



St Patrick's Parish Gosford

The Communities of St Patrick's East Gosford,
St Francis of Assisi Somersby & Holy Trinity Spencer
Neighbourhoods of Grace, entrusted to the care of the Salvatorians.



CONGRATULATIONS TO FRs GEORGE AND TADEUSZ

Today they are Celebrating 25 years as Priests. The lives of all the people in our parish have been blessed by these two wonderful priests who have devoted their lives to the service of God and others, before themselves.

The 18th century Bagno Palace the seminary, where Frs George and Tadeusz studied.



and Tadeusz studied.

The words in the last verse of the Poem "Ode to a Priest" by Jordan Legaspi from the Philippines epitomises these two men.

"Thank you, father, I find my self the long lost friend I thought I couldn't find.

Thank you, teacher, I learned how to love the way Jesus loves me despite my infirmities.

Thank you, friend, I have now the idea how to accept the differences and limitation in me."

We wish them well as they continue to lead us in our spiritual lives.



The Holy Spirit will teach you everything

Congratulations



CELEBRATION OF 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF PRIESTHOOD FR GEORGE AND FR TADEUSZ

26th May 9am Mass

St Patrick's East Gosford

Morning Tea and Coffee

Please bring plate to share and help us celebrate their anniversary!



FR FRANCIS JORDAN SDS

"Yes, the thought often occupies me: how truly blessed it would be to lay down one's life for another (to suffer in place of a sister or brother)."



POPE FRANCIS' MAY 2019 INTENTION

The Church in Africa, a Seed of Unity

That the Church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent.

A warm welcome to our parishioners and visitors who are celebrating the Eucharist with us this weekend at St Patrick's Parish.

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ST PATRICK'S PARISH GOSFORD

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SALVATORIANI

Society of the Divine Saviour

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PARISH OFFICE

Secretary: Colleen Kirk
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Friday (fortnightly): 8:30am – 1:00pm

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Friday:

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St Peter's College: Mr Tim Hilderbrandt 43512344

Christian Brothers' Community

Frederick Street, East Gosford
Br Peter Hester cfc [Community Leader]
Br Rod Shoebridge cfc

MONDAY 27 LECTIO DIVINA PRAYER GROUP:

In the Jordan Room after 9:00am Mass

Traditionally, Lectio Divina has four separate steps: read; meditate; pray; contemplate. First a passage of scripture is read, then its meaning is reflected upon. This is followed by prayer and contemplation on the Word of God.

CHURCH OPEN DAILY 8:30AM – 4:30PM.

STANDARD WEEKDAY MASSES

Gosford:

Monday:	9:00am	Wednesday:	11:30am	Friday:	12 noon
Tuesday:	9:00am	Thursday:	9:00am	Saturday:	9:00am

WEEKEND MASSES

Gosford:

Saturday Vigil:	5:00pm	Sunday:	7:30am	Children's Liturgy:
			9:00am	During 9:00am Mass
			6:00pm	Each Sunday of School Term.

Somersby, 30 Lutana Road: Saturday Vigil: 6:30pm

Spencer, Wiseman's Ferry Rd: 1st Sunday Monthly: 4:00pm

OTHER MASSES

Filipino Mass 2nd	Korean Mass Monthly:
Sunday Monthly:	[Enq: Peter 0409-
12 noon	508-123] 6:00pm

ADORATION IN OUR CHURCH

Before the Blessed Sacrament

Mon:	8:30am-9:00am	Wed:	11:00am-11:30am	Fri:	12:30pm-3:00pm
Tues:	8:30am-9:00am	Thur:	8:30am-9:00am	Sat:	8:00am

RECONCILIATION – 1ST RITE

Gosford:

Mon-Thur: during	Prior to Mass 11:30am	4:30pm.
Adoration	Other Fridays 12:30pm	Sunday: 7:00am and
1st Friday of Month	Saturday: 8:30am and	5:30pm
St Francis of Assisi 30 Lutana Road, Somersby:		
Saturday after Vigil:	7:30pm	

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

After weekday Masses and 3:00pm Friday

ROSARIES

Weekday

Monday, Tuesday Thursday	8:05am
Wednesday	10:35am
Friday	11:35am

Saturdays Monthly

8.05am: 1st – For Priests & Religious.
8.05am 3rd Saturday – For Mothers & Abortion.
8.05am 4th Saturday – For Persecuted Christians and their Persecutors.

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA

Last Wednesday of each Month at 12 noon

ADORATION AT BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

Located on Chapel Lane at the Admin Centre
Monday to Thursday 8:30am – 3:30pm
Friday 9:00am – 3:30pm

GROUP MEETINGS

Bible Study Lectio Divina / Christian Unity / Christian DVD:

Mondays at 9:30am twice monthly,
Wednesday at 10:00am in the Jordan Room.
Bible Study Monday 7:00 pm in the Jordan Room
RCIA: in Admin Centre 7:30pm Tuesdays.

Contact the Parish Office to register interest.

menALIVE:

7:30pm commencing with Mass
1st Tuesday of Month
9:00am 4th Tuesday Monthly
in Jordan Room

Cancer Prayers:

Grief & Loss, Prayer & Support:

1st Thursday Monthly 2pm in Jordan Room
Craft Group - Friday each week of School Term
9:30am – 12:00pm

SATURDAY MORNING COFFEE SHOP

After 9:00am Mass in the Jordan Room.

All proceeds to Charities



IN YOUR PARISH OF ST PATRICK'S THIS WEEK

Sunday May 26	7:30am 9:00am 10:00am 10:00am 7:00pm	CWF Appeal Collection at all Masses during May 25th Anniversary of Ordination Frs Greg and Tadeusz Confirmation Class after 9:00am Mass Morning Tea Celebration in Hall after 9:00am Mass Youth Group Meeting after 6:00 pm Mass
Monday May 27	9:30am	Lectio Divina in the Jordan room after 9:00am Mass
Tuesday May 28	9:30am 7:30pm	Cancer Prayer Meeting in jordan Room Confirmation Class at the School
Wednesday May 29	12:00pm 5:30pm 7:30pm	OLPH Rosary in the Church Confirmation Class at Somersby Conversation of Grace with light supper in the Jordan Room
Thursday May 30	3:30pm 5:30pm	Confirmation Classes in the School Finance Committee meeting in Admin Centre
Friday May 31	9:30am 12:30pm	Craft Group in Jordan Room Adoration in St Patrick's from 12:30 pm to 3:00 pm
Saturday June 1	10:15am	Choir Practice in Church

PARISH NEWS AND NOTICES

A SPECIAL MASS TODAY CELEBRATING THE 25TH ANNIVERSARIES; THIS SUNDAY MAY 26, 9:00 AM

FR GEORGE KOLODZIEJ & FR TADEUSZ SEREMET were ordained as Priests 25 years ago this May! To celebrate the momentous occasion for two Priests who have spent so much time involved in our Parish. St Patrick's is having a special Mass today at 9:00 am, followed by morning tea in the hall.

Our very own Fr Greg will also be celebrating his 8th anniversary on the same day.

Please join with us to celebrate this wonderful occasion by attending Mass at 9:00 am con-celebrated by Fr Greg, Fr George and Fr Tadeusz.

KIDS CORNER

PINT SIZED PADDIES

NEXT EVENT FRIDAY JUNE 14.

In the School Hall 7:00 pm on 2nd and 4th Friday of each Month. Enquiries to Melissa 0434 251 481

KIDS ARE AMAZING

If you listen very quietly, it sounds like the rain is playing music in the grass and the trees. – Gideon, age 6.

ST PATRICK'S PARISH YOUTH GROUP

NEXT YOUTH GROUP MEETING

This Sunday, May 19 after 6:00 pm Mass in the Jordan Room. We have a new and energetic group of young people who are meeting regularly to commune in a spiritual environment to engage in fellowship and positive activities. All youth are most welcome.

YOUTH BAND

The Youth Band are welcoming new members, so if you are musically inclined why not join the band. If you are interested make contact with one of the existing band members or Fr Greg.

GENERAL NEWS

MEETING OF SOMERSBY PARISHIONERS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, SATURDAY JUNE 1 @ 7.30PM

Fr Greg is keen to meet with Somersby parishioners, especially Eucharistic Ministers and Senior Servers, at a meeting which was initially set for June 8 but has now

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been moved to June 1 @ 7.30pm, after Mass. We look forward to seeing as many there as possible.

A BIG THANK YOU

To the **Fund Raising Committee** for the stellar job organising and successfully selling all the Polish donuts last weekend, with all funds raised to be put towards the youth ministry in the parish. Thank you also to the **parishioners who lent a helping hand.**

We have **John Moriarty** to thank for the external work on the bus which is no longer looking quite so patchy, and the 'new' look has been noted by many!

RECONCILIATION SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMME 2019.

Children who have already been confirmed and are 8 years old are eligible to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation. This weekend at all exits, and on our website [www.bbcatholic.org.au/Gosford] you will find the enrollment applications and information sheets for lodgment at the Parish Office before July 3.

PRESENTATIONS FOR BAPTISM

The following children will be presented at the 9am Mass this Sunday prior to their upcoming baptisms. Xavier Hammond, Roderick Smith, Carolyn & Carlos Talanoa, and Evelyn McDonnell. Please keep these children in your prayers. The next baptism presentation will be on Sunday June 23.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Forms are being prepared in the office for the election of new Parish Council Members. The forms will be distributed at Mass on the 1st Sunday of June and will be collected again on the 2nd Sunday of June. Please put some thought into who you believe will make a good member of our Parish Council and vote accordingly.

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE

At the end of May Fr Greg will appoint new members of the Parish Finance Committee who will support him and the Parish in the finances of the Parish.

HEARING AID FOUND IN THE CHURCH

On Thursday, May 16 one Hearing aid was found in the Church, if it is yours, contact the Parish Office to collect it.

MYSTERY WEB PAGE: CHECK IT OUT

<https://www.catholicaustralia.com.au/the-scripture/lectio-divina>

THE CHARITABLE WORKS FUND

LAST CHANCE TO HELP YOUR PARISH AND OBTAIN A TAX DEDUCTION IN THE 2019/20 FINANCIAL YEAR!

ST PATRICK'S IS \$16,000 SHORT OF THE \$33,017 ANNUAL CWF QUOTA PAYABLE TO THE DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY.

"How marvellous it would be, if at the end of the day, each of us could say: today I have performed an act of charity towards others" - Pope Francis

PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY IN SUPPORT OF YOUR PARISH.

As the Charitable Works Fund final appeal in the 2018/19 financial year commences on this weekend, could you please come prepared, during May, to give in your usual generous way, as we have to meet our quota shortfall. All donations are 100% tax deductible.

Supporting the CWF puts your gift to work in your local faith community.

We are so grateful to our community who demonstrate their love for their neighbours by generously supporting the Charitable Works Fund.

The CWF works every day by providing the funds to ensure that there are trained CatholicCare Pastoral Care Practitioners in the hospitals in our Diocese.

The CWF works every day by providing the funds to create the resources and train catechists (Catholic Special Religious Education Teachers) at public schools in our Diocese.

The CWF works every day by providing additional funds to two schools with students with special needs.

The CWF works every day by providing funds to those who are deaf or hard of hearing through the Ephpheta Centre.

When you give to the CWF, you can be assured that your donation is working for the faith and the people of the Diocese of Broken Bay. Donations \$2 and over are tax-deductible.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS' AND SENIOR SERVERS MEETING

On Sunday, June 16 @ 4.30pm at St Patrick's, Fr Greg calls all Eucharistic Ministers and Senior Servers to a meeting with him to prepare for the commissioning of all in this ministry on the Feast of Corpus Christi, Sunday, June 23 at all Masses. Each minister should be aware that attendance at the meeting St Patrick's or Somersby is very relevant to the commissioning, and that Eucharistic Ministers who aren't commissioned on that day will be unable to serve in the ministry until they are. Could anyone who considers either of these dates a problem for them please contact the Parish Office.

SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

Tuesday 4th June, 2019, 7.30pm - 9.00pm

The Grange Hotel Function Room, Cnr: Renwick St & Pacific Hwy, WYOMING. Bistro opens at 5-30pm.

Inquiries: 4328 2596 or 0498 588 261

Theme 2019: "Reflections on my Spiritual Journey"

TWO SPEAKERS:

Adrian Gomez is the Ordained deacon at Wahroonga. He also works at the Diocesan Marriage Tribunal, helps with Catholic Youth festivals, is Youth Ministry Coordinator at St. Leo's Catholic College and Team Leader on St. V de P Night Patrol.

Rev Rex A E Hunt is a retired Uniting Church minister and 'grass roots' religious naturalist and social ecologist. Rex is the founding Chair of "The Common Dreams Conference of Religious Progressives" in the South Pacific and author/editor of eight books.

SUCCESS FOR THE SALVATORIANS

Fr Greg has returned from East Timor on Friday and reports the work done in East Timor over the past months has resulted in 4 new young men signing up to commence studies at the Salvatorian Seminary in the Philippines. Following their studies and ordination we will welcome them to Australia to lead their lives as Priests.



MINISTRY TO THE SENIORS [55+]: CRUISING THE BRISBANE WATERS

Monday, June 24, departing at 10am. Note the change of date.

If you'd like a morning of sailing the Brisbane Waters with morning tea and lunch for only \$38, please call Barbara McCarthy on 4322 0250 to book yourself a spot.

The Starship Cruise departs Gosford Wharf at 10am but please be there by 9.45am, and should return at about 1pm..

Why not come and Join us for a morning of fun in the sun.



WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity commences 2 June. The theme for 2019 is "Justice and only justice you shall pursue" (Deut 16:18-20). It is a time to pray with all our brothers and sisters in Christ and commit to living according to the values of unity, justice and mercy both in our personal lives and communally in our local churches.

We pray for the visible unity of the Church.

Lead us to fulfil Jesus' prayer that all may be one as we work together to bring about your Kingdom.

O God, hear our prayer and grant us passion for unity.

We pray for those who live surrounded by injustice.

We lift up their voices and ask that you strengthen their hope.

We pray for those who continue to perpetuate injustice.

We pray for every organisation and person who stands for justice.

May your kindness fill our hearts and make us agents of freedom and peace.

Let us act justly according to your way.

O God, hear our prayer and grant us your justice.

We thank you for the rich tapestry of cultures and customs that make up our world.

In our differences, unite us in your love.

Enable us to act together to uphold life and to make this world a just and peaceful home for all humanity.

O God, hear our prayer and grant us your peace.

YOUR PRAYERS PLEASE

MASS INTENTIONS

Date	Mass	Intention
Sat 25/5	9:00a Gosford 5:00p Gosford 6:30p Somersby	+ Recently Deceased Steven Kim + Recently Deceased Steven Kim Parish Intentions
Sun 26/5	7:30a Gosford 9:00a Gosford 6:00p Gosford	+ Recently Deceased Steven Kim 25th Aniversaries of Ordination Frs George and Tadeusz + Recently Deceased Sid Dowsett
Tue 28/5	9:00a Gosford	+ Recently Deceased Steven Kim
Wed 29/5	11:30a Gosford	+ Recently Deceased Steven Kim
Thu 30/5	9:00a Gosford	+ 1st Aniversary Patrrick Holohan
Fri 31/5	12:00p Gosford	+ Remembrance Keevers, Knight & Merchant Families.
Sat 1/6	9:00a Gosford 5:00p Gosford 6:30p Somersby	+ Recently Deceased Steven Kim + 3rd Aniversary Tim Keogh + Recently Deceased Steven Kim
Sun 19/5	9:00a Gosford 6:00p Gosford	Parish Intentions + Recently Deceased Sid Dowsett

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SERIOUSLY ILL MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY:

Brian Graham, Arlene Peters, Kath Ryan, John Burg, Peter & Lena O'Donovan, Tina Learwood, Allan Francis, Brian Loo, Bev Meehan, Michael Graham, Glenn Mills, Frank McGuinness, Angela Cunningham, Simon Low, Christopher Graham, Frances Cannon, John Riley, Margaret Gunnison, Sonia Cummings, Anna-Marie Rowan, Denise Smith, Melita Waters, Judy Wennerbom, Helen Bligh, Scott McKinnon.

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Margaret Agius, Nelson Fernandes, Sid Dowsett, Deacon Jim Caulfield, Steven Kim.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Patrick Holohan, Tim Keogh, Kerry Rowe, Llyod Woods, Lionel Owe, Alan Smith, Kenneth "Mick" Murray, Olga Quinn & Phyllis McHatton, Jim & Mary Ryan.

REMEMBRANCES:

Keevers, Knight & Merchant Families, Alan Smith, Magdalen McNamara, Phyllis Owens, Friquet Family, Colleen Cartner, Thelma Herring, Laura McGuire, Nancy Kirk, Liberatori Risi, Jack & Doris Bourke, Ronald Freeman, Friquet Family, Michael Kokegei.

CONDOLENCES:

Condolences to Johnson Fernandes and his family on the loss of his brother Nelson, who passed in India this week. One can not imagine the pain of losing someone so close, please pray for Nelson's soul and for Johnson and his family.

FIRST READING

ACTS 15:1-2. 22-29

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

It has been decided by the Holy Spirit and ourselves not to burden you beyond what is essential.

Some men came down from Judaea and taught the brothers, 'Unless you have yourselves circumcised in the tradition of Moses you cannot be saved.' This led to disagreement, and after Paul and Barnabas had had a long argument with these men it was arranged that Paul and Barnabas and others of the church should go up to Jerusalem and discuss the problem with the apostles and elders.

Then the apostles and elders decided to choose delegates to send to Antioch with Paul and Barnabas; the whole church concurred with this. They chose Judas known as Barsabbas and Silas, both leading men in the brotherhood, and gave them this letter to take with them:

'The apostles and elders, your brothers, send greetings to the brothers of pagan birth in Antioch, Syria and Cilicia. We hear that some of our members have disturbed you with their demands and have unsettled your minds. They acted without any authority from us, and so we have decided unanimously to elect delegates and to send them to you with Barnabas and Paul, men we highly respect who have dedicated their lives to the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Accordingly we are sending you Judas and Silas, who will confirm by word of mouth what we have written in this letter. It has been decided by the Holy Spirit and by ourselves not to saddle you with any burden beyond these essentials: you are to abstain from food sacrificed to idols, from blood, from the meat of strangled animals and from fornication. Avoid these, and you will do what is right. Farewell.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PS 66:2-3. 5-6. 8. R. V.4

(R.) O God, let all the nations praise you!

O God, be gracious and bless us and let your face shed its light upon us.

So will your ways be known upon earth and all nations learn your saving help.

(R.) O God, let all the nations praise you!

Let the nations be glad and exult for you rule the world with justice.

With fairness you rule the peoples,

you guide the nations on earth.

(R.) O God, let all the nations praise you!

Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

May God still give us his blessing till the ends of the earth revere him.

(R.) O God, let all the nations praise you!

SECOND READING

RV 21:10-14, 22-23

A reading from the book of the Apocalypse

He showed me the holy city coming down out of heaven.

In the spirit, the angel took me to the top of an enormous high mountain and showed me Jerusalem, the holy city, coming down from God out of heaven. It had all the radiant glory of God and glittered like some precious jewel of crystal-clear diamond. The walls of it were of a great height, and had twelve gates; at each of the twelve gates there was an angel, and over the gates were written the names of the twelve tribes of Israel; on the east there were three gates, on the north three gates, on the south three gates, and on the west three gates. The city walls stood on twelve foundation stones, each one of which bore the name of one of the twelve apostles of the Lamb.

I saw that there was no temple in the city since the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb were themselves the temple, and the city did not need the sun or the moon for light, since it was lit by the radiant glory of God and the Lamb was a lighted torch for it.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

JN 14:23

Alleluia, alleluia!

All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them and we will come to them.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

JN 14:23-29

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

The Holy Spirit will teach you everything and remind you of all I have said to you.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him and make our home with him.'

Those who do not love me do not keep my words. And my word is not my own: it is the word of the one who sent me.

I have said these things to you while still with you; but the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all I have said to you.

Peace I bequeath to you, my own peace I give you, a peace the world cannot give, this is my gift to you.

Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. You heard me say: I am going away, and shall return.

If you loved me you would have been glad to know that I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I.

I have told you this now before it happens, so that when it does happen you may believe.'

COMMENTARY

Some people have the idea that God is awfully remote, dwelling beyond the edge of the cosmos. We make contact by sending a prayer like a long range rocket, hoping it will find its target.

This is far distant from Our Lord's teaching in today's Gospel.

'If anyone loves me and keeps my word, my Father and I will make our home with that person.' It is not in outer space, but in inner space that Divine Love will make a home.

What turns a house into a home? It is in sitting around a table sharing a meal. So, Jesus created a sacred meal for us and invites us to share in the Heavenly Bread and Spiritual Drink.

When we do so, we find, in the words of St John Paul II, that we 'digest, as it were, the secret of the Resurrection'. We take into ourselves the Real Presence of the Risen Lord who makes his home with us.

Coming to Communion, even after a long time away, satisfies the yearning of the human heart because it is made to be the habitation of Divine Love. We could pause for a moment to reflect on the gracious fact that God chooses to dwell in our hearts. Let us respond wholeheartedly.

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READINGS NEXT SUNDAY

SUNDAY, JUN 2 - SOLEMNITY, ASCENSION OF THE LORD

1st – Acts 1:1–11

2nd – Eph 1:17–23

Gospel – Luke 24:46–53

Your Roster – June 2, The Ascension of The Lord [C]					
MASS	VIGIL 5:00	7:30am	9:00am	6:00pm	Somersby -6:30
DATE	01.06.19	2.06.19	2.06.19	2.06.19	1.06.19
Audio/Visual	Johann Fernandes	Glad Williams	Roy Kim	Anna Jung	Melissa Monaghan
Acolytes	Johnson Fernandes Sam Giddings	John McCrae Alan Pont	Peter McLean Aaron Cartwright	Ange Stitt Patrick Nicholls	Altar Society: Vicki Muscat
Lectors	Terry Cooke Nicole Murphy	Anne Lovett Gerard Price	Emily Torres Machuca Josie McGuinness	Milen Shiju Cheryl Walsh	Michael Monaghan Joanne Comensoli
Commentator	Jan Blanch	Ron Begg	Liz Malik	Kevin O'Donnell	Charlene Xuereb
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Altar Servers	Alvita Fernandes Annette Fernandes		Cameron Moss Rowan Talbot Lily Talbot Sarah Selim	Joey Stitt Lorenzo Arango	Dakota Xuereb Matthew Xuereb Flowers: To be advised
COUNTERS June 3 Fiona Eaton Ron Begg June 10 Marie Cradock Joyce Byrne	ALTAR LINEN Clem & Marie O'Donovan Collect May 27 Return May 31	ALTAR SOCIETY Helen Moore Colleen Kirk	CHILDRENS' LITURGY Sunday June 2 Bianco Gooley Suzanne Simpkins	PARISH BUS Driver: John Moriarty Helper: Ros Moriarty	HOSPITAL VISITATION Neryl Tyrrell Shelia Evans

MONDAY JUNE 3 :

Charles Lwanga & companions, martyrs.

WEDNESDAY JUNE 5

St Boniface, bishop, martyr

SATURDAY JUNE 1:

St Justin, martyr

NEXT SUNDAY CONFIRMATIONS

At 9:00 am Mass and 11:30 am next Sunday there will be the confirmation of children. A special time for those children and their families.

Do you remember the day and date of your confirmation?

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Next Sunday June 2, marks the Ascension of The Lord.

The Ascension celebrates Jesus returning to God and his glorification at God's right hand. It is a further dimension of the Easter experience that Jesus has triumphed over evil and death, and his humanity is now within the Godhead. The Ascension also celebrates an experience of the early Christian communities. There was a time when they knew Jesus of Nazareth. He lived among them and they were attracted by his vision of God's reign. Then, following his death, there were brief moments of his presence. But there came a time when even these Risen appearances finished. The time of the Jesus bound by human history had come to an end.

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ADULT FAITH FORMATION

An evening in conversation with various guest speakers who promote Christian ideals in their daily lives.

All are welcome to join us in the Jordan Room and enjoy a light supper and share the grace of this months guest Peter Brown, an engaging man with a challenging role.

Peter is the Coordinator Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care, CatholicCare.

GRACED CONVERSATIONS

ADULT TALKS ABOUT FAITH & LIFE

BEING THE FACE OF THE CHURCH

walking with people at their most vulnerable

Guest speaker Peter Brown

Coordinator Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care, CatholicCare

Wednesday 29 May
7:30-9:00pm

Jordan Room, St Patrick's Gosford

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