

# St. Emilie de Vialar Catholic Church

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#### PARISH MASS & PRAYER SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass: Sat: 6.30pm Sun: 7.30am, 9.30am & 5pm Wee

Weekday Mass: Tues-Fri: 6pm Wednesday: 9am (Except 1<sup>st</sup> Wed, at 8am)

Adoration & Rosary: Tue: 9 - 10am

<u>Legion Of Mary:</u> Wed 9.30am (excluding 1<sup>st</sup> Wed, at 9am)

Entrance Antiphon: Blest be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love.

#### **<u>First Reading</u>**: A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy (4:32-34, 39-40)

Moses said to the people, 'Put this question to the ages that are past, that went before you, from the time God created man on earth: Was there ever a word so majestic, from one end of heaven to the other? Was anything ever heard? Did ever a people hear the voice of the living God speaking from the heart of the fire, as you heard it, and remain alive? Has any god ventured to take to himself one nation from the midst of another by ordeals, signs, wonders, war with mighty hand and outstretched arm, by fearsome terrors – all this that the Lord your God did for you before your eyes in Egypt? Understand this today, therefore, and take it to heart: The Lord is God indeed, in heaven above as on earth beneath, he and no other. Keep his laws and commandments as I give them to you today so that you and your children may prosper and live long in the land that the Lord your God gives you for ever.'

#### **Responsorial Psalm:** (Ps. 32)

**R.** Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own. (**R**.)

- The word of the Lord is faithful, and all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love. (*R*.)
- By his word the heavens were made, by the breath of his mouth all the stars. He spoke, and they came to be. He commanded; they sprang into being. (R.)
- The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine. (*R*.)
- Our soul is waiting for the Lord; the Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you. (R.)

#### **Second Reading:** A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans (8:14-17)

Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The spirit you received is not the spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out 'Abba, Father!' The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God. And if we are children we are heirs as well; heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Glory to the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was and who is to come. Alleluia!

#### <u>Gospel</u>: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew (28:16-20)

The eleven disciples set out for Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had arranged to meet them. When they saw him they fell down before him, though some hesitated, Jesus came up and spoke to them. He said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time.'

<u>Memorial Acclamation</u>: When we eat this bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

Communion Antiphon: Since you are children of God, God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father.

#### Pastoral Corner

We have no adequate language for God because God is beyond any single image we may have. We experience God in Jesus Christ who shares with us his experience of God as creator, redeemer and "one of intimate relationship". Our experience of this relationship is the spirit of God living in us. The last sentence of the Gospel "I will be with you always, even until the end of the world," encapsulates Jesus' role in the lives of us all. Our God is a God of relationships. The God of our experience is the God we meet in everyday life. We proclaim that we are baptised Christians every time we make the Sign of the Cross and say the words "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." Jesus tells us through the disciples to preach, baptise and teach in the name of God. The God who loves us as intimately as a parent; whose own son Jesus showed us a love so great, he died on the cross and rose again to save us from the power of sin; whose spirit fills us with God's own life and warms our hearts with the fire of God's love living within us. Like the disciples we are sent to baptise, preach, spread the Good News of Jesus, to encourage, explain and show unexpected, unasked for, love for others.



#### Reflection on the Holy Trinity

"Did anything so great ever happen before? Was it ever heard of? Did a people ever hear the voice of God speaking from the midst of fire, as you did, and live?"... "did any god venture to go and take a nation for himself from the midst of another nation ... all of which the Lord, your God, did for you in Egypt before your very eyes?"

Deut 4:32-34

Because we have been created by this God of love, and even fashioned in his own image, we, too, are called to love and find our fulfilment as human beings in our vocation to reach out beyond our-selves to commune with others.

# <u>Solemnity of Corpus Christi</u> <u>Sunday & June 2021</u>



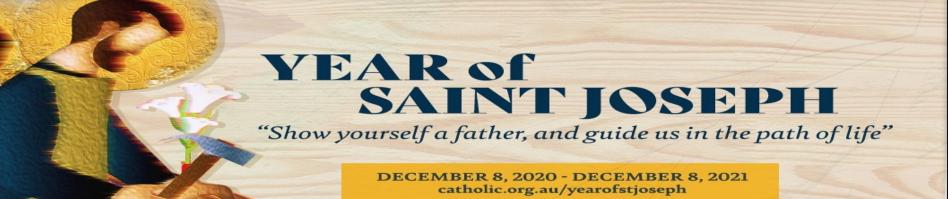
To celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of our Lord we will have a Eucharistic Procession immediately after the 9.30 am Mass on Sunday & June 2021 and conclude with Benediction. You are all welcome.

# Feast of

## St Emilie De Vialar

The Feast of St Emilie De Vialar will be celebrated on Thursday 17 June 2021 at 6.00 pm.





## Personal Advocacy Program

The Personal Advocacy Program, provides an opportunity to the people with intellectual disabilities, to expand their spiritual and personal lives through a relationship with someone from the Parish community and to be involved in parish life. A group of dedicated Volunteers have been meeting regularly every Tuesday night here at St Emilie's since the 23rd of February 2021, from 6.45pm-8pm.

There are 3 vacancies for young adults with an Intellectual disability (between ages 18-25years) who would like to join this group. If you have a family member with an intellectual disability or know a friend who may be interested in knowing more about this program, please contact your Parish Inclusion co-ordinator Sonia Pinto on 0420 841 851 or Sr. Geetha on 0406 891 310.

We are also looking for donations of items to get this group up and going. Please contact Sonia for more information. Some items we need are iPod and boom box, small lamps, colouring in books, Texta, crayons, pencils, scissors, coloured A4 sheets, sensorial items like largish rocks, shells, pebbles, Vases, large trays, sanitising products like wipes, tissues, hand sanitiser, disinfectant sprays, Knitting needles and different texture wool. Check out our website too www.paswa.org.au It is all about relationships, faith, hope, and love!

ST EMILIE'S PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM ENROLMENTS FOR 2021: A reminder to all Parish parents, who have children making either the **Sacrament of 1st Reconciliation**, 1st Holy Communion or Confirmation this year. You are required to fill out a Sacramental Enrolment Form for your child and these are now available in the church foyer for parents to enrol their children in the Sacramental Program. This applies to children at St Emilie's Primary School and children attending the Parish RE Program After School Classes.

ST EMILIE'S PARISH RE PROGRAM CLASSES: Are now running on Tuesdays from 4 - 5pm. However, we are still accepting enrolments. Bring your children on a Tuesday at 3.45pm, and we can complete their enrolment then. Class Fees apply, with extra fees for Sacraments and we can only process cash. New families enrolling need to bring a copy of their Child's Baptismal Certificate. Enquiries to Lyn Harkins at email lharkins@iinet.net.au or phone 0404325900.

# **ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING OUR CATHOLIC COMMUNITY**?

Do you know anyone who might have expressed an interest in becoming a Catholic? Are you an adult Catholic who has not yet been Confirmed? The Canning Vale Parish community will be running a Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) programme this year. If you are interested in finding out more information please contact Fr. Jean-Noël Marie or the Parish Office on 9256-9650, or email jean-noel.marie@perthcatholic.org.au

**FUND-RAISING EVENT AT ST EMILIE'S** 

The time has come for our Parish to do some fund-raising. Every family is being encouraged to take a book of raffle tickets and sell them to friends and family and to all men and women of good will. Those tickets are now available. The proceeds of this new and exciting Parish fundraiser will help finance the ongoing maintenance of our church buildings, the servicing of our outstanding loans, our ongoing running Parish expenses and our future projects. Should your family be able to sell more than one book, we encourage you to approach either **Derrick on 0409 119** <u>387 or Daryl on 0400 153 177</u> from our Parish Fund-Raising Committee as additional raffle ticket books are available. I urge all of you to wholeheartedly support this blessed Parish initiative. Thank you and God bless.

Fr Jean-Noël Marie- Parish Priest



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#### **Winter Appeal**

Winter is approaching and homeless people are in desperate need of blankets, winter jackets and sleeping bags. The Holy Spirit Choir and Street Ministry will be distributing blankets and sleeping bags to them. We would appreciate if you could donate those items in good condition. It would be very helpful for us if you could label the washed ones so that we don't have to wash them twice. For more information please contact Rebecca Kobayashi on 0432980608.



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