

**FEAST OF
HOLY FAMILY**



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SUNDAY MASS TIME TABLE

Saturday Vigil Mass: 6:00 pm *Organ & Cantor*
Sunday Masses: 8:00 am
9:30 am *Organ & Cantor*
11:00 am *Solemn Mass with the Cathedral Choir*
5:00 pm *Youth Music Group*

WEEKDAY MASS TIME TABLE

Monday to Friday' 8:00 am and 12:10 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am

CONFESSIONS

Monday to Friday 11:00 am to 12 noon
Saturday 5:00 pm to 6 pm

NOVENA & BENEDICTION

In honour of
Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal
Every Wednesday at 7:30 pm

HOLY HOUR WITH BENEDICTION

Every Friday at 11:00 am

ST. CATHERINE LABOURÉ

Bedford Avenue Subiaco
Sunday Mass: 8:30 am

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER

Windsor Street, East Perth
Sunday Mass: 9:30 am

ALL SAINTS CHAPEL

Allendale Square, Perth
Monday to Friday Mass: 12.10pm
Confessions: 11:00am to 12noon
Closed from 22 December 2018 to 6 January 2019

CELEBRANTS, COMMENTATORS AND READERS

Saturday, 5 January 2019

6:00 pm Fr. Jeffrey Casabuena
(C) Angelina Gomez
(R) Paul Connelly

Sunday, 6 January 2019

8:00 am Fr. Stephen Gorddard
(C) Karianne Menezes
(R) Jesica Patterson
(R) Michael Carren

9:30 am Fr. Sean Fernandez
(C) Margaret Fane
(R) Pam Mattes

11:00 am Fr. Sean Fernandez
(C) Patrizia Di Stefano
(R) Lolita Hegarty
(R) Kath Jaques

5:00 pm Fr. Conor Steadman
(C) Josephine Cabagyo
(R) Anthony Porrhins
(R) Ashton Godfrey

8:30 am St. Catherine
Fr. Conor Steadman

9:30 am St. Francis Xavier
Fr. Jeffrey Casabuena

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DEAN'S BIT – I am sorry to have to be the bearer of sad news, but Fr Jeffrey Casabuena will be leaving the Cathedral Parish toward the end of January. Fr Jeffrey has been a big part of the life of this parish and we shall all miss him. Please pray for him as he prepares to take up a new pastoral challenge as an assistant priest at the Kalgoorlie-Boulder parish from 24 January. I know he will bring the same vim and vigour to Kalgoorlie that he brought to his ministry here with us.

We shall be welcoming Fr Garner Vergara as a new assistant priest of the Cathedral parish. Fr Garner is also a young priest who has been assistant priest at Bateman. Please make him feel at home.

John Henry Cardinal Newman wrote, 'In a higher world it is otherwise, but here below to live is to change, and to be perfect is to have changed often.' May Fr Jeffrey and Fr Garner grow through the change which they are going through. It is also a change for us and change is disconcerting, discomfiting even. On 1 January we celebrate the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God, who had her life turned upside down by God and by her Son, Jesus. She did not run away from change or become rigid before all this; she did not always understand, but she held it all in her heart trusting in God. May her example and her presence with us help us deal with all the changes and challenges we shall face in the new year to come.

CATHEDRAL SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM 2019 - The cathedral parish will be offering the sacraments of confirmation, penance and eucharist to school-aged children next year. There are information letters with program dates, etc. for the sacraments at the back of the Cathedral and on the website. Please do pick up a copy of the letter if relevant to your family. Please note that children wishing to receive a sacrament must participate in the program.

DATES FOR THE CONFIRMATION PROGRAM 2019

Confirmation enrolment:	Sat. 9 Feb.2019 at 6pm Mass
Parent-child workshop:	Wed.1 May at 5pm (and 6.30pm if necessary)
Retreat day:	Thurs., 16 May, 8.45am – 2.30pm
Celebration of sacrament	Sun. 9 June 2019, 11am Mass
Thanksgiving Mass and Presentation of Certificates	Sat. 22 June at 6pm Mass

SUMMARY OF DATES FOR SACRAMENT OF PENANCE/RECONCILIATION

Enrolment and Commitment Mass:	Sat. 16 February 2019 at 6pm
Workshop	Wed. 7 August 2019 at 5pm and (6:30pm if necessary)
Celebration of Sacrament	Wed. 11 September 2019 at 6pm
Thanksgiving Mass and Presentation of Certificates	Saturday, 14 September 2019 at 6pm

FIRST COMMUNION DATES:

Enrolment and Commitment Mass:	Sat. 23 February 2019 at 6pm
Workshop	Wed. 23 October 2019 at 5pm and (6:30pm if necessary)
First Communion	Sun. 24 November 2019 at 11am
Thanksgiving	Sat. 7 December 2019 at 6pm

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED PIETY STALL - Please write down your name on the form at the back of the Cathedral. Tuesday, 1.30 to 4:00pm & Friday, 1.30 to 4:00pm

AS WE COME TO THE END OF THE YEAR, THESE WORDS OF POPE FRANCIS MAY GIVE US FOOD FOR THOUGHT AND PRAYER - *Let us pause before the manger to contemplate how God has been present throughout this year and to remind ourselves that every age, every moment is the bearer of graces and blessings. The manger challenges us not to give up on anything or anyone. To look upon the manger means to find the strength to take our place in history without complaining or being resentful, without closing in on ourselves or seeking a means of escape, looking for shortcuts in our own interest. Looking at the manger means recognizing that the times ahead call for bold and hope-filled initiatives, as well as the renunciation of vain self-promotion and endless concern with appearances. Looking at the manger means seeing how God gets involved by involving us, making us part of his work, inviting us to welcome the future courageously and decisively.*
God bless you and yours as we come to the end of 2018 and look forward to 2019.