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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

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 17 FEBRUARY

6:00 pm (C) Maria Borce
(R) Connie Carroll

SUNDAY 18 FEBRUARY

8:00 am (C) Helen Ho
(R) Damien Bowen
(R) Eleanor Le Coultre

9:30 am (C) Colette Shack
(R) Rebecca Henderson
(R) Sally-Anne Cook

11:00 am (C) Benna Masbate
(R) Chris Jaques
(R) Kath Jaques

5:00 pm (C) Christine Stewart
(R) Guilbert Cabagyo
(R) Josephine Cabagyo

St Francis Xavier
9:30 am (R) Rosanne
(R) Monica



PRAYING GOD'S ABUNDANT BLESSING ON ALL OUR PARISHIONERS CELEBRATING THE LUNAR NEW YEAR.



Please take home a Project Compassion box or a set of donation envelopes to support Caritas Australia this Lenten season and help support vulnerable people around the world, now and for all future generations. With your support, Caritas Australia has been able to support vulnerable communities around the world to tackle poverty, food security, education, water and sanitation and disaster risk reduction to build a better future for all. 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, or visit caritas.org.au/project-compassion or by calling 1800 024 413.

**CATHEDRAL TOUR GUIDE
OPEN HOUSE - 20 FEB 2024**

At our beautiful Cathedral, St Mary's, we have a very enthusiastic band of volunteers who conduct tours to schools, public and private organizations as well as the general public. This voluntary Ministry was founded in February 2011 and has grown over the years from two to eight tour guides; however, we are looking to increase our numbers.

On Tuesday 20 February at 10:30 am we will be conducting a tour followed by a light morning tea in the Cathedral's Parish Centre. The aim of this "Open Day" is for those individuals who are perhaps retired or are available during the week and would like to find out more of what is involved, to come along to the fact-finding event.

To register your attendance, or for more information, please call Carol Wright, Tour Guide Co Ordinator on 0419 948 411 Email: clwright@bigpond.net.au.



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.

ASH WEDNESDAY AND LENT

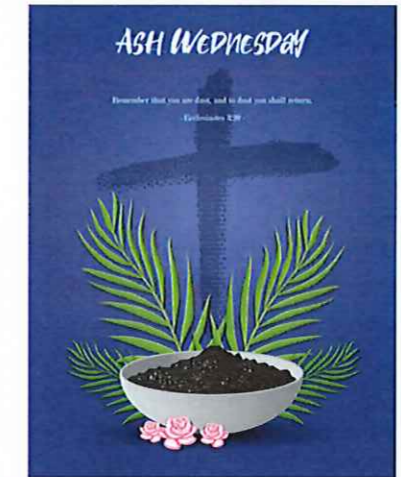
This Wednesday, 14 February, is Ash Wednesday which marks the beginning of the season of Lent. There is Mass with the imposition of ashes at the Cathedral at 8:00am, 12:10pm and 6:30pm; and at All Saints Chapel at 12:10pm.

Ash Wednesday is a day of abstinence and fasting. Abstinence in Catholic practice is to refrain from eating meat.

Fasting means having only one full meal on a day. Smaller quantities of food may be eaten at two other meals but no food should be consumed at any other time during the day. Don't get too legalistic, but let the following be a guide: we take enough to help us carry out our work and duties during the day (and remain charitable!)

The law of fasting applies to people from 18 to 59 years old. Everyone aged 14 years and older is bound by the law of abstinence from meat. Fasting and penance are not a punishment, but practices which help us grow in our freedom to love God - prayer - and our neighbour - almsgiving.

There will be Stations of the Cross on all Fridays of Lent at 5:00pm beginning on 16 February.



**THE CATHEDRAL
MORNING TEA
11 FEBRUARY 2024**

Please join us for morning tea in the Parish Centre after the 9:30am Mass. It is a great opportunity to meet other parishioners. All are welcome!

The Cathedral appreciates your generosity and support! Please use the devices near the baptismal font and piety stall or the QR codes below to give to the first and second collections.



FIRST COLLECTION



SECOND COLLECTION