



The Parishes Of St Mary's Merredin and St Joseph's Kellerberrin

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21ST SUNDAY IN OT

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24 AUGUST 2025

Merredin celebrations during the week:

Monday: No Mass
Tuesday: No Mass
Wednesday: No Mass
Thursday: No Mass
Friday: No Mass
Saturday: 6.30pm
Sunday: 10.30am

Kellerberrin: Sunday 8:00 am Mass

****Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick available on request****

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Friday at St Mary's Church, Merredin from 2.30pm to 3.30pm.

Sat. Holy Half Hour-Rosary
6:00 to 6:30 pm

Reconciliation : 6pm Saturday

CHURCH ROSTER:

23/24 AUGUST 2025

30/31 AUGUST 2025

	Saturday 6.30pm	Sunday 10.30 am	Saturday 6:30pm	Sunday 10:30 am
Readers:	H. Giles	G. Dizon	J. Patroni	L. Jefferies
Collection:				
Offertory:	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Church Cleaners:				
Sacristy	L. Discenza		V. Musca	
Altar Servers:	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers

Special Ministers: T. Cutri; Y. Gray; P. Jackson; J. Jefferys; L. Jefferys; D. Pettit; P. Riethmuller.

"Faith is to believe what you do not yet see; the reward for this faith is to see what you believe."

(St Augustine of Hippo) This quote highlights the importance of faith in the face of uncertainty and the ultimate reward of seeing one's beliefs realized.

Pilgrimage to Vietnam

From the 13th to 24th November 2025 come to Vietnam including Saigon, Hanoi, Danang, Hue etc and lovely Catholic Churches & Shrines to Our Lady. We will go on a cruise in Ha Long Bay where lunch will be served on board. We will also visit the Long Tan Cross site of the Battle in 1966 in which Australia was involved. Experience the deep Catholic faith of the Vietnamese people. People of all faiths or none are welcome.

MONSIGNOR MICHAEL KEATING will be our priest on the Pilgrimage.

Full board cost including all most meals, 4* hotel accommodation & airfares (international & domestic) is \$4000 per person twin share.

For the itinerary and booking form, please call us **Anawim Journeys** on 6118 7313 or 0402 290 827 (Veronica) or 0433 771 979 (Sheila)

You can also email us on
mail@anawimjourneys.com

JOIN US FOR THE
ST MARY'S SCHOOL FETE

SATURDAY
18TH OCTOBER 2025
9.30AM-1PM

FREE ENTRY

SOUTH AVENUE, MERREDIN

*FACE PAINTING
*WINE WHEEL *MYSTERY BAGS
*SECOND HAND STALLS
*LOLLY BAGS
*LIVE ENTERTAINMENT
*SLUSHY STALL
*SIDESHOW GAMES *ICE CREAM
*BISCUIT DECORATING,
*SILENT AUCTION *BALL DROP
*TRAIN RIDES
*FRESH CUT FLOWERS
*PLANTS AND MORE!!

PLEASE JOIN THE ST MARY'S FETE EVENT ON FACEBOOK TO
KEEP UP TO DATE WITH EVERYTHING FOR THIS EVENT.

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 6:00pm – 6:20 pm
or on request prior to Sunday mass
Saturday - 6:00pm Angelus then the Rosary

PARISH NOTICES

Mon	25	St Louis, St Joseph Calasanz
Tue	26	Our Lady of Czestochowa, St Caeraius of Arles
Wed	27	St Monica
Thu	28	St Augustine of Hippo
Fri	29	The Beheading of St John the Baptist
Sat	30	St Margaret Clitherow, St Anne Line, St Margaret Ward



Welcome

Today, we welcome Steve Klomp from the Right to Life Association of WA. Steve will be speaking at all Masses and we will be placing a plaque proclaiming the "sanctity of human life."

Right to Life Association of WA

The Right to Life Association of Western Australia has been defending life, from conception to its natural end, for more than fifty years. We have many programmes including our 40 Days for Life prayer vigil, our pro-life churches campaign and our Euthanasia Prevention Kit. If you would like to help the Right to Life Association of WA please ring Steve Klomp on 0417184789



Funeral Mass for Elizabeth Lane

Wednesday 3rd September at 10.30am at St Pius Church, 23 Paterson St, Manning.
Thursday 4th September at 1.30pm at St Mary's Church, Merredin.

Centenary Celebration 2026 Committee

Next year 2026 Merredin will be celebrating the centenary (100 Years) of the parish. We are looking for a committee to organise the celebration. Please register at the foyer to be part of this committee.

Centenary Celebration 2026 Meeting

There will be a preliminary meeting for the planning of the centenary celebrations on Tuesday 9 September at 7.00pm at the presbytery.

Merredin Churches' Fraternal - United in Prayer

United in Prayer will be held on Thursday 28th August at the Church of Christ, 17 Throssell Rd

First Holy Communion

The children receiving the sacrament of Holy Communion for the first time will be celebrated on the 14th of September at the 10.30am Mass. Please keep them: Ava Webb, Sage O'Malley and Sienna Andersoni n your prayers as they prepare for the sacrament, .



Please Note: Planned Giving Direct Debit - CDF/NAB Parish Account details for anyone wanting to support the parish through Direct Debit are as follows;

1st Collection (Fr Philip) – BSB 086 006 Acc. 73115 8848 The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth
2nd Collection Merredin Parish Contribution – BSB 086 006 Acc. 84040 9343 The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth CDF
St Mary's Parish
2nd Collection Kellerberrin Parish Contribution – BSB 086 006 Acc. 75189 3225 The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth
CDF St Joseph's Parish

(Please include your name on direct debit deposits—eg 2nd Coll-Smith) Thank you for your generosity and support.