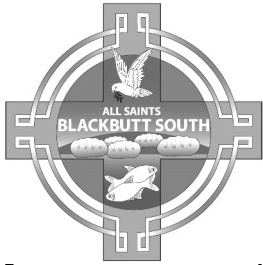


**Christ the King
Year A
26th November 2017**

Listening to God's Word
Growing in Faith



Reaching out to All

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PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOLS
St Columba's Adamstown
St Kevin's Cardiff
St James' Kotara

PARISH HIGH SCHOOLS
St Pius X Adamstown
St Paul's Booragul
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 **Catholic Parish of All Saints
Blackbutt South**

ALL SAINTS PARISH BLACKBUTT SOUTH
Faith Communities of Adamstown, Cardiff, Kotara

SUNDAY MASSES

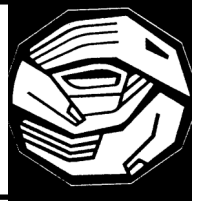
Adamstown
Sunday 9.30am
Cardiff
Sunday 9.30am
Kotara
Saturday Vigil 5.30pm
Sunday 8.00am
**Hour of Adoration &
Prayer—Sunday**
6.30pm Kotara

WEEKDAY MASSES/COMMUNION SERVICES

Adamstown: Tuesday 9.15; Wednesday 9.15am;
Cardiff: Thursday 9.30am
Kotara: Monday 7am (Communion Service);
Wednesday 8am Pius X; Friday 9.15am;
1st Saturday 9am
RECONCILIATION:
Adamstown: After 9.15am Mass Wednesday
Cardiff: After 9.30am Mass Thursday
Kotara: Saturday 9.30am

St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal

begins next week.



I would like to recommend the **Year-end lunch get-together**, at Wests, New Lambton, to all parishioners of **All Saints**. This initiative of the people St Columba's, is an ideal way to connect with other parishioners and those involved in ministry in each of our three centres. It also presents an opportunity to acknowledge the many who faithfully serve the parish throughout the year, whether at Adamstown, Cardiff or Kotara. To book for the **11.00am Sunday, 10 December** luncheon, please contact Hamilton Koelmeyer Ph. 4957 7542 or Alice Aurisch. Mob. 0448 833 712.

Important rehearsals begin Saturday 2nd December at 4.00pm, for all musicians and singers who wish to contribute to the **Christmas Eve Vigil** at Kotara. This is an opportunity for singers and musicians from any of our established groups of All Saints Parish, or newcomers; to help make this Christmas Vigil, an even more special experience for visitors and our faithful regulars.

Thanks to St James school, the newly improved sound system will further add to the joy of this Christmas liturgy. Ring Robert Angeli: **0425 264 901** for more information.

A lively group of **St Pius X** high school student leaders, spent this Thursday in the vicinity of St Philip's Church and Hall, Kotara. The facilities and natural surroundings at Kotara, lend themselves well to the school's team-building programme, in which the chosen leaders for 2018 are prepared for this most important role. The day's activities were co-ordinated by the school's Adam Frost and Student Representative Council mentors. I am happy to add, that several of these young leaders are regular members of our

St Philip's community.

Fr Terry.

PARISH DIARY

PRAYER LIST

Monday 27th November

St Columba's Playgroup 9am Hall
Adamstown St Vincent de Paul 3.30pm
Kotara St Vincent de Paul 5.30pm

Tuesday 28th November

Cardiff St Vincent de Paul 5.30pm
Christian Meditation Kotara 6.00pm

Wednesday 29th November

St James' School Playgroup 9am School

SICK/SPECIAL NEEDS: for all who have asked for your prayers and ...Leonard Timmins, Leonie Pickett, Dean Hart, Olivia & Family, Sandra O, Don Richards, Celedonio Casas, Michael Neild, Addison McKenna, John Cunningham, Stephanie, Elizabeth Novak, Ella Fahey, Eileen Ayre, Veronica Hipwell, Charlie Fisher, Catherine Horner, Arthur Chipperfield, Michael G, Lizzy Oates, Karen Curran, Pat Maddison, Lorraine Caldwell, Paul Harrison, Nadzia Marczak

RECENTLY DECEASED: Fr Glen Walsh

ANNIVERSARIES: Ken Howland and for all listed in our Remembrance Books and November Mass Offerings.

PARISH ROSTER

ADAMSTOWN	COMMENTATOR	READERS	GIFTS	EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS	CHILDREN'S LITURGY	COUNTING	ROSARY/ MORNING TEA
<u>26/11/2017</u> 9.30am	Jeanine Hickmott	Peter Williams Christine Williams	Preciosa Winter & Gloria Ramage	Marion Gardner Joyce Little	Michael & Nicole Deed	Lynn & Matthew Johns	
<u>3/12/2017</u> 9.30am	Joyce Little	Belen Brown Mary-Jean Serrano-White	Sharkey Family	Preciosa Winter Matthew Johns	Peter Stone Nadia Truninger	Trevor & Alice Aurisch	
CARDIFF	COMMENTATOR	READERS	GIFTS	EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS	COUNTING	ROSARY STATUE	MORNING TEA
<u>26/11/2017</u> 9.30am	School Mass	School Mass	School Mass	V Marten, L Sullivan, E Doyle, Sr Carmel, M Wilmore	Anne Keevers Dawn Wessel- Bryde	Dot Swadling	Parish/School
<u>3/12/2017</u> 9.30	Vaughan Marten	Stephen Nash Sr Marie Jones	Webb Family	P Gleeson, B Moore, D Wessel-Bryde, H Woodham, W Day	Volunteers	Anne Lamotte	
KOTARA	COMMENTATOR	READERS	GIFTS	EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS	CHILDREN'S LITURGY	COUNTING	CHURCH CLEANING
<u>25/11/2017</u> 5.30pm	Christine Sheppard	Peter Cunningham Kevin Mullins	Burgess Family	J Oliver, M Thomson, S Farrell, H O'Neill G Angeli	<u>26/11/2017</u> 5.30pm J Godden K Sullivan 8am Jessica Crow	P Cootes J Bourke V Menzies M Noonan	Colleen Johnson
<u>26/11/2017</u> 8am	Gai Woodward	Paula O'Neill Diana Hannigan	A Neilson & J Seysener	P Bowen J Moulder V Pettett M&J Bourke	<u>3/12/2017</u> 5.30pm Carmel Wright Clare Walsh 8am Alanna Neilson	F Robertson M & T Britt J Errington	Maureen & Ian Taylor Henryka Bradley
<u>2/12/2017</u> 5.30pm	Marilyn Thomson	Peter Cunningham Wendy Hopkins	Anson-Smith Family	T McCloy, H McCloy, B Burgess F Robertson S Dever	<u>10/12/2017</u> 5.30pm T&H McCloy Natalie Warren 8am Jessica Moulder	V & J Pettett K & J Murray	Warrick Nehl
<u>3/12/2017</u> 8am	Vickie Pettett	John Woodward Gai Woodward	Lukaszewicz Family	N&P Smith, A Cuskelly, H Bradley, I Adoranti	<u>17/11/2017</u> No Liturgy School Holidays	Paul Crosbie Narelle Robb Patricia Hines	Gai Woodward Val Menzies

PARISH NEWS (WEB: www.allsaintsblackbuttsouth.org.au)

Parish Office Closures - The parish office will be closed on Mondays & Tuesdays until Monday, 11 December. Louise will be on leave.

Our final parish **Anointing Mass for this year** will be on Thursday, 7 December, 10.00am at St Kevin's Cardiff. All welcome.

Year End Lunch Get Together - All parishioners are invited to lunch at Wests New Lambton, 88 Hobart Road (Bistro Food Court) on Sunday, 10 December at 11.00am. Bookings essential (If sufficient numbers private room will be made available) Please call Hamilton Koelmeyer P 4957 7542 or Alice Aurisch P 4952 6823 or M 0448 833 712.

For your diary - Fr Terry will preside at 8.00am Mass at St Pius X High School (SPX), Adamstown (in place of 7.00am Mass at Kotara) on **this** Wednesday 29 November.

'**Bright Sparks**' presents '*That Christmas Glow*' next Sunday, 3 December, 2.00pm at St Columba's Parish Hall. For catering purposes, please RSVP now on ticket order form at back of church including name and number of tickets required. Ticket costs - Adults \$10, Children 5 to 14 \$5.

St Vincent de Paul Annual Christmas Appeal will be held over the weekends of 2/3rd & 9/11th December at all Masses. This year the Society is expected to help families with food and with general assistance. Through your donation, you make your presence felt in your local area and helps give people in need a sense of hope dignity and joy.

Bible Study - 'The Infancy Narratives' - **Reconciling the** differences between Luke's account and Matthew's account - Wednesday 6th December, St Philip's Church Hall 1.30pm to 2.30pm Ph 4954 0453 The study will be facilitated by Sister Pat Boland.

ADAMSTOWN NOTICES

Year 1 from St Columba's School will join parishioners at Mass this Tuesday, 28th November at 9.15am.

The Rosary will next be recited on Wednesday, 29 November at 7.00pm in the home of Albert & Florinda d'Cruz. 29 Moira Street, Adamstown. Phone 4957 6374

St Vincent de Paul 2018 Columban Calendars are now available. Cost \$7.00.

CARDIFF NOTICES

Morning Tea for the **St Kevin's Prayer Community** will take place in the **COTTAGE** this Sunday following 9.30am Mass.

We welcome families and staff of St Kevin's School, to our 9.30am Mass this Sunday. You are invited to stay and enjoy each others company after Mass in the courtyard for our final get together cuppa this year.

St Kevin's School: Year 5/6 will be joining parishioners on this Thursday, 30th November at 9.30am Mass.

Lost & Found during the fete - a pair of orange framed sunglasses. Please contact Anna during parish office hours to claim.

KOTARA NOTICES

Cuppa After Mass this weekend 25/26 November. Your hosts will be the Lancaster Family (Vigil) and Marge & Tom Britt, Lyndall Ford and Jenny & Peter Bowen. All welcome.

The First Anniversary Mass will be celebrated next Saturday, 2nd December, and will be offered for Frank McIvor (father of Anne Cuskelly), Margaret Stanmore (mother of Peter), Michael McGlynn (brother of Tom), Fay McGregor (sister of Marlene McWhinnie), Ellen Drinkwater (sister of Tim Farragher), Moncie Cameron (sister of Norah Miner), Robyn Neild (sister-in-law of Margaret McLellan), and Pat Croke (brother-in-law of Kath Murray). The Rosary will be prayed at 8.40am and Mass will be offered at 9.00am. All are welcome to this Mass to pray for the deceased, and with and for the families.

St Vincent de Paul 2018 Columban Calendars at \$7 and Christmas Cards at \$5 for packet of 10 are now available.

FAMILY GROUP NOTICES

Red Rovers are attending the Parish Year End Lunch Get Together on Sunday, 10 December at Wests New Lambton. Please RSVP to Diana by Saturday, 2 December P 4943 0303.

Greensleeves are having their Christmas get together on Sunday, 10 December, 5.00pm at the Cuskellys'. BYO food and drink. Contact Anne & John P 4943 6882.

Golden Goodies are having their Christmas Party at Charlestown Leagues Club at 12 noon on Tuesday 5th December. Contact Greg on 4943 2084 or Brian on 4957 2555

DIOCESAN NOTICES

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Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe - Year A

FIRST READING *Ez 34:11-12. 15-17*

A reading from the prophet Ezekiel

The Lord says this: I am going to look after my flock myself and keep all of it in view. As a shepherd keeps all his flock in view when he stands up in the middle of his scattered sheep, so shall I keep my sheep in view. I shall rescue them from wherever they have been scattered during the mist and darkness. I myself will pasture my sheep, I myself will show them where to rest – it is the Lord who speaks. I shall look for the lost one, bring back the stray, bandage the wounded and make the weak strong. I shall watch over the fat and healthy. I shall be a true shepherd to them.

As for you, my sheep, the Lord says this: I will judge between sheep and sheep, between rams and he-goats.

The Word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM *Ps 22:1-3. 5-6. R. v.1*

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want! want!

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1. The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.
Fresh and green are the pastures
where he gives me repose.
2. Near restful waters he leads me,
to revive my drooping spirit.
He guides me along the right path;
he is true to his name.
3. You have prepared a banquet for me
in the sight of my foes.
My head you have anointed with oil;
my cup is overflowing.
4. Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me
all the days of my life.
In the Lord's own house shall I dwell
for ever and ever.

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

SECOND READING *1 Cor 15:20-26. 28*

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

Christ has been raised from the dead, the first-fruits of all who have fallen asleep. Death came through one man and in the same way the resurrection of the dead has come through one man. Just as all men die in Adam, so all men will be brought to life in Christ; but all of them in their proper order: Christ as the first-fruits and then, after the coming of Christ, those who belong to him. After that will come the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, having done away with every sovereignty, authority and power. For he must be king until he has put all his enemies under his feet and the last of the enemies to be destroyed is death. And

when everything is subjected to him, then the Son himself will be subject in his turn to the One who subjected all things to him, so that God may be all in all.

The Word of the Lord.

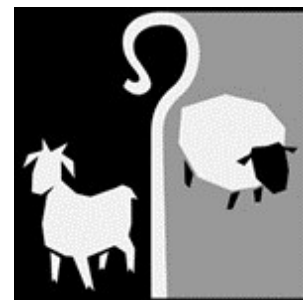
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *Mk 11:9-10*

Alleluia, alleluia! Blessings on him who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessings on the coming kingdom of our father David! Alleluia!

GOSPEL *Mt 25:31-46*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

Jesus said to his disciples: 'When the Son of Man comes in his glory, escorted by all the angels, then he will take his seat on his throne of glory. All the nations will be assembled before him and he will separate men one from another as



the shepherd separates sheep from goats. He will place the sheep on his right hand and the goats on his left. Then the King will say to those on his right hand, "Come, you whom my Father has blessed, take for your

heritage the kingdom prepared for you since the foundation of the world. For I was hungry and you gave me food; I was thirsty and you gave me drink; I was a stranger and you made me welcome; naked and you clothed me, sick and you visited me, in prison and you came to see me." Then the virtuous will say to him in reply, "Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you; or thirsty and give you drink? When did we see you a stranger and make you welcome; naked and clothe you; sick or in prison and go to see you?" And the King will answer, "I tell you solemnly, in so far as you did this to one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did it to me." Next he will say to those on his left hand, "Go away from me, with your curse upon you, to the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. For I was hungry and you never gave me food; I was thirsty and you never gave me anything to drink; I was a stranger and you never made me welcome, naked and you never clothed me, sick and in prison and you never visited me." Then it will be their turn to ask, "Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty, a stranger or naked, sick or in prison, and did not come to your help?" Then he will answer, "I tell you solemnly, in so far as you neglected to do this to one of the least of these, you neglected to do it to me." And they will go away to eternal punishment, and the virtuous to eternal life.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

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