

## GOSPEL: John 6:51-58

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

*My flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.*

Jesus said to the crowd:

'I am the living bread which has come down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh, for the life of the world.'

Then the Jews started arguing with one another: 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' they said. Jesus replied:

'I tell you most solemnly, if you do not eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you will not have life in you. Anyone who does eat my flesh and drink my blood has eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day. For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood lives in me and I live in him. As I, who am sent by the living Father, myself draw life from the Father, so whoever eats me will draw life from me. This is the bread come down from heaven; not like the bread our ancestors ate: they are dead, but anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

## World Rosary

Countries around the world are joining to hold Rosary Rallies across the world on 7th October, the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Together we are calling upon God, through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of the Rosary, The World Rosary will start with a '54-day Novena' on 15th August (Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary) until the feast of the Holy Rosary on the 7th October. Each nation has been asked to pray for its own intentions on the day. To sign up for the email feed to <http://holyleagueofnations.com>

Australian intentions for the world rosary will be family, rekindling of faith and continued Godly protection. We have been doing regular novena prayers to St Joseph, Eileen O Conner etc via Facebook a new one is posted every couple of weeks. The link is <https://www.facebook.com/OZROSARY53/>



In the spirit of Mary MacKillop, we invite you to bring life to

**"the poorest and most neglected parts of God's vineyard."**

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## WEEKEND MASS TIMES

**Saturday:** 6pm (Vigil),

**Sunday:** 8am,  
10am (Children's Liturgy),  
6pm, 12noon (Polish).

## THIS WEEK'S MASSES

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday,  
Friday & Saturday - 8.00am.

## Nursing Home Masses

Tuesday - 10.30am Bupa Yagoona.

## Vietnamese Mass

7 pm - 1st Thurs of each month.

## DEVOTIONS

**Benediction:** Saturday 7.00am.

**Rosary:** Saturday 8.25am.

**Divine Mercy Prayer:**  
6.30pm - 1st Wed of each month.

## SACRAMENTS

**Reconciliation:**

Saturday 4.30 - 5.30 pm  
Or by appointment.

**Marriages:** By arrangement with  
at least 6 months notice.

**Care for the Sick:** Any time.  
Please call the Presbytery.

**Baptisms:** By appointment.  
Preparation classes are held in the  
Presbytery on the 1st Sunday of  
each month after 10AM Mass .



*"Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life,  
and I will raise them up at the last day."*

*John 6:54*

## Responsorial Psalm

R. Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

## Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

All who eat my flesh and drink my blood  
live in me and I in them, says the Lord.  
**Alleluia!**

**Comm Antiphon:** With the Lord there is mercy;  
in him is plentiful redemption.

**This weeks readings** - Proverbs 9:1-6; Ephesians 5:15-20;  
Gospel - John 6:51-58

**Next Weekend:** 21st Sun Ord Time - Year B.

**Readings** Joshua 24:1-2, 15-18; Ephesians 5:21-32;  
Gospel - John 6:60-69.

# 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Yr B - 19 August 2018

