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TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN OT **A/2** **06 SEPTEMBER 2026**

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Kellerberrin: Sunday 8:00 am Mass

Southern Cross: Sunday 5.30 pm Mass ; Monday 9:00 AM Mass

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

Reconciliation : 6pm Saturday

CHURCH ROSTER: 5/6 SEPTEMBER 2026			12/13 SEPTEMBER 2026	
	Saturday 6.30 pm	Sunday 10.30 am	Saturday 6:30 pm	Sunday 10:30 am
Readers:	C. Meagher	Z. O'Malley	P. Riethmuller	
Offertory:	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	School Children
Church Cleaners:				1st Holy Communion Mass
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A Warm Greeting to All Parishioners

Dear Parishioners of Merredin, Kellerberrin and Southern Cross,

After my first weekend with you in our three parish communities, I would like to express my heartfelt thanks for the warm welcome you have given me.

It is a great joy and privilege to begin my ministry among you as Administrator of the Parishes of Merredin, Kellerberrin and Southern Cross.

As this is my first parish appointment and my first experience of serving in a country parish, I arrived with excitement, some nervousness and, above all, an open heart. Your kindness, generosity, smiles and words of encouragement have already made me feel very welcome.

Over the weekend, I was grateful for the opportunity to celebrate Mass with you, meet many of you, and begin to discover the unique character of our parish communities. I look forward to listening, learning and becoming part of your stories and traditions.

I am not here simply to serve as your Administrator, but to journey with you in faith—to pray with you, celebrate the sacraments, share in your joys and challenges, and grow together as one family in Christ.

I look forward to discovering the beauty of life in the country and getting to know the wonderful people who make these communities so special. I ask for your patience as I find my feet, and I hope you will feel comfortable approaching me and sharing your stories.

As we begin this new chapter together, I ask for your prayers, support and patience. Please know that you and your families will remain in my prayers.

I am deeply grateful to God for bringing me to you. I look forward to the friendships, blessings and many shared moments that lie ahead.

Thank you once again for your warm welcome. May God bless you, your families and our parish communities, and may He guide us as we grow together in faith and love.

With every blessing and prayer,

Fr Paul Huynh
Parish Administrator

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

PARISH NOTICES

Feast days for the week

Tue 8 The Birthday Of The Blessed Virgin Mary

Wed 9 St Peter Claver

Sat 12 The Most Holy Name Of Mary



Happy Father's Day to All Fathers in Our Parish!

On this special Father's Day, we warmly celebrate and congratulate all the fathers in our parish. We thank God for the gift of your love, sacrifice, guidance, and strength as you care for your families and bear witness to faith, compassion, and love.

May Almighty God bless you abundantly, grant you wisdom, patience, good health, and lasting joy, and strengthen you in your vocation as fathers.

May St Joseph, the loving father and protector of Jesus, intercede for all fathers and inspire you to lead your families with faith, humility, courage, and love.

Wishing you all a truly blessed and joyful Father's Day!



We joyfully announce that four of our parish children - **Halle Crees, Annabel Johnston, Jessica Nguyen, and Tessa O'Neill** - will receive their First Holy Communion at the **10:30 AM Sunday Mass on 13 September 2026.**

As they prepare to receive Jesus in the Eucharist for the first time, we invite our parish community to keep **Halle, Annabel, Jessica, and Tessa** in your prayers.

May this special day be filled with joy and grace, and may their First Holy Communion mark the beginning of a lifelong and loving relationship with Jesus.

Congratulations, Halle, Annabel, Jessica, and Tessa! May God bless you abundantly as you celebrate this beautiful milestone in your faith journey.

The **Majellan** group will meet on Wednesday, 9 September at 7:00 PM at Grace Alvaro's house. **Address:** 5 Cowan Way, Merredin.