

READERS & COMMENTATORS

NEXT WEEK 30/01 Jun/Jul 2018	6.30 pm Vigil Mass	8.30am Mass	10.00 am Mass
COMMENTATOR	Mark Kelly	Delma Suares	Robin Lethlean
FIRST READER	Hilary Quelch	Cliff Smith	Doris Matias
SECOND READER	Carlos Martinez	Barbara Smith	

SUNDAY HOLY COMMUNION

	HOME	HOSPITAL	HOME & HOSPITAL
24 June 2018	Susie Lwin	Darlene McGoorty	Elizabeth Malelo
01 Jul 2018	Wayne McGoorty	Dolly Saji	Jason Smith

CHURCH CLEANING

ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH Sat 30 June 2018 - 9.00am	Rick Wieman, Judith & Willie Nelissen, Susie Lwin Charles DeGois, Christopher & Anne Varias, Bonifacio Romero Jnr, Anita Romero, Alfred Nuguid, Edmond Pentony, May Bei
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ST JOSEPH'S LINEN ROSTER

24 June 2018	Thelma Gibbs
01 Jul 2018	Elizabeth Malelo



MUSIC MINISTRY Our Choirs are seeking new members both men and women for all Masses. Being able to read music is not necessary but regular attendance at practice is. Do you enjoy singing? Would you like to be part of this important ministry? If so, please speak to Margaret, in person, on 0408 732 943 or Jenny on 0439 949 675 for more details.

17 Jun 2018	Envelopes \$1844.00	Loose \$380.60
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The Parishes of Queens Park and East Cannington were entrusted to the care of the Norbertine Canons in 1977 and 1994 respectively.

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"What do you think God is asking of us in Australia today?"

PARISH BULLETIN

St Joseph's Priory Church, Queens Park
St Francis of Assisi, East Cannington
Online at www.norbertines.org.au

eRecord online at
www.therecord.com.au

The Nativity of St. John The Baptist
Year B
24 June 2018

CONGRATULATIONS AND JUBILATION

Welcome into the community of the Catholic Church, **Ivy Maria Halse, Lillian Evelyn Halse, Mai Violet Halse, Harvey Tyson Rick Kelly and Caleb Thomas Land** baptized into Christ this weekend. Let us pray for these new Christians, their parents & godparents, that they will mirror the face of Christ to us all.



PLANNED GIVING envelopes for the New Financial Year are now available at the back of the church. The Current years envelopes conclude at the end of June. If you wish to join the Planned Giving system for 2018/2019, there is a form to fill in, which will be entered into the database. Please see Fr Peter to be **registered** and to receive envelopes. **If your address or contact details have changed over the past year**, please contact the Parish Office so that we can keep our information up to date.

PLENARY COUNCIL 2020 – LISTEN TO WHAT THE SPIRIT IS SAYING.

Pope Francis has approved the Australian Bishops' decision to hold a Plenary Council in Australia in 2020 and 2021. It is a significant moment for the Church in Australia to make decisions about the future. Archbishop Costelloe has been appointed as President of the Plenary Council by Pope Francis and as Chairman of the Bishops' Commission on the Plenary.

To prepare the agenda for the Plenary Council, all of God's people are invited to reflect on the question: **"What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?"** Find out more about the Plenary Council 2020 at the new website, now online: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

LITURGY PROGRAMME –JUNE 2018

Sunday 24 THE NATIVITY of ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST YEAR B
 Sat 6.30 pm Vigil Mass (Pasquale Salvucci– RIP)
 Sun 7.25 am Lauds
 8.30 am Conventual Mass (Pro Populo)
 10.00 am Mass (Rita Taborda– RIP)
 5.30 pm Vespers

Monday 25 Weekday
 6.25 am Lauds
 6.45 am Mass (Sylvia Anderson – RIP)
 5.30 pm Vespers

Tuesday 26 Weekday
 6.25 am Lauds
 6.45 am Mass (Thanksgiving - SM)
 9.00 am Mass (Ernest Besterwitch – RIP)
 5.30 pm Vespers

Wednesday 27 Weekday
 6.25 am Lauds
 6.45 am Mass (Mary De Mello – RIP)
 9.00 am Mass
 5.30 pm Vespers

Thursday 28 St Irenaeus, Bishop, Martyr Memorial
 6.25 am Lauds
 6.45 am Mass
 9.00 am Mass (Bender/Kersting - RIP)
Exposition after Mass till Noon
 5.30 pm Vespers

Friday 29 Sts Peter & Paul, Apostles – Solemnity
 6.25 am Lauds
 6.45 am Mass (Spec Int - PJ)
 8.15 am Mass
 5.30 pm Vespers

Saturday 30 Weekday
 7.25 am Lauds
 7.45 am Mass
 4.45 pm Sacrament of Penance
 5.30 pm Vespers



NEXT WEEK 13th Sunday "Per Annum" Year B – 30/01 Jun/Jul 2018			
Sat 6.30pm, Sun 8.30am, Sun 10.00am			
READINGS	First Reading	Second Reading	Gospel
24 June 2018	Is49:1-6	Acts 13:22-26	Lk1:57-66,80
01 Jul 2018	Wis1:13-15,2:23-24	2Cor8:7,9,13-15	Mk5:21-43

CHILDRENS BULLETIN In the gospel When Elizabeth’s baby boy was born she knew he was a gift from God and she should call him John.....

END OF LIFE AND PALLIATIVE CARE There are two petitions at the back of the church in relation to End of Life and Palliative Care. Please take the time to read and sign BOTH petitions. Your actions do make a difference!

EUTHANASIA WEBSITE The LJ Goody Bioethics Centre has helped launch a dedicated “Care for Life” website www.careforlife.net.au to keep you informed and give you a chance to have your voice heard. Use the Contact page to let us know what you think: you can write a short piece or even send us a short two-to-three minute video for posting on the site.

NORBERTINE TERTIARIES of ST JOSEPH’S PRIORY will gather for Vespers at 5.30pm this Sunday 24 June, followed by a Communio ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US



MANY OF US HAVE LOVED ONES HURTING BECAUSE OF ABORTION. The Archbishop has put significant resources into developing professional care & support for those wounded by abortion. Rachel’s Vineyard’s weekend retreat therapy is a team-led journey of spiritual healing, a sanctuary in which to renew, rebuild and redeem broken hearts in a supportive, confidential, and non-judgmental environment. 13th-15th July. E: rachelvineyardperthwa@gmail.com or ph 0490 956 745.

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS with Archbishop Timothy held by the Vocations Office, on the 12th of August at 3pm, at St Mary’s Cathedral. Prayer is essential to encourage vocations, so please show your support by attending this event.

MARK KELLY.

Plenary Council

I see in the bulletin mention of the 2020 Plenary Council. The question posed is “What do you think God is asking of us in Australia”?

I am sure there are many people with different answers to this question. We live in a ‘lucky’ country in terms of material wealth and wellbeing, yet these things don’t necessarily make us happier or bring us closer to God.

At some stage in the future, we will be asked as a parish for our input into this process. That is why I think it is important to start thinking about the answers we might give. What are the things we think the Church is good at and in what areas can it improve?

There has been much attention (rightfully so) in recent years on the problem of sexual abuse in the Church. There has been much written and said about this blight on the Church, so perhaps the Plenary Council can look to start to recover from this sorry part of history.

Hopefully we will all put forward ideas and views to tease out where we need to be focussing on to progress the good works of the Church. There is some good information on the Archdiocesan website. Maybe we could spend some time researching the available information. In that way we may start our reflection on where the Church needs to be.

