LITURGY RUN SHEET 30th Sunday Ordinary Time Yr C - 26 October 2025

NOTES: Fr Senan please say @ beginning of 9.30am Mass -family of Antonuzza Nesci who passed away in Calabria on Sept 25th are gathered here to remember & pray for her at today's 30 day Memorial Mass. Also, the family & friends of Irene & Harry Hurrell & their son in law, Stephen Jackson - are also gathered to remember them on their anniversary.

Children's Liturgy will be taking place at 3 masses this weekend: 9am at St Cecilia's, 9:30am at St Kieran's and 5pm at St Kieran's.

Instructions for CLOW:

- Please call the children and Leaders to the front before the First Reading or earlierthey will place a bible or lectionary on the altar before mass begins so can this please be given to one child to lead the group out with.
- The children will return at the time of The Offertory and present the gifts.
- The children are no longer asked to come up around the altar as some of them are a little young for it.

ROSTER: Week 4

	SAT 5.30	SUN 7.30	SUN 9AM	SUN 9.30	SUN 5PM
Presider	Abel	John	Tan	Senan	Paul
Mass Intention		Nikola, Ante & Kata Jovic (A)		Irene & Harry Hurrell & Stephen Jackson 30 day Memorial Mass Antonuzza Nesci	Anthony Pace (A) Sid Riddington (A)
Welcoming					
Coordinator			Christine		
Senior Server	Louise	Anna	Antoinette	Joseph	Michael McMahon
Readers	Leonie Ronda Val (R)	Lea Tim Elsie (R)	Amy Cathy Sacha	Kaye Anne	Leanne Christine Geraldine (R)
Music	Parish Choir	None	The Conmen	Kevin M	Emmanuel
Hospitality				Edelvine Elsie	
Laptop		Olivier			

BAPTISMS

SK 11.30am	Emilio Paolo Loprieno	Pietro & Ashley

WELCOME TO THE ASSEMBLY
Good morning/evening, everyone. My name is, and I warmly welcome you to our celebration of the Eucharist on this Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time.
We begin by acknowledging the Traditional Custodians of this land and their enduring connection to its lands and waterways. We pay our respects to Elders past and present, and extend that respect to all First Nations people in our community.
Today, the Word of God reminds us of the heart of our Christian life: love — love of God and love of neighbour. Jesus teaches that these two commandments are inseparable and form the foundation of all the law and the prophets.
As we gather around the table of the Lord, may we be renewed in our commitment to live out this love in our daily lives — with compassion, mercy, and justice.
At the 9am St Cecilia's, 9:30am and 5pm only- We will run Children's Liturgy during today's/tonight's mass- all children are welcome to join us and can bring their parents if they would like.
At 5pm Mass only- We will also be serving pizzas after mass tonight- all are welcome!
Today we are collecting for the Mission Appeal – envelopes are at the church entrances and donations are tax deductable.
Let us now stand and greet one another as we prepare to begin our celebration. (PAUSE)
Thank you.
The priest presiding at this Mass is Fr

Sat 5.30pm Fr Abel
Sun 7.30am Fr John
Sun 9am Fr Tan
Sun 9.30am Fr Senan
Sun 5pm Fr Paul

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

PRESIDER Encouraged by the Lord's acceptance of the tax collector, let us humbly

submit our petitions to Him for our needs, and especially of our

missionaries:

RESPONSE Lord, hear our prayer.

For the Holy Father, the bishops, priests, and religious: May they see the growing need for the Church to constantly witness to a compassionate Christ whose forgiveness restored us back to the Father's embrace. Let us pray! **R.**

For our world leaders: May they respond with wisdom and generosity to the present crisis caused by the evil of selfishness, greed and exploitation. Let us pray! **R.**

For Catholic Mission Appeal: May we be inspired by the witness of missionaries and may we support their work through prayer and generosity. Let us pray! **R.**

For all priests, religious brothers, nuns and lay volunteers who work in the foreign missions especially here in our parish: May they be brave heralds of the Gospel and never grow discouraged by the meager results of their labors but constantly trust in the Lord. Let us pray! **R.**

For all of us, gathered to thank the Lord for His goodness: May we constantly manifest our gratitude through a life of dedicated service to Him and our neighbor. Let us pray! **R.**

May those who have died in the present wars and through captivity find life in God. We remember those who have died recently: Lorna McMahon, Joseph Do, Antonuzza Nesci, Alan Burridge, Helen Barnett, and those whose anniversaries occur: Stephen Jackson, Irene & Harry Hurrell, Marina Cooney, Sid Riddington, Anthony Pace, Vincent Flett, Nikola, Ante & Kata Jovic Let us pray! R.

PRESIDER Lord, Your love for us is much greater than our sins. May You grant us the humility to recognize our shortcomings and the need for Your mercy and forgiveness. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Appointment of Fr Peter Jones

Congratulations to Fr Peter Jones for his appointment as Prior of Santa Monica International College in Rome commencing 1 February 2026.

Augustinian Formation Association Christmas Dinner Party

AFA will be holding its Christmas dinner at the Balgowlah RSL Club on 29 November. Tickets are \$60 per person. Please RSVP by 16 November via the details in the bulletin.

Register as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion

Holy Communion from the Chalice is being reintroduced throughout the diocese on the Solemnity of Christ the King. All extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion need to register via the QR code in the bulletin or via the forms in the church entrance to receive training.

Book Launching

Join us for the launch of the book entitled "Introducing Pope Leo XIV: His story and Australian Connection" by Fr Dave Austin on Thursday, 6th of November at St Kieran's Parish Centre. Arrive 7:00pm for a 7:30pm start. The book will be available for purchase on the day and at the Parish Office thereafter.

60th Ordination Anniversary of Fr Paul Maloney

You are invited to the 60th Ordination Anniversary to Priesthood of Fr Paul Maloney on 2nd of November, 9:30am mass at St Kieran's. Morning tea to follow.

Afternoon Tea with Augustine

Join us for light refreshments and the opportunity to discover the relevance St. Augustine brings to the living out of our individual journeys through life at 2.30pm on Sunday, 9 November at the Parish Centre.

Memorial Mass

We are inviting families who have lost a loved one during the past year to a special Memorial Mass on Saturday, the 1st of November at 5:30pm. You are welcome to bring along a memento or photo of your loved one. If you would like to register your loved-one's name for the mass, please email the Parish Office. Please note that if they had a Funeral Mass in North Harbour Parish, their name will already be on our list, and you should have received an invite already. Kindly bring a plate to share for supper after the mass.

A Journey Through Life and Death: An All-Soul's Day Experience

Join us for a meaningful All-Souls' Day experience on Saturday, the 8th of November, from 9:00aAM to 11:00AM. Fr Abel will share a reflection and talk on Graceful Retirement, and Funeral Director Jenny Smith will assist us in planning our own Catholic funeral liturgy.

Parish Social Justice Group

Are you passionate about social justice, enjoy community outreach, or want to live your faith more deeply? Come and be a part of something that makes a difference! Join the Parish' Social Justice Group on Monday, 3rd of November at 7:00pm, St Kieran's Parish Centre. Refer to the bulletin for more details.

Days for Girls

Help keep our "Days for Girls" program running at St Augustine's College, Brookvale! Sessions run every second Wednesday afternoon (after lunch, for about two hours) during term time.

30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

First Reading

Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18

A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus

The prayer of the humble will penetrate the heavens.

The Lord is a judge who is no respecter of personages.

He shows no respect of personages to the detriment of a poor man, he listens to the plea of the injured party.

He does not ignore the orphan's supplication, nor the widow's as she pours out her story.

The man who with his whole heart serves God will be accepted, his petitions will carry to the clouds.

The humble man's prayer pierces the clouds, until it arrives he is inconsolable nor will he desist until the Most High takes notice of him, acquits the virtuous and delivers judgement.

And the Lord will not be slow, nor will he be dilatory on their behalf.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 32:2-3, 17-19, 23, R, v,7

(R.) The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

- 1. I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise always on my lips; in the Lord my soul shall make its boast. The humble shall hear and be glad. (R.)
- 2. The Lord turns his face against the wicked to destroy their remembrance from the earth. The just call and the Lord hears and rescues them in all their distress. (R.)
- The Lord is close to the broken-hearted; those whose spirit is crushed he will save.
 The Lord ransoms the souls of his servants.
 Those who hide in him shall not be condemned. (R.)

Second Reading

2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy

All that remains is the crown of righteousness reserved for me.

My life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day; and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.

The first time I had to present my defence, there was not a single witness to support me. Every one of them deserted me – may they not be held accountable for it. But the Lord stood by me and gave me power, so that through me the whole message might be proclaimed for all the pagans to hear; and so I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from all evil attempts on me, and bring

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

2 Corinthians 5:19

me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Alleluia, alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself; and the Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us. Alleluia!

Gospel

Luke 18:9-14

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

The publican returned to his home justified; the pharisee did not.

Jesus spoke the following parable to some people who prided themselves on being virtuous and despised everyone else, 'Two men went up to the Temple to pray, one a Pharisee, the other a tax collector. The Pharisee stood there and said this prayer to himself, "I thank you, God, that I am not grasping, unjust, adulterous like the rest of mankind, and particularly that I am not like this tax collector here. I fast twice a week; I pay tithes on all I get." The tax collector stood some distance away, not daring even to raise his eyes to heaven; but he beat his breast and said, "God, be merciful to me, a sinner." This man, I tell you, went home again at rights with God; the other did not. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the man who humbles himself will be exalted.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Next week's roster (1st Sunday of the month)

1 NOV, 5.30PM	2 NOV, 7.30AM	2 NOV, 9AM	2 NOV, 9.30AM	2 NOV, 5PM
ST KIERANS	ST KIERANS	ST CECILIA'S	ST KIERANS	ST KIERANS
Senior Server	Senior Server	Senior Server	Senior Server	Senior Server
David	Jo	Ilde	Michael	Kevin
Readers Cecilia Caterina Val (R)	Readers Pauline Jenny Joseph	Readers Michael H Michael C Pauline	Readers Kate Tanya Brian (R)	Readers Louise Linda
<i>Music</i>	Music	Music	<i>Music</i>	<i>Music</i>
Parish Choir	none	tba	Harvest	Ben
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Communion Min	Communion Min	Communion Min	Communion Min	Communion Min

Hospitality 2/11

- 9.00am Philippa, Pauline, Caline
- 9.30am Linda, Josephine