



**FRANCIS**

**elected BISHOP OF ROME on 13 March 2013**

God our Father, Shepherd and Guide, look with love on Pope Francis Your servant, the pastor of Your Church. May his word and example inspire and guide the Church, and may he, and all those entrusted to his care, come to the joy of everlasting life.  
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Cathedral parish acknowledges the Whadjuk people of the Noongar nation, the Traditional Owners who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation.

**OUR MISSION**

We strive to be an inspiring Catholic community in the heart of our city, welcoming everyone and providing sanctuary for the marginalized, the sorrowful and the seeker of Jesus' love.

**CATHEDRAL PARISH**

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- Jessica Patterson chair.ppc@smcperth.org.au
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**3RD SUNDAY IN LENT YEAR A**

**Saturday 11 March 2023**

- 4:00pm – Filipino Mass
- 5:00pm – 6:00pm Confessions
- 6:00pm – Vigil Mass

**Sunday 12 March 2023**

- 8:00 am – Mass
- 9:30 am – Mass
- 11:00 am – Mass
- 5:00 pm – Mass

**Monday – Friday**

- 8:00am – Mass
- 11:00am – 12:00 Noon Confession
- 12:10pm – Mass

**Wednesday**

- 7:30pm – Miraculous Medal Novena

**Friday**

- 11:00am – Holy Hour
- 5:00pm – Stations of the Cross

**NEXT WEEKEND'S ROSTER**

**Saturday 18 March**

- 6:00 pm** Fr Richard Smith  
(C) Maria Borce  
(R) Connie Carroll

**Sunday 19 March**

- 8:00 am** Fr Kenneth Acosta  
(C) Damien Bowen  
(R) Eleanor Le Coultre  
(R) Helen Ho

- 9:30 am** Fr Kenneth Acosta  
(C) Pam Mattes  
(R) Brendon Norris  
(R) Sally-Anne Cook

- 11:00 am** Fr Sean Fernandez  
(C) Michael Jaques  
(R) Chris Jaques  
(R) Kath Jaques

- 5:00 pm** Fr Richard Rutkauskas  
(C) Ashton Godfrey  
(R) Jacinta Jakovcevic  
(R) Revonne Godfrey

**9:30 am ST FRANCIS XAVIER**

- Fr Richard Smith  
(R) Minnie  
(R) Hector

**PROJECT COMPASSION SUNDAY**



Priscilla lives in the Hwange district in Zimbabwe with her husband, Charles, and their two grandsons. Climate change continues to bring unprecedented challenges for people living in the most vulnerable and remote communities in Zimbabwe.

With the support of Caritas Hwange, Priscilla learnt conservation farming skills to grow drought-resistant crops to support her family during the current food crisis. Priscilla was able to produce a bumper harvest in her first year of practising conservation farming. Priscilla used the funds from her harvest to start poultry farming, which enabled her to sell eggs to pay for her grandchildren's school fees, books and stationery. The poultry farming provides a safety net for Priscilla and her family during times of hardship, like the current drought. While the situation in Zimbabwe and across eastern Africa remains dire, the work of Caritas Hwange means that Priscilla can learn the skills she needs to build resilience and support her family during this current food crisis. Please donate to Project Compassion 2023. Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow For All Future Generations. You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your parish, by visiting [caritas.org.au/project-compassion](https://caritas.org.au/project-compassion), or by calling 1800 024 413.



**TOGETHER LET US EXPLORE THE SUNDAY MASS READINGS!** Fr Richard Smith will give us an opportunity to explore and understand our Mass Readings week by week. 7.30pm to 9.00pm each Tuesday Evening at 450 Hay St., Perth (next to the Cathedral House garden)

**CATHEDRAL CHOIR AUDITIONS** Auditions are starting up for the Cathedral Choir 2023 intake – we invite potential choristers to take up the challenge and have a go! Entry age for this round of auditions is 6 years of age (Yr 1) – 12 years of age. No prior singing experience necessary. Registrations close on 21 March.

For details contact Director of Music Jacinta at [music.cathedral@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:music.cathedral@perthcatholic.org.au) or on 9223 1377.



**THE CATHEDRAL MORNING TEA SUNDAY OF 19 MAR** Please join us for morning tea in the Parish Centre next week after the 9.30am Mass. It is a great opportunity to meet other parishioners. All are welcome.

**AUSTRALIAN CATHOLICS MAGAZINE** is available in the Cathedral foyer. This edition focuses on the life and times of Jesus with lots of interesting articles to nourish the heart and mind. Pick up a copy. Gold coin donation is appreciated.

**CATHOLIC ACTION TO ERADICATE MODERN SLAVERY** Australian Catholic Anti-Slavery Network ([acan.org.au](https://acan.org.au))

The St Mary's Cathedral in partnership with WA Australian Catholic Migrant & Refugee Office (WACMRO) is committed to ending modern slavery from its supply chains by adopting an ethical procurement policy. As consumers we can Shop for Good in 2023. To ensure that those chocolate, tea and coffee we consume actually provided decent work to vulnerable people at the bottom of supply chains, look out for some of these labels: Fairtrade, Rainforest or UTZ. For more information, please visit the following websites: [www.fairtradeanz.org](https://www.fairtradeanz.org) <https://www.chocolatescorecard.com/>

**CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF PERTH** The Catholic Archdiocese of Perth is seeking a suitably qualified Systems Accountant to join its Finance team based in Adelaide Terrace, Perth on a fixed term (12 months) full-time basis (listed on SEEK). The Systems Accountant is responsible for the administration, maintenance and development of the Archdiocese's Finance System providing support and solutions, ensuring finance IT systems, databases, financial processing and reporting requirements can be met by the Finance Team and the broader organisation. The successful candidate will be responsible for maintaining integrity of the financial systems, and providing direction and support on financial matters relating to the accounting systems. The applicant must hold a tertiary qualification in Business/Commerce or similar and have an in depth knowledge and understanding of Accounting fundamentals and standards, with demonstrated experience in reviewing and analysing systems specifications and documentations, and in analysing and implementing system integration/interface. Extensive overall understanding and skills in computerised accounting systems, in particular TechOne financial modules, Microsoft Excel, ERPs and Record Management systems is essential. A National Police Clearance and proof of COVID-19 vaccination (triple dose) or valid medical exemption will be required. For a copy of the Job Description, please email: [recruitment@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:recruitment@perthcatholic.org.au). Applications can be submitted on SEEK by Tuesday 4 April 2023. We reserve the right to begin the shortlisting prior to the closing date.