Dear friends,

This weekend we celebrate the **twenty-eighth Sunday in ordinary time**. Today’s readings are about the banquet of life that we are all invited to participate in. The Isaiah reading calls it ‘a banquet of fine wines, of food rich and juicy’, and the Psalm has the lines ‘You have prepared a banquet for me in the sight of my foes’, while the Gospel speaks of a King who gave a wedding banquet for his son’s wedding. The banquet concept suggests a future experience which will be wonderful, where we shall exult and rejoice in God’s love for us. This is perfectly encapsulated in the Acclamation: ‘May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our heart that we might see how great is the hope to which we are called’.

This weekend we will have some speakers who will speak of the inspiration behind our parish, Fr Jules Chevalier and his **spirituality of the heart**. His anniversary occurs around this time (October 21), and next Sunday (October 22) we will have an afternoon (2.00pm to 4.00pm) in the Hall here at Henley, with some talks about this spirituality of the heart which underpins all we do here at Henley Beach parish. Everyone is invited.

We are getting closer to the **Menalive weekend**, which will take place at Star of the Sea (entrance opposite the Church) on Saturday October 28 (8.30am to 8.30pm) and Sunday morning (from 8.30am). Please register ASAP via the Parish Office or the priests at weekend Masses. We need a certain number of attendees before the weekend can go ahead.

**Brother Krish’s ordination** takes place here in just under three weekend’s time. If you are wanting to join in the **celebratory meal** after the Ordination on Friday November 3, then please book in by writing your names down on the sheet on the back table (we have 114 parishioners coming to date). Also, if you are coming to the **First Mass** on Sunday 5th at the normal Mass time of 9.30am, would you be so kind as to bring along a plate to goodies to share.

This weekend we have only one **hand-out**.

It comes from “The Tablet” and is about the separatist move of Catalonia, one of the great regions of Spain – “On a cliff edge in Catalonia”. Blessings, your brother in the Lord,

John

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**Men Alive Weekend—Please Book ASAP**

To be held on the weekend of 28th/29th Oct at the Marine Discovery Centre Cost $50, brochures and info are on the back tables of the Church. Please book ASAP.

**Marriage Law Postal Survey**  The Marriage Law Postal Survey forms have now been sent to all registered voters in Australia. It is important that Catholics be engaged in this democratic process. If you have not already done so please fill in your survey form and return it by post to the ABS by the end of October.

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**PARISH MASS TIMES**

- **Mass Times**: Saturday Vigil 6pm, Sunday 9.30am & 5.30pm (during 9.30am Mass—Liturgy of the Word for Children)
- **WEEKDAY MASS TIMES**
  - **Mondays**: 7am Mass & 9pm Candlelight Mass
  - **Tues**: 9am Mass  **Wed**: 7am Mass  **Fri**: 9am Mass  **Sat**: 9am Mass
  - **Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion**
  - **7am**— Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays
  - **Morning Prayer 6:40am**

**Reconciliation**: Saturday: 9.30am and other times by appointment

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**What does it mean to be “people of heart”?**

Please join us in celebrating the 110th anniversary of our MSC founder, Jules Chevalier. Both the Adelaide MSC parishes of Hindmarsh and Henley are invited to gather together to share a cuppa, some friendship and a chat. We will have the chance to reflect together on whether the MSC charism is still as relevant today as Chevalier envisaged it in his day. We will look at how we have benefitted from his influence and been inspired by his spirituality.

**Join us from 2-4pm, Sunday, 22 Oct in the Henley Beach Parish Hall**
Please Pray For……

Legacies Bequeathed: Max Matthew, Win Foster, Fr Chris Kean msc & family, Lorraine Moroney, Robin Forwood, John William Moore, Mick Shanahan, Audrey Fowler, McMahon Family.
Deceased: John & Mary Matthew, Rex, Bruce & Cath Curtin, Dawn Kerin, Michelle & Rene, Catarina Cirillo, Michael Daniels., Pasquale & Maria Carlini, Terry Haydon, Isabel Satur, Andrew Maple, Robin Forward, Justin O’Leary, Pale Fran Selita, Daine Selita,
We pray for those sick in our Parish and for our sick relatives and friends: Kevin Kerin Vinka & Jaksa Vitalic, Di McCarthy, Margaret Billing, Mary Flynn, Simon Harnett, Fr John Rate, Fr Frank Perry, Betty Bravington, Betty Hill, Rhonda Seymour, Ron Hinds, Joan Still Vinka Butorovic, Michael Phillips, Barbara, Bev Fitzgerald, Joan McDonald, These names remain for one month only unless we are informed otherwise. For privacy reasons, permission is required before their name can be placed in the bulletin.

Cuppas after 9.30am Mass
We invite everyone to stop for a cuppa & chat after Mass each week. It’s a great way for parishioners to welcome someone new. If you notice someone new or someone standing alone, please show some Henley hospitality and introduce yourself. You may like to bring a plate of food to share and assist our hosts.
Rostered today: Dean & Mary Kitschke
Rostered next week: 22 Oct Volunteer req.
Please advise office if you can do

Planned Giving Renewal 2017
If you have forgotten to complete or return your pledge card, they can be dropped in the boxes on the back tables, or delivered to the Parish Office. We thank everyone who has committed so far, your generosity has been outstanding and very much appreciated.

Ordination News
Br Krish Ordination Fri Nov 3, 7pm
Thanksgiving Mass Sun Nov 5, 9.30am
We have sheets on the back tables asking you to record expressions of interest for billeting or transport for interstate or overseas visitors. Once numbers of attendees are known, we will contact you to finalise.

Advance notice : HELP NEEDED
People needed to assist with these important ministries for Br Krish’s Ordination.
CAR PARKING ATTENDANTS -11 required.
USHERS/HOSTS 10 required. Sign up sheets will be on the back tables on the weekend 21st/22nd October.
A Mandatory meeting to be held Wed. Nov 1st 5pm Car park people — 6pm Ushers

Altar Server Training
Any child, 8yrs or over, interested in becoming an Altar Server at weekend Masses is invited to attend an initial 30 minute training session to be held immediately after 9.30am Mass on Sunday this weekend. Contact office for further info.

Blokkes Luncheon
Alberton Hotel Fri 20th Oct, 12.30pm. Guest speaker Janet Weir retired teacher. Her talk will encompass how a stroke can effect the person having the stroke, the aftermath and the people around them. She will explore risk factors and how they can be reduced. More information on the notice board. Bookings John/Jan Conley 83513970, john.conley@bigpond.com or Don/Margaret Crichton, nothcirc@tpg.com.au

CWL
Members are reminded next Meeting is Monday 23rd Oct. We are hosting the Regional Meeting, starting with Mass 11am. Lunch and meeting to follow. Love to see many members attend.

St Vincent de Paul—note change of date
Reminder next meeting 30 Oct, Conf. Room 7.30pm
Mary Mackillop Fund Raising Garden Party in support of Museum Redevelopment Project Sun 29th Oct 2-5pm, , St Josephs Convent Gardens. Afternoon Tea will be served. Entertainment & Fundraising Events throughout the afternoon. Adults $5, child $10. See notice board for full details.

Can You Help? Volunteers Required
We are seeking volunteers to help on the 2018 rosters, assisting with
 the preparation of the Prayer of the Faithful
9.30am Cuppa Roster
 Baptism Preparation
If interested in assisting in any of the above, please contact the parish office during office hours. We would be very grateful, thank you.
For our wonderful volunteers currently on the 2017 rosters, please notify us if you are happy to continue
Please note: A current Catholic Police Clearance is required. The office can assist with this if you don’t currently have one.

Knit & Natter Group
Will resume this Thursday 19th Oct. Come and join us for a bit of knitting and a cuppa and a chat 10am—12 noon in the Parish Hall.

Holy Spirit Pilgrimage
To Holy Land and Holy Places in Italy (17days) $5,555 3rd-19th Sept 2018 Optional extension to Egypt & Jordan . Spiritual Directors Fr Emmanuel-tv & Fr Jude CSSP. Please see notice board for more info

Golden Jubilee of the Episcopal Ordination of Archbishop Leonard Faulkner
All invited to the Mass of Celebration and Thanksgiving. This will be held on Wednesday Nov 1st at 12.10pm at St Francis Xavier’s Cathedral. Please RSVP by Oct 20 , ph 8210 8106

5 Day Silent Retreat for Women
Monday 16 Oct 7.30pm—Sun 22 9am at Sevenhill, Centre of Ignatian Spirituality Booking and Enq, to Lotola CIS or Judy 0408636994 /Anne 0417882345 See notice board for more details

Next Sunday is World Mission Day
Appeal. Blue Buckets will be out. Thank you for your generosity

Children’s Christmas Eve Mass
—yes it’s that time ……almost!
Planning is about to begin for this popular Mass. If you think you would like to be involved in the planning, there is a meeting to be held in the parish conference room on Tuesday Oct 31 at 7.30pm All welcome

Ministry Rosters for all Masses
If you are unable to fulfil your ministry could you please arrange a swap or ask someone from the emergency list

Please arrive early for your ministry
Rostered next week —October 22nd (week 4)

6pm—
Setting Up – Maria Nowak
Musicians/CD Operators— Catherine /Trevor
Coordinator—David/Daniel Magadia
Lectors—Tracey & Fergus
Ministers of Communion— Bobbie, Mary, Liz, Elizabeth, Chris, Maria (if rqd)

9.30am
Setting Up— Haley & Kevin
Musicians - Volunteers Required
Coordinator– Kelly
Lectors— Brian & Bruno/Hannah
Ministers of Communion— Susie, Tonina, Shirley, Barbara, Ann, Roberto, Maria

5.30pm—
Setting Up– Lucia
Musicians/ CD Operators— Tim
Coordinator— Sandi/Cheryl
Lectors– Andrew M & Lucia
Ministers of Communion— Paula, Elizabeth, Cathy, Olivia, Rob, Rossana

Please arrive early for your ministries and let the Coordinator know.
Coordinators, please ensure you arrive at least 15minutes before Mass ensuring ministers are here and enable Mass to start on time.

Gospel Reflections on back tables.
Noticeboard items— please take a look
We are unable to fit them all in the bulletin.

Office Girls Oracles
Chocolate
is the answer,
Who cares what the question is.