

## Parish News

### SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION (Year 3)

Lesson 2	Monday 16 July at 6.00pm Tuesday 17 July at 3.30pm
Lesson 3	Monday 23 July at 6.00pm Tuesday 24 July at 3.30pm
Lesson 4	Monday 30 July at 6.00pm Tuesday 31 July at 3.30pm
Rehearsal 1	Monday 06 August at 6.00pm
Rehearsal 2	Monday 13 August at 6.00pm

**Celebration of the Sacrament:** Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> August at 9am Mass presided by Bishop Ken Howell

**2018 RCIA PROGRAM** has commenced on Wednesday, the 13<sup>th</sup> June.

The session will be on every Wednesday from 4 to 5 pm in the Meeting Room.

We welcome everybody who feel interested in learning more about Jesus' ways.

**The priest is the only Minister of the Eucharist.** Lay people who assist with the distribution of holy communion are therefore always called **Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, never Eucharistic Ministers.**

### Weekly Diary : 16<sup>th</sup> —21<sup>st</sup> July 2018

Monday 16 <sup>th</sup>	: 08.00 am. Mass, followed by Novena
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	: 08.00 am. Mass, followed by Eucharist Adoration. 10.30 am. Anointing Service at Tricare Bayview
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	: 09.30 am. Mass, followed by Rosary.
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup>	: 09.30 am. Mass, followed by Rosary.
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	: 09.30 am. Mass, followed by Rosary
Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup>	: 09.30 am. Mass, followed by Rosary.
Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup>	: 5.30 pm. : 16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B
Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	: 07.00 am. + 09.00 am. : 16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

The 1<sup>st</sup> Evening Sunday Mass of August will be on the 05<sup>th</sup> at 5.30 pm. : 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time B

### Mass Duty Roster : July 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> 2018

Mass Co-ordinator	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers of Communion	Servers
5.30pm Pierrette & Rino	Joelle Braun Monique Labutte	Helen Topham, Julie Dakin, Clive Broughton Rachelle Broughton, June Molloy, Joe Dorego	Mia Braun
7.00am Michael Nicholson	Danielle Carter Asha Cameron	Rose Hessen, Danielle Carter, Margaret McNamara Jackie Cameron, Michael Nicholson	Brianna & Ashley
9.00am Michael Laidler	Lynne Adamson Rose Lopez	John Lynch, Kathy Fuller, Pam Nelson Marie Roberts, Averil Dorego, Joe Dorego	Jamili Maatouk

### Last Weekend's Thanksgiving Program

Next Week's Counting Team: No. 3 (16/7/18)

1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	Piety Shop	St Anthony's
\$1124.30	\$1683.75	\$31.00	\$84.65

If we are generous in our giving, and if all of us are prepared to share the load, then together we can help our Parish to move forward. (Fr. John Khoai)



Holy Family Catholic Parish  
Runaway Bay



15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time B 15<sup>th</sup> July 2018—Issue No. 284

### Jesus Sends Out the Twelve (Mark 6:7-13)

Today's Gospel is about Jesus sending out his twelve disciples to preach repentance and to heal people of various afflictions. He "called those whom he desired..." to be his Apostles. The Greek word "Apostle" means "sent, dispatched." They were chosen, called and sent out by Jesus to continue his work, that is, to pray – which is the primary job of an apostle – and, second, to proclaim the Gospel. The Apostles lived with Jesus; they listened to his words; they shared his life, above all they were witnesses of his death and resurrection.

Every one of us who wants to be an apostle must ask ourselves: do I pray first and then proclaim the Gospel? Do I pray for the salvation of the world? Without Jesus the Church cannot exist! Jesus is the foundation of the Church! Our faith, the Church that Christ willed, is not based on an idea or a philosophy; it is based on Christ himself. It is for that fundamental experience of Christ that the Apostles were chosen and sent out by Jesus, reaching all the way to us.

The essence of the mission of the Apostles is to keep and hand on the fundamental experience of Christ. This is the presence of Jesus Christ among us. This is the beauty of the Church. Do we ever think about how important this gift that Christ gave us through the Apostles, the gift of the Church, where we can meet him? The Church on her journey through the centuries – despite the difficulties, the problems, the weaknesses, our sins – always transmits to us the authentic message of Christ. She gives us the certainty that what we believe in is really what Christ communicated to us.

What Jesus told his Apostles to do, he tells us today to "go out" and encounter others. He does not want to do so alone. He sends us. He wants our collaboration. He wants us to help him bring his sheep to his kingdom. As Christians we have been chosen to bring into the Church those who are lost or disoriented. We are all called to gather those who want a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ and show them the value of belonging to the community of the Church.

The section of the harvesting field to which God has assigned us is where we live, work, and worship. He has already put us where he needs us, and already gives us exactly what we need to do some sort of work in evangelization right now.

Are we missionaries by our words, and especially by our Christian life? Or are we Christians closed in our hearts and in our churches, sacristy Christians? Are we Christians in name only, who live like pagans? What kind of Christian am I, is my witness true? A Church that is closed in on herself and in the past, a Church that only sees the little rules of behaviour, of attitude, is a Church that betrays her own identity. Today Jesus is calling us to rediscover all the beauty and responsibility of being the Church apostolic!

(Fr. John Khoai's Reflections on the Joy of the Gospel of Pope Francis)

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Reconciliation at 4.00pm  
1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month.  
Baptism Preparation at  
7pm 1<sup>st</sup> Thurs of the month



## LITURGY OF THE LIVING WORD

### FIRST READING Amos 7:12-15 *Go, seer, and prophesy to my people.*

Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, said to Amos, "O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, earn your bread there, and prophesy there; but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king's sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom." Then Amos answered Amaziah, "I am no prophet, nor a prophet's son; but I am a herdsman, and a dresser of sycamore trees, and the Lord took me from following the flock, and the Lord said to me, 'Go, prophesy to my people Israel.'"

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM Ps 85:8ab+9, 10-11, 12-13 R./** Lord, show us your mercy and love, and grant us your salvation.

Let me hear what God the Lord will speak, for he will speak peace to his people. Surely his salvation is at hand for those who fear him, that his glory may dwell in our land. **R.**

Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet; righteousness and peace will kiss each other. Faithfulness will spring up from the ground, and righteousness will look down from the sky. **R.**

The Lord will give what is good, and our land will yield its increase. Righteousness will go before him, and will make a path for his steps. **R.**

### SECOND READING Ephesians 1:3-14 *God chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world.*

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places. Before the foundation of the world God chose us in Christ to be holy and blameless before him in love. God destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of God's will, this is for the praise of his glorious grace that God freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. In Christ we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight God has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in Christ, things in heaven and things on earth. In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of God who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit. This is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION See Ephesians 1:17-18** Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called. Alleluia!

### GOSPEL Mark 6:7-13 *Jesus called the twelve and sent them out two by two.*

Jesus called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. Jesus said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them."

So the twelve went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Ps 83:4-5** The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young; by the altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, for ever singing your praise.



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## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK AND DECEASED

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Billie Roberts, Albert Chandler

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Kate Topham, Patrick Lawton

**SICK LIST:** Aaron Murphy, Cheryl Carter, Courtney Blount, Claire Mallon, Eileen O'Connor, Reginald Cox, Simon Stretton, Philomena McAloon, Margaret Kwong, Letty O'Sullivan, Tony Collett, Val Wolfenden, Ben Cebuliak, Marilyn Rodgers, Frank Hewitt, Anthony Donellan, Dolores Kilian, Robert Duff, Mary Ann Boeheme, John Nekvapal, Rita Ryan, Maureen Currie, Harry Hunter, Margaret Wiersma, Madeline Hodgetts, Erin Mehmet, Nancy Kelly, Tamara Toms, Baby Charlie Shirran, Bernie Pack, Elizabeth Norris, Stephen Deshaies, Patricia Ryder, Ken Hannam, Kelly Blount, Gail Callaghan, Pistang Retute, Vanessa Pritchard, Carol Johnston

**PRAYER:** O Lord Jesus Christ, rest your weary ones, bless your dying ones, soothe your suffering ones, pity your afflicted ones, shield your joyous ones, and all for your love's sake. Amen. (St Augustine)

We are seeking donations of rosary beads and small bottles suitable for holy water. These will be made available to our team of Extraordinary Ministers to the sick in Nursing or private homes as some residents may not have access to them. Please leave your donations at the Parish Office or if you require further information, please contact the Parish Secretary. Your donation is greatly appreciated.

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