



**St John the Baptist Catholic Church-The Mother Church of Perth**

A warm welcome to our Church. Countless Catholics and visitors have crossed the threshold of this holy place, sensing the presence of God and filling it with prayer and contemplation. Rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, our mission is to glorify God by our lives.

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**Sunday 05<sup>th</sup> February 2023-05<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time -Year A**

Refreshments in the hall after 11am Mass

Responsorial Psalm: The good man is a light in the darkness for the upright.

Holy Mass

**Monday 06<sup>th</sup> February-St Paul Miki & Companions-6pm**

**Tuesday 07<sup>th</sup>**

1.30pm-Funeral Mass for Ronald Stewart

& 7pm

**Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament & Confessions from 6pm-6.45pm**

**Wednesday 08<sup>th</sup>-10am**

**Thursday 09<sup>th</sup>-No Mass**

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup>-12.30pm Funeral Mass for John Oswald**



**RECENTLY DEAD:** John Oswald, Isobel Doyle, Bryan Taylor,  
& Lucienne McDonald

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Annette Ogilvie, Betty Fyall, James Arnott,  
Eileen Robertson & Eileen Ward

*Fidelia animae per misericordiam Dei requiescant in pace.*

*"As we enter Heaven, we will see them, so many of them, coming toward us and thanking us. We will ask who they are and they will say: 'A poor soul you prayed for in purgatory.'" -The Venerable Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen*

God is with us now and forever, in good and bad, in joy and sadness, in life and in death.

**Work on Sacristy continues with roof work starting (hopefully) this week.**

**Sunday Masses:** Saturday 4.00pm (Anticipatory Sunday Mass) 9.00am, 11.00am & 6.30 pm

Tuesdays: 6.00pm-6.45pm (Confessions in Church)

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The UCM meets on Tuesday 07<sup>th</sup> for 7pm Mass followed by a Burns Night Supper

Sunday Collections:	November	4,872.86	
September	4,599.31	December	7,592.69
October	5,832.02	<b>Year Total</b>	<b>70,826.70</b>

Thank you for continued support during these difficult times.

Each year, the Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month. You are invited to answer the Holy Father's request and to join with many people worldwide in praying for this intention each month.

### *January*

#### **For educators**

We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

### *February*

#### **For parishes**

We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.

### *March*

#### **For victims of abuse**

We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering.

### *April*

#### **For a culture of peace and non-violence**

We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

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9.00am/11.00am/6.30 pm

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