a Gesù, ai suoi piedi, per ringraziarlo. Era un Samaritano. Ma Gesù osservò: «Non ne sono stati purificati dieci? E gli altri nove dove sono? Non si è trovato nessuno che tornasse indietro a rendere gloria a Dio, all'infuori di questo straniero?». E gli disse: «Àlzati e va'; la tua fede ti ha salvato!». Parola del Signore "Gli vennero incontro dei lebbrosi". In un altro passo del Vangelo è detto che Gesù, toccò" il lebbroso presentatosi a lui. Gesù si lascia dunque incontrare, egli si è fatto nostro prossimo per essere incontrato da noi proprio sulla soglia più tragica e pesante della sofferenza. Dalla croce egli ci insegna a cercare nel malato lo stesso suo volto, ad avvicinare chi soffre proprio là dove questi sperimenta la sua indigenza. L'esempio di Cristo ci deve incoraggiare a persistere nell'impegno nei confronti di quelle situazioni sociali che risultano tuttora insensibili o impotenti di fronte al dramma della lebbra. Non ci si deve arrendere, se gli sforzi appaiono talvolta privi di risultato o se ci si trova di fronte ad ambienti nei quali il terrore del male ispira misure di difesa disumane, frutto di avversioni istintive e irrazionali verso il malato. Dobbiamo continuare ad operare perché proprio questi ambienti, che sembrano più refrattari, si aprano anch'essi alla speranza. Accogliamo il grido rivolto a Gesù dagli stessi lebbrosi: "Gesù, Maestro, abbi pietà di noi". Il Signore ha affidato alle nostre mani tante opere di carità, affinché mediante esse divenissimo corresponsabili del suo disegno di salvezza.

*La prossima messa in italiano: Domenica 9 Novembre 2025 alle 10.30am

*Incontro Laiche Canossiane: Maredì 4 Novembre 2025 alle 9.00 am

* Rosario ogni Martedì di Ottobre alle 1.30 pm da Maria Reitano

PARISH PASTORAL FUNDING

	5th October 2025		Weekly Avg YTD		Target
ENVELOPES	\$	3,605.00	\$	5,055.15	
OPEN PLATE		<u>2,276.40</u>		2,309.59	
TOTAL	\$	<u>5,881.40</u>	\$	<u>7,364.74</u>	\$7,500
1st Collection	\$	<u>2,445.00</u>			

Note: Figures include direct debits, credit card collections and unpledged direct deposits.

<u>WEEKDAY & SUNDAY READINGS - 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C</u> Monday, 13th - Sunday 19th October 2025

Mon: Rom 1:1-7; Ps 97:1-4; Lk 11:29-32

Tue: <u>St Callistus</u>

Thur:

Rom 1:16-25; Ps 18:2-5; Lk 11:37-41

Wed: St Teresa of Avila

Rom 2:1-11; Ps 61:2-3. 6-7. 9; Lk 11:42-46 Rom 3:21-30; Ps 129:1-6; Lk 11:47-54

Fri: St Ignatius of Antioch

Rom 4:1-8; Ps 31:1-2. 5. 11; Lk 12:1-7

Sat: 2 Tim 4:10-17; Ps 144:10-13. 17-18; Lk 10:1-9

Sun: 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ex 17:8-13; Ps 120; 2 Tim 3:14 – 4:2; Lk 18:1-8

COUNTING ROSTER 2025 DATE SUPERVISORS & COUNTERS

12th Oct Malcolm Allison & Bernadette Haggerty

Paul Haggerty, Stan & Christina Zalupka

19th Oct Anne & Kevin Blake

Jan Von der Borch, Sheila Najar

26th Oct Josie Shimmin, John Shimmin Ellen Arklay & Christopher Carroll

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER

ST AUGUSTINE'S

16th Oct – Anthony's Group

ST FINBAR'S

18th Oct - No Group

MASS PREPARATION TEAM HOLY FAMILY

19th Oct – Jessica / Chinh