

As we come and worship, we remember the wurundjeri people, the original custodians of this land

**FIRST READING** Acts 2:1-11

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak different languages.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

**SALMO RESPONSORIALE**

Manda il tuo Spirito, Signore, a rinnovare la terra.

**SECOND READING** Corinthians 12:3-7. 12-13

In the one Spirit we were all baptised, making one body.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful; and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Alleluia!

**CANTO AL VANGELO**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Vieni, Santo Spirito, riempi i cuori dei tuoi fedeli e accendi in essi il fuoco del tuo amore. Alleluia!

**GOSPEL** John 20: 19-23

As the Father sent me, so I send you: Receive the Holy Spirit.

**THANKS TO THOSE WHO GAVE LAST WEEK**

1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	- Thanksgiving Offering.....	\$623.00
	- Loose Money.....	\$277.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	- Presbytery.....	\$343.00

**LECTORS - THIS WEEK 12/06/2011**

6.00pm (SAT) – D Pullicino  
9.00am (SUN) – R Pino & L Cavedon  
10.30am (SUN) – S Brima & E Thompson

**SPECIAL MINISTERS**

E Saliba  
T Forte, L Calafiore & G Moltisanti  
S Miano, S Estelita & L Greco

**LECTORS - NEXT WEEK 19/06/2011**

6.00pm (SAT) - G Canavan  
9.00am (SUN) – S LoBartolo & A DiRico  
10.30am (SUN) -Sr T Fitzsimmons & Sr Estelita

**SPECIAL MINISTERS**

E Saliba  
F Pascuzzi, G Tempone & C Alberti  
J Iaria, M Mizzi & S Dakin

**CHURCH CLEANERS**

18/06/2011 L Catena, F Agugiari & R Nyour

**MONEY COUNTERS**

13//06/2011 J & J Kearney, E & K Bartlett & C McMahon  
20/06/2011 A Sinopoli, L Cavedon, F Nardoza & R Comito

**YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR THE FOLLOWING**

**RECENTLY DECEASED**

Vincenzo SINAPI, Salvatore ANDRIULI (d.rec. Italy),

**ANNIVERSARIES**

Francesco BARBUTO (1 yr), Francesco VACIRCA, Vincenzo & Rosa LO BARTOLO, Giovanni & Rosa LAZZARA, Maria Michelina SOCCIO, Franco, Nicola & Antonio SOCCIO, Angela DI CARLA, Lucia PARADISO, Nicola GIAMPIETRO, Salvatore, Domenico & Elisabetta MANCUSO, Felice TARANTO

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**SUNDAY MASS TIMES:**

Sat 6.00pm - English  
Sun. 9.00am - Italian  
Sun. 10.30am - English

Fr Emmanuel Bonello–Parish Priest  
Sr Estelita Manabo-Pastoral Associate  
Mr Peter Chowne -School Principal  
Mrs Liz Pistoni – Parish Secretary

**WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:**

Mon. 9.10am Comm. Service  
Tue. 10.00am Italian  
Wed. 9.10am - English  
Thur. 9.10am - English  
Fri. 9.10am - English  
Sat. 8.30am - English

Maltese Mass

1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the Month 6.00pm

Baptisms – Sunday 12.00pm  
Marriages - By Appointment



Reconciliation: Sat. 10.30am

Pentecost, Year A

12 June 2011

## The Seven Gifts

St Thomas Aquinas states that the first four gifts of the Holy Spirit namely *Wisdom, knowledge Understanding* and *Counsel* are directed towards strengthening the intellect, while the other three: *Fortitude, Piety* and *Fear of the Lord* are directed to strengthening the will. Then just to make things clearer or more complicated depending on your capacity to keep up, *Counsel* is sometimes called “Right Judgment” and *Fortitude* is also called “Courage” while *Piety* is called “Devotion” and *Fear of the Lord* is also called “Wonder and Awe”, which is supposed to help you understand them a little better. We are told to *ardently* (lovely old word) pray for these gifts because they are just that, *Gifts!* You cannot buy them for love or money, although love does seem to have a purchase on them, so to speak, “like a dry weary land without water” as Psalm 62 indicates. So ardently and longingly praying for them seems to be the best bet. However, how can you pray for them if you can’t remember them. Some wise psychologist, indeed a very wise teacher of wise things, stated that you cannot remember more than seven things at once. You see immediately why Moses, a very sagacious old man, only wanted two commandments and not ten, so God not be outdone burned out a list for him on two solid rock tablets. So therein lies a lesson: If you have more than seven things to do make a list. Lists are good. Lists are very good. God did not need a list when he made the universe simply because he did not go beyond seven days. Well in fact he did not go beyond six days and he used the seventh day to check it all over to make sure it was good and sure enough it was good. Now notice that there are only seven gifts of the Holy Spirit so the Holy Spirit is also very quick. Indeed, in old English from the German He is said to *quicken* (make alive, make lively) I guess one way of remembering the gifts of the Holy Spirit would be to learn off a mnemonic (Memory key) like: (Wisdom Knows and Understand, that good Counsel gives Courage to Pious, fearful hearts).

**PRAYER FOR THE GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**

O Lord Jesus Christ who, before ascending into heaven, did promise to send the Holy Spirit to finish your work in the souls of your apostles and disciples, deign to grant the same Holy Spirit to me, that He may perfect in my soul the work of your grace and your love. Grant me the *Spirit of Wisdom*, that I may despise the perishable things of this world and aspire only after the things that are eternal; the *Spirit of Understanding*, to enlighten my mind with the light of your divine truth; the *Spirit of Counsel*, that I may ever choose the surest way of pleasing God and gaining heaven; the *Spirit of Fortitude*, that I may bear my cross with you and that I may overcome with courage all the obstacles that oppose my salvation; the *Spirit of Knowledge*, the science of the Saints; the Spirit of Piety, that I may find the service of God sweet and amiable; the *Spirit of Fear*, that I may be filled with a loving reverence towards God and may dread in any way to displease him. Mark me, dear Lord, with the sign of your true disciples and animate me in all things with your Spirit. Amen.

# FESTA DI SANT'ANTONIO

Domenica 12 Giugno 2011

## Programma:

**9.00am** Santa Messa in Italiano cantata.

**2.00pm** Inni e preghiere in onore a S. Antonio.

**2.30pm** Santa Messa Celebrata da **Fr Delmar Silva CS.**

Concelebranti: Rev. E. Bonello e Rev. P. Giuseppe Yu.

Messa cantata dal coro Frulan sotto la guida di Pietro Canil.

La processione sara' accompagnata dalla Banda Musicale Bellini.

Rientro in Chiesa per la Benedizione con il S.S. Sacramento.

Dopo la funzione religiosa ci sara' la distribuzione del pane benedetto.

Le Associazioni che desiderano partecipare sono invitate di portare i loro standardi

Segue in sala, concerto con la Nota Banda Bellini.



**PORCHETTA TIPO ABRUZZESE E PANINI INBOTTITI IN VENDITA  
DALLE 11.00AM IN POI NELLA SALA PARROCCHIALE.**

## FUNERAL

The Rosary for Vincenzo Sinapi will be recited on Tuesday 14 June at 1.00pm, followed by Funeral Mass.

## CUPPA



There will be a cuppa in the Narthex after the 10.30am Mass next weekend. Please stop and enjoy the hospitality of the parish and meet some fellow parishioners.

## ROSTER

The new roster for the various ministries is now available. Please collect your copy of the roster from the Mass co-ordinators after Mass.

## ARCHBISHOP'S PENTECOST LETTER FOR YOUTH 2011

Archbishop Denis Hart has issued his Pentecost Pastoral Letter for Youth 2011 called "*Planted and built up in Jesus Christ – Firm in the Faith (Col 2:7)*". Please take a copy at the doors of the church.

## FEAST

Monday 13 June – St Anthony of Padua

## OLD HALL CHAIRS FOR SALE

Anyone interested in purchasing old hall chairs in good condition at \$5 each. Please contact parish office on 9460 3013.

## *New Translation of the Mass*

*12 June 2011*

### **New Translation of the Mass**

#### **The Introductory Rites: The Gloria & Opening Prayer**

This perhaps contains the most changes of all the parts spoken by the people. The new translation is truer to the Latin, some of which was left out in the earlier translations for simplicity's sake.

However the Gloria reflects the various ways we approach God - *we praise, we bless, we adore, we thank, we glorify.* The present text shortened this and so limited how we approach God.

This ancient prayer is best sung.

PRESENT TEXT	NEW TEXT
Glory to God in the Highest	Glory to God in the highest, and
And peace to his people on earth	<b>on earth peace to people of good will.</b>
Lord God, heavenly king,	<b>We praise you, we bless you, we adore you,</b>
Almighty God and Father	<b>we glorify you,</b> we give you thanks <b>for your great glory,</b>
We worship you	Lord God, heavenly King,
We give you thanks	<b>O God, almighty Father.</b>
We praise you for your glory.	Lord Jesus Christ, <b>Only Begotten Son,</b>
	Lord God, Lamb of God,
	<b>Son of the Father,</b>
	you take away the <b>sins</b> of the world,
	have mercy on us;
Lord Jesus Christ, only son of the Father,	<b>you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;</b>
Lord God, Lamb of God,	you are seated at the right hand of the Father, <b>have mercy on us.</b>
you take away the sins of the world 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,
You are seated at the right hand of the Father, receive our prayer.	in the glory of God the Father. Amen.
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 Opening Prayer is now called the 'Collect'. The priest invites us all to pray. In the time of quiet that follows we silently name our own intentions which are then "collected" up in the prayer prayed on behalf of all by the priest, which, although a single sentence, is rich with scriptural allusions and can be quite complex.