RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 116

R. Go out to all the world and tell the Good News.

- 1. O praise the Lord, all you nations, acclaim him all you peoples! R.
- 2. Strong is his love for us; he is faithful for ever. R.

SECOND READING

Heb 12: 5-7, 11-13

The Lord disciplines those he loves.

Have you forgotten that encouraging text in which you are addressed as sons? My son, when the Lord corrects you, do not treat it lightly; but do not get discouraged when he reprimands you. For the Lord trains the ones that he loves and he punishes all those that he acknowledges as his sons. Suffering is part of your training; God is treating you as his sons. Has there ever been any son whose father did not train him? Of course, any punishment is most painful at the time, and far from pleasant; but later, in those on whom it has been used, it bears fruit in peace and goodness. So hold up your limp arms and steady your trembling knees and smooth out the path you tread; then the injured limb will not be wrenched, it will grow strong again.

The Word of the Lord.



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

1110N

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the way, the truth, and the life, says the Lord; no one comes to the Father, except through me.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL READING:

Lk 13: 22-30

cf Jn 14: 6

From East and West they will come to take their place in the kingdom of God.

Through towns and villages Jesus went teaching, making his way to Jerusalem. Someone said to him, 'Sir, will there be only a few saved?' He said to them, 'Try your best to enter by the narrow door, because, I tell you, many will try to enter and will not succeed.

'Once the master of the house has got up and locked the door, you may find yourself knocking on the door, saying, "Lord, open to us" but he will answer, "I do not know where you come from." Then you will find yourself saying, "We once ate and drank in your company; you taught in our streets" but he will reply, "I do not know where you come from. Away from me, all you wicked men!"

'Then there will be weeping and grinding of teeth, when you see Abraham and Isaac and Jacob and all the prophets in the kingdom of God, and yourselves turned outside. And men from the east and west, from north and south, will come to take their places at the feast in the kingdom of God.

'Yes, there are those now last who will be first, and those now first who will be last.'

PARISH MEMBERSHIP FORMS

New Parishioners

We warmly welcome you!

Please fill out our Scarborough Parish Membership

Form located in the foyer area of the church.

Existing Parishioners

We invite exising members to also complete this form so we can update our parish records.

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SCARBOROUGH PARISH BULLETIN

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TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

24 August 2025

Parish Priest:

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Office Hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday 9.30am - 3.00pm

Postal Address:

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Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday 5.00pm Sunday 7.30am & 9.30am

Weekday Mass Times:

Tuesday - Friday 9.00am

Reconciliation:

Friday 9.30am – 10.00am Saturday 4.30pm – 5.00pm Or by appointment

Baptisms & Weddings:

By appointment

Weekday Rosary Times:

Tuesday - Thursday 8.30am Friday 9.30am (during Holy Hour)

Adoration & Benediction:

Every Friday 9.30am - 10.30am

Parish Morning Tea:

First & Third Sunday of the month after 9.30am Mass. ALL WELCOME

Craft Group:

Tuesday 5.00pm - 6.00pm



FIRST READING:

Is 66: 18-21

They will gather all of your people from all nations.

The Lord says this: I am coming to gather the nations of every language. They shall come to witness my glory. I will give them a sign and send some of their survivors to the nations: to Tarshish, Put, Lud, Moshech, Rosh, Tubal, and Javan, to the distant islands that have never heard of me or seen my glory. They will proclaim my glory to the nations. As an offering to the Lord they will bring all your brothers, on horses, in chariots, in litters, on mules, on dromedaries, from all the nations to my holy mountain in Jerusalem, says the Lord, like Israelites bringing oblations in clean vessels to the Temple of the Lord. And of some of them I will make priests and Levites, says the Lord.

The Word of the Lord.





AUGUST

- **25 Saint Louis** (1214 1270)
- **26 Blessed Dominic Barberi** (1792 1849)
- **27 Saint Monica** (331 387)
- **28 Saint Augustine of Hippo** (354 430)
- 29 The Passion of Saint John the Baptist
- **30** Saint Margaret Clitherow (1556 1586)
- **31 Saint Aidan** (651)





~ 29 August ~

23 & 24 August				
Mass Times	Acolytes	Readers	Greeters	
Saturday 5.00pm	Alex Harsanyi	Michael Duffy Carol Young	Michael Duffy	
Sunday 7.30am	Peter Jack	Carol Newton Mary Bizzaca	Mary Bizzaca	
Sunday 9.30am	Romano Sala-Tenna	Catherine Bell Annalisa Riolo	Seb Burns	

30 & 31 August				
Mass Times	Acolytes	Readers	Greeters	
Saturday 5.00pm	Alex Harsanyi	Matthew Box Luisa Box	Sue Burke	
Sunday 7.30am	Dino Mascione	Sr Edith Fran McDermott	Annette Morey	
Sunday 9.30am	David Somers	St John's Primary Teachers	Hennie Ronchi	

NEWS & EVENTS

PARISH MORNING TEA

Please join us for morning tea on the **First and Third Sundays after the 9.30am Mass.**Please bring a plate to share.

PARISH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

All parishioners are invited to attend the Parish AGM to be held on Sunday, 28th September after the 9.30am Mass in the Parish Centre. For further information, please contact the parish office.

WILL

Please consider remembering our parish in your will or estate plans. Your gift, no matter the size, helps ensure that our Church can continue its mission for generations to come. Suggested wording to include in your will is as follows: "I give and bequeath the sum of [Insert Amount in Words] Dollars (\$[Insert Amount in Figures]) to the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Parish, located at 104 Scarborough Beach Road, Scarborough, Western Australia for its general purposes. I declare that the receipt of the Parish Priest or other duly authorised officer for the time being of the Parish will be a full and sufficient discharge to my Executor(s)."

THE ST VINCENT DE PAUL WINTER APPEAL

Our Scarborough/City Beach SVDP conference are currently running our Winter Appeal to help those in need especially given the cold and wet winter we have been experiencing. **Donation envelopes** are in the pews and at the back of the church or you can donate by calling 13 18 12 or online at vinnies.org.au.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR RUNNING SUNDAY MORNING TEAS

We are short of people to help run the Sunday Teas after 9:30am Mass. If you are able to assist, even occasionally, we would be most grateful for your support. Many hands make light work. Please could you contact the parish office if you are able to be on the roster.

SCHOOL MASS - WEDNESDAY 27TH AUGUST 9.00AM

St John's Primary will be celebrating Mass at 9am this Wednesday. All are welcome to join.

CONFIRMATION - PARENT CHILD WORKSHOP- TUESDAY 26 AUGUST 5PM

A reminder to all parents whose children are preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at the end of the month, the Confirmation Parent Child Workshop is taking place at St John's Primary this Tuesday at 5pm in the Learning Hub. Please remember this is a **mandatory** workshop.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION - SUNDAY 31 AUGUST 9.30AM

Sunday, 31 August at the 9.30am Mass, students will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please keep these children in your prayers at this special time.

CATHOLIC SINGLES ARCADE NIGHT (20-35 YRS)

Join Perth Catholic Singles for a fun night of arcade games with other Catholics from around Perth! Thursday, **18th Sept 2025 at 6:30pm.** Whether you're a dance-battle pro or just in it for the air hockey, this event is a great opportunity to meet like-minded people and enjoy some friendly competition in a relaxed, social setting. For tickets and more information, https://perthcatholicsingles.eventbrite.com

Venue: Varsity Cannington (1525 Albany Highway Beckenham, WA 6107)

PILGRIMAGE TO THE DIVINE MERCY SHRINE

The Knights of the Southern Cross invite you to join them for a Pilgrimage to the Divine Mercy Shrine, Lower Chittering, taking place on Sunday, **31 August** 2025. This special event includes a visit to St. John Paul II Church in Banksia Grove, which has been designated a Place of Pilgrimage by the Archdiocese of Perth for the 2025 Jubilee Year. Pilgrims may choose to travel via our bus pilgrimage. Alternatively, self-drive instructions will be provided to all who register via the event site. For full details and registration, please visit:

https://go.kscwa.au/pilgrimage-31aug2025

PARISH WEBSITE PHOTO PAGE

Have you taken any great photos at recent parish events or special sacramental celebrations? We'd love to showcase them on our Parish website to highlight the vibrant and faith-filled life of our community! Please send through any photos you'd like to share to the parish email address.