

FROM FATHER JEEVAN

Women in the Bible!

1. Be a **SARAH**; age doesn't matter, trust and believe. All is possible with God.
2. Be a **REBEKAH**; never forget that true beauty lies within, draw your man closer to God through character.
3. Be an **ESTHER**, bold and courageous enough to stand for the truth, to voice your opinion and fight for the good of others, even when it means to sacrifice yourself. If God has put you in a position, it is a purpose. Never be afraid to heed to the inner voice.
4. Be a **RUTH**; loyal in all your relationships, walk the extra mile and don't quit when things get tough. Someday, you'll see why it was all worth the effort.
5. Be a **LYDIA**; let your homes be open, let your hands be generous, let your hearts be big enough to help anyone in need. Joy is greatest when shared.
6. Be a **HANNAH**; never cease to Pray. It will never be in vain.
7. Be a **DORCAS**; use your talents, however small it may seem to bring a smile on someone's face. You'll never know how much it can mean to someone.
8. Be an **ABIGAIL**; remember how each decision can turn your life around for good or bad. Be wise.
9. Be a **Mary Magdalene**; never let your mistakes and judgements of other people stop you from experiencing true joy in Jesus.
10. Be an **ELIZABETH**, never what God can do. Miracles do happen.
11. Lastly, be a **MARY**; humble and submissive. You don't have to be great for God to use you, you just need to obey.

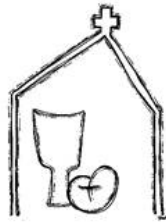
Sacramental Program

Parishioners, if you would like to enrol your child in the Parish Sacramental Program to receive the sacraments of **First Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Eucharist** please contact me or the parish office before the end of term 3.

We are already nearing capacity for 2019, so please act now to not be waiting another year.

Natalie Bampton—Parish REC

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The Daily Gospel 2019

Is now available in a slim pocket-sized edition at \$6.00 per copy. It contains the Gospel reading for the weekday Masses from January to December and all 3 readings for the Sunday Masses. After each reading, a short reflection is offered to assist personal prayer. To order copies, please contact Sr. Liz Tham, email: liztham7@gmail.com or mobile: 0400 389585. Sr. Liz will be at Tranmere on the weekend 22nd/23rd September.

Social Justice Sunday – 30th September

We celebrate Social Justice Sunday on 30th September. This year the Australian Bishops' Social Justice Statement is titled: '*A Place to Call Home: Making a home for everyone in our land.*' The Statement challenges us all to confront Australia's growing rate of homelessness and unaffordable housing. For further details about the Social Justice Statement, visit the Australian Catholic Social Justice Council website (www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au) or call (02) 8306 3499.

CANDELARBRA CLEANING

Our volunteer team of 3 candelabra cleaners has been reduced to 2 due to ill health. They have a roster, so it would only be every 3 weeks and would take no longer than an hour of your time. Can you help restore the team to 3? If you can let one of the Parish Team know and we will put you in touch with the other 2 volunteers.

Child Protection Sunday 9th September 2018



NAPCAN
PREVENT CHILD ABUSE & NEGLECT

Child Protection Sunday provides us with an opportunity to celebrate the presence of children and young people in our Archdiocese and our parishes as we continue to encourage our community to be a safe environment for all. This year's theme for National Child Protection Week is 'Stronger Communities, Safe Children.' As an Archdiocese, we believe that children and young people have the right to be safe, happy and healthy. This is our shared

responsibility – to be a community committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of our children and young people.

Recycle—Reuse—Repurpose Become an Ethical Shopper

With its Ethical Fashion Guide and Ethical Electronics Guide, Baptist World Aid have graded fashion and electronic brands, and assessed the systems used to protect workers in supply chains from exploitation, forced labour and child labour.

Learn more at: www.behindthebarcode.org.au

When we had our Soup Day, we sent some people home with round containers of soup. If you have one can you please return it to the office so it can be used again. Thank you.

Diary Dates (You can also find these on the Parish website. Just Google stjosephsparishtranmere)

September Catholic Charities Appeal Month

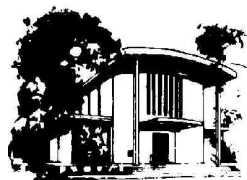
Fri 14th Sept Confirmations at 7:00 pm
Sat 15th Sept First Eucharist
Sunday 16th Sept First Eucharist
Monday 17th Sept CWL Meeting 1:30 pm
Thurs 20th Sept Confirmations at 7:00 pm
Sat 22nd Sept First Eucharist
Sunday 23rd Sept First Eucharist
Wed 26th Sept Parish Pastoral Council 7:30 pm
Sunday 30th Sept Social Justice Sunday

October Rosary Month
Sunday 11th Nov 100th Anniversary of the end of World War 1

Sunday Mass Times:
 Saturday: 6.30pm
 Sunday: 9.30am

Confession:
 Saturday 6—6.20pm

Weekday Masses:
 Tuesday: 9.15am
 Thursday: 9.15am
 Friday: 9.15am



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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B 8th/9th September 2018

Hymns:
Entrance: Amazing Grace
Offertory: Do No Be Afraid
Communion: This Blessing Cup
Recessional: Bring Forth The Kingdom

1st Reading: Isaiah 35: 4-7

Responsorial Psalm:

R: Praise the Lord, my soul!

It is the Lord who keeps faith for ever,
 who is just to those who are oppressed.
 It is he who give bread to the hungry,
 the Lord, who sets prisoners free. **R:**

It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind,
 who raises up those who are bowed down,
 the Lord who loves the just,
 the Lord, who protects the stranger. **R:**

The Lord upholds the widow and orphan,
 but thwarts the path of the wicked.
 The Lord will reign for ever,
 Zion's God, from age to age. **R:**

2nd Reading: James 2: 1-5

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus preached the Good News of the kingdom
 and healed all who were sick.

Alleluia!

Gospel: Mark 7:31-37

Prayer after Communion

Lord, your word and your sacrament give us food and life.
 May this gift of your Son lead us to share his life for ever.

Rosters for: 15th/16th September - 24th Sunday Ordinary Time

	Comm/Reader Min of Communion	
6:30pm	Paula Ciancio	Scott Marsh
	Fil Ciancio	Bev Eichner
9:30am	J Page	M Battistella
	S Mazzarolo	F Mazzarolo
	S Beltrame	T Yeow
		C Boyle
		C Lobo

Children's Liturgy : First Eucharist

Count Team No: 4 Bridgette & Paul Barrett
 Julie & Leo Priem

Altar:

Liturgy: Sue

**ALL THOSE WHO VOLUNTEERED PLEASE ARRIVE AT LEAST
 15 MINUTES BEFORE THE START TIME AND REPORT TO THE
 COMMENTATOR FOR THAT MASS.**

Please remember in your prayers

All those who have died recently : Rosetta Bello

And we remember in our prayers: Maria & Rino Mazzarolo, Arcongelio & Elvira Boin, Angelina Beltrame, Pinetta Rebellato, Aldo De Savi , Enilde Battistella, Crista Popvic, Zoran Culic, Aileen Beard, Eileen Hogben

We also ask you to pray for the sick in the Parish: Brian Deegan, Victoria Muscat, Eileen Ryan, Maria Cannata, Giovanna Borg, Carol Galbraith, Ada Docimo, Elvira Ricci
This list may be added to during the coming month and will be reviewed on the last Friday in the month.

The Pope's Twitter Feed @Pontifex

September 5th: Carry peace with you to give it to others with your life, with a smile, with works of charity. Saint Mother Teresa, pray for us!



MORNING TEA THIS SUNDAY

If you are able to, please join us after 9:30 am Mass on Sunday.

Our First Aid Kit is located in the Sacristy, look for the white cross on a green background on the cupboard.



Parish Priest
 Fr. Anthoni Adimai
 Assistant Priest
 Fr. Michael Odiwa
 Assistant Priest
 Fr. Jeevan Gabriel

Deacon
 Dcn Remo Patroni
 Parish Co-ordinator
 Stephanie Roach
 RE Co-ordinator
 Natalie Bampton (Mon)

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 9am—1pm)

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