

# The Catholic Parish of Epping and Carlingford

## Diocese of Broken Bay

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**Welcome to our Parish of Epping and Carlingford** consisting of our two worshipping communities of St Gerard Majella's Church at Carlingford and Our Lady Help of Christians' Church at Epping. If you are new to the area or visiting today we are glad that you are with us, and we hope that our celebration of the Eucharist together will provide both nourishment and challenge on your Christian journey.

**YEAR B**

**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**

**28-02-21**

**Gen 22:1-2.9-13.15-18**

**Rom 8:31-34**

**Mk 9:2-10**

Dear Parishioners,

**Booking in for Mass:** Many people have asked why we are moving to a booking system for Mass, especially now that restrictions have eased. Booking in is a temporary system which we will use as long as the NSW Govt requires us to collect contact tracing details, and restricts the number of people who can gather. At present we have enough capacity for everyone who wants to come to Sunday Mass. But we expect that there will be much greater demand at Easter, at first Communion Masses and other special events, and as people regain their confidence and return to Mass. There is also the risk that restrictions can be suddenly re-imposed, as they were the week before Christmas.

So from next weekend we invite you to book online for weekend Mass. This will greatly streamline your entry into the church, as the booking takes the place of either using a QR code or needing to sign in with pen and paper. Our friendly welcomers will simply ask your name and check you in. You will be able to leave your phone turned off, in your car, or at home if you wish. You will be able to book your whole family (up to six people) in one registration. This is the system which the largest parishes in our diocese have been using successfully for six months.

A short YouTube video showing you the process is in our parish YouTube channel - [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC\\_t43V\\_sQu1LK2LM\\_Q6akIA](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC_t43V_sQu1LK2LM_Q6akIA)

Bookings are now open on our parish website at <https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/epping-carlingford/mass-and-prayer-times/mass-times> or using the QR code below. For March 6/7 and 13/14 we'll have a soft launch where we invite those of you who can to book using this system.



If you don't have internet access, don't worry, you can still use the QR code or sign in the usual way. From March 20/21 onwards you'll be able to phone the parish office and we will book in anybody who can't do it for themselves. Thank you for bearing with us in this necessary change. We will do all we can to support you and make it easy for you.

(See QR Code for TryBookingi.)

Fr Jim McKeon

**Divine Mercy Sunday:** Fr Bogdan would like to speak with anyone who is interested in having Divine Mercy devotions on Sunday April 11<sup>th</sup>.

**Ecumenical liturgy:** This coming Tuesday night at 7.45pm we are invited to gather with Christians from our local churches at Epping Baptist Church on the corner of Carlingford Rd and Ray Rd. As is our tradition during Lent, one church hosts the event, and the minister from another church preaches. This week we will hear Rev Tammy Hollands from West Epping Uniting Church. This is an opportunity for us to hear a woman preaching, which we don't get to experience in our own church at present.

**Parish financial report:** Next weekend, belatedly, members of the Parish Finance Committee will present to the parish the 2019/2020 financial report. We are doing this, although a little belatedly, to ensure that you know how your generous donations are being used within the parish.

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**Mystical Experience:** In his homily this week Fr Jim will speak about mystical experiences in prayer which are both more common and less fantastical than people may imagine. The four hallmarks of mystical experiences in prayer are ineffability (unexplainably), transience, passivity, and noetic (intellectual) quality, according to a classic definition by William James. While many great saints had and described mystical experiences, they also urged caution, with St John of the Cross writing that "it is very easy for the soul to be deceived" (*Ascent of Mt Carmel*, 2.xxi.7), and therefore not to pursue such experiences, but to accept them as gifts if and when they come, sifting them as St Ignatius advises in his *Rules for the Discernment of Spirits*.

While the saints tell us not to chase after such experiences, we can dispose ourselves to them by taking quiet, unhurried time in prayer. Our hours of adoration at OLHC on Mondays at 6pm and St Gerard's on Fridays at 7pm are one way to do this. Even better, for those who are able, is to take a day, a weekend or a week on retreat. We are blessed to be within an hour or so of several Catholic retreat centres which offer a range of silent retreat options:

Benedictine Abbey at Jamberoo <https://www.jamberooabbey.org.au/>

Carmelite Monastery at Varroville <https://mtcarmel.com.au/carmelite-retreat-program>

Ignatian (Jesuit) Retreat Centre at Pymble <https://jisa.org.au/retreats/>

MSC Retreat Centre at Douglas Park <https://www.towersretreat.org.au/>

Josephine Spirituality Centre at Kincumber <https://www.stjosephskincumber.org.au/whats-on/retreats/>

### Payroll Giving—Charitable Works Fund

Easy, pre-tax giving to your favourite causes.

Contributions to the Diocese of Broken Bay Charitable Works Fund are now available through **Payroll Giving**.

Payroll Giving as a very simple and effective way to donate. It's a secure way for employees to make regular or one-off donations via their salary. Those who donate in this way instantly receive their tax-deduction.

Many employers also offer generous **donations matching** e.g.: a gift or \$30 per month is matched by the employer and your donation becomes \$60.

Many well-known companies offer the scheme—such as Westpac, NAB, Australia Post, PwC, St George, NRMA, Toyota, Sydney Water, Citibank, Macquarie Bank—and many others. Details of such matching schemes will be available from your employer.

One of the first Diocese of Broken Bay parishioners to use the scheme made a generous donation of \$2,400 that was matched into \$4,800 for CWF.

#### Setting up Payroll Giving is easy.

The first step is to contact your employer's HR or Payroll team who can set it up. CWF is registered with [www.good2give.ngo](http://www.good2give.ngo) who facilitate Payroll giving scheme.

If you have any questions on Payroll Giving to CWF, please contact David Armstrong, [David.armstrong@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:David.armstrong@bbcatholic.org.au) or ring 8379 1664 who can assist.

### MARGRET FROM SOLOMON ISLANDS—PROJECT COMPASSION

Margret, 39, is a teacher at a vocational school for deaf students in the Solomon Islands. She was born deaf, so she knows the challenges it poses to education and employment.

The school faced water shortages for about half the year. Staff and students would walk for up to half an hour to collect water for drinking, cooking, washing and growing vegetables. Then in April 2020, amidst the threat of COVID-19, Tropical Cyclone Harold struck, damaging school buildings and its vegetable garden.

With Caritas Australia's support, Margret's school installed eight large water tanks and provided cyclone-proof materials to repair the damage. It also helped the school to implement COVID-19 prevention measures, providing fabric for students to make face masks.

Margret's school now has enough safe water to supply the school's population of 150 and has the capacity to cater for more students. It plans to boost food security, by increasing its agricultural production. This will improve nutrition and boost the school's income, while building resilience to future disasters.

Margret hopes that the school can aspire to 'Be More'.

**"I am proud that our school community works together with Caritas Australia as our partner in ensuring that we live in a healthier environment,"** Margret says.



## PARISH DIARY FOR THIS WEEK

Day	Date	Time	Event
Sun.	28/02/21	7:45am	Mass at St Gerard's Church
		8:30am	Mass at OLHC Church
		9:30am	Mass at St Gerard's Church
		10:15am	Mass at OLHC Church
		6:00pm	Mass at OLHC Church
		6:00pm	PMR Epping Antioch Meeting
Mon.	01/03/21	9:30am	Mass at St Gerard's
		6:00pm	OLHC Reconciliation & Adoration
		7:30pm	Diocesan Lenten Program—Zoom
Tue.	02/03/21	10:45am	PMR Epping—Lenten Group
Tue.	03/03/21	12:15pm	Mass at OLHC Church
		7:45pm	Epping Uniting Church
Wed.	04/03/21	9:15am	Mass at OLHC Church
		9:30am	Mass at St Gerard's
		7:30pm	"The Search" - On Zoom
Thur.	05/03/21	10:00am	Healing Mass at St Gerard's Church
		12:15pm	Mass at OLHC Church
		7:30pm	PMR Carlingford Men of St Joseph
		7:30pm	PMR Epping—Lenten Group
Fri.	06/03/21	9:30am	Mass at St Gerard's Church
		10:00am	PMR Carlingford—Lenten Group
		12:15pm	Mass at OLHC Church
		7:00pm	St Gerard's Reconciliation, Adoration
		7:00pm	OLHC Church Stations of the Cross
Sat.	07/03/21	9:15am	Mass at OLHC Church
		9:45am	Exposition and Reconciliation
		10:20am	Benediction
		5:00pm	Reconciliation at St Gerard's
		5:00pm	Vigil Mass at OLHC Church
		6:00pm	Vigil Mass at St Gerard's Church

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If you have any questions, comments or feedback for the Parish Pastoral Council then please send an email to [ppsecretary@eppcarl.org.au](mailto:ppsecretary@eppcarl.org.au)

## Men of St. Joseph



Welcome all who want to join the group of "Men of St Joseph". We meet weekly to discuss, share our faith and support one another. We meet in the parish meeting room at Carlingford on a Thursday night commencing at 7:30pm.

Fr Bogdan

## Lenten Ecumenical Services—Commence at 7:45pm in each Church

Date	Venue	Address
<b>02 Mar.</b>	Epping Baptist Church	1-5 Ray Road, Epping
<b>09 Mar.</b>	West Epping Uniting Church	161 Carlingford Road, Epping
<b>16 Mar.</b>	Our Lady Help of Christians' Church	29 Oxford Street, Epping
<b>23 Mar.</b>	St Albans Anglican Church -	3 Pembroke Street, Epping
<b>28 Mar.</b>	Palm Sunday—We gather at St Albans. for the blessing of the palms and then make our way back to our own church for the 10:15am Mass.	

## Parish Information



### Children's Sacramental Journey - First Eucharist 2021

Enrolment for First Eucharist will open this Monday 1<sup>st</sup> March. In our Diocese of Broken Bay, children who have celebrated the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, undergone preparation for Reconciliation and who are currently in Year 4 or above are invited to enrol.

If you know of anyone who may wish to enrol their children, please feel free to spread the word for us. Alternatively, they can email us and we will forward them an information pack and link to enrol.

A brochure will shortly be available at the back of both churches for families who wish to know this year's key dates for the Sacramental Programme.

### Children's Mass - Carlingford

There will be a Children's Mass at 9:30am at St. Gerard's Church, Carlingford on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> March.

Fr Jim and Fr Bogdan would like to invite the Year 6 group to participate. The children can be involved in readings, prayers and processions. Please email [lynn@eppcarl.org.au](mailto:lynn@eppcarl.org.au) for more details.

We always like to hear from you and look forward to building a fruitful relationship! If you have any queries regarding participation in Children's Mass, Kidz Word or would like more information regarding your child's sacramental journey within our parish, please feel free to drop me a line.



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### Ecumenical Service— World Day of Prayer



All parishioners are invited to join the World Day of Prayer, This is an annual celebration on the Christian calendar and supported by six traditions in the Epping area.

It will be held at All Saints Church, Malton Road, North Epping on Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> March at 10.30 am. The focus this year will be on Vanuatu .

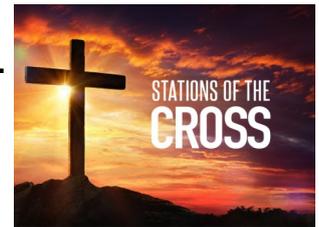
Following the service, tea and coffee is available, and there is an opportunity to stay for lunch. Organizer's do ask we bring our own sandwich.

Please phone Lorraine Lobsey 0438605773 if you would like a lift.

### Stations of the Cross

7:00 pm  
every Friday in Lent

Our Lady Help of Christians' Church  
31 Oxford Street,  
Epping



Organised by the Men of St Joseph

The Parish Pastoral Council Meeting will take place this **Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> March** in the parish meeting room at St Gerard's, Carlingford commencing at 7:00pm.

**CARLINGFORD HEALING MASS** Our Healing Mass will take place on **Thursday, 4<sup>th</sup> March** at **10:00am** in the Church. Due to COVID-19 restrictions morning tea will not be served at the conclusion of Mass.

Our Lady Help of Christians Catholic Primary School Cambridge St, Epping

**Open Day**  
Wednesday 10th March  
9:00am-10:30am



### Youth And Young Adults



**OUR PARISH ANTIOCH COMMUNITY**  
**Meeting this Sunday, 28th February**

Why not come along to the Antioch meeting to hear a great talk, join in discussion time get into some awesome music, take time out for prayer and meet people.

The meeting starts at **6pm** in the parish meeting room at **Carlingford**  
 So head on down and bring a friend.  
 For more information call

**Joanne 0416 030 927, Karen 0421 506 577 (parent supporters)**  
*"It was at Antioch the believers were first called Christians"*



**CANA: OUR 7-9 yrs. YOUTH GROUP**

**Cana is meeting again**

We are meeting on the 5th March, 7:30-9pm at St Gerard's Meeting Room.

Anyone from year 6-9 are welcome!  
 Snacks and drinks are provided!

**CANA**  
 YOUTH GROUP



John 2:11 'The first of these miraculous signs, Jesus performed at Cana.'

**Bible Reading Group**

We are reading a chapter a day of 1 and 2 Peter from 20<sup>th</sup>-27th Feb. Join via our Facebook group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1148887152176778/> or join our WhatsApp group by texting 'Bible' to Joanna on 0404 710 588.



**Emmaus Young Adults Group**

Our Young Adults group will meet on Tuesday, 9th March, in the parish meeting room from 7:00—8:30pm.

If you would like to come, please contact the Youth Minister, Joanna on 0404710588 if you have any questions.



**OPEN DAY**

St Gerard's Catholic Primary School Carlingford welcomes you to come and meet our Principal and see what our school offers for your child.

**Wednesday, 10th March 2021**  
**9:30-10:30am and 6:00-7:00pm**



Visit [www.sgddb.catholic.edu.au/open-day](http://www.sgddb.catholic.edu.au/open-day) or call the school on (02) 9871 1633 for more information.

**GRACE**  
 Group Radio Association of Carlingford & Epping




Episode 11

Join in the discussion on the next Power Parables segment, learn more about St Gregory and have a chat with some of our youth who just attended the Antioch retreat.



SCAN  HERE

[www.anchor.fm/grace2020](http://www.anchor.fm/grace2020)

## Parish Information

### Webinar: Engaging Seekers—Reaching the Unchurched Wednesday, 3rd March—7:00pm—8:00pm

In the current pandemic, people are spiritually curious. Many are asking who is in control of their lives, and what the purpose of life is. People are seeking to find the truth and many churches are in prime positions to offer them a place to search and provide answers to their deepest longings. Join Kevin Bailey and Donna Brennan (Alpha in a Catholic context coordinator for Alpha Australia) as we explore and discuss innovative ways to reach people and bring them to a beautiful experience with Jesus.

To register visit [divinerenovation.org](http://divinerenovation.org)

### Webinar Alpha Online: A conversation with Fr James Mallon and Nicky Gumbel

For parish communities who have run, are interested in running or just curious about Alpha, this live conversation webinar with Fr James Mallon (Divine Renovation) and Nicky Gumbel (Alpha.org) on Tuesday 9th March at 9pm-10pm is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about Alpha as an evangelisation tool and how it can be instrumental in renewing parishes.

All those in Alpha teams and interested parishioners are invited to this webinar.

Register at [divinerenovation.org](http://divinerenovation.org)

### Pick up a Lenten book.

**COMFORT** or the **Diocesan Lenten Program** are at the entrance to the church.

Read **COMFORT**. *The daily reflections are good. Today's really touched me.* (Reader)

### Join a Lenten Group

All groups have begun their Lenten journey with Jesus to Jerusalem. Come, join us. If you are going, have you told someone? Would you invite others? Ask at least one person to join you. You will connect with others in this Covid time.

### Grow in your faith

Our parish Website has all the groups, when and where they meet and the program they are using.

You can scroll down the front page of the parish website to see the link to GROW.

*The link below has been inserted into Grow In Your Faith above.*

<https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/epping-carlingford/groups-and-ministries/grow-in-faith>

### Listen, God is speaking

Let God reveal who God is in the readings this second Sunday of Lent.

**In Genesis**, "God put Abraham to the test. God said *Take your son, your only child Isaac, whom you love, you shall offer him as a burnt offering.* . . . Abraham seized the knife to kill his son. But the angel of the Lord called to him. *Do not raise your hand against the boy. Do not harm him, for now I know you fear God. You have not refused me your son, your only son.*' Abraham took the ram and offered it as a burnt-offering in place of his son."

The angel of the Lord called Abraham a second time from heaven. (Listen to God's surprise.) **Abraham, you have not refused me your son, your only son.** (The Lord God promises) *I swear by my own self, I will shower blessings on you.* . . . **All the nations of the earth shall bless themselves, as a reward for your obedience.** Gen 22:1-2,9-13,15-18

**St Paul** tells us; *God is on our side. God will not refuse anything he can give. **God did not spare his own Son** but **gave him up** to benefit us all. **Jesus died for us** – he rose from the dead, and he stands at God's right hand **and pleads for us.*** Romans 8:31-34

**In the Gospel**, Mark tells us, *Jesus was transfigured: his clothes became dazzlingly white. Peter and James and John saw it and never forgot it. They were so frightened. And a cloud came, covering them in shadow; and a voice came from the cloud, **This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him.*** God the Father revealed Jesus is the one God loves! He is the Son of the Father, the Son of His Love. **The beloved** reveals who Jesus is. Mark 9:2-10

There is a time to listen and a time to tell. We are at our best when we are loving. When we are loving one another, this brings out our best self. Love is empowering. The Beloved is among us.

Fr Jim has asked our parish **to offer Alpha**, so others will experience this time of listening and time of telling how love is alive and with us.

The question is **Who will offer Alpha?** We ask the Holy Spirit to call individuals, who will come together and commit to host and to help others to experience Alpha. Our prayer, *May those who have done Alpha listen to God. Who is the Spirit calling to go with our guests on the Alpha journey?*

Would you pause for a moment. Who comes to mind who has done Alpha? Please pray for them. Would you go to them and encourage them to contact me ([denis.mcnamara@eppcarl.org.au](mailto:denis.mcnamara@eppcarl.org.au)) to learn more about the coming Alpha.

We trust with St Paul. *With God on our side who can be against us? Since God gave his own Son, to benefit us all, we may be certain, after such a gift, that he will not refuse anything he can give.* Romans 8:31

## COVID-19 Safety Plan

- We adhere to maximum number of person permitted in the church based on the two square metre rule (160 people at Epping and 290 at Carlingford).
- Coloured cards on the seats indicating seating positions ensure maximum separation.
- All are asked to sanitise their hands on entering & leaving and use the QR code or sign in the book.
- We ask the parishioners to sanitise the pew where were sitting after every Mass
- There is no physical exchange of the sign of peace.
- All are asked to maintain 2 metre spacing when coming forward for Holy Communion (which is given on the hand first and then those receiving on the tongue are asked to come up last).

### After Hours Sick Calls— 9876 2853

Outside office hours our office phones divert to Fr Jim and Fr Bogdan at home. In the event that they are unavailable, their answering machines will record your message or ring the number given in the message. However, if possible please restrict routine enquiries to office hours.

**Admitted to Hospital** A reminder that if you are admitted to hospital, please try to ensure that you write down your religion as Catholic on the admission form, so that you can receive Catholic services during your stay.

**Ecumenical Relationships** Our parish is strongly committed to ecumenism and a formal Covenant has been signed with the Anglican Parish of Epping, Epping Uniting Church, West, Epping Uniting Church and Epping Baptist Church.

**Have You Told Us?** If you have recently changed your address, phone number or email. For parishioners who give by credit card, does your credit card expire in the near future? Please give the parish office a call on 9876 2853 if you have received a new credit card and/or a new expiry date.

### E-Bulletin

If you would like to receive the bulletin by email, please send an email with e-bulletin as the subject title to: [marree@eppcarl.org.au](mailto:marree@eppcarl.org.au)



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## THE APOSTLES' CREED

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, (all bow)  
 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

**Palm Sunday At Epping – An Ecumenical Entry to Holy Week** For the third year we will gather together with the community from St Alban's Anglican Church and Chester St Uniting Church for **A COMMON BLESSING OF PALMS** for our principal Sunday morning celebration of Palm Sunday and that we will then process to our individual churches for our own liturgies. The arrangements will be that we will gather for the blessing of palms in the grounds of Our Lady Help of Christians' Church (note the new starting venue this year) from which we will then process up the street with our blessed palms before returning to our own church for the celebration of Mass. Members of the community at St Gerard's at Carlingford are of course welcome to join in this celebration. Palm Sunday is the threshold to Holy Week and this gathering will give us a wonderful opportunity to come together to begin that most sacred time of our common Church year. Fr Jim McKeon



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**Responsorial Psalm Response**

Ps 115:10.15.19 R. Ps. 114.9

I will walk in the presence of the Lord,  
in the land of the living.

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**Gospel Acclamation****Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!**  
From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard:  
this is my beloved Son, hear him.  
**Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!****WEEKEND MASSES****Epping** 5:00pm Vigil, 8:30am, 10:15am, 6:00pm**Carlingford** 6:00pm Vigil, 7:45am, 9:30am**WEEKDAY MASSES**

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.
<b>EPPING</b>	No Mass	12:15pm	9:15am	12:15pm	12:15pm	9:15am
<b>CARLINGFORD</b>	9:30am	No Mass	9:30am	9:30am	9:30am	No Mass

**HEALING MASS** Carlingford—1st Thursday, Epping — 3rd Wednesday (no Healing Mass in Jan.)**EXPOSITION OF THE EUCHARIST: Epping** Saturday 9:45-10:15am, Carlingford, 4th Thursday 10:00am**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Epping** Saturday 9:45-10:1am Carlingford Saturday 5:00—5:30pm  
**OR BY APPOINTMENT****BAPTISMS AND WEDDINGS: BY APPOINTMENT****PARISH OFFICE:** 29 Oxford Street, Epping NSW 2121 **PH:** 9876 2853 **Email:** parish@eppcarl.org.au**ST GERARD MAJELLA PRIMARY SCHOOL: PH:** 9871 1633 **Email:** sgc@dbb.catholic.edu.au**OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTANS PRIMARY SCHOOL: PH:** 9868 3322 **Email:** olhc@dbb.catholic.edu.au**Lord, in Jesus your Son, you restored to us the gift of Everlasting life. Grant that life to:****Recently deceased:** Terry Fitzpatrick, Mabel Massingham, Yohannes Senfri Tjahyadi, Joseph Edward, Neville Wilkin, Rumsey Mangano, Eugene O'Neill, Fr Edgardo Pamos, Roger Bonilla, Sr Mary Therese Lawler, Joan Scott, Moya Ashford, Ken Ho, Alice Eng Peck Quah,**Anniversaries:****Also for:** Alice Eng Peck Quah,**Please pray for those who are sick:** Sean Huhse, Joel Steinberg, Patricia Rumble, Dean Pan, John Davies, Nicole Greenfield, Michael Furlong, Saulius Dovydas Balsya, Residents of Wesley Rayward Nursing Home, Mark Di Palma, Anthony Conlon, Andrew Hannam, The Craig Family, Fr Mick Court, Margaret Maher, Anna & Leo Bruzze, Gerhard Stieger, Rebecca Lawler, Ben Thornton, Elaine Finlayson, Brian Walsh, Patricia O'Connor, Kathy Noonan, Dorothy Bonaccorso, Margaret Floyd, Barbara Madafiglio, John Lyons, Bev Gibbeson, Radhi Riley, Patrick Thornton, Jan Doherty, Maureen McKeough, Ana Matijasic, Benjamin Verco, Peter Kelly, John Goodwin, George Bell, Patrick Thornton, Mary Tuite, Michael & Susan Tuite, Benjamin Verco, Greg Walsh, John Gilberti, Stella Nathan, Catherine Walsh, Brendan Stone, Melanie Loudoun, Mary Wijewardana, Elaine Hunt, Arnold Day, Maureen Carlon, Fr Adrian Borst, Augustine Hong, Luba Charlton, George Khouri, Antony Hogan, Ingrid Connor, Steve Toth, Martin & Gay Flood, William Jones, Nicholas Rajanayagen, Maria Lee, Patricia Muschalik, Delma Soria, Sr Abanasia Lee, Maria Belisario, Stella Edwards, Fara Vargas, Theo Stevens, Monica Weeden, Thomas Woodward, Wai Chun Wong, Heather Stoodley, Agnes Wong, Alex Benjamin Zaragoza, Amarech Zewelde, Janice Lemon, Mary Lou Pentony, Donald Wong, Joyce Heidke.**Due to privacy laws, names of the sick and deceased can only be put in the bulletin with the permission of the family.****Useful Links****Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/CatholicParishOfEppingAndCarlingford>**Instagram:** <https://www.instagram.com/catholicparisheppcarl/>**Fr Jim's Youtube:** <https://youtube.com/channel/UCLpbDNqP8u1Wx4Gm08jJydA>**Epping and Carlingford Website:** <https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/eppingcarlingford>**G.R.A.C.E podcast via internet:**<https://open.spotify.com/show/1y2EWOFFkWJMRN5tAWJN9am>

Date	Mass	Epping	Mass	Carlingford
06/02/21	5:00pm	Fr Bogdan Skupien	6:00pm	Fr Jim McKeon
07/02/21	8:30am	Fr Bogdan Skupien	7:45am	Fr Jim McKeon
07/02/21	10:15am	Fr Bogdan Skupien	9:30am	Fr Jim McKeon
07/02/21	6:00pm	Fr Bogdan Skupien		