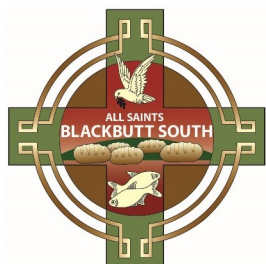


# ALL SAINTS PARISH BLACKBUTT SOUTH

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](#)

## 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

Adamstown: Tuesday 9.30am; Wednesday 9.30am

Cardiff: Thursday 9.30am

Kotara: Monday (Liturgy) 7am; Wednesday 7am;

Friday 9.15am; 1st Saturday 9am

## RECONCILIATION:

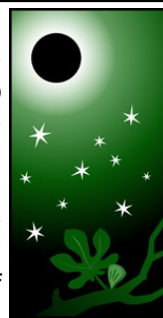
Adamstown: After 9.30am Mass Wednesday

Cardiff: After 9.30am Mass Thursday

Kotara: Saturday 9.30am

## 33rd Sunday Ordinary Time—18th November 2018 Yr B

On Tuesday and Thursday evenings of this past week, around sixty-four of our Yr 3 children received the **Sacrament of Reconciliation** for the first time. Though so young and innocent, they now have an understanding of the forgiveness that awaits us all, whenever we bring our human failings to the Lord. As we listened to the Gospel story of the Lost Sheep and the Lost Coins it seemed clear that when we lose our way; we are always welcomed back by our loving God. We thank the team who guided the children at each of our three centres. Thanks also to the parents who supported them during this time.



There will be an opportunity for all in the parish to prepare spiritually for Christmas at a **Second Rite of Reconciliation** at Kotara on **Tuesday 18 December** from 7.00pm. The Sacrament is also offered at the times printed on the front of each parish bulletin.

**At a time** when it is becoming harder to call priests in to help with Sunday and weekday Mass, I wish to say thanks to the retired priests who have been able to help out during the past year. To **Fr Gordon Quinn** who has been so generous with his help at Cardiff and at Adamstown for such a long time and to Fr Bill Burston, to Fr Max Davis and Fr Des Harrigan. Our thanks too, go to Fr Andrew Doohan VG and to Deacon Anthony Coloma. Due to sickness, retirements and the need for working priests to take a break, a call to be available for Mass (sometimes for many consecutive weeks) is constantly being placed on these generous men. A more ideal situation would be that they only be called in to 'supply' while the working priest takes a holiday break. Even with two new men due to be ordained in February 2019, this pressure remains on our retired men. At this coming Tuesday's Parish Team meeting, the team will be invited to discuss the situation we are facing in **All Saints**, in the light of diminishing attendances, the health and aging of our priests and the present Sunday Mass schedule. All **Team** meetings are open to interested parishioners and begin at **5.30pm** in St Philip's Hall.

This weekend we welcome Mr Paul Gleeson of Cardiff to our vigil and Sunday morning Masses in Kotara. Representing the Society of St Vincent de Paul, he will speak on the need to recruit new members to the Vinnies chapter, so their important work may continue. Though many present members have chalked up long service, there is a need for new and younger members to join them. 'The society is open to all who seek to live their faith by loving and committing themselves to their neighbour in need'

**3.1 The Rule.**



**Catholic Parish of All Saints  
Blackbutt South**

## PARISH DIARY

## PRAYER LIST

### Monday 19 November

St Vincent de Paul Adamstown 3.30pm

St Vincent de Paul Kotara 5.30pm

### Tuesday 20 November

St Columba's School Mass 9.30am

Parish Team Meeting 5.30pm Kotara

St Vincent de Paul Meeting Cardiff 5.30pm

Christian Meditation 6.00pm Kotara

Benedictine Book Group 7.00pm Kotara

### Wednesday 21 November

Parish Office Closed

St James Playgroup 9.00am School Hall

### Friday 23 November

St Columba's Playgroup meet 9am Hall

### SICK/SPECIAL NEEDS: We remember in prayer ...

Leonard Timmins, Leonie Pickett, Ella Fahey, Veronica Hipwell, Catherine Horner, Lizzy Oates, Karen Curran, Sabina Nowak, Loris Jackson, Tommy Hawthorne, Bernadette Milne, Marion Bridges, Algi & Geraldine Bajelis, Mick King, Jackie Williams, Charlie Fisher, Margaret McLellan, Jan Hobson, Kathleen Donnelly, Maria Kennedy, Lewis Peel (Purcell), Warren Sheppard, Kevin Murray

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Vincent Cleur

**BAPTISMS at Adamstown:** Aston O'Brien

ADAMSTOWN	COMMENTATOR	READERS	GIFTS	EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS	CHILDREN'S LITURGY	COUNTING	MORNING TEA
<b>18/11/2018</b> 9.30am	Alice Aurisch	Volunteer Nadia Truninger	Tona Morris	Preciosa Winter Belen Brown	Michael & Nicole Deed	Alice Aurisch, Preciosa Winter Gloria Ramage	
<b>25/11/2018</b> 9.30am	Kathleen Coulter	Stan Heaney Kerrie-Lee Guest	Preciosa Winter Gloria Ramage	Nadia Truninger Alice Aurisch	Kate Buchanan	Elaine Hennessy Carmel Stuart	
CARDIFF	COMMENTATOR	READERS	GIFTS	EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS	COUNTING	ROSARY STATUE	MORNING TEA
<b>18/11/2018</b> 9.30am	Sr Carmel Moore	Mary-Anne Jennings Peter Jennings	Webb Family	H Woodham, W Day M Wilmore L McCullum P Gleeson	Leonie Sullivan Maria Richardson	John & Gloria Reynolds	
<b>25/11/2018</b> 9.30am	ST KEVIN'S	SCHOOL	MASS	C Waugh L&L Caldwell Sr Clare McCudden Sr Carmel Moore	Michael Perkins Penny Harrison	Anne Lamotte	
KOTARA	COMMENTATOR	READERS	GIFTS	EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS	CHILDREN'S LITURGY	COUNTING	CHURCH CLEANING
<b>17/11/2018</b> 5.30pm Family Mass	School Staff/ Students	School Staff/ Students	School Staff/ Students	B Burgess H O'Neill T McCloy G Angeli M Thomson	<b>18/11/2018</b> 5.30pm Clare Walsh Donna Morgan 8am Jessica Moulder	John Bourke Val Menzies Mark Noonan	Marge & Tom Britt  Val Menzies
<b>18/11/2018</b> 8am	Vickie Pettett	Gai Woodward Barry Bourke	Lukaszewicz Family	H Bradley A Cuskelly I Adoranti J Moulder A Erzetich	<b>25/11/2018</b> 5.30pm Emma Mather Elissa Pryke 8am Alanna Neilson	Faye Robertson Marge & Tom Britt Faye Errington	Colleen Johnson
<b>24/11/2018</b> 5.30pm	Marilyn Thomson	Bernard Burgess Helene O'Neill	McCloy Family	S Farrell N Morgan L Bymes H McCloy J Angeli	<b>2/12/2018</b> 5.30pm Carmel Wright 8am Vickie Pettett	Vickie & John Pettett Kath & John Murray	Ian Taylor  Kath Murray
<b>25/11/2018</b> 8am	Dianna Hannigan	John Pettett Vickie Pettett	Gai Woodward Kathy Kelly	M&J Bourke N&P Smith A Cuskelly	<b>9/12/2018</b> 5.30pm Anne-Marie Dever Grace Dever 8am Jessica Moulder	Paul Crosbie Narelle Robb Patricia Hines	Martin Byron

## PARISH NEWS (WEB: [www.allsaintsblackbutsouth.org.au](http://www.allsaintsblackbutsouth.org.au))

### PARISH NOTICES

**Parish Team Meeting** this Tuesday, 20 November, 5.30pm Kotara.

**The Parish Office will be closed this Wednesday, 21 November**, Fr Terry and staff will be attending a meeting in East Maitland.

**Parish Christmas Lunch** - please join us for lunch at The Terrace (upstairs) at Wests, New Lambton on Sunday, **16 December** at 11.30am. All welcome. Contact Alice on 4952 6823 or Hamilton on 4957 7542.

**Last Anointing Mass** for the year in our Parish will be on Thursday, 6th December at 10am St Kevin's Cardiff. All welcome.

### ADAMSTOWN NOTICES

**St Columba's School-Sponsored Mass** this Tuesday, 20 November, 9.30am. All welcome.

**The Rosary** be recited next Wednesday, 28 November at the home of Gloria Ramage, 60 Garden Grove Parade, Adamstown Heights Phone 0407 873 272

### CARDIFF NOTICES

**We warmly welcome** Fr Max Davis who will celebrate our Mass this Sunday.

**St Kevin's Year 2 Students** will join parishioners at Mass on this Thursday.

**Groves House Mass** will be celebrated next Friday 23 November at 10.45am.

### KOTARA NOTICES

**We welcome the families of St James' Infants and the new Kinders for 2019** to our Vigil Mass this evening.

**St Vincent de Paul Kotara Conference** will be having a recruitment drive this weekend. The Conference is eagerly seeking people who are interested in assisting the local needy. For more information please contact local president, John Bourke on M: 0420 923 689.

**First Anniversary Mass:** Our next Mass will be celebrated at St Philip's on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December, and will be offered for parishioners or close relatives of parishioners who passed away during November/December 2017. Please give names for remembrance to Paula on 0411 813 101 by this Monday 19<sup>th</sup> November.

**Cuppa After Mass** next weekend, 24/25 November. Your hosts will be the Lancaster Family (Vigil) and Tom & Marge Britt, Lyndall Ford and Jenny Bowen (Sunday). All welcome.

**St Vincent de Paul Piety Stall** now has the following available: the beautiful **2019 Columban**

**Calendar** at the usual price of \$7.00; and **Christmas Cards** - Packs of 10 cards at \$6.00 (new designs) or \$4.00 (last year's designs).

**Volunteers are needed to assist with counting the weekend collections** at Kotara. You would be on a roster once every 7 - 9 weeks for about 45 - 60 minutes. If you can assist, please contact Louise in the Parish Office, P 4954 0977.

### St Philip's Children's Choir

largely made up of children from St James Primary School, continues to grow in number. There are now between 20 and 25 children. The children are now singing increasingly complex modern Christian hymns and have found their pitch, their rhythm and their voice.

The choir will lead us in song at St Philip's 5.30pm vigil Mass next **Saturday 24 November**. They can also be heard at Sacred Heart Cathedral on Sunday 25 November at 5pm Mass.

If you would like to enrol your child for 2019 (Yr 1 and up), please email your enquiry to : [pw.caruana@outlook.com](mailto:pw.caruana@outlook.com) to receive information for next year.



### FAMILY GROUP NOTICES

**Red Rovers** are having their Christmas Lunch at Kotara Bowling Club on Sunday, 9 December. Please RSVP to Jim Gallacher M 0421 202 012.

### DIOCESAN NOTICES

**Interfaith Forum:** Our Faiths and the Discernment Process will be held on Thursday 22 November at 6:00 PM at Murray Room, 841 Hunter St, Newcastle West. P 4979 1111.

**Prayer for Deceased Bishops and Priests** will be held on Friday 30 November at 6:00 PM at Sandgate Cemetery.

**Sacred@Seven Adoration** with Bishop Bill will be held on Wednesday 05 December at 7:00 PM at St John Chapel, Maitland. P 4979 1288.

**The Diocesan Liturgy Council** is holding a party to celebrate the end of the liturgical year and would love **YOU** to join in. It's an opportunity to see out the past year and celebrate the hard work of all who contribute to our diocesan community. Join with Bishop Bill to enjoy food, drink, music and comedy as we present a light-hearted version of ABC TV show "You Can't Ask That!". You don't have to work with liturgy to attend. PLEASE RSVP [sharon.murphy@mn.catholic.org.au](mailto:sharon.murphy@mn.catholic.org.au)

## 33rd Sunday Ordinary Time - Year B

### FIRST READING *Dn 12:1-3*

*A reading from the prophet Daniel*

'At that time Michael will stand up, the great prince who mounts guard over your people. There is going to be a time of great distress, unparalleled since nations first came into existence. When that time comes, your own people will be spared, all those whose names are found written in the Book. Of those who lie sleeping in the dust of the earth many will awake, some to everlasting life, some to shame and everlasting disgrace. The learned will shine as brightly as the vault of heaven, and those who have instructed many in virtue, as bright as stars for all eternity.'

sins away. Christ, on the other hand, has offered one single sacrifice for sins, and then taken his place for ever, at the right hand of God, where he is now waiting until his enemies are made into a footstool for him. By virtue of that one single offering, he has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is sanctifying. When all sins have been forgiven, there can be no more sin offerings.

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *Lk 21:36*

Alleluia, alleluia!

Be watchful, and pray constantly,  
that you may be worthy to stand before the  
Son of Man. Alleluia!

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM *Ps 15:5. 8-11.* *R.v.1*



#### Keep me safe, O God: you are my hope.

1. O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup;  
it is you yourself who are my prize.  
I keep the Lord ever in my sight:  
since he is at my right hand, I shall stand firm.
2. And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad;  
even my body shall rest in safety.  
For you will not leave my soul among the dead,  
nor let your beloved know decay.
3. You will show me the path of life,  
the fullness of joy in your presence,  
at your right hand happiness forever.

#### Keep me safe, O God: you are my hope.

### SECOND READING *Heb 10:11-14, 18*

*A reading from the letter to the Hebrews*

All the priests stand at their duties every day, offering over and over again the same sacrifices which are quite incapable of taking

### GOSPEL *Mk 13:24-32*

*A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark*

Jesus said to his disciples: 'In those days, after the time of distress, the sun will be darkened, the moon will lose its brightness, the stars will come falling from heaven and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory; then too he will send the angels to gather his chosen from the four winds, from the ends of the world to the ends of heaven.

'Take the fig tree as a parable: as soon as its twigs grow supple and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. So with you, when you see these things happening: know that he is near, at the very gates. I tell you solemnly, before this generation has passed away all these things will have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

'But as for that day or hour, nobody knows it, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son; no one but the Father.'

