

ALL SAINTS PARISH BLACKBUTT SOUTH

Faith Communities of Adamstown, Cardiff, Kotara

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

Links are on our Website



**Catholic Parish of All Saints
Blackbutt South**

SUNDAY MASSES

Adamstown

Sunday 9.30am

Cardiff

Sunday 9.30am

Kotara

Saturday Vigil 5.30pm

Sunday 8.00am

Sunday Hour of

Adoration 6pm

WEEKDAY MASSES/LITURGIES WITH COMMUNION

PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN WEEKDAY TIMETABLE

Adamstown: Wednesday 9.30am

Cardiff: Thursday (Liturgy) 9.30am

Kotara: Monday (Liturgy) 7am;

Friday (Liturgy) 9.15am. No 1st Saturday Mass.

RECONCILIATION:

Adamstown: After 9.30am Mass Wednesday

13th Sunday Ordinary Time - 1st July 2018 Yr B

This weekend, as children of St Philip's Kotara and those of St Columba's Adamstown complete their initiation into the Catholic community (which began at Baptism), it is appropriate to think about the importance of the Sacraments of the Church in our faith life.

As they receive the Lord's Body and Blood in Communion for the first time, are they able to grasp yet; the significance of what they are doing? Do they yet see, that the little consecrated host we receive on our hands is, in Jesus' own words, 'the bread of life'; real food which sustains us spiritually. Or, that the cup from which we drink is 'the blood of the covenant', as we hear in the Eucharistic Prayer each week?

When Jesus said at the last supper, "Do this in memory of me," wasn't He urging us to gather in this way around the 'table' of the altar, to receive the bread broken and the shared cup; on a regular basis?

Only with time can we each fully understand, how Christ gives Himself to us in this way and how we must give ourselves in return.

We welcome our newly initiated children and their families and invite you to join us, whenever we gather to be enriched by God's word and by the grace of the Eucharist.

Coming Plenary Council. Pope Francis has approved the decision of Australia's Bishops to hold a Plenary Council in 2020 and 2021. A Plenary Council is a meeting of the bishops, the people and representatives of all the Catholic dioceses and orders in Australia, to discern what God is asking of us at this present time. While the church should be asking that question continually, a Plenary Council is a particularly graced way of seeking the Holy Spirit's guidance. And it has the authority to make church laws as a result. The last Plenary Council took place in 1937.

Although in the end it will be the bishops who vote on any future directions for the church in Australia, they must make those decisions only after lengthy listening to the Holy Spirit speaking through the voices of any of the faithful of Australia, who wish to speak up. Vatican II taught that the Church should be more dialogic and more participatory in its processes, to involve all the baptised in the Church. By listening to one another, we are listening to God. For more information, www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Mr Scott Donohoe, an active parishioner of All Saints has been appointed Foundation Principal of Catherine McAuley Catholic College, Medowie. Currently Principal at San Clemente High School, Mayfield, Scott will take up this important role at the beginning of the 2019 school year, to lead the preparations for the first intake of students in 2020.



PARISH DIARY

PRAYER LIST

Monday 2 July

St Vincent de Paul Adamstown 3.30pm
 St Vincent de Paul Kotara 5.30pm
 St Kevin's Mini Playgroup School 9.30am

Tuesday 3 July

Parish Team Meeting 5.30pm Kotara
 St Vincent de Paul Meeting Cardiff 5.30pm
 Christian Meditation 6.00pm Kotara
 Bereavement Group 6.00pm Kotara

Wednesday 4 July

St James' School Playgroup 9.00am Hall

SICK/SPECIAL NEEDS: for all who have asked for your prayers

and ... Leonard Timmins, Leonie Pickett, Olivia & Family, Don Richards, Celedonio Casas, Michael Neild, Addison McKenna, John Cunningham, Stephani, Ella Fahey, Eileen Ayre, Veronica Hipwell, Catherine Horner, Michael G, Lizzy Oates, Karen Curran, Pat Maddison, Sabina Nowak, Loris Jackson, Tommy Hawthorne, Bernadette Milne, Alan Scott, Marion Bridges, Algi & Geraldine Bajelis, Rosemary B, Mick King, Jackie Williams, Sr Mary Theresia Pathinathan of Sri Lanka & her people, Rosemary B., Charlie Fisher

ANNIVERSARIES: Ian Campbell, Velta Stevens

BAPTISED in Kotara: Lotte Rabbitt

PARISH ROSTER

ADAMSTOWN	COMMENTATOR	READERS	GIFTS	EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS	CHILDREN'S LITURGY	COUNTING	ROSARY/ MORNING TEA
<u>01/07/2018</u> 9.30am	School	Sponsored	Mass	Nadia Truninger Marion Gardner	Kate Buchanan	Trevor & Alice Aurisch	Filipino Community and Friends
<u>08/07/2018</u> 9.30AM	Rosemary Karathanassi	Stan Heaney Belen Brown	Preciosa Winter Gloria Ramage	Matthew Johns Alice Aurisch	No Liturgy School Holidays	Elaine Hennessy Carmel Stuart	
CARDIFF	COMMENTATOR	READERS	GIFTS	EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS	COUNTING	ROSARY STATUE	MORNING TEA
<u>01/07/2018</u> 9.30am	Helen Woodham	Wendy Day Sr Carmel Moore	Jennings Family	B Moore, D Wessel- Bryde, Sr Clare, M Wilmore, L McCullum	Leonie Sullivan Maria Richardson	John & Gloria Reynolds	Cathy Waugh and Volunteers
<u>08/07/2018</u> 9.30AM	Sr Clare	Sr Marie Jones Anne Lamotte	Webb Family	C Moore, C Waugh, L&L Caldwell, H Woodham	Michael Perkins Penny Harrison	Anne Lamotte	
KOTARA	COMMENTATOR	READERS	GIFTS	EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS	CHILDREN'S LITURGY	COUNTING	CHURCH CLEANING
<u>30/06/2018</u> 5.30pm	Helayna McCloy	Charlotte Dever Sophie Dever	Leggett Family	D Morgan T McCloy G Angeli F Robertson B Burgess	<u>1/07/2018</u> 5.30pm G & R Angeli 8am Jessica Moulder	F Robertson M & T Britt J Errington	Margaret Bourke Kathy Kelly Diana Hannigan
<u>01/07/2018</u> 8am	Paul Smith	Brendan Walker Louise Byron	Lukaszewicz Family	I Adoranti, J Moulder A Erzetich M & J Bourke	<u>8/07/2018</u> No Liturgy School Holidays	V & J Pettett K & J Murray	Gai Woodward
<u>07/07/2018</u> 5.30PM	Leianna McCloy	Giavanna Angeli Joachim Angeli	Taylor Family	N Morgan L Byrnes H McCloy S Pink G Dever	<u>15/07/2018</u> No Liturgy School Holidays	P Crosbie N Robb P Hines	Marge & Tom Britt Henryka Bradley
<u>08/07/2018</u> 8AM	G Woodward	Basia Wedesweiler Paul Smith	Moulder Family	N Smith A Cuskelly H Bradley V Pettett I Adoranti	<u>22/07/2018</u> No Liturgy School Holidays	B Hopson G Bridges W Nehl	Gai Woodward

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

Parish Team Meeting this Tuesday, 3 July, 5.30pm at Kotara.

Please note weekday Mass Time changes on front page. No 1st Saturday Mass for this month.

Anointing Mass: will be held in our Parish on Thursday 12th July at 10am St Kevin's Church. All are invited to come to this special Mass.

St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal Thank you to all for your generous response. Still not too late to donate.

Holy Hour with the Blessed Sacrament each Sunday evening from 6pm.

Parish Lunch: You are invited to our Parish Lunch on next Sunday, 8 July 11.30 AM at Wests New Lambton in the Main Dining Hall. Please leave names on sheets back of churches for numbers.

The current set of Planned Giving envelopes are awaiting collection in each of our churches.

Book Club recommences 25th July at 1.30pm at Kotara Church Hall. Topic "The Eucharist" by Frank Andersen msc. For information please contact Mike Perkins on 4954 0453.

Rugs for St Vincent de Paul Clients - Christine (Williams) would like to hear from any parishioners who have wool to donate to this cause. She would also like to hear from anyone who would like to knit, but has no wool. Please call Christine P 4943 3824.

ADAMSTOWN NOTICES

The Rosary will next be recited on Wednesday, 11th July at 7.00pm in the home of Terry & Marian Slupik, 29 Crockett Street, Cardiff South. All welcome.

Congratulations to our parish children who have completed their Sacramental Program and will receive First Eucharist at Mass this Sunday.

CARDIFF NOTICES

Next Anointing Mass is scheduled for Thursday 12th July at 10 am.

Cup of Tea after 9.30am Mass this weekend will be hosted by Cathy Waugh and volunteers.

Are you looking for a house cleaner? For information contact Leanne on 0407 704 866 or E: leanneshomecleaningservice@gmail.com.

St Vincent de Paul Kotara is in urgent need of new members to help with visits to needy families in our area on one afternoon a week. For more information please contact John Bourke 49434971 or just come along to our meeting at 5:30 pm any Monday in St Philip Hall Kotara.

KOTARA NOTICES

Congratulations to our parish children who have completed their Sacramental Program and will receive First Eucharist at the Vigil Mass this Saturday.

Bereavement Group meets this Tuesday, 3 July, 6.00pm at Kotara. New members are always welcome, call Paula M 0411 813 101 or simply turn up on Tuesday night.

Church Cleaning (Outside) - due to the retirement of some volunteers, more volunteers are sought to help vacuum, sweep and dust the covered area outside St Philip's Church. You would be rostered once every 7-8 weeks or so. If you can assist, please contact the Parish Office P 4954 0977.

FAMILY GROUP NOTICES

Red Rovers are going to the Parish Lunch at Wests New Lambton on Sunday, 8 July at 11.30am. Please RSVP by Monday, 2 July to Martin & Louise P 4920 8586.

Rainbow are having dinner at the Delaney on Monday, 23 July at 6.30pm. Please RSVP by Friday, 20 July to Kerina M 0409 448 255.

DIOCESAN NOTICES

Christian Meditation - The Teachings of John Main. Saturday, 7 July, 9.30am - 12 noon, Chapel of Newcastle Parish Centre, 25 Farquhar St, The Junction (enter via laneway). Morning tea provided. Cost \$5.00. RSVP annecuskelly@hotmail.com or M 0407 436 808.

NAIDOC Week 2018 Sunday 1 July is Aboriginal & Torres Strait Island Sunday. The theme for this year's celebration is "Because of her, we can" - which is shared with the theme for NAIDOC week, to be held from July 8-15. This theme praises the role of women, especially mothers and grandmothers, in the life of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities. It also speaks of the role model of the Virgin Mary in the life of the Catholic Church.

Sunday July 1 is Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday

13th Sunday Ordinary Time - Year B

FIRST READING *Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24*

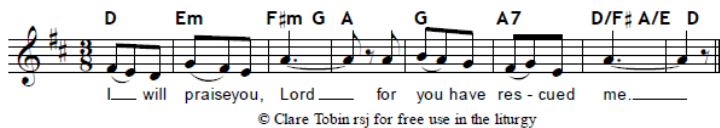
A reading from the book of Wisdom

Death was not God's doing,
he takes no pleasure in the extinction of the
living.

To be – for this he created all;
the world's created things have health in them,
in them no fatal poison can be found,
and Hades holds no power on earth;
for virtue is undying.

Yet God did make man imperishable,
he made him in the image of his own nature;
it was the devil's envy that brought death into
the world,
as those who are his partners will discover.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM *Ps 29:2. 4-6. 11-13. R. v.2*



I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

1. I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me and have not let my enemies rejoice over me. O Lord, you have raised my soul from the dead, restored me to life from those who sink into the grave.
2. Sing psalms to the Lord, you who love him, give thanks to his holy name. His anger lasts but a moment: his favour through life. At night there are tears, but joy comes with dawn.
3. The Lord listened and had pity. The Lord came to my help. For me you have changed my mourning into dancing, O Lord my God, I will thank you for ever.

I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

SECOND READING *2 Cor 8:7. 9. 13-15*

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

You always have the most of everything – of faith, of eloquence, of understanding, of keenness for any cause, and the biggest share of our affection – so we expect you to put the most into this work of mercy too. Remember how generous the Lord Jesus was: he was rich, but he became poor for

your sake, to make you rich out of his poverty. This does not mean that to give relief to others you ought to make things difficult for yourselves: it is a question of balancing what happens to be your surplus now against their present need, and one day they may have something to spare that will supply your own need. That is how we strike a balance: as scripture says: The man who gathered much had none too much, the man who gathered little did not go short.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *2 Tm 1:10*

Alleluia, alleluia! Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death and brought us life through his gospel. Alleluia!

GOSPEL *Mk 5:21-24. 35-43*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

When Jesus had crossed in the boat to the other side, a large crowd gathered round him and he stayed by the lakeside. Then one of the synagogue officials came up, Jairus by name, and seeing him, fell at his feet and pleaded with him earnestly, saying, 'My little daughter is desperately sick. Do come and lay your hands on her to make her better and save her life.' Jesus went with him and a large crowd followed him; they were pressing all round him.

Some people arrived from the house of the synagogue official to say, 'Your daughter is dead: why put the Master to any further trouble?' But Jesus had overheard this remark of theirs and he said to the official, 'Do not be afraid; only have faith.' And he allowed no one to go with him except Peter and James and John the brother of James. So they came to the official's house and Jesus noticed all the commotion, with people weeping and wailing unrestrainedly. He went in and said to them, 'Why all this commotion and crying? The child is not dead, but asleep.' But they laughed at him. So he turned them all out and, taking with him the child's father and mother and his own companions, he went into the place where the child lay. And taking the child by the hand he said to her, 'Talitha, kum!' which means, 'little girl, I tell you to get up.' The little girl got up at once and began to walk about, for she was twelve years old. At this they were overcome with astonishment, and he ordered them strictly not to let anyone know about it, and told them to give her something to eat.

