



SCARBOROUGH PARISH BULLETIN

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THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT - YEAR A

1 March 2026

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Fr. Christian Irdi

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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:

Gen 2: 7-9, 3:1-7

The call of Abraham, the father of God's people.

The Lord said to Abram, 'Leave your country, your family and your father's house, for the land I will show you. I will make you a great nation; I will bless you and make your name so famous that it will be used as a blessing.

'I will bless those who bless you:

I will curse those who slight you.

All the tribes of the earth

shall bless themselves by you.'

So Abram went as the Lord told him.

The Word of the Lord.





Saints OF THE WEEK



MARCH

- 02 Saint Chad** (- 672)

- 03 Saint Katharine Drexel** (1858 - 1955)

- 04 Saint Casimir** (1458 - 1484)

- 05 Saint Kieran** (c.530)

- 06 Saint Kyneburgha** (- c.680)

- 07 Saints Perpetua and Felicity** (- 203)

- 08 Saint John of God** (1495 - 1550)



Saint Chad

St Katharine Drexel

Saint Casimir

Saint Kieran

Saint Kyneburgha

Sts Perpetua & Felicity

Saint John of God

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

Monday 02 March:

Reading: Dan 9: 4-10
 Psalm: 78: 8-9, 11, 13
 Gospel: Lk 6: 36-38

Tuesday 03 March:

Reading: Is 1: 10, 16-20
 Psalm: 49: 8-9, 16-17, 21, 23
 Gospel: Mt 23: 1-12

Wednesday 04 March:

Reading: Jer 18: 18-20
 Psalm: 30: 5-6, 14-16
 Gospel: Mt 20: 17-28

Thursday 05 March:

Reading: Jer 17: 5-10
 Psalm: 1: 1-4, 6
 Gospel: Lk 16: 19-31

Friday 06 March:

Reading: Gen 37: 3-4, 12-13, 17-28
 Psalm: 104: 16-21
 Gospel: Mt 21: 33-43, 45-46

Saturday 07 March:

Reading: Micah 7: 14-15, 18-20
 Psalm: 102: 1-4, 9-12
 Gospel: Lk 15: 1-3, 11-32



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday during
 Lent at 7.00pm

28 February & 1 March

Mass Times	Acolytes	Readers	Greeters
Saturday 5.00pm	Peter Jack	Luisa Box Matthew Box	Clodagh Manifold
Sunday 7.30am	Dino Mascione	Iris Potter Fran McDermott	Colleen Wiborg
Sunday 9.30am	John Hibble	Philip Makarios Annalisa Riolo	Seb Burns

7 & 8 March

Mass Times	Acolytes	Readers	Greeters
Saturday 5.00pm	Alex Harsanyi	Rosalie Cobai Anne Cobai	Michael Duffy
Sunday 7.30am	Tony Hague-Smith	Mary Bizzaca Julie Van Os	Annette Morey
Sunday 9.30am	Peter Jack	Veronica Lally Gabriel Vorster	John Hibble

NEWS & EVENTS

CATHOLIC SINGLES NIGHT MARKET (20-35 YRS) - SAT 7TH MARCH

Join us on **Sat 7th March at 5.00pm** for an outing to the Subi Night Markets with other Catholic young adults from around Perth! This relaxed evening is a great opportunity to meet like-minded people, enjoy some light social games, and soak up the lively atmosphere in a friendly, low-pressure setting. For tickets & info <https://perthcatholicsingles.eventbrite.com>

Venue: Subi Night Market (Edenderry Terrace Subiaco, WA 6008)

24:7 YOUTH MINISTRY OSBORNE PARK YOUTH GROUP

The 24:7 Youth Ministry invite all youth from grades 6-12 to join them **every Friday night** from 7.30 - 9.30pm at 67 Howe Street, Osborne Park, for fun and fellowship.

PROJECT COMPASSION - LAUNCH

Please take home a Project Compassion box or a set of donation envelopes to support Caritas Australia this Lenten season and help support vulnerable people around the world. With your support, Caritas Australia has been able to support vulnerable communities around the world to tackle poverty, food security, education, water and sanitation and disaster risk reduction to build a better future for all. Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow ***For All Future Generations***. You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes available from the foyer or by visiting caritas.org.au/project-compassion.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross will be held **every Friday during Lent at 7.00pm**.

THE ROSARY

Join us to pray the Rosary, **Tuesdays - Thursdays at 8.30am** followed by Mass at 9.00am, and on **Friday's at 9.30am** during Holy Hour.

SAFETY REMINDER

We kindly remind all parishioners to avoid leaving your valuables in plain sight in your car during Mass. There have been some incidents of theft recently. Please secure your belongings and lock your car to help prevent further occurrences.

PARKING FOR MASS

We kindly ask that all parishioners park **only** in designated parking spaces even when parking on parish property. Thank you for your cooperation and consideration.

FUNERAL FOR JOHN FEATHERSTONE

The Funeral Mass for parishioner John Featherstone, will take place on **Tuesday 3rd March at 10.30am** at the Parish. All are welcome to join us. The **Rosary** will be said for him on **Monday 2nd March at 7.00pm**.

HEALING MASS - WED 18TH MARCH

There will be a healing Mass here at the parish on **Wednesday, 18th March**. The evening will begin at **6.30pm** with the Rosary and with Adoration & Benediction, **Mass at 7pm**, and **healing prayers at 7.45pm**. There will be the opportunity to be prayed over individually for healing. Confessions will be available during the evening. Come along to this evening of grace and healing!

IHMP MEN'S GROUP - LAUNCH

We are excited to announce the launch of our Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Men's Group. If you are interested in finding out more about this group, join them for a **BBQ on Sat 7th March at 6.30pm at the Parish Hall**. For more details about the BBQ or to **RSVP**, please email the parish office by **Thursday 5th March** for catering purposes.

SCHOOL MASS - WEDNESDAY 4TH MARCH AT 9.00AM

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

CHANT THE MASS - EMMA SPADACCINI

Join music director Emma Spadaccini for an introductory **workshop** on the chants used for Mass. This second workshop will focus on music for the season of Lent. Learn the basics of reading chant and how to properly participate with the singing of antiphons, Mass parts, chant hymns, and the seasonal Marian antiphons. Held at **Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church** in Scarborough on **Tuesday March 17th**, starting at **7pm**. There will be refreshments in the hall following the workshop. People of all ages are welcome. Children must be accompanied by an adult. This workshop is free of charge, however donations to support our music ministry are appreciated.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 32: 4-5, 18-20, 22

R. Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

1. 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.**
2. 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.**
3. 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

2 Tim 1: 8-10

God has saved us, and called us to be holy.

With me, bear the hardships for the sake of the Good News, relying on the power of God who has saved us and called us to be holy - not because of anything we ourselves have done but for his own purpose and by his own grace. This grace had already been granted to us, in Christ Jesus, before the beginning of time, but it has only been revealed by the Appearing of our saviour Christ Jesus. He abolished death, and he has proclaimed life and immortality through the Good News.

The Word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

cf Mt 17: 5

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard: this is my beloved Son, hear him.

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!



GOSPEL READING:

Mt 17: 1-9

His face shone like the sun.

Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain where they could be alone. There in their presence he was transfigured; his face shone like the sun and his clothes became as white as the light. Suddenly Moses and Elijah appeared to them; they were talking with him. Then Peter spoke to Jesus. 'Lord,' he said 'it is wonderful for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah.' He was still speaking when suddenly a bright cloud covered them with shadow, and from the cloud there came a voice which said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved; he enjoys my favour. Listen to him'. When they heard this, the disciples fell on their faces, overcome with fear. But Jesus came up and touched them. 'Stand up,' he said 'do not be afraid.' And when they raised their eyes they saw no one but only Jesus.

As they came down from the mountain Jesus gave them this order. 'Tell no one about the vision until the Son of Man has risen from the dead.'

The Gospel of the Lord.



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 existing members to also complete this form so we can update our parish records.