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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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Calvary Central Districts Hospital:

Call 8282 5395 (9am-5pm) and ask for
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Parish Bulletin – The Echo

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CHANGED MASS TIMES IN SALISBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

♦ WEEKDAYS:

St Augustine's Church

Monday to Saturday: 9:30am

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St Augustine's Church:

(no booking needed)

Saturday - 6pm **Sunday** - 9am & 7pm

1st Sunday of Month at 3:00pm -

(Filipino Community)

2nd Sunday of Month at 10:30am -

(Italian Community)

Holy Family Mass Centre:

(no booking needed)

Sunday: 10:30am

St Finbar's:

Attendance by phone booking on 8258 2314

Sunday - 9am

Numbers are regulated by Government guidelines

♦ RECONCILIATION

Saturday after 9:30am Mass (until 10:30am) and
before the 6:00pm Vigil Mass 5:15pm - 5:45pm

* More information on page 3*

20th September 2020

25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(YEAR A)

WAITING FOR THE 'PERFECT MOMENTS'

Dear Friends,

'Imagine you had a bank account that deposited \$86,400 each morning. The account carries over no balance from day to day, allows you to keep no cash balance, and every evening cancels whatever part of the amount you had failed to use during the day. What would you do? Draw out every dollar each day!

God gave each of us such a bank account, from which we are free to draw. Its name is Time. Every morning, it credits you with 86,400 seconds. Every night it writes off, as lost, whatever time you have failed to use wisely. It carries over no balance from day to day. It allows no overdraft so you can't borrow against yourself or use more time than you have. Each day, the account starts fresh. Each night, it destroys any unused time. If you fail to use the day's deposits, it's your loss and you can't appeal to get it back.

There is never any borrowing time. You can't take a loan out on your time or against someone else's. The time you have is the time you have and that is that. It is for you to decide how you spend this time, just as with money you decide how you spend the money. It is never the case of us not having enough time to do things, but the case of whether we want to do them and where they fall in our priorities.' (Adopted from 'Motivational Stories to Push you forward in Life')

I wrote this because I have friends who told me (on the other side of the planet) that they feel bored and have nothing much to do because of the Covid-19 lockdowns and restrictions. Some of us wait for the **perfect moments** to begin something. "Every single one of us, without exception has received gifts from God. Embrace what God has placed inside you. Take ownership of it and do your best to use that special gift to meet the needs of one another. God has entrusted a lot to you by placing those special gifts in your life, and He is depending on you to be faithful with this great responsibility."

God gives you time, gifts and talents, and then He expects you to use them, regardless of their size and your circumstances. As you do, He will begin to bless the work of your hands. However, if you choose to wait for the "perfect moment" to develop before you ever do anything with your gifts, you'll probably never get started! Don't waste any more time — Let us be grateful to God for this gift of life and put it to best use by loving and caring for each other.

Wishing you God's best

Love and prayers

Fr. Shibu Jacob MSFS



YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR

ANNIVERSARIES

Manuel Geyrosaga Sr
 Christita Cabe
 Fr Julien Rousseau
 Fr Norman Martin
 Rodolfo Serram
 Leo Yanes
 Giuseppe Carbone
 Manuela Cavero
 Leonardo Marino
 Aquilino Cavero
 Visitacion Daquilanea
 Juan Daquilanea
 Juan Daquilanea
 Sonia Adams
 Juanito Daquilanea
 Elena del Carmen Quintana
 Gregoria Alvares
 Filadefo Huezo

ALSO FOR THE SICK

Arlene Gormen
 Maria Rocca
 Helen Greatrex
 Megan Heydrich
 Peter Paul Gormen
 Marilyn Huddleston
 Darryl McManus
 Manuel Gill
 Oscar Manuel Quintana
 Ana Cristina Quintana
 Kasimiera

Ongoing prayers.....

Angela Marchesan
 Ronald Blake
 Isabel Pacana
 Maria Louella Leh
 Melissa Sy
 Maryanne Michael-Keep
 Linda Pulis
 Obdulia Berniz
 Irene Crabtree
 Shane Smith
 Nevia Bennett
 Margarita Russo
 Archbishop Philip Wilson
 Adrienne Murphy
 John Thomas
 Bob Jones
 Molly Chenoweth
 Carla Simeoni
 Janet Baker
 Jean Balansag
 Peter McIntosh
 Yolanda Sudario
 Marilou Redford
 Sally Jeffers
 Imy Koulenios
 Malcolm McDermott
 Elma Dinora Escobar
 Petula Columbus

AN INVITATION



A ministry of Couples for Christ Australia (CFCA) invites everyone, especially women, who are interested in deepening their Christian faith to an Australia-wide *Christian Life Program* **starting 11th of October until 22nd of November 2020.**

This 7-week program is a series of seminars on faith enrichment and will be conducted online using the ZOOM App, with start times as follows: 2:30pm – VIC/TAS/NSW; **2:00pm – SA**; 1:30pm – QLD; 11:30am – WA. The sessions will last for 2 ½ hours and you will be asked to sign-in 15 minutes before the appointed start time using meeting **ID 6044409470** (*no password required*).

For more info and to obtain brochures about the matter, please contact:
 Lucy Duka 0421 237 085; Malou Dacutan 0426 898 603

Thank You

Since the beginning of the Covid -19 Pandemic, this Parish has received many letters and cards from parishioners, expressing their thanks and gratitude for all the work done by the Priests, Staff Members, Musicians and Volunteers, who have kept this Parish going in such unprecedented times. These efforts have allowed parishioners to attend Mass and receive the Sacraments in a Covid-safe environment. While these team members understand that their role *is* to keep the parish going under all types of trying conditions, it is also heart-warming to have these efforts recognised by the people they serve. The Team would like to acknowledge all these letters and cards of support and thank parishioners for their unfailing faith and their continued compliance under such trying conditions. *Fr Shibu Jacob*

September is Catholic Charities Appeal Month

There will be a Leaving Collection for Catholic Charities **this weekend, Saturday 19th / Sunday, 20th September 2020 at all Masses.** Thank you for your support & generosity.

Charity is at the heart of Living Catholic. Catholic Charities is your umbrella Organisation that supports many Agencies working with the most vulnerable in South Australia.

Please Note: The Catholic Charities envelope can be returned directly to Catholic Charities through the mail or you can bring it along to Mass and place it in one of the collection plates.

Ongoing prayers cont

Bill Thomas
 Agnes Shelton
 Sylvia Rauda
 Roger Maranan
 Marilyn McMahan

SALISBURY CATHOLIC PARISH CHILD SAFE ENVIRONMENT CONTACT PEOPLE

FR SHIBU JACOB
 Parish Priest

ANNE BLAKE
 Parish Business Manager

LOUISE STEVENS
 Children's Liturgy Coordinator

JOAN YOUNG
 Faith Formation Coordinator

LOUISE SVENSDOTTER
 Parish Sacrament Program -
 Sacrament Coordinator

DIANE INNES
 Parish Sacrament Program -
 Pastoral Assistant

MASS TIMES - SALISBURY CATHOLIC PARISH

From **Monday, 29th June 2020**, maximum density requirements with the new **1 person per 2 square metres**, will apply to our Church.

• **MASS TIMES**

- **Weekdays** (Monday to Saturday):
St. Augustine's Church: 9:30am Mass
- **Weekends:**
St. Augustine's Church - Saturday: 6:00 pm, Sunday 9:00am* & 7:00pm
 - ◆ ***Polish Mass at 12:00pm (every Sunday)***
 - ◆ ***Filipino Mass at 3:00pm (every 1st Sunday of the month)***
 - ◆ ***Italian Mass at 10:30am (every 2nd Sunday of the month)***

St. Finbar's - Sunday: 9:00am

Holy Family - Sunday: 10:30am Mass will be held in the John Paul II Centre at Holy Family until further notice)

• **RECONCILIATION**

- **Saturday after 9:30am Mass (until 10:30am) and before the 6:00pm Vigil Mass 5:15pm - 5:45pm**

(Please note that at this stage we are still dispensed from Sunday Obligations)

- **St Augustine's Church will have 250 people permitted at each Mass** until further notice.
The John Paul II Centre (for the time being) for **Holy Family** will have 200 people permitted at each Mass until further notice.

St Finbar's will have 71 people permitted at each Mass until further notice.

St Finbar's still need to be pre-booked due to only being able to accommodate 71 people.

(Those wishing to make a booking at St Finbar's can do so by calling 8258 2314 from **Monday to Friday** between **9:00am – 2:00pm**)

- Please arrive at least 20-25 minutes earlier to the scheduled time of the Mass.

• **COVID-19 MARSHALS AT ALL MASSES**

The government has directed that as from 21st of August 2020 we must have a COVID Marshal. The COVID Marshal's role is to ensure that the sites COVID Safe Plan and local COVID prevention plans, policies or protocols are implemented as best as possible and takes all reasonable action to ensure that all staff, patrons, contractors and other people on the site follow these rules.

As COVID Marshals are required under the Emergency Management (Public Activities (COVID-19) Direction 2020, the church will be subject to compliance inspections by authorities and non-compliance with requirements can be subjected to penalties.

While we do not always like change, this change has been put in place to protect you and your families. We would respectfully ask that you comply with any requests asked of you by the COVID Marshal.

Looking forward to your kind cooperation.

Fr. Shibu Jacob MSFS & Salisbury Parish Team

STARTING TUESDAY 5th OCTOBER 2020

Weekday Mass times will revert to the pre-covid timetable.

Monday	No Mass
Tues –Thurs	8.00am
Friday	9.30am
Saturday	9.30am Followed by Reconciliation

POLISH MASSES TO RESUME

As of Tuesday, 22nd September 2020

Polish Mass will be celebrated in St Augustine's Church every Tuesday, starting with Adoration at 5.30pm, followed by Mass at 6.00pm

Fire Retreat: A Day of Hope

Sat 26th September, 9:30am-4:30pm

St Pius X Church, 17 Avoca St Dernancourt SA
A day for adults, young adults & teenagers to deepen in the Holy Spirit and the call to Discipleship.

Mass & Reconciliation are included.

Due to COVID, places are strictly limited to those who register.

BYO Lunch & Morning/Afternoon Tea.

Registrations

Essential: <https://www.trybooking.com/BLNUN>

Info: Bernadette Toohey 0435 527

389/bernadettetoohy.mgl@gmail.com

COMMITTEES AND GROUPS

● **Knitting Group (Knit & Knatter)**

Will be held on Friday mornings at 10:00am after the Mass in the Parish Family Centre. We will start with a cup of tea/coffee and finish about 12.30pm. Contact: Lorraine 8263 7333 or Sr. Valerie 8258 3230

● **Lay Canossian Association**

Meet on the first Tuesday of the month from 9.00am - 11.00am at Meeting room 1 at the Parish Office. Contact: 8258 3230

● **Rosary at St. Finbar's**

Rosary held at St Finbar's 9.00am every Saturday. Contact: Win Simons 0438 148 907

● **St Vincent de Paul Society**

Meet on the fourth Monday of every month at 7.00pm in the Family Centre Meeting Room 2. Contact: Parish Office 8258 2314

RESOURCES FOR FAMILIES AND LEADERS OF LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN



Reflections for families based on the Gospel for each Sunday have been prepared to reflect on the Gospel and pray together as a family each week. They can be found each week at the link: <http://www.adelaide.catholic.org.au/our-works-and-community/family-and-parish-based-catechesis/prayer-services>

CHANGE OF TIME – CHANNEL 44 REPLAY

ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S CATHEDRAL

Sunday Mass will now be replayed at **5:00pm** every Sunday.

Visit: www.adelcathparish.org for more information about Mass times for the Cathedral, its Mass centres and booking details.

PARISH SCHOOLS

St Augustine's Parish School Years R – 6

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

Principal: Georgia Dennis

Holy Family Parish School Years R – 6

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

Principal: Kerry White

Thomas More College Years 7 – 12

23 Amsterdam Cres. Salisbury Downs 5108
Ph: 8182 2600 Fax: 8182 2699

Principal: Corey Tavella

NOTIZIE ITALIANE

Venticinquesima Domenica dell'Anno - A -

Mt.20,1-16 Gesu` racconta la parabola del padrone della vigna che chiama lavoratori a tutte le ore del giorno, e alla fine li ricompensa tutti con la stessa paga. “Ma questo non e` giusto” dicono gli operai della prima ora. A questo punto Gesu` chiama severamente i suoi discepoli a comprendere il contrasto che esige tra ‘l’atteggiamento del padrone’ che non bada ai suoi interessi materiali, e` pieno di compassione, e l’atteggiamento dei primi lavoratori, che pensano solo ai propri meriti e interessi, e diventano invidiosi di quelli dell’ultima ora, che hanno la fortuna di incontrare un padrone buono e compassionevole. Questa maniera di vedere le cose e` umana, ma non e` Cristiana. Gesu` fa la stessa rivelazione dell’amore di Dio per tutti, questo Dio che ama i deboli e i peccatori. “I giusti- afferma Gesu`- non devono provare invidia, ma godere di fronte a un Padre che ama tutti i suoi figli. Noi cristiani saremo felici in cielo di avere salvato i fratelli per le nostre preghiere e la nostra fedelta`, sia pure con difficolta`.

NOTA: in questo mese di Settembre la “Catholic Charities” invita ad essere generosi per quanti soffrono nel mondo. Dalla televisione ci e` dato di vedere i tanti mali che affliggono ovunque, il **Libano** in primo piano e poi in altre nazioni ove anche i bambini muoiono di fame.

Per chi volesse diventare cattolico o conoscere di piu` la fede cattolica telefonate in ufficio della parrocchia : **8258 2314**

NOTA: Sr Elda sara` assente dalla Parrocchia per i suoi Esercizi Spirituali- Chiede preghiere per la sua conversione. Grazie.

Preghiamo per tutti coloro che soffrono- tra noi e nel mondo

PARISH PASTORAL FUNDING

	<u>13.08.2020</u>	<u>Avg for Year</u>	<u>Target</u>
ENVELOPES	\$5495.60	\$5309.01	
OPEN PLATE	<u>\$1525.85</u>	\$ 647.90	
TOTAL	\$7021.45	\$5956.91	\$7500.00
1st Collection	\$1944.00		

WEEKDAY READINGS

25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year A) Monday, 21st – Sunday, 27th September 2020

MON:	St Matthew Eph 4:1-7,11-13; Ps 18; Mt 9:9-13
TUES:	Prv 21:1-6,10-13; Ps 118; Lk 8:19-21
WED:	St Pius of Pietrelcina Prv 30:5-9; Ps 118; Lk 9:1-6
THURS:	Ecc1 1:2-11; Ps 89; Lk 9:18-22
FRI:	Ecc1 3:1-11; Ps 143; Lk 9:18-22
SAT:	Sts Cosmos and Damian Ecc1 11:9-12:8; Ps 89; Lk 9:43b-45
SUN:	26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Ez 18:25-28; Ps 25; Phil 2:1-11; Mt 21:28-32

COUNTING ROSTER 2020

<u>DATE:</u>	<u>SUPERVISORS & COUNTERS</u>
27th September	Josie Shimmin & John Shimmin Ellen Arklay
4th October	Anne Blake & Kevin Blake Jan Von der Borch, Brian & Sheila Najar
11th October	Peter Neylon & John McGrath John McGrath Snr, Isabelle McGrath Beth Buckley & Nola Harding

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER

ST AUGUSTINE'S
3rd October 2020
Polish Group

St Finbar's & Holy Family
Coordinators please phone Parish Office on 8258 2314 when you will be resuming your roster. Thank you