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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

DEAN'S BIT

Advent is upon us already! Christmas is on the horizon. You'll find leaflets with this year's Christmas Mass schedule at the back of the Cathedral. Take some for family, friends, neighbours. Do tell them that everyone is welcome at St Mary's.

You may also notice the new tap-and-pay devices near the entrance of the Cathedral. They're another way to give to the first and second collections. Give them a go. You may find them addictive!

VINNIES CHRISTMAS APPEAL

This Christmas, many are experiencing poverty and are on the brink of homelessness. After struggling with the escalating cost-of-living crisis, they barely have anything left to hold on to. As the crisis deepens, so does their desperation. Please consider generously donating non-perishable food items into the large collection box that will be placed near the Cathedral entrance from Saturday 18 November 2023 until Saturday 16 December 2023. List of acceptable items can be found on the notice board. **Particular need for: Milk, Pasta/Curry sauces, Rice, Soup, Noodles**

LIVE-GIVING AND GLOBAL GIFTS



As you think about Christmas gifts, please consider a Life-Giving Gift, a donation to Catholic Mission, or Global Gifts, a donation to Caritas, on behalf of someone – you can choose e-cards or physical cards for the recipient. Go to cm.org.au/gifts for the Catholic Mission's online catalogue or www.caritas.org.au/global-gifts/ for Caritas's. Your gifts make a lasting impact for children, families and communities in most need.

1800RESPECT

If you or someone you know is experiencing violence or abuse, you can contact **1800RESPECT on 1800 737 732** or through the online chat - www.1800respect.org.au

Ang **1800RESPECT** ay isang pambansang serbisyo sa seksuwal na panghahalay (sexual assault) at karahasan sa tahanan at pamilya. Ang **1800RESPECT** ay para sa mga biktima/nakaligtas (survivor), pamilya at mga kaibigan at mga taong nagtatrabaho para dito. Nagbibigay kami ng pagpapayo at konsultasyon sa telepono, pagpapayo at konsultasyon online at ang aming website ay may impormasyon, payo at mga opsyong nagmumungkahi sa mga lokal na serbisyo. Maaari mong mahingan ng tulong ang lahat ng mga ito sa pamamagitan ng website na ito - www.1800respect.org.au/languages - o sa pamamagitan ng pagtawag sa **1800 737 732**.

നിങ്ങളോനിങ്ങൾക്ക് പരിചയമുള്ള ആരെങ്കിലുമോ അക്രമമോപീഡനമോ അനുഭവിക്കുന്നുണ്ടെങ്കിൽ നിങ്ങൾക്ക് 1800RESPECT അഥവാ 1800 737 732 എന്നനമ്പറിലോ www.1800respect.org.au എന്ന ചാറ്റ് വഴിയോ ബന്ധപ്പെടാവുന്നതാണ്

A reminder that the downstairs toilets and most parts of the Cathedral are open to the public. Please ensure that children and others at risk are accompanied at all times.

Ilsang paalala na ang mga banyo sa ibaba at karamihan ng bahagi ng Katedral ay bukas para sa publiko. Pakisiguro lamang na ang mga bata ay nasa direktang superbisyon ng mga magulang; at para sa iba pang nangangailangan ng kalinga, na may kasama ang mga ito sa lahat ng oras. Maraming salamat po.



ANNUAL SOLEMN NOVENA

The solemn novena in preparation for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a tradition in our Archdiocese and Cathedral. All are welcome.

Day	Time
Saturday 02 Dec	7:00pm
Sunday 03 Dec	6:00pm
Monday - Thursday 04 - 07 Dec	7:30pm
Friday 08 Dec	6:00pm Mass & Novena

CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS CHILDREN'S NATIVITY

During the Children's Christmas Mass on Sunday, 24 December 2023 at 6:00pm while the Gospel is being read, we shall once again have a little nativity play. This will allow the children to engage more with the Mass and bring them closer to the true meaning of Christmas. If your child would like to participate in the Nativity Play or for more information, please contact Alison on 0411 033 379. We can provide the costumes and props. Please encourage your children to take part.

Parents, please note that photos and videos of taken during the play may be used in Cathedral or diocesan publications and multimedia displays.

BLESSING OF CHRISTMAS CRIBS

This Sunday at the 11:00am Mass the Archbishop will bless Christmas cribs. Please bring your nativity scene to the Mass if you would like it blessed.

For Enquiries please contact: Anne-Marie Langdon: 08 9207 3691



THE CATHEDRAL MORNING TEA SUNDAY 03 DECEMBER 2023

Please join us for morning tea in the Parish Centre after 8:00am Mass. It is a great opportunity to meet other parishioners. All are welcome.

The Cathedral has installed new devices for Parishioners who wish to donate to the 1st and 2nd collections. You may also do so using the QR codes below. Thank you for your continued support.



FIRST COLLECTION



SECOND COLLECTION

OUR MISSION

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

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Next Weekend's Roster

SATURDAY 09 DECEMBER

6:00 pm Fr Richard Smith (C) Ronellie Lenon (R) Helen Sisto

SUNDAY 10 DECEMBER

8:00 am Fr Sean Fernandez (C) Eleanor Le Coulter (R) Jessica Patterson (R) Michael Carren

9:30 am Fr Kenneth Acosta (C) Pam Mattes (R) Leticia Craig (R) Rebecca Henderson

11:00 am Fr Sean Fernandez (C) Barbara Van Reyk (R) Emelyn Nana (R) Amando Robles

5:00 pm Fr Kenneth Acosta (C) Kevin Clarke (R) Julie Nyirashuri (R) Sean Keane

St Francis Xavier 9:30 am Fr Richard Smith (R) Monica (R) Minnie

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Damien Bowen, Ann Brown, Anna Rowe, Fr Sean, Joan Lim, Tony Meyrick, Isaac Ramshaw-Attard

Our true worth does not consist in what human beings think of us. What we really are consists in what God knows us to be.

St John Berchmans SJ

