



# SCARBOROUGH PARISH BULLETIN

**IMMACULATE HEART  
OF MARY PARISH**  
SCARBOROUGH

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**FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - YEAR A**

**26 April 2026**

**Parish Priest:**

Fr. Christian Irdi

**Parish Secretary:**

Sarah McNeill

**Office Hours:**

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday  
9.30am - 3.00pm

**Postal Address:**

PO Box 156, Scarborough WA 6922

**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.



**FIRST READING:**

Acts 2: 14, 36-41

**God has made Jesus both Lord and Christ.**

On the day of Pentecost Peter stood up with the eleven and addressed the crowd with a loud voice: 'The whole House of Israel can be certain that God has made this Jesus whom you crucified both Lord and Christ.'

Hearing this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the apostles, 'What must we do, brothers?' 'You must repent,' Peter answered 'and every one of you must be baptised in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. The promise that was made is for you and your children, and for all those who are far away, for all those whom the Lord our God will call to himself.' He spoke to them for a long time using many arguments, and he urged them, 'Save yourselves from this perverse generation.' They were convinced by his arguments, and they accepted what he said and were baptised. That very day about three thousand were added to their number.

**The Word of the Lord.**



# Saints OF THE WEEK



## APRIL & MAY

**27** Saint Louis Mary Grignon de Montfort (1673 - 1716)

**28** Saint Peter Chanel (1803 - 1841)

**29** Saint Catherine of Siena (1347 - 1380)

**30** Saint Marie of the Incarnation (1599 - 1672)

**01** Saint Joseph the Worker

**02** Saint Athanasius (295 - 373)

**03** Saints Philip and James, Apostles



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Saints Philip and James, Apostles

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

#### Monday 27 April:

Reading: Acts 11: 1-18  
Psalm: 41: 2-3, 42:3-4  
Gospel: Jn 10: 11-18

#### Tuesday 28 April:

Reading: Acts 11: 19-26  
Psalm: 86: 1-7  
Gospel: Jn 10: 22-30

#### Wednesday 29 April:

Reading: Acts 12: 24 - 13:5  
Psalm: 66: 2-3, 5-6, 8  
Gospel: Jn 12: 44-50

#### Thursday 30 April:

Reading: Acts 13: 13-25  
Psalm: 88: 2-3, 21-22, 25, 27  
Gospel: Jn 13: 16-20

#### Friday 1 May:

Reading: Acts 13: 26-33  
Psalm: 2: 6-11  
Gospel: Jn 14: 1-6

#### Saturday 2 May:

Reading: Acts 13: 44-52  
Psalm: 97: 1-4  
Gospel: Jn 14: 7-14



Do you know of anyone needing short-term emergency care?

Please contact our Immaculate Heart Care Project Coordinator  
Mary Bizzaca on 0400 003 024

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#### 25 & 26 April

Mass Times	Acolytes	Readers	Greeters
<b>Saturday 7.00pm</b>	Alex Harsanyi	Anne Cobai Rosalie Cobai	Sue Burke
<b>Sunday 7.30am</b>	Tony Hague-Smith	Mary Bizzaca Fran McDermott	Colleen Wiborg
<b>Sunday 9.30am</b>	Phil McGann	Martin Vorster Gabriel Vorster	John Hibble

#### 2 & 3 May

Mass Times	Acolytes	Readers	Greeters
<b>Saturday 5.00pm</b>	Alex Harsanyi	Elizabeth Stone Justine Howard	Susan Ford
<b>Sunday 7.30am</b>	Romano Sala-Tenna	Carol Newton Julie Van Os	Mary Bizzaca
<b>Sunday 9.30am</b>	Peter Jack	Phillipe Cassian John Hibble	Larry Hibble

# NEWS & EVENTS

## 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.

## ADORATION

Join us for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction **every Friday 9.30am - 10.30am** in the Church.

## CYM YOUNG ADULTS BALL

Calling all young adults aged 18–30 years! You are invited to the CYM Young Adults Ball on **Saturday, 9 May**, 6:00pm – 11:30pm at Moore & Moore, 46 Henry Street, Fremantle WA. Ticket sales close: 17 April 2026 at 5:00pm. See the poster at the back of the church for more details.

## 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.

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES— ARCHDIOCESE OF PERTH

The Catholic Archdiocese of Perth has employment opportunities. For details refer to <https://www.perthcatholic.org.au/Employment.htm>.

## GODLY WOMEN WITH FAITH CONSECRATION MASS 2026

The 33-Day Online Preparation for Total Consecration to Jesus Through Mary, according to St. Louis Marie de Montfort, is a personal devotion that helps individuals spiritually prepare to consecrate themselves to Jesus through Mary. Commencing Monday 27 April, participants will receive a daily email for 33 days containing reflections and prayers to guide their preparation. On the final **Friday, 29 May**, participants will have the opportunity to attend a **Consecration Mass at Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish**, where the consecration will be led by Fr Christian Irđi, followed by Holy Hour, Reconciliation and Benediction. To register: [godlywomenwithfaith.com/events/consecration/](http://godlywomenwithfaith.com/events/consecration/)

## WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS—SUNDAY 26 APRIL

This day provides a unique opportunity to pray for the gift of vocations within the Church. As Pope Francis wrote in his message for World Day of Prayer for Vocations earlier this year; *“Every vocation, once perceived in the depths of the heart, gives rise to an impulse to love and service, as an expression of hope and charity .... Vocation and hope go together in God’s plan for the happiness of each man and woman, all of whom are called by name to give their lives for others.”*

## SEMINARY OPEN DAY—COME & SEE

Are you wondering about your calling in life? Have you ever thought about the Priesthood? Want to know more about seminary life? Take part in the **St Charles Seminary Open Day** on **Sunday, 3rd May 2026! St Charles Seminary 9:30 AM – 2:30 PM**. Mass, Brunch & Seminary tour, Holy Hour & Benediction. Come and see where God may be leading you. Men 18+ are invited to attend. Register now: Contact [vocations@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:vocations@perthcatholic.org.au)

## IMMACULATE HEART YOUNG ADULTS WOMEN’S GROUP

We are excited to host our next event for the IHYA Women’s Group for women in our parish between the ages 18–35. Our upcoming event will be held on the **2nd May, 2:30–4:30pm**, featuring an embroidery afternoon. Join us for a relaxed time of creativity, connection, and meeting other young women. Events will be held monthly. Please bring a \$5 donation for supplies. EFT is accepted.

## Y1 & y2 CLASS MASS - WEDNESDAY 29TH APRIL AT 9.00AM

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

## PARISH CENSUS

The Catholic Church around Australia is conducting a weekend Mass census on the **first four weekends of May** - starting next weekend. As you enter the Church next weekend, the greeter will add you to the count; however, no names or other details will be recorded.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 22: 1-6

**R. The Lord is my shepherd;  
there is nothing I shall want.**

1. The Lord is my shepherd;  
there is nothing I shall want.  
Fresh and green are the pastures  
where he gives me repose.  
Near restful waters he leads me,  
to revive my drooping spirit. **R.**
2. He guides me along the right path;  
he is true to his name.  
If I should walk in the valley of darkness  
no evil would I fear.  
You are there with your crook and your staff;  
with these you give me comfort. **R.**
3. You have prepared a banquet for me  
in the sight of my foes.  
My head you have anointed with oil;  
my cup is overflowing. **R.**
4. Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me  
all the days of my life.  
In the Lord's own house shall I dwell  
for ever and ever. **R.**

## SECOND READING

1 Pet 2: 20-25

**You had gone astray but now you have  
come back to the shepherd and guardian  
of your souls.**

The merit, in the sight of God, is in bearing punishment patiently when you are punished after doing your duty.

This, in fact, is what you were called to do, because Christ suffered for you and left an example for you to follow the way he took. He had not done anything wrong, and there had been no perjury in his mouth. He was insulted and did not retaliate with insults; when he was tortured he made no threats but he put his trust in the righteous judge. He was bearing our faults in his own body on the cross, so that we might die to our faults and live for holiness; through his wounds you have been healed. You had gone astray like sheep but now you have come back to the shepherd and guardian of your souls.

**The Word of the Lord.**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

cf Jn 10: 14

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;  
I know my sheep, and mine know me.

**Alleluia!**

## GOSPEL READING:

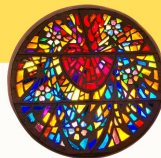
Jn 10: 1-10

**I am the gate of the sheepfold.**

Jesus said: 'I tell you most solemnly, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold through the gate, but gets in some other way is a thief and brigand. The one who enters through the gate is the shepherd of the flock; the gatekeeper lets him in, the sheep hear his voice, one by one he calls his own sheep and leads them out. When he has brought out his flock, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow because they know his voice. They never follow a stranger but run away from him: they do not recognise the voice of strangers.'

Jesus told them this parable but they failed to understand what he meant by telling it to them. So Jesus spoke to them again: 'I tell you most solemnly, I am the gate of the sheepfold. All others who have come are thieves and brigands; but the sheep took no notice of them. I am the gate. Anyone who enters through me will be safe: he will go freely in and out and be sure of finding pasture. The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I have come so that they may have life and have it to the full.'

**The Gospel of the Lord.**



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