



Gracious God, You have blessed this ancient land with many gifts, especially its people.

We thank you for the Year of Grace, a time to start afresh from Christ. You invite us to contemplate the face of Jesus your Son, that we may experience a new wave of grace, and that the light of Christ may burn more brightly in our lives.

Attune our hearts and minds to the presence of your Holy Spirit, that our Church may be transformed, our relationships be healed, and our nation grow in compassion and justice.

With the intercession of St Mary MacKillop, who showed us new ways of living the Gospel, we make our prayer through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Mary, Help of Christians, pray for us.

(Prayer composed by the National Planning Team and endorsed by the Bishop's Working Party, the following is the official prayer for A Year of Grace.)

To all those interested to know further about the Year of Grace, you can log on to their webpage: **www.yearofgrace.catholic.org.au**

The Gloria

*Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of
good will. We praise you, we
bless you, we adore you,
we glorify you, we give you
thanks for your great glory, Lord
God, heavenly king, O God, al-
mighty Father.*

*Lord Jesus Christ, only begotten
Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son
of the Father, you take away the
sins of the world, have mercy on
us; You take away the sins of the
world; receive our prayer;
You are seated at the right hand
of the Father, have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
You alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
With the Holy Spirit in the glory of
God the Father.
Amen.*

The Apostles' Creed

*I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son,
our Lord, **(All bow)**
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the
dead; he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God
the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the
living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.
Amen.*

PARISH PRAYER INTENTIONS

Thank you for Praying for us...

General Intentions:

Aileen Gardiner, Sue Dillon, Robyn Swindells, Jane, Kate, Rod, Helen, Matt and Sara.

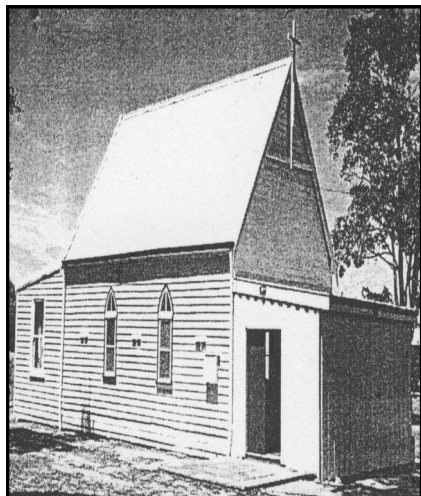
Repose of the Souls of Owen Depiazzi, Frank Dwyer, Jhune, Olga, Les, David, Betty Piacentini and all the poor souls in Purgatory.



Church Alive Parish Representatives:

We are happy to have three Church Alive Representatives this year. They are **Tammy Clift** and **Jan Prowse** for the *Baptismal Preparation Ministry*, **Peter Prinsloo** for the *Parish Liturgy Team and Groups*. Church Alive Program prepares our representatives for the specific ministry in our parish so that they will have the skills and support for the service they will render the community. We pray that they will be guided by the Holy Spirit in this endeavour.

ST LOUIS CATHOLIC CHURCH CENTENARY CELEBRATION Boyanup, WA



We are happy to announce that we now have a committee for the Centenary celebration of Boyanup Church this coming 9th of February 2013. Planning of activities and the Pontifical mass will be discussed as the group meets some-time this month. We would like to ask those who have old photos of their family in Boyanup church to lend us their photos for the exhibit as part of the program. Remember, we are all in this together and as a parish, we will celebrate this wonderful gift of faith from God to our community. Thank you and God bless!

The Lord's Prayer

The Lord's Prayer serves as the pattern for all Christian prayer. It holds a creative tension:

- God, who is in heaven, with the image of God as father,
- the need for our daily bread now while working and praying for the kingdom to come,
- the practical response to the experience of divine forgiveness in forgiving those who trespass against us, and finally
- the hope that in the face of despair and meaninglessness we will remain steadfast in our faith until the end of our life.

- From *Hearing God's Call*, Session 21, Catholic Enquiry Centre

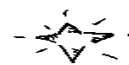
DO YOU WANT YOUR BABY BAPTISED?

Dardanup/Boyanup Catholic Church has formed a new ministry in the parish that will cater for the Baptismal Preparations necessary for your Infant Baptism. Please phone the parish office on 9728 1145 so that we can have your contact details and to organise someone from the group to visit you and to assist you in your preparations. This will be the new process of Infant Baptism in our parish community from now on. Thank you for your cooperation.

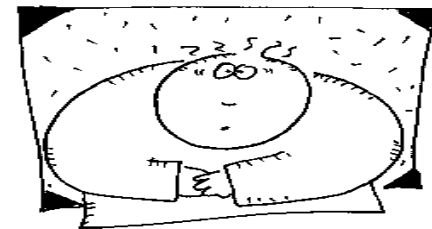
Quote

Shortly after his election as Supreme Pontiff, Pope Benedict XVI commented:

"We were looking for a 'good shepherd' – and instead we got a German shepherd."

DEAR God 
When I am stressing
give me your
blessing.

Amen



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults 2012-2013

We are now on the process of organising the new RCIA group for the year 2012-2013. We are inviting all those who are interested to know about the Catholic Faith through RCIA to attend the initial meeting on the **9th of May, 9.30 AM**. It will be after the morning mass. Morning tea will be offered during the meeting in the Retreat house. Another meeting will be held in the evening, **6.45 pm–8.00 pm**, for those who cannot make the morning session. Hope to see you there!

PARISH PRESBYTERY APPEAL

Thank you to everyone that has responded to the appeal to raise funds for the presbytery. **To date we have raised \$19, 400.00 which is well on the way to our target of \$22,000.** Donations can be made out to the "Dardanup Presbytery Appeal" and placed in the weekend collection baskets or can be passed on to Fr Nick, Danny Harris or Ward Italiano.

NOTICES

1. The New Sunday Missals are now available at the Cathedral Gift Shop in Bunbury at a cost of \$39.95. You can phone the shop at 97 918813. For all those who pre-ordered the new book, you can get them in the parish office together with your full payment.
2. The Rotary Club of Bunbury will conduct its annual "Give a Damn, Give a Can" appeal over the next couple of weeks. This project involves the collection of cans of food suitable for use by organizations distributing food to people in need. Our parish youth group, with the assistance of Our Lady of Lourdes, will assist the project in the Dardanup area by collecting cans of food from Dardanup residents and from school families. The official collection day is Sunday May 6th. There will be a collection box in the school office and in the foyer of the church, and members of the parish youth group will ensure that any cans left in the classrooms are delivered to the collection box. Thank you for your generosity in advance.
3. Dardanup Parish Banking last weekend, 21st/22nd April is \$670.75. Thank you very much for your continued support.
4. Boyanup Centenary Committee meeting on the 13th of May immediately after mass—10.30AM. We will begin the planning stage of our preparations.