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| **St Kieran Parish - Osborne Park**S/K**6th Sunday of Easter (B) 5th May 2024** |

**SECOND Reading: 1 John 4:7–10**

My dear people, let us love one another since love comes from God and everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God. Anyone who fails to love can never have known God, because God is love. God's love for us was revealed when God sent into the world his only Son so that we could have life through him; this is the love I mean: not our love for God, but God's love for us when he sent his Son to be the sacrifice that takes our sins away.

**The Word of the Lord All: Thanks be to God**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION John 14:23**

**Alléluia, alléluia!**

All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them.

**Alléluia!**

**GOSPEL: John 15:9–17**

Jesus said to his disciples: 'As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you. Remain in my love. If you keep my commandments you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my own joy may be in you and your joy be complete. This is my commandment: love one another, as I have loved you. A man can have no greater love than to lay down his life for his friends. You are my friends, if you do what I command you. I shall not call you servants any more, because a servant does not know his master's business; I call you friends, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. You did not choose me, no, I chose you; and I commissioned you to go out and to bear fruit, fruit that will last; and then the Father will give you anything you ask in my name. What I command you is to love one another.'

**The Gospel of the Lord**

**All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

**First Reading: Acts 10:25–26, 34–35, 44–48**

As Peter reached the house Cornelius went out to meet him, knelt at his feet and prostrated himself. But Peter helped him up. 'Stand up', he said 'I am only a man after all!' Then Peter addressed them: 'The truth I have now come to realise' he said 'is that God does not have favourites, but that anybody of any nationality who fears God and does what is right is acceptable to him.' While Peter was still speaking the Holy Spirit came down on all the listeners. Jewish believers who had accompanied Peter were all astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit should be poured out on the pagans too, since they could hear them speaking strange languages and proclaiming the greatness of God. Peter himself then said, 'Could anyone refuse the water of baptism to these people, now they have received the Holy Spirit just as much as we have?' He then gave orders for them to be baptised in the name of Jesus Christ. Afterwards they begged him to stay on for some days.

 **The Word of the Lord All: Thanks be to God**

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM Psalm 97:1–4**

**Response: The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.**

Sing a new song to the Lord

for he has worked wonders.

His right hand and his holy arm

have brought salvation. **R.**

The Lord has made known his salvation;

has shown his justice to the nations.

He has remembered his truth and love

for the house of Israel. **R.**

All the ends of the earth have seen

the salvation of our God.

Shout to the Lord all the earth,

ring out your joy. **R.**

**LITURGY OF THE WORD**

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| PARISH SCHEDULE |
| **SATURDAY** |
| 8:00am | Mass |
| 6:30pm | Mass |
| 7:30pm | Mass (longer liturgy) |
| **SUNDAY** |
| 9:00am | Mass |
| 10:15am | Mass (Italian) |
| 11.15am | Mass (Brazilian-every 2nd Sunday) |
| **TUESDAY** |
| 7:30am | Rosary |
| 8:00am | Mass |
| **WEDNESDAY** |
| 8:00am | Mass |
| **THURSDAY** |
| 7:30am | Adoration |
| 8:00am | Mass |
| **BAPTISM** |
| 1ST & 3RD Sunday | 11:15am/During any massOr by appointment |
| **CONFESSION** |
| Saturday 8:30am & 6:30pm/ by appointment |
| **WEDDINGS & FUNERALS** |
| By appointment |
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| PARISH CONTACTS |
| Parish Priest | Fr. Wilson Donizzetti |
| Parish Co-ordinator | Judith Tresham |
| Parish Secretary | Margaret Leonard Pat Richards |
| Safeguarding Officer | Rose Arto |
| Parish Hall bookings | Judith: 0437908793 |
| PARISH OFFICE HOURS |
| Monday & Wednesday | Closed |
| Tuesday | 8.30am - 12.30pm |
| Thursday | 12.30pm – 4:00pm |
| Friday | 10.00am – 2:30pm |
| T: 0435 590 495 E: osborne.park@perthcatholic.org.au *www.stkieransosbornepark.org.au* |

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| **Mass intentions** |
| Sat | 6:30pm | Peter Lombo (1 yr) |
| 7:30pm |  |
| Sun | 9:00am | Concetta Ciffolilli 1 year |
| 10:15am | No Mass Today only  |
| 11:15am |  |
|   **Readers** |
| Sat | 6:30pm | Kathy Stewart |
| 7:30pm | Neocatechumenal Way |
| Sun | 9:00am | Anne-Marie Murray & Zoran Vukojevic  |
| 10:15am | Italian Mass |
| 11:15am | Brazilian Mass (2nd Sunday) |
| **Servers/Acolyte** |
| Sat | 6:30pm | Alicia, Bella Tessa, Chloe, Diego, Joseph***Brad*** |
| 7:30pm |  |
| Sun | 9:00am | Thineth, Clara, Grace & Mariam***Eugene & Pedro*** |
| 10:15am | ***Giovanni*** |
| Hospital | By appointment |
|  **Children’s Liturgy** |
| Sun | Linda | Isabel & Carlos |



**Thank you!**

Presbytery Account (1st Collection):

BSB: 086006 Account Num: 773741302

St Kieran Parish Account (2nd Collection):

BSB: 086006 Account Num: 670197551

Parish Fundraising account:

BSB – 086006 Account Num: 940251782

GREEK / HEBREW WORD

 Love: αγάπη Agapi/ **אהבה (ahavah**

*Agape* is God's perfect, unconditional love.

*The all-encompassing love of God for the entire human race caused him to send his son, Jesus Christ, to die and, thus, save every person who would believe in him*:

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. (John 3:16,

 A New Kind of Love

Jesus told his followers to love one another in the same sacrificial way he loved them. This command was new because it demanded a new kind of love, a love like his own: agape love.

What would be the outcome of this kind of love? People would be able to recognize them as [Jesus’ disciples](https://www.learnreligions.com/the-apostles-701217) because of their mutual love:

A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another. (John 13:34-35, ESV)

By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers. (1 John 3:16, ESV)

Jesus and the Father are so "at one" that according to Jesus, whoever loves him will be loved by the Father and by Jesus, too. The idea is that any believer who initiates this relationship of love [by showing obedience](https://www.learnreligions.com/obedience-to-god-701962), Jesus and the Father simply respond. The oneness between Jesus and his followers is a mirror of the oneness between Jesus and his heavenly Father:

Whoever has my commands and keeps them is the one who loves me. The one who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love them and show myself to them. (John 14:21, [NIV](https://www.learnreligions.com/new-international-version-niv-700664))

I in them and you in me, that they may become perfectly one, so that the world may know that you sent me and loved them even as you loved me. (John 17:23, ESV)

But anyone who does not love does not know God, for God is love. God showed how much he loved us by sending his one and only Son into the world so that we might have eternal life through him. This is real love—not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins. (1 John 4:8–10, NLT)

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| ONGOING PARISH ACTIVITIES |
| Line Dancing | Wednesdays 6:15-7:45pm$10 per person |
| Contact: Pat 0407 561 470 |

**Parish events**

**St Kieran Parish Project**

This project now includes renovation of the Kitchen in the Parish Centre. Many thanks to our Parishioners and Contributors for our Parish Project, fundraising activities will continue in 2024 to fund the renovations. For contributions to St Kieran Project, please donate to the parish Fundraising account.

**Parish Priest annual leave ending soon**

We welcome back Fr Wilson from his home visit, hope he is refreshed and energised back in the parish soon. Please pray for his safe arrival back in the parish.

**Volunteers or New Members required**

The parish fundraising team would like to have more members or volunteers joining the group. You might be the right person with ideas and energy, your contribution can make a difference to our church community, please contact Judith, Barbara or Connie for more information.

**Parish Morning Tea This Sunday after 9am Mass**.

St Kieran Parish morning tea today, in the Parish Centre. All parishioners are invited to join in for a cup of tea or coffee and catch up with fellow parishioners or welcome new members into our parish.

**Fr Oscar**

Due to his Knee Surgery, Fr Oscar mobility is limited for the next few weeks, Please Pray for his speedy recovery.

**No 8am mass for coming week.**

Communion Service will be available each morning at 8am instead of the usual morning mass during the coming week.

**Reminder of Projection Compassion Donations.**

Donation envelopes and boxes are now due for return, please put them in collection bags or hand-in to one of our acolytes or collectors

Next weekend, for **Mother’s Day** and the Feast of Our Lord’s Ascension on Sunday 12 May there will be a violin & piano recital from 3pm in the Braham Auditorium at Trinity College, East Perth. Mum and Grandmum are sure to be lifted up by an hour of heavenly music by two highly regarded classical musicians in Daniel Carney on violin & Tommy Seah on piano.  Tickets are available online for a donation to Catholic Mission in support of a refuge in Mongolia for mums and their children escaping domestic violence & homelessness. To book online visit [https://www.trybooking.com/CQFOU](https://aus01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.trybooking.com%2FCQFOU&data=05%7C02%7CCDSouza%40catholicmission.org.au%7C37bd54a57a1f4526ecfd08dc68a6176c%7Ceb5e7dd651864c2ab050aee5b79c9aa4%7C0%7C0%7C638500309825247053%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=TFCLL7%2BR7Aod%2F9E420osYIQVcHB9dYVCgzVBkyAc8Vc%3D&reserved=0). Online bookings are essential because seating is limited. If you have difficulties booking online, contact Francis on **6234 1760**.





**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

**ADMINISTRATION ASSISTANT - PERMANENT PART TIME**

**ST MARY’S CATHEDRAL (PERTH)**

St Mary’s Cathedral Perth has a vacancy for a permanent part time Administration Assistant, 1 day per week (or 2 half days): total 7.5 hours. This person will work under the supervision of the Director of Music to carry out routine clerical and administrative tasks which will assist with the smooth running of the office. A high level of confidentiality is required, together with good communication and organisational skills, and a demonstrated ability to use the Microsoft Office Suite. This position requires computer skills for the preparation of documents, use of Calendar in Outlook and filing. An ability to follow instructions and procedures as well as a positive and flexible approach and the ability to work as part of a team will be required. An understanding of Cathedral parish life and the Catholic ethos would be an advantage. Applications close by **Monday, 27 May 2024**. We reserve the right to begin shortlisting and interviews prior to the closing date. To receive the Job Description and submit your application please email: recruitment.cathedral@perthcatholic.org.au

**Catholic Archdiocese of Perth**

**Employment Opportunities**

TENANCY LAWYER (DAYDAWN ADVOCACY CENTRE) – PERMANENT, PART-TIME OR FULL-TIME (0.80 - 1.0 FTE)
Daydawn Advocacy Centre is an outreach agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Perth which seeks to assist Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples and advocate on their behalf. Services include provision of legal and social advocacy services for the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples. The Tenancy Lawyer assists by providing legal advice, advocacy and representation for Daydawn clients in relation to tenancy matters. The Tenancy Lawyer supports the Director in their role and assists them to coordinate the Tenancy Advocate Assistants and volunteers. The Tenancy Lawyer works closely with and guides the Tenancy Advocate Assistants in the legal-related tasks to provide tenancy services to clients. The successful candidate must hold an unrestricted legal Australian Practising Certificate and have knowledge of the Residential Tenancies Act WA (1987). This position requires a positive and flexible approach and the ability to work as part of a team.
To apply and for more information, refer to SEEK [Tenancy Lawyer Job in Perth WA - SEEK](https://www.seek.com.au/job/74394784)

**Applications close Thursday, 9 May 2024. We reserve the right to begin shortlisting and interviews prior to the closing date.**

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