

St. Emilie, Good and generous labourer of the Gospel. You who were attentive to the call of the Spirit in the church and reached out to all peoples regardless of religion, race or colour, give us this spirit to reach out in love, so as to reveal by our lives the infinite love of the Father for all humanity. St. Emilie, pray for us. AMEN

PARISH MASS & PRAYER SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass

Sat: 6.30pm

Sun: 7.15am, 9am & 5pm

Weekday Mass Tues-Fri: 6pm

Wednesday morning Mass: 9am (Except 1st Wed at 8am)

Legion of Mary Wed 9.30am

Adoration & Rosary

Tue: 9 - 10am Benediction Wed: 6.30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation Tue-Fri, 30 min before Mass or by appointment (Ph: 94565130)

Youth Mass

2nd Sunday of the month: 5pm

<u>School Mass</u>

1st Wednesday of the month:

8am

MASS INTENTIONS

During the month of November, we remember and pray for the faithful departed of our families and friends. All Masses will be offered for the requested souls of all our faithful departed, written in The Book of Remembrance.

Note:

Mass intentions envelopes & notices for bulletin are to be submitted/emailed to the office by Wednesday 6pm.

TOTAL COLLECTION FOR THE BUILDING PROJECT AT THE END OF OCTOBER IS:

(\$ 7,528.70)

(Includes Buy-A-Brick, CD sales and Barrel collection)

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2018
31st Sunday
in
Ordinary Time

04 November

Entrance Antiphon: For sake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me! Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation!

First Reading: A reading from the book of Deuteronomy (6:2-6)

Moses said to the people: 'If you fear the Lord your God all the days of your life and if you keep all his laws and commandments which I lay on you, you will have a long life, you and your son and your grandson. 'Listen then, Israel, keep and observe what will make you prosper and give you great increase, as the Lord God of your fathers has promised you, giving you a land where milk and honey flow. 'Listen, Israel: The Lord our God is the one Lord. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength. Let these words I urge on you today be written on your heart.'

Responsorial Psalm: (Ps.125) R. I love you, Lord my strength.

- I love you, Lord, my strength, my rock, my fortress, my saviour. My God is the rock where I take refuge; my shield, my mighty help, my stronghold. The Lord is worthy of all praise: when I call I am saved from my foes. (R)
- Long life to the Lord, my rock! Praised be the God who saves me. He has given great victories to his king and shown his love for his anointed. (R)

Second Reading: A reading from the letter to the Hebrews (7:23-28)

There used to be a great number of priests under the former covenant, because death put an end to each one of them; but this one, Christ, because he remains for ever, can never lose his priesthood. It follows, then, that his power to save is utterly certain, since he is living for ever to intercede for all who come to God through him. To suit us, the ideal high priest would have to be holy, innocent and uncontaminated, beyond the influence of sinners, and raised up above the heavens; one who would not need to offer sacrifices every day, as the other high priests do for their own sins and then for those of the people, because he has done this once and for all by offering himself. The Law appoints high priests who are men subject to weakness; but the promise on oath, which came after the Law, appointed the Son who is made perfect for ever.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them. Alleluia!

Gospel: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark (12:28-34)

One of the scribes came up to Jesus and put a question to him, 'Which is the first of all the commandments? Jesus replied, 'This is the first: Listen, Israel, the Lord our God is the one Lord, and you must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all your strength. The second is this: You must love your neighbour as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these.' The scribe said to him, 'Well spoken, Master; what you have said is true: that he is one and there is no other. To love with all your heart, with all your understanding and strength and to love your neighbour as yourself, this is far more important than any holocaust or sacrifice. Jesus, seeing how wisely he had spoken said, 'You are not far from the kingdom of God.' And after that no one dared to question him any more.

<u>The Memorial Acclamation:</u> We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your resurrection until you come again.

<u>Communion Antiphon:</u> You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.

PASTORAL CORNER

In Mark's Gospel today, a Scribe confronts Jesus with a question – What is the first of all the commandments? Jesus replied, The Lord our God is the one Lord and you must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with your whole mind, and with all your strength; and the second commandment is to love your neighbour as yourself. Jesus links the two commandments, telling us that if we cannot love our neighbour then we do not love God - we cannot separate the two.

If we can concentrate on following this teaching, how simple everything becomes. In our daily life, at the beginning and end of each day, renew your intention to try and live this way.



Buy-A-Brick Campaign:

Please pick up a donation envelope from the foyer. All proceeds will fund St. Emilie building project. You also may

like to know, that you can also contribute by buying a CD from the piety stall, or putting a donation into the collection barrel in the foyer.

VINES OF ST EMILIE: Just a gentle reminder that this Tuesday 6 November is our get together from 9am for Adoration and the Rosary, followed by morning tea, activities, and lunch. Anyone not able to attend please let us know for catering purposes, for those who need transport its available on request. Phone Mary on 93932128 or Priscilla on 92563298, thank you.

<u>Piety Stall:</u> We are taking orders for the book **GOD'S**WORD 2019, a limited number of books have been ordered and should be arriving towards the end of the month, please place your orders **ASAP**. THE COLUMBAN CALENDAR 2019 is currently on sale at the Piety Stall as well as CHRISTMAS CARDS, part of the proceeds will go towards the Missions. Your support towards the Piety Stall is greatly appreciated. Please feel free to browse.

2019 Religious Education Program & Sacramental Prep**aration** for children attending Government Schools. This month we are taking enrolments for 2019 every Tuesday between 3.30pm & 5.30pm in the Hall. If your children are currently enrolled, a new form for 2019 has been prepared for you to check and sign. For children who are new to our Program, forms are available (please bring along a copy of their Baptism Certificate). Fees are \$25 per child or \$35 for two or more children with an additional fee for Sacraments. We can only take cash/cheque. All stationery/resources are supplied. Your co-operation is much appreciated as this help us pre-plan and makes sure everything runs smoothly for their first day on Tuesday, 12th February, 2019. Enquiries: Lyn Harkins 0404 325 900 or email: Iharkins@iinet.net.au

St. Emilie Charismatic Prayer Group: meet every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month in the mini school hall from 4.30pm to 6pm. For further details, contact Lloyd Rego (0456635768), Colin Santis (0420561350) or Sonia Pinto (0420841851).

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YOUTH NOTICES:

Upcoming Youth Retreats: **Embrace the Grace Who:** youth aged 16 to 25. **Where:** New Norcia. **When:** December 5th-9th. **Cost:** \$330. For more information and to register, visit "cym.com.au/ embracethegrace".

Summer School of Evangelisation

Who: 18 to 35 year olds (16/17yo teens are welcome upon approval). Where: Camp Wattle Grove. When: January 6th-13th. Cost: \$310. For more information and to register, visit "summerschool.org.au". Sponsorships can be available if you'd like help to cover costs. Please contact the youth leaders for more info regarding this.

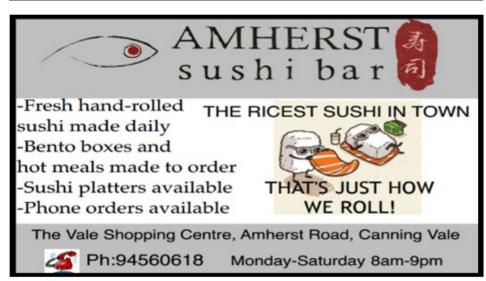
Contact info: Any queries? email us at "youthstemilies@gmail.com", or call/text Christian on 0413894535, or Lauren on 0414998043.

Hakea Prison Appeal: Dear parishioners,
I urge you to think of those in our society who are struggling in life. Our neighbouring Hakea prison is launching an appeal to neighbouring parishes to help collect toys or gift cards (nothing over \$20) for the children of the inmates. If you wish to answer to this appeal, please ensure toys or gift cards are handed to Fr. Giovanni directly or Ann-Maree Walley from the Hakea ReSet family support centre located at Hakea Prison, Nicholson Rd. Tel: 9366 6461 or email awalley@reset.org.au. Your help will be very much appreciated. *Please ensure all gifts are left unwrapped*.

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