



THE BULLETIN

19 MAY 2024
PENTECOST (YEAR B)



Peter's sermon on the first Pentecost by Fugel Gebhard

The Spirit of truth will guide you into all the truth.
This Sunday's Gospel - John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

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GLAD YOU'RE HERE

Welcome

A very warm welcome to you, especially to anyone new and visiting our parish. It is good to have you with us! If you have any questions or would like to know more about our community at Our Lady of Dolours please contact us at 02 9410 9000 or email us at chatswoodoffice@bbcatholic.org.au - we would love to hear from you.

This weekend we gather for our third Parish in Council - please keep all the attendees in your prayers.

On Sunday join Sr Damian's talk on God's relationship with creation - a wonderful way to kick off Laudato Si' week!

Corpus Christi is being celebrated next month and we're going to join the procession in the Sydney Archdiocese. If you would like to come along please contact Fr Joey.

Tickets are still open for Freedom Feast - grab a ticket and come out to support a wonderful initiative!

Thank you to the Community Action Group for this week's flowers.

For any inclusions to next week's bulletin, please email your content to Olivia at Olivia.Lee@bbcatholic.org.au by the close of business on Wednesday.



Dear friends.



Fr David Ranson
PP VG
Parish Priest

We come to the great Amen of our Season of Easter, the Feast of Pentecost. Our Amen is really to a journey that began on Ash Wednesday when we placed ash on our foreheads. Through our preparation for Easter, and then through its celebration that ash has been transformed into a living fire to warm our lives and to energise us to go forth to proclaim that Christ lives, that he continues to work in our midst, healing and forgiving, always calling us forward to a new beginning. It is a most appropriate weekend for us to come together as Parish-in-Council encountering one another more deeply, listening to one another and discerning together more fully our mission to bring the Light of Christ to our city. We have close to 150 people joining together this Saturday. This is a sure sign of the Spirit present in our midst, animating the life of our community, calling forth the gifts and charisms that each of us has been given. As we participate, so too does our sense of belonging deepen, and our mission widen. A very warm thank you to Brendan Tertini, Anthony Seeto, Yvonne Corpuz and Marte Tagle who have worked as hard to enable our Parish-in-Council this weekend.

This coming week, the week following Pentecost, we celebrate Laudato Si' week. This is a global celebration by which we remember Pope Francis urging us in his encyclical Laudato Si' to hear the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor. We celebrate this week the 9th anniversary of the encyclical, promulgated at Pentecost 2015. The seven goals of Laudato Si are: the Cry of Earth, the Cry of the Poor, Ecological Economics, Simple Lifestyles, Ecological Education, Ecological Spirituality and Community Involvement and Participation. As an Earthcare Parish, we are committed to working with each of these goals in different ways, and it has been good to have a reflection on this commitment included in our Parish-in-Council on 18 May.

We continue to keep our children preparing to receive the Eucharist for the first time in our prayer. Our children will be celebrating their First Holy Communion on the weekends of 1 June (Solemnity of Corpus Christi) and 8 June.

Our sympathy to the Ritoni family on the death on Thursday morning of Rosaria Woolmer. Rosaria had been living at Bupa Nursing Home in Willoughby. She had reached the grand age of 96. Eternal rest grant unto Rosaria Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her always.

GOSPEL REFLECTION



Deacon
Kevin Hale

Several times at the Last Supper, Jesus told his disciples that it would be a good thing for him to leave them – and each time, they just couldn't accept his words. But on Pentecost, a full ten days after Jesus had indeed left them and ascended into heaven, it finally hit them.

Now, because the Holy Spirit had come, Jesus was not only with them; he was in them too! This is the great truth we are called to celebrate today.

The theme of the 2008 World Youth Day held in Sydney was *"You will receive the power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you."* It was true then and is still true today.

Through the Holy Spirit, each of us has Jesus living within us, transforming us into the very likeness of Christ and empowering us to do the miraculous.

So, on this great feast day, on this great day of commemoration and celebration, we should all ask ourselves, "Has it hit me? Do I know in my heart of hearts that I am a temple of the Holy Spirit? Do I know that God Almighty has taken up residence in my heart? Am I experiencing his power and his love at work within me?"

How can we know if we are experiencing the Holy Spirit in greater and greater measure? There are many ways, but today let's focus on two. First, we will recognize the Spirit's presence as we become more and more convinced that Jesus truly is the Lord. But the Lordship that we experience from Jesus is far different from the kind of authority we might expect. Jesus is not a distant, indifferent ruler who erects barriers between himself and his people, as great kings and emperors have done throughout history.

Rather, Jesus' Lordship is more like the biblical images of a shepherd tenderly caring for his sheep and a passionate lover leaping over mountains and hills rushing to embrace his beloved. The Holy Spirit wants to show us more and more how desirable it is to live under Jesus' authority. He wants to convince us that living for ourselves only leads to heartbreak and loneliness, but living for Jesus and his people leads to a life of adventure, fulfillment, and great accomplishment. He wants to show us that anyone who is in Christ is a new creation and that this new creation has the capacity to do the very things that Jesus did while he walked among us.

The second way we will know the Spirit is at work within us comes as we are convinced that our sins are forgiven. The Holy Spirit wants to show us that every one of our transgressions has been washed away in Jesus' blood. As we

allow the Spirit to unfold this truth to our hearts, nothing will be able to keep us from confessing our sins and receiving the forgiveness that Jesus won for us on the cross. In fact, we will learn to run to Jesus with every area of darkness, eager to know his power to cleanse and heal us.

Is there a part of your life that you feel powerless to change? Are you carrying guilt and shame from some past action that you now regret? Well, listen to the Spirit's personal message for you: Your sins have been forgiven. Period. Don't be afraid to expose your needs, your sins, and your weaknesses to the Lord. Don't let the devil convince you that you're beyond redemption. Nothing could be further from the truth! So, has it hit you today?

Has the greatness of Jesus' gift of the Spirit penetrated your mind and heart? Do you know that you can turn to the Spirit at any time and receive his love, his joy, and his power?

Today is a day of great promise. It is not simply a commemoration of Acts 2. It is a proclamation that whenever the gospel is preached with love, compassion, and conviction, the power of the Spirit is released, and lives are changed.

As we celebrate Mass today, ask Jesus to immerse you in his Spirit. Ask him to give you a new experience of the Spirit and a deep confidence in his love for you. What would be more appropriate on Pentecost than welcoming the Holy Spirit just as simply and humbly as the Apostles did so long ago.

2024 THE YEAR OF PRAYER

Prayer for Domestic and Family Violence Survivors

Common Grace Australia

Loving God, creator and sustainer of all.

You bring light into darkness, and darkness cannot overcome the light of your love. During this month of raising awareness of domestic violence we ask that the light of your love will reveal that which is so often hidden - the suffering of many of your children.

Pour out your love into the hearts of those who continue to suffer: remind them that you are the God who sees; remind them that you are their strength and refuge, they are not to blame; remind them that you are their Shepherd, and you long to care for them and restore their dignity and joy.

For those who have further suffered when your word has been used against them to dominate and destroy, or when those who should have offered care and hope within the church community have only added to guilt and shame- we ask that you would hold them until they can trust you again.

For those who continue on their journey of recovery, remind them daily of their strength to survive, and when they grow weary, be their strength and their fortress, a resting place in times of struggle.

Lord you are the one who works righteousness and justice for the oppressed, you stretch out your hand against our foes, with your right hand you save: we ask for deep repentance from those who have chosen abuse and violence in their relationships.

We ask that we as your church would deeply repent of words and actions that have not condemned abuse, but simply turned a blind eye. We ask for a deeper understanding and willingness to challenge our beliefs and attitudes that allow abuse to flourish.

We ask that we might live up to our call to be light in the world, standing with you for justice.

Amen.



**May is the Domestic and Family Violence (DFV) Prevention Month across Australia.*

ZOOM ROSARY DURING MAY THE MONTH OF MARY

 OUR LADY OF FATIMA MONDAY MAY 13	 MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH MONDAY MAY 20	 MARY, HELP OF CHRISTIANS FRIDAY MAY 24
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May is the month of Mary. Please join us in honouring Our Blessed Mother by praying the rosary together via Zoom on the following occasions all at 8:00 pm

ZOOM LINK: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86587391823>
MEETING ID: 865 8739 1823

JOURNEY INTO Truth

PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF DATE

BEGINS MAY TUESDAY 21 7:00PM - 9:00PM

DO YOU WANT TO DEEPEN YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD? JOIN US FOR THE JOURNEY INTO TRUTH - A 24 SESSION WEEKLY COURSE THAT EXPLAINS THE PRINCIPLES & TEACHINGS OF THE CATECHISM IN A WAY ANYONE CAN UNDERSTAND, AND SHOWS HOW THESE TEACHINGS CAN BE LIVED OUT IN ORDINARY LIFE

ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN THESE WEEKLY SESSIONS
THE FIRST SESSION IS WITH GUEST SPEAKER, POPULAR EDUCATOR AND COLUMNIST FR JOHN FLADER
THE COURSE OFFICIALLY BEGINS ON MAY 21

Magnificent Room of Our Lady of Dolours Chatswood
96 Archer St, Chatswood
Entry from Kirk St

EMAIL CATHARINE TO REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE / FURTHER QUERIES AT JOURNEY_TRUTH@YAHOO.COM

FOR ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT OUR LADY OF DOLOURS PARISH CONTACT 02 9410 9000

Taking Action to Respond to the Call of Laudato Si'

10 Things You Can Do

- Reduce your energy consumption by switching off lights, appliances and computers when not in use
- Use products made from recycled materials such as toilet paper and printer paper
- If your superannuation fund invests in fossil fuels, ask it to stop supporting coal and oil projects
- Use biodegradable detergent in your kitchen and laundry
- Buy FairTrade certified products such as coffee, tea and chocolate
- Grow native plants suitable for your locality in your garden
- Get involved in Clean Up Australia Day on the first Sunday in March
- Be aware of how much food you throw away and make a conscious effort to reduce food waste
- Don't buy fruit and vegetables which are pre-wrapped in plastic

Read a few paragraphs of Pope Francis' encyclical, Laudato Si', each day and use it as the basis for your private prayer and reflection.

This week's church flowers are generously donated by the

Community Action Group

in celebration of the beginning of



Thank you to everyone who has let the front office know about the Holy Water fonts having trouble working - we expect a new delivery in the coming week or 2 and then these will be replaced. Thank you for your help and all your patience!

IN OUR PRAYERS WE REMEMBER:

Our loved ones who have recently passed away:

Soo Ming Lee; Johanna Plescher; Rosaria Woolmer; Victor Tan (brother of Eva Lim); Theresa Infante; Antun Maskaric - 2 May; Marion Green.

Our loved ones who are sick:

Teddy Malapira; Kristen O'Loan; Mitch East; Margaret; Victor Villanueva Herriquez; Johnson Siu; Joseph Bonnici; Yvonne Corpuz; Maria Taylor; Bill Piper; Frank Hallissy; John O'Brien; Gerard De Leon; Carlos De Leon; Mary Kin-Soon Ng; Bonnie Lueng; John Tiorg and family; Esther Grant and family.

Our loved ones, at rest with God, whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Michael Widjaja Tjong - 26 May (father of Martina & Josef Widjaja).

All those who celebrated their birthdays recently - we thank God for your life and pray for more health and happiness for you:

Elizabeth Jung (22 May), Margaret Day (14 May), Bernadette, Johana, Margaret.

- For Marte and Dom Tagle who celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary last week! We pray many more happy years of love for you!
- For Zelster, my god child, I pray God always keeps you safe from all harm and that you never forget your worth. - Bernadette L
- For all the children who have died in wars around the world.

Our community would love to pray for you. If you have an intention you would like to be included in this bulletin e-mail
chatswoodoffice@bbcatholic.org.au



Rock of constancy, pray for us.

Refuge of the abandoned, pray for us.

Mirror of patience, pray for us

Mother of consolation, pray for us.

Companion of the sorrowful, pray for us.

Protectress of those who fight, pray for us.

TRIVIA FUNDRAISER FOR TIMOR LESTE

Join us for a great night for a wonderful cause!

ATLAS (Australia Timor Leste Advancement Society), with whom OLD Social Justice Project for Tertiary Scholarships is partnered, is holding a fundraiser, TRIVIA EVENT.

If parishioners are interested in getting a table together and car pooling to Regents Park please contact Trish Wilson on 0431 696 504 before RSVP date of 26th May.

Address for Dooleys Regent Park is 25 Terrene Street, Regents Park. Best car park is accessed from 67 Regent Street.

All welcome!



Australia Timor-Leste Advancement Society invites you to a fun afternoon of Trivia

Join us to catch up and enjoy the trivia Prizes and raffles

Dooleys Regents Park
Sunday 16th June 2024
12:30pm arrival for a 1pm start
Bistro opens at 12 noon

Tickets \$20 ★ **10 people per table**
Limited numbers

★ **RSVP 26th May 2024**
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Our Lady OF DOLOURS

HELP BRING A FAMILY TO FREEDOM

HELP US TO RAISE \$6000 TO BRING A MOTHER AND HER 3 CHILDREN FROM IRAN TO FREEDOM IN AUSTRALIA AFTER THEIR FATHER WAS KILLED BY THE TALIBAN.

JUNE

22
6:30PM

THIS FAMILY HAS BEEN GRANTED REFUGEE STATUS AND NOW NEEDS HELP TO FINALISE THESE PLANS.

COME AND LEARN MORE BY JOINING US FOR A NIGHT OF WONDERFUL FOOD FROM ACROSS THE WORLD LOVINGLY PREPARED BY THE OUR LADY OF DOLOURS COMMUNITY ACTION GROUP.



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NEXT WEEK IN THE CHURCH

Monday
20 May

Feast: The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

- 11:30am Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary (Cenacle, MMP)
- **12:30pm Mass**
- 1:30pm Organ Practice



Tuesday
21 May

- 8:45am Morning Prayer
- **9:00am Mass**
- 9:30am Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- 10:30am Organ Practice
- **12:30pm Mass**
- 2:00pm Organ Practice
- 4:45pm Titus Booking

Wednesday
22 May

- 8:45am Morning Prayer
- **9:00 Mass**
- 9:30am Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- 10:00am Mercy College School Assembly
- 11:00am Organ Practice
- **12:30pm Mass**
- 1:30pm Organ Practice
- 2:30pm Organ Lesson
- 3:30pm Organ Practice
- 4:00pm Organ Lesson
- **6:00pm Mass**

Thursday
23 May

- 8:45am Morning Prayer
- **9:00am Mass**
- **9:30am Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration, Rosary, and Chaplet of Divine Mercy**
- 12:00pm Benediction
- **12:30pm Mass**
- 2:00pm Organ Practice
- 4:30pm Organ Lesson
- **7:00pm Holy Hour Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration with Reconciliation also available**

Friday
24 May

Solemnity: Our Lady Help of Christians

- 8:45am Morning Prayer
- **9:00am Mass**
- 9:30am Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- **10:30am Funeral of Rosaria Woolmer**
- **12:30pm Mass**
- 4:00pm Organ Practice



Saturday
25 May

- 8:45am Morning Prayer
- **9:00am Mass**
- 9:30am Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration with Reconciliation, Rosary
- 10:00am Novena Our Lady of Perpetual Help
- 11:00am Choir Practice
- 12:30pm Organ Practice
- 4:30pm Vigil Singer Bookings
- **5:30pm Vigil Mass**

Sunday Mass
26 May

Solemnity: The Most Holy Trinity

- **7:30am Mass**
- **9:00am Family Mass**
- **10:30am Mass**
- 12:00pm Baptisms
- 1:30pm Organ Practice
- 2:30pm Organ Practice
- **5:30pm Mass**



SATURDAY
JUNE 1 - 7PM

ADORATION AND
BENEDICTION



SUNDAY
JUNE 2 - 10:30AM

BLESSING FOR
PROCESSION
PILGRIMS



SUNDAY
JUNE 2 - 11:30AM

MEET UP TO TRAVEL
TO PROCESSION IN
CBD



TO JOIN AND TRAVEL WITH THE PARISH GROUP TO THE PROCESSION IN SYDNEY CONTACT FR JOEY AT JOEY.FREZ@BBCATHOLIC.ORG.AU

Jason Ever
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Finding your soulmate without losing your soul

Wednesday 22 May 2024
Light of Christ Centre
Yardley Ave Wailara, NSW
Food & Activities: begin from 6 PM
Talk begins at 7 PM

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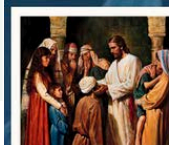
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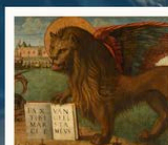
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PAROUSIA
Preserving the Faith of Truth



SATURDAY
MAY 25



SATURDAY
JUNE 1



SATURDAY
JUNE 8



3:30PM - 4:30PM
ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN THESE SERIES
OF TALKS BY BISHOP DAVID WALKER

Magnificat Room
96 Archer St, Chatswood
Entry from Kirk St



OUR SUNDAY CELEBRATION

Pentecost Sunday / B

19 May 2024

THE TIME OF THE CHURCH. The event of Pentecost marks the beginning of the time of the Church. During this time Christ is with us in Spirit, defending and guiding us and leading us to the fullness of truth. We, as Church, proclaim Christ's message in every language and witness to the presence of the Spirit by manifesting the Spirit's gifts, especially the gift of love.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Wis 1: 7

The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world and that which contains all things understands what is said, alleluia.

GREETING

P. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

R. Amen.

P. Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

R. And with your spirit.

PENITENTIAL ACT

P. Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

P. Lord Jesus, you came to gather the nations into the peace of God's kingdom: Lord, have mercy.

R. Lord, have mercy.

P. You come in word and in sacrament to strengthen us and make us holy: Christ, have mercy.

R. Christ, have mercy.

P. You will come again in glory with salvation for your people: Lord, have mercy.

R. Lord, have mercy.

P. May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

R. Amen.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, / and on earth peace to people of good will. / We praise you, / we bless you, / we adore you, / we glorify you, / we give you thanks for your great glory. / Lord God, heavenly King, / O God, almighty Father. / Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, / Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, / you take away the sins of the world, / have mercy on us; / you take away the sins of the world, / receive our prayer; / you are seated at the right hand of the Father, / have mercy on us. / For you alone are the Holy One, / you alone are the Lord, / you alone are the Most High, / Jesus Christ, / with the Holy Spirit, / in the glory of God the Father. / Amen.

COLLECT

P. O God, who by the mystery of today's great feast sanctify your whole Church in every people and nation, pour out, we pray, the gifts of the Holy Spirit across the face of the earth and, with the divine grace that was at work when the Gospel was first proclaimed, fill now once more the hearts of believers. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

R. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Acts 2: 1-11

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak different languages.

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites;

people from Mesopotamia, Judaea Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome – Jews and proselytes alike – Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

The word of the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

RESP PS

Ps 103: 1, 24, 29-31, 34. R. v. 30

R. Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth. (or Alleluia!)

1. Bless the Lord, my soul! / Lord God, how great you are! / How many are your



works, O Lord! / The earth is full of your riches. **R.**

2. You take back your spirit, they die, / returning to the dust from which they came. / You send forth your spirit, they are created; / and you renew the face of the earth. **R.**

3. May the glory of the Lord last for ever! / May the Lord rejoice in his works! / May my thoughts be pleasing to him. / I find my joy in the Lord. **R.**

SECOND READING

Gal 5: 16-25

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians

The fruit of the Spirit.

If you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since self-indulgence is the opposite of the Spirit, the Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it is precisely because the two are so opposed that you do not always carry out your good intentions. If you are led by the Spirit, no law can touch you. When self-indulgence is at work the results are obvious: fornication, gross indecency and sexual irresponsibility; idolatry and sorcery; feuds and wrangling, jealousy, bad temper and quarrels; disagreements, factions, envy; drunkenness, orgies and similar things. I warn you now, as I warned you before: those who behave like this will not inherit the kingdom of God. What the Spirit brings is very different: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness,

~~self-control,~~ gentleness and

There can be no law against things like that, of course. You cannot belong to Christ Jesus unless you crucify all self-indulgent passions and desires.

Since the Spirit is our life, let us be directed by the Spirit.

The word of the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God

SEQUENCE

The sequence may be said or sung.

Holy Spirit, Lord of light,

From the clear celestial height
Thy pure beaming radiance give.

Come, thou Father of the poor,
Come with treasures which endure;
Come, thou light of all that live!

Thou, of all consolers best,
Thou, the soul's delightful guest,
Dost refreshing peace bestow.

Thou in toil art comfort sweet;
Pleasant coolness in the heat;
Solace in the midst of woe.

Light immortal, light divine,
Visit thou these hearts of thine,
And our inmost being fill:

If thou take thy grace away,
Nothing pure in man will stay;
All his good is turned to ill.

Heal our wounds, our strength renew;
On our dryness pour thy dew;
Wash the stains of guilt away:

Bend the stubborn heart and will;
Melt the frozen, warm the chill;
Guide the steps that go astray.

Thou, on us who evermore
Thee confess and thee adore,
With thy sevenfold gifts descend:

Give us comfort when we die;
Give us life with thee on high;
Give us joys that never end.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

**Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.**
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Jn 15: 26-27; 16: 12-15

P. The Lord be with you.

R. And with your spirit.

P. A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

R. Glory to you, O Lord.

The Spirit of truth will guide you into all the truth.

Jesus said to his disciples:

'When the Advocate comes,
whom I shall send to you from the Father,
the Spirit of truth who issues from the
Father,

he will be my witness.

And you too will be witnesses,
because you have been with me from the
outset.

I still have many things to say to you
but they would be too much for you now.
But when the Spirit of truth comes
he will lead you to the complete truth,
since he will not be speaking as from
himself

but will say only what he has learnt;

and he will tell you of the things to come.

He will glorify me,

since all he tells you
will be taken from what is mine.

Everything the Father has is mine;
that is why I said:

All he tells you

will be taken from what is mine.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH^{APOSTLES' CREED}

Or the Nicene Creed may be said.

**I believe in God, / the Father almighty, /
Creator of heaven and earth, / and in
Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, /
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, /
born of the Virgin Mary, / suffered under
Pontius Pilate, / was crucified, died and
was buried; / he descended into hell; /
on the third day he rose again from the
dead; / he ascended into heaven, / and is
seated at the right hand of God the Father
almighty; / from there he will come to
judge the living and the dead. / I believe
in the Holy Spirit, / the holy catholic
Church, / the communion of saints, / the
forgiveness of sins, / the resurrection of
the body, / and life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

*After the priest raises the paten with the bread
and prays, and then the chalice, we respond to
each prayer:*

R. Blessed be God for ever.

P. Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that
my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to
God, the almighty Father.

**R. May the Lord accept the sacrifice at
your hands for the praise and glory of his
name, for our good and the good of all
his holy Church.**

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

P. Grant, we pray, O Lord, that, as promised
by your Son, the Holy Spirit may reveal to
us more abundantly the hidden mystery of
this sacrifice and graciously lead us into all
truth. Through Christ our Lord.

R. Amen.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

P. The Lord be with you.

R. And with your spirit.

P. Lift up your hearts.

R. We lift them up to the Lord.

P. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

R. It is right and just.

PREFACE OF PENTECOST

After the Preface, we sing or say:

**All: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he
who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

THE MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

P. The mystery of faith.

**All: When we eat this Bread and drink
this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O
Lord, until you come again.**

COMMUNION RITE

P. At the Saviour's command and formed by
divine teaching, we dare to say:

All: Our Father, who art in heaven . . .

P. Deliver us, Lord, we pray . . .

**All: For the kingdom, the power and the
glory are yours now and for ever.**

P. Lord Jesus Christ, who said . . .

R. Amen.

P. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

R. And with your spirit.

P. Let us offer each other the sign of peace.

All exchange a sign of peace.

LAMB OF GOD

**All: Lamb of God, you take away the sins
of the world, have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of
the world, have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of
the world, grant us peace.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P. Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who
takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are
those called to the supper of the Lamb.

**R. Lord, I am not worthy that you should
enter under my roof, but only say the
word and my soul shall be healed.**

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Acts 2: 4, 11

**They were all filled with the Holy Spirit
and spoke of the marvels of God,
alleluia.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

P. O God, who bestow heavenly gifts upon
your Church, safeguard, we pray, the grace
you have given, that the gift of the Holy
Spirit poured out upon her may retain all its
force and that this spiritual food may gain
her abundance of eternal redemption.
Through Christ our Lord.

R. Amen.

THE CONCLUDING RITES

P. The Lord be with you.

R. And with your spirit.

P. May almighty God bless you,
the Father, and the Son, ✠ and the Holy
Spirit.

R. Amen.

P. Go in peace, alleluia, alleluia!

R. Thanks be to God, alleluia, alleluia!

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NEXT WEEK IN THE MEETING ROOMS

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| <p>Monday
20 May</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:00am Atrium for 3-6 year olds (Atrium) • 10:00am Private booking (St Peter) • 3:45pm Atrium for 3-6 year olds (Atrium) • 3:45pm Atrium for 6-9 year olds (Atrium) • 3:45pm Atrium for 9-12 year olds (Atrium) • 4:00pm Private booking (St Peter) • 8:00pm Zoom Rosary for Mary the Mother of the Church |
| <p>Tuesday
21 May</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:00am Staff Safeguarding Meeting (Magnificat) • 10:00am Bible Study and Discussion (St Paul) • 3:45pm Atrium for 3-6 year olds (Atrium) • 3:45pm Atrium for 6-9 year olds (Atrium) • 3:45pm Atrium for 9-12 year olds (Atrium) • 4:00pm Private Booking (St Peter) • 4:30pm - 6:30pm Cleaning (Magnificat, St Peter, St Paul) • 7:00pm Journey into Truth (Magnificat) set up 6:30pm • 7:00pm Filipino Choir practice (St Paul) • 7:00pm Indonesian Legion of Mary (St Peter) |
| <p>Wednesday
22 May</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:30am English Lifestyle Conversations (Magnificat) • 10:00am Private booking (St Peter) • 2:00pm Catechist Meeting (Magnificat) • 4:00pm Private booking (St Paul) • 6:30pm Indonesian Music Practice (Harrington Hall) • 7:00pm Men Alive Faith Discussion (Magnificat) |
| <p>Thursday
23 May</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1:00pm Playgroup (Magnificat) set up at 12:00pm • 4:00pm Private booking (St Peter) • 6:00pm Altos choir practice (St Paul) |
| <p>Friday
24 May</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:00am Meditation and Sharing (St Paul) set up 9:30am • 4:00pm Private booking (St Peter) • 5:30pm Cleaning (Magnificat, St Peter, St Paul) • 7:00pm Online Zoom Meditation and Sharing • 8:00pm Zoom Rosary for Mary, Help of Christians |
| <p>Saturday
25 May</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:30am Legion of Mary Praesidium (St Peter) set up 10:00am • 3:30pm The Gospel of Mark with Bishop David |
| <p>Sunday Mass
26 May</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7:45am Filipino Choir practice (St Paul) • 9:30am Choir Practice (St Paul) • 6:30pm Cornerstone and Keystone Youth Group (Magnificat, St Peter, St Paul) set up 4:30pm |



CHATSWOOD menALIVE

Chatswood menALIVE is part of a National Catholic Mens Movement these past 20 years and is represented in 26 dioceses throughout Australia and New Zealand encompassing some 25,000 men.

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Chatswood menALIVE meets twice monthly to discuss men's topics, leading to in-depth personal reflection & prayer with a scriptural basis.

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- A National Conference (menALIVE MAX)
- State of Origin Nights
- Sydney Camino Walk
- Men's Masses & Bar B Q's
- Men's Breakfast
- Men's Movie Nights

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 PARISH MEETING ROOMS
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OUR LADY OF DOLOURS PARISH, CHATSWOOD

Prayerful reflection on Laudate Deum

Our Relationship with our Creator & His Creation
from a Tripod of Theological Perspectives



Sunday 19th May 2024 3-5pm
 (before Sunday evening mass at 5:30pm)
 hosted by Sr Damian

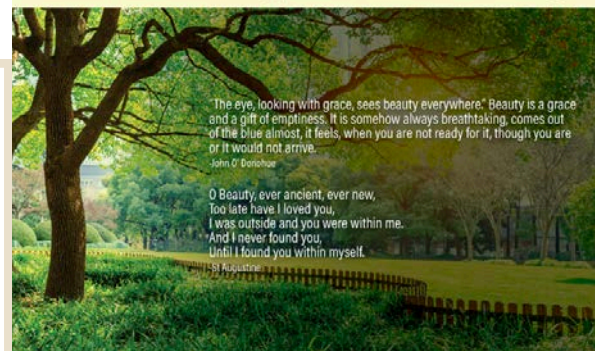
Magnificat Parish Meeting Room

"God has united us to all his creatures."
 (Laudate Deum, Par. 66).

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神恩雖有區別，卻是同一的聖神所賜；職分雖有區別，卻是同一的主所賜；
 功效雖有區別，卻是同一的天主，在一切人身上行一切
 事。聖神顯示在每人身上雖不同，但全是為人的好處。 格林多前書12:4-7

There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit.

1 Corinthians 12:4-7

OUR WEEK IN PICS



Our playgroup community is growing and we love it!



Thank you to all who joined Monday's Zoom Rosary.



Thank you to the Lower North Shore parish for hosting a great Hawaiian Trivia night!



Vigil Mass with Fr David



Last week we joined the Our Lady of Fatima procession in the Archdiocese of Sydney!



The choir celebrated the birthdays of Bernadette, Johana, and Margaret with this great get together! Happy birthday to these lovely ladies!



ABOUT MARY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH

FEAST DAY 20 MAY



- The liturgical feast of Mary, Mother of the Church, was instituted by Pope Francis and is celebrated on the Monday following Pentecost. This feast highlights Mary's maternal role and her continuous intercession for the Church.
- The title "Mother of the Church" (Mater Ecclesiae) was officially bestowed upon Mary by Pope Paul VI at the close of the Second Vatican Council in 1964. This title emphasizes Mary's role in the life of the Church and her maternal care for all Christians.
- The basis for this title can be found in the New Testament. At the crucifixion, Jesus entrusted Mary to the beloved disciple, traditionally identified as John, with the words, "Woman, behold your son," and to the disciple, "Behold your mother" (John 19:26-27). This act is seen as Jesus giving Mary to the whole Church as a mother.

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Heart of Creation

Weekend Retreat at Gerroa

"All around us, to right and left, in front and behind, above and below, we have only to go a little beyond the frontier of sensible appearances in order to see the divine welling up and showing through".
Pierre Teilhard De Chardin, The Divine Milieu

A Time to be Still, Listen and Wonder...

Take some time to nourish and revitalize yourself amidst the beauty of creation staying just steps away from Seven Mile Beach and amidst the beautiful surrounds of Gerroa.

Friday 31 May 7pm - Sunday 2 June 3pm, 2024

At "Stella Maris," Jesuit Villa House, 58 Burke Fide Gerroa, NSW \$480/person in a single room, \$380/person for a shared twin room.

Prices include accommodation, meals, retreat input and facilitation, prayer and reflection materials, and take-home resources.

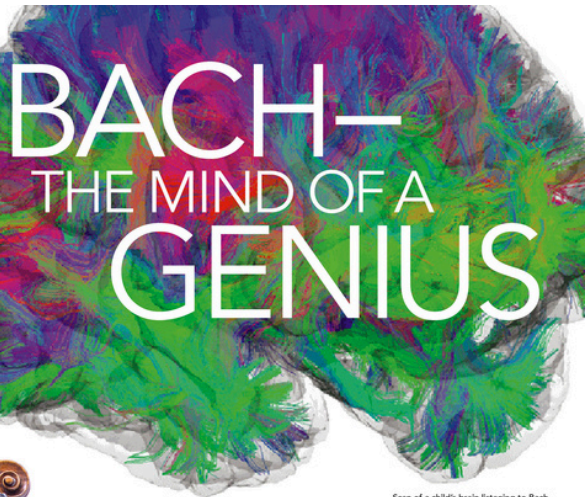
The "Heart of Creation" Retreat will explore the Ignatian understanding of Creation which sees the Divine at the centre of all things, always giving and receiving, creating, and sustaining in every moment of all life. Using imagery, music, story and creative expression, participants will be given time to reflect and consider this vision. This will include drawing on the work of Miriam-Rose Ungunmerr Baumann, renowned Australian Artist, tribal elder, educator and Aboriginal mystic.

Held at the beautiful Jesuit Villa House in Gerroa, with its outstanding position and vistas. During the weekend there will be time to walk on the beach, relax, sit quietly, listen, and reflect on your journey with God and share with others.

Retreat Directors: Mark & Mary Diggins

Mark and Mary are married with three adult children. They are registered Spiritual Directors, Givers of the Spiritual Exercises and Retreat Givers with Jesuit and Ignatian Spirituality Australia. They have worked in the School and Parish context for over 35 years in Ignatian Leadership, Spirituality and Ministry. Their life and work is informed by the experience of Pilgrimage after walking the Camino de Santiago, the Camino Pilgrimage to Seville SA, and the Camino Ignaciano in Spain.

Bookings: retreats@wisdomfortheway.com.au Further Info: mark@wisdomfortheway.com.au



BACH—
THE MIND OF A
GENIUS

Scan of a child's brain listening to Bach.
—University of Southern California

PROGRAM

- J.S. Bach Das Wohltemperierte Klavier, Prelude and Fugue No. 1 in C major BWV 846
- J.S. Bach 'Sonata sopr' il soggetto Real' from Das Musikalische Opfer BWV 1079
- J.S. Bach Final 5 variations of 'The Goldberg Variations' BWV 988
- J.S. Bach Violin Concerto in A minor BWV 1041
- J.S. Bach Aria No. 3 'Wie zittern und wanken der Sünder Gedanken' from Cantata BWV 105
- J.S. Bach Die Kunst der Fuga, final 3 Contrapunctus
- J.S. Bach 6 part Ricercar from Das Musikalische Opfer BWV 1079

DATES

- Friday 21st June, 7.30pm
Paddington Uniting Church, Paddington
- Sunday 23rd June, 2.30pm
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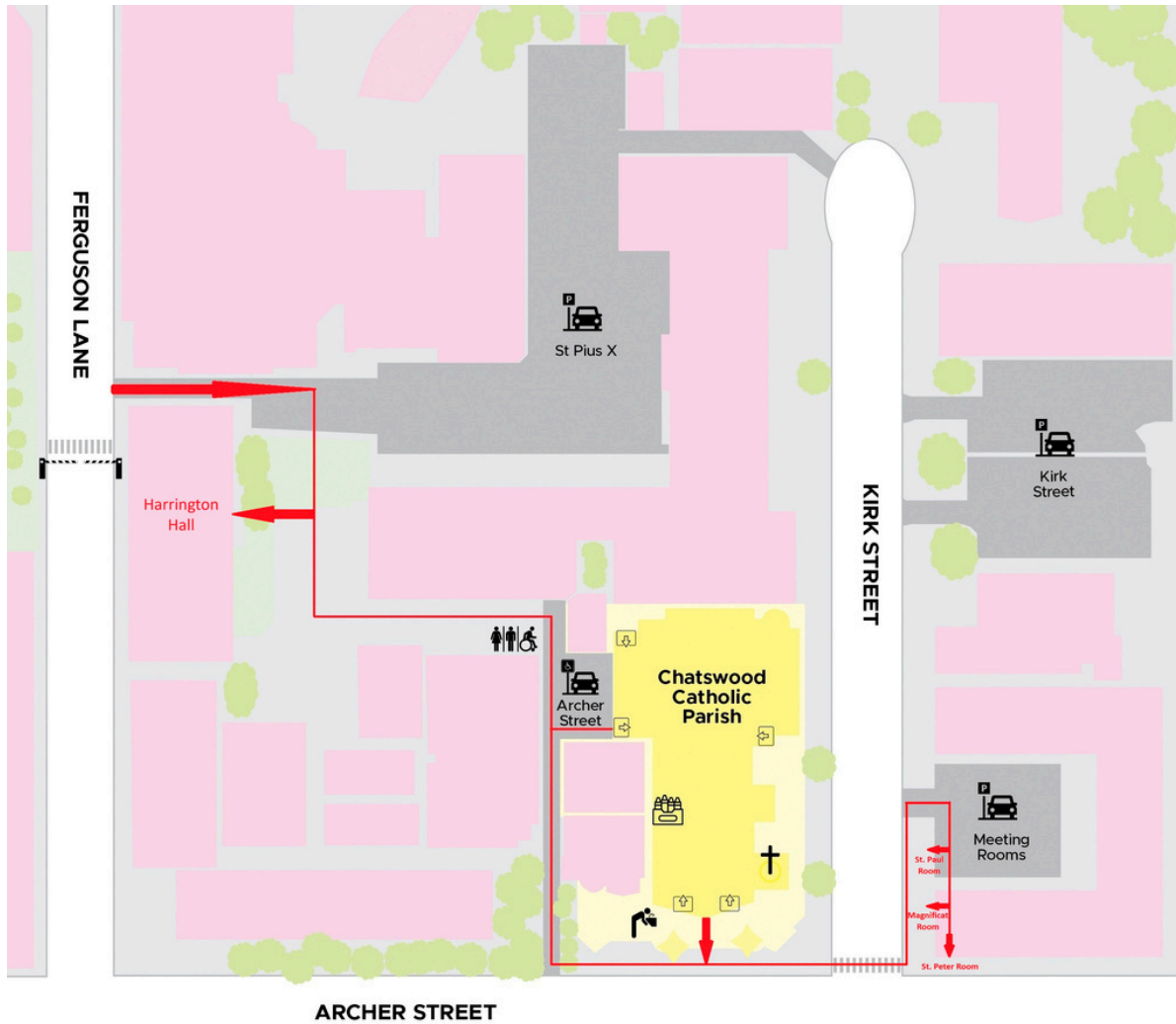
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PARKING MAP



OUR CIRCLES OF MINISTRY

Love God

Mark 12:30



Love One Another

John 13:34

Go Make Disciples

Matthew 28:18-20

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Regular Mass Times:

Monday	Mass 12:30pm.
Tuesday	Mass 9:00am & 12:30pm.
Wednesday	Mass 9:00am, 12:30pm & 6:00pm.
Thursday	Mass 9:00am & 12:30pm. Reconciliation: 7:00pm.
Friday	Mass 9:00am & 12:30pm.
Saturday	Mass: 9:00am Reconciliation: 9:30am. Vigil Mass: 5:30pm
Sunday	Mass <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7:30am • 9:00am • 10:30am • 5:30pm



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