

# St Patrick's 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.**



## SCRIPTURE COMMENTARY

BY BRENDAN BYRNE SJ

For once there is a common theme running across all three readings today, including the second, from Paul's Letter to the Colossians (3:1-5, 9-11). The theme is that denoted by the Greek word 'pleonexia', which literally means 'the desire to have more and more'. It is usually translated 'avarice' or 'greed', both of which are accurate enough but do not quite catch the full nuance of the Greek.

St Luke's Gospel makes much of the hindrance wealth creates for discipleship – and ultimately for attaining fullness of life in community with God and fellow human beings. The problem lies not so much in wealth itself as in the desire to have more and more, which is exactly what is meant by pleonexia.

In Luke's view human beings are very insecure creatures. We are afraid for the future and, in that fear, desperately clutch at what would seem to offer protection and security against all manner of threats. Wealth seems to be the most obvious source of security: with wealth we shall not go hungry or thirsty, we shall have a good roof over our heads, we shall gain influence and power; we are more likely to have good health, a long life, and enjoy the best life has to offer. But the deep fear that feeds our insecurity also feeds the desire for wealth. That desire itself can become insatiable. It can threaten to take over and control everything, making us increasingly insensitive and oblivious to other and deeper values: the needs of our fellow human beings and above all our relationship with God.

This is what Jesus illustrates in the parable told in the Gospel for today (Luke 12:13-21). Prompting the parable is a request from a man who wants Jesus to intervene in a dispute between himself and his brother regarding the dividing up of the family inheritance. The request is not unreasonable but it illustrates how preoccupation with matters of this kind may make people deaf to the deeper and more significant issues that Jesus is addressing.

The parable – like all good parables – would quickly engage Jesus' hearers. Poor, as the majority of them doubtless were, they would envy the landowner whose land had been so productive that his chief problem was finding space to store his harvest. They would envy even more his prospect of being able to sit back later on and enjoy the good life because he had so much security stored up for many years to come.

How keenly, then, they would feel the intervention of God: 'This very night the demand will be made for your soul.' 'Soul'



basically refers to life itself but there is an overtone, surely, of the quality of a person: 'what you're worth as a human being'. This is what God will enquire about in terms of capacity for eternal life, for enjoying the riches of life with God. And it is exactly this question about the deeper human values that the man's preoccupation with his wealth – its safe storage and the material benefits it brings – has caused him to neglect.

The only security that is really lasting consists in being 'rich' in the sight of God. This is because relationship with God is the only relationship or attachment that can transcend the barrier of death. The parable powerfully illustrates how attachment to wealth – the desire to acquire, hold on to and enhance it – prevents people from attending to the relationship with God that brings the only security that counts in the long run.

Such desire also poisons human relationships and erodes the concern for others that is the basis of community. Attachment to wealth in this sense is incompatible with living, sharing and celebrating what Jesus is living, sharing and celebrating: the hospitality God is offering both now and in the life to come.

The First Reading, from Ecclesiastes 1-2, serves as a pointer to the theme of the Gospel. The shortness of human life and its inevitable limiting by death makes labouring and toiling for wealth 'vanity': that is, something ultimately without meaning.

In the rich passage from Colossians making up the Second Reading, 'greed' (pleonexia) is simply one in a list of vices that Paul says belong to the old, pre-conversion way of life that believers have now 'died' to through baptism. They now share the risen life of the Lord, in which is being realised the Creator's original design for human beings to be made in the image and likeness of God (Gen 1:26-28). Paul does not mean that believers have to pretend to be living some heavenly life, cut off from the realities of present earthly existence. Rather, a sense of the immense dignity that they already have in a hidden sense should have a transformative effect upon the way they live now.

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### Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for July - For the elderly.



We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.



### FR FRANCIS JORDAN SDS

"Seek to please God in all things, and always to fulfill God's holy will... Never become despondent in the spiritual life, even if you have great difficulties to overcome

JT 1903/09.

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## ST PATRICK'S PARISH GOSFORD

### PASTORAL CARE

Fr Grzegorz [Greg] Skulski SDS

Parish Priest

Email: greg@sds.org.au



## SALVATORIANS

### Society of the Divine Saviour

<http://www.sds.org.au>

#### PARISH OFFICE

Secretary:

Colleen Kirk Mon – Thurs: 8:30am – 4:30pm

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Sacramental Programme

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Email: franceshanna@yahoo.com

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Thurs: 9:30am – 1:30pm

#### PASTORAL CENTRE & FORMATION COORDINATOR

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Thursday: 9:00am – 2:00pm

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#### VOLUNTEER ROLES

Office Admin:

Denise Jay 9:00am – 3:30pm

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Galea & Tim Mara

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Ph: 0416 803 334

All bookings must be made through the parish office.

Gardeners:

Trevor Byrne

Joyce Byrne

Victor Camilleri

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If you see any activities involving children or vulnerable adults that concerns you, please email Hilary Pope, our Safeguarding Officer at hilary.p1@optusnet.com.au

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## CHURCH OPEN DAILY 8:30AM – 4:30PM.

### STANDARD WEEKDAY MASSES

#### GOSFORD, 76 YORK STREET EAST GOSFORD

Mon: 9:00am Wed: 11:30am Fri: 12:00pm

Tue: 9:00am Thu: 9:00am Sat: 9:00am

Adoration and Confession 30 minutes before each weekday Mass.

Mass live stream: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nq82xmyUQ2M>

### WEEKEND MASSES INCL CONFESSION 30 MIN BEFORE

#### GOSFORD, 76 YORK STREET EAST GOSFORD

Sat Vigil: 5:00pm Sun: 7:30am, 9:30am & 6:00pm

Filipino Mass: 2nd Sunday of each month: 12:00pm

#### SOMERSBY, 30 LUTANA RD

Sat Vigil: 5:30pm

#### SPENCER, 4,200 WISEMANS FERRY RD

4:00pm 2nd Saturday of Month

### ADORATION IN OUR CHURCH

#### Before the Blessed Sacrament

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

Tue 8:30 - 9:00am Thu 8:30 - 9:00am Sat 8:30 - 9:00am

### ROSARY - PLUS ON LINE DAILY @ 9PM

Mon, & Thu 8:05 am to 8:25 am

Tuesday 8:05 am to 8:25 am "Right to Life"

Wednesday 10:35 am to 10:55 am

Fridays 11:35 am to 11:55 pm

Saturday 8:05am until 8:25am: 1st Priests & Religious  
2nd Mothers & Babies  
3rd Persecuted Christians

Sunday 7:05 am to 7:25 am

### BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

Mon to Thu: 8:30am to 3:30pm Fri: 9:00am to 3:30pm

### ACTIVE GROUPS IN OUR COMMUNITY OF ST PATRICK'S

Cancer Prayer Group After 9:00am Mass, 4th Tuesday of the Month, in the Jordan room.

Craft Group 9:00am to 12:00pm Every Friday in the Jordan Room

Grief & Loss Support 2:00pm 1st Thursday of the month, in the Jordan room.

MenAlive 7:00pm 1st Tuesday of the month. Mass followed by meeting in the Jordan room.

Monday Morning Prayer Groups 9:30 am after Mass Prayer Group DVDs 1st Monday of the Month

Prayer & Bible Discussion 2nd, 4th and 5th Monday of the Month

Prayers for Christian Unity 3rd Monday of the Month

Bible Study - Monday night 7:00pm to 9:00pm Monday, in the Jordan Room, all are welcome!

Movie Afternoons 1st Sunday of month at 1:00 pm until 4:00 pm

Salvatorian Collaborators After 9:00am Mass, 1st Thursday of the month, in the Jordan room.

Womens Faith Circle 2nd and 4th Thursday of the Month in the Jordan Room 9:00am to 11:00am

Arise - Youth Group Years 5 & 6 students, meet every Friday during school terms, in the school Library 7:00pm.

Ascend - Youth Group Years 7 to 12 meet every Sunday night during school terms, after 6:00 pm Youth Mass

Awake - Young Adults Group 18 to 35 year olds meet the last Saturday of each month 7:00 pm in the Jordan Room

### SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

St Patrick's Primary: Mrs Cheryl Walsh 4325 1159

St Joseph's College: Mr Tony McCudden 4324 4022

St Edwards College: Mr Mark Bonnici 4321 6400

St Peter's College: Mr Tim Hilderbrandt 4351 2344

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**For normal Mass Times see opposite on Page 2  
Any exceptions will be listed below.**

Date	Time	Event
Sun 31/07/22	7:00pm	Youth group after 6:00pm Mass.
This week		Ongoing work in the Foyer
Tue 2/08/22	9:30am	Bus trip to Mary MacKillop Place. Contact the office for a booking (one seat left)
Tue 2/08/22	7:00pm	MenAlive Mass followed by a meeting in the Jordan room
Fri 5/08/22	12:00pm	Healing Mass followed by Lunch in the Jordan Room all welcome
Fri 5/08/22	7:00pm	Arise Youth group in the Parish Hall.
Sun 7/08/22	1:15pm	Sunday afternoon Movie and Lunch in the Jordan Room

Elvira will work in partnership with school principal, Mrs Cheryl Walsh, Fr Greg, the REC, Ms Fiona Bolton, and parents/carers & families of the school in a multi-faceted role which includes developing and strengthening existing school, parish and community networks to enhance family engagement.

We look forward to working with Elvira and wish her every success in this role.

## THANK YOU

### THANK YOU TO FR MARIUSZ

**for his help in Gosford. He is leaving us Thursday, 4 August. It has been a blessing to have Fr Mariusz serve us for the past few weeks.**

## RCIA PROGRAM FOR UPCOMING NEW LITURGICAL YEAR

### TIME TO PUT FORWARD CANDIDATE NAMES.

**AS WE APPROACH ADVENT MORE INFORMATION WILL BE ADVISED.**



## RELIC OF ST JOHN PAUL II

### SAVE THE DATE FOR THE INSTALLATION-

**SATURDAY, 22ND  
OCTOBER 2022**

Images from St Pope

John Paul II museum in Wadowice Poland.

## HOSPITAL VISITATION TEAM

### NEW COORDINATORS NEEDED

#### CAN YOU HELP?

We need to look for some new coordinators for the Friday Hospital Ministry and we would like to know if you would be interested in accompanying me on August 05 or 19 to see what it involves. It is not difficult, and you would enjoy it.

Would you give it some thought and if you would like more information, phone Theresa Giddings on 0419 011 429 if you are interested.

## ST POPE JOHN PAUL II SHRINE

### PASTORAL CENTRE & FORMATION COORDINATOR

**MS JAIMI-LEA ANDREWS**



It is with pleasure that we announce the appointment of Jaimi-Lea Andrews as our JPII Shrine, Centre and Formation Coordinator, but never fear, she is also retaining her Youth Ministry Coordinator as she is a young lady of many talents.

The Shrine will invoke a new inspiration for evangelisation and offer pilgrims a form of devotion not common in Australia and the

need for a coordinator for pilgrimages, faith formation and education at the JPII Pastoral Centre is paramount to the potential to fulfil those objectives. We are very pleased that Jaimi has taken up this challenge which she will assume from August 1, and know you will congratulate her success.

## DISABILITY RAMP FROM VICTORIA STREET ENTRY

### TO CHURCH GROUNDS

You will see that we have started work to build a disability ramp from the Victoria Street entry point and thank Mark Bennett for his brick laying and setting out skills. We hope to have it concreted shortly and ask for your patience until the work is completed.

## THE FUTURE OF CENTRE AT SOMERSBY

will be the subject of discussion after the Vigil Mass there on Saturday August 6 when Bishop Anthony Randazzo will concelebrate the Mass with Fr Greg. Afterwards there will be a dinner meeting/discussion on this topic and we ask you to please bring a plate to share.

## TRIP TO MARY MACKILLOP PLACE

If you have previously booked and now find you are unable to attend, please let the parish office know so someone else may take advantage of the booking. We have one space available due to a cancellation.

## BUS DRIVER NEEDED

For the 4th Sunday of each month, to transport the elderly to Mass at 9:30am. Drivers of the Bus need a light Ridged drivers licence. This licence is very easy to obtain at Service NSW.

## COFFEE SHOP - HELPERS NEEDED

### 5TH SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

#### BARISTA AND HELPER/S NEEDED.

Training and support given. Only 4 times a year. A great way to meet people! Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested.

Money raised in the coffee shop go towards helping the Parish projects.

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS BROKEN BAY APPOINTED ROLE

### PARENT ENGAGEMENT COORDINATOR

**MRS ELVIRA BENNETT**



We would like to congratulate parishioner, Elvira Bennett, who has been appointed by Catholic Schools Broken Bay in response to the Towards 2025 Strategy in the continuous improvement of the Catholic school system by supporting and enriching the Catholic school community.

## ROSARY BEADS FOUND



(sadly in pieces) in the school grounds (carpark) last Monday. Please contact the Parish Office if they are yours.

## ST VINCENT DEPAUL WINTER APPEAL

**Many, many thanks for your very generous support. \$9,595 was gifted in cash and many bags of food were gifted which was very much appreciated. Again thank you all for your support.**

## HOMELESSNESS WEEK

**CatholicCare**  
Diocese of Broken Bay

Please help us fundraise for CatholicCare's homelessness services

Donate to help those in need in the Broken Bay community

Marking Homelessness Week 1 August & Mary MacKillop Feast Day 8 August

1ST AUGUST TO 8TH AUGUST

### A CatholicCare Initiative

Next Sunday at all Masses there will be a collection for CatholicCare homelessness services.

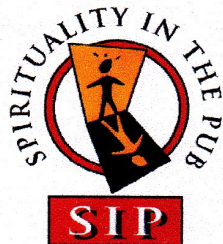
As you are no doubt aware the last few years have been particularly challenging for us all, especially the homeless. Every dollar can help feed and provide shelter for these especially vulnerable people in our society

## SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

### " MY SPIRITUAL JOURNEY IN CHALLENGING TIMES"

**AUGUST 2**

**Kelly Paget:** With a background in education and youth ministry, Kelly has been involved in coordinating significant Catholic Youth events. She holds a Master of Theology and currently works in the Office of the Bishop for the Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay.



**Chris Paget:** A Cardiac Physiologist in local health care facilities, Chris often immerses himself in theological and philosophical books, podcasts and studies. He completed a Master of Theology before walking the Camino de Santiago in 2017. Kelly and Chris have been married 13 years, have three sons and are involved in the life of the Catholic Parish of Gosford.

**The Grange Hotel, Cnr Renwick St & Pacific Hwy, WYOMING - 7.30pm - 9.00pm**

## PARISH FINANCES

### PLEASE CONSIDER A REGULAR DONATION

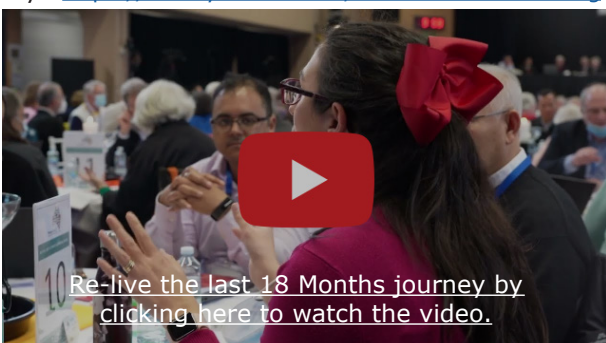
In the Foyer is a slip providing you the opportunity to submit to the Parish Office your intention to either join the envelope system, or have a monthly deduction from your debit/credit card - two ways of giving that helps your parish to set its budget each year. Please know that your giving to the level you can afford is very much appreciated.

## PLENARY COUNCIL

### PLENARYPOST

When the Plenary Council process began, it was always spoken of as a three-stage journey: Preparation, Celebration and Implementation. Well, after four-and-a-half years, the People of God in Australia have reached that third stage.

Even so, there is still much to be said about the celebration phase, which concluded when Archbishop Timothy Costelloe SDB celebrated the Council's closing Mass at St Mary's Cathedral in Sydney on July 9. That was itself the culmination of an intense, prayerful and Spirit-filled second assembly, which we know most of you will have followed closely. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YtJ8UnAP2bg>



Re-live the last 18 Months journey by clicking here to watch the video.

## St. Patrick's Women's Faith Circle

A Welcoming and Supportive group  
for women with school aged children



2nd and 4th Thursday of the month 9am mass  
followed by faith formation and morning tea in the Jordan Room  
Contact: Jane Eager 0417 660 078

## SALVATORIAN FORMATION DONATIONS

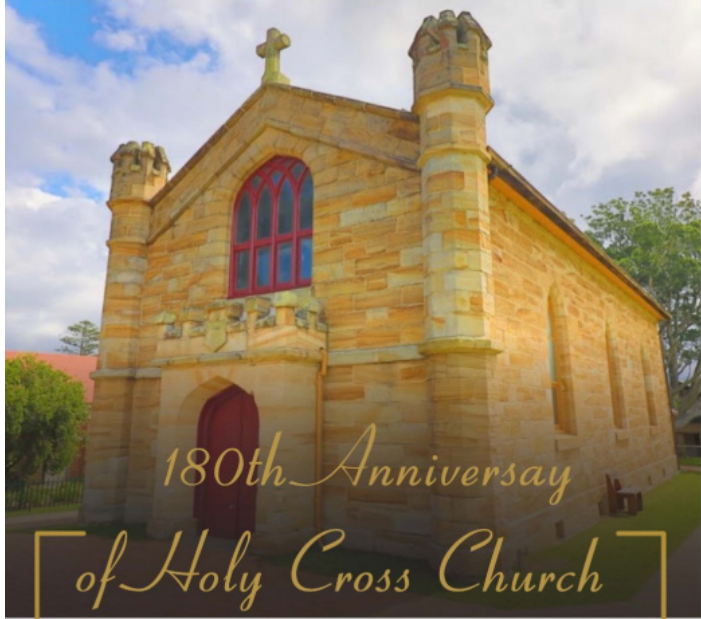
Please help!

If you would like to support future Salvatorian priests please go to the link. Just scan the code to the left with your QR Code Reader on your phone. Or click below the link with your mouse.



[https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted\\_button\\_id=FHE9UKNMLYLQA](https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted_button_id=FHE9UKNMLYLQA)

Please Join Holy Cross Parish Kincumber  
In Celebrating Our



180th Anniversary

of Holy Cross Church

Saturday 6th August 9.30am

Commencing with a Procession from Kincumber South Wharf to Holy Cross Church, where Mass will be Concelebrated. This will be followed by short tours of the Church & Cemetery.

The celebration will conclude with a light lunch served at Holy Cross School Hall.

R S V P : Friday 22nd July to 43691211 or kincumber.parish@bbcatholic.org.au

The Holy Cross Catholic Parish of Kincumber is inviting everyone to celebrate the 180th anniversary of **Holy Cross Catholic Church South Kincumber on Saturday 6 August.**

Built in 1842 by European settlers, the humble sandstone and cedar church is the birthplace of the Catholic Church in the Brisbane Waters district as well as being the third oldest continuously used Catholic Church in Australia.

Many of the original builders and parishioners are buried in the cemetery alongside the church. The celebration on Saturday week will recognise, appreciate and thank all the generations who have maintained and nurtured the faith in Kincumber. There will be a procession into the church where Mass will be celebrated by Fr Bogdan Skupien followed by refreshments.

### MenAlive MEETING!

Tuesday 2nd July at 7pm.

Men of the parish are invited to our Meetings

We will meet at St Patrick's for Mass

If you're new to the parish or looking for an encouraging group this will be a perfect time to come and check out Men Alive!

Hope to see you there.. Come and Join us!

### SATURDAY MORNING COFFEE SHOP

After  
9:00am  
Mass  
in the  
Jordan  
Room.



### ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK

Each week we promote one of our advertisers inside the bulletin.

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## MOVIE AFTERNOON

1st Sunday of Month.

Sunday August 7th— 1.00-4.00pm

Movie: **Gifted Hands (PG)**

The message of this movie is that by focusing on God's will for your life you can become the very best you can be and will become God's agent in ministering to others. Rather than settling in to a life believing he was inferior, underprivileged and discriminated against, Ben looked to God for help and became a renowned brain surgeon and not just for black children. Gifted Hands is a great, inspirational family movie.



Bring something along to share towards lunch.

Come and join us in the Jordan room, Starting with lunch at around 1.15pm and the movie after lunch; we finish by 4.00pm

Bring a friend if you like, movie afternoon is open to everyone.

### ST PATRICK'S — YOUR PARISH

If you would like to support your parish long after you have gone, perhaps you may consider leaving a bequest?

There are two options available:

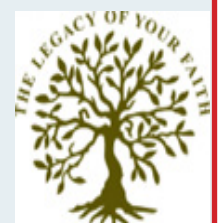
1. You may consider a living bequest, where you can see the benefit of your giving? If you prefer the idea of a living bequest, please just speak with Father, or contact the Parish Office On 43251042."

OR

2. If you would like to leave a bequest in your Will, please ask your solicitor to include the following in your will:

3.

"I give, devise and bequeath [the sum of ... or my property known as ... or ...% of my estate] free of all duties and taxes to the parish priest of St. Patrick's Parish of the Roman Catholic Church East Gosford to be used for the purposes of that parish..





**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON**

**PS 69:2,6**

O God, come to my assistance; O Lord, make haste to help me!

You are my rescuer, my help; O Lord, do not delay.

**FIRST READING**

**ECCL 1:2; 2:21-23**

**A reading from the book of Ecclesiastes**

**What do people gain by all their work?**

Vanity of vanities, the Preacher says. Vanity of vanities. All is vanity!

For so it is that a man who has laboured wisely, skilfully and successfully must leave what is his own to someone who has not toiled for it at all. This, too, is vanity and great injustice; for what does he gain for all the toil and strain that he has undergone under the sun? What of all his laborious days, his cares of office, his restless nights? This, too, is vanity.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

**PS 89:3-6. 12-14. 17. R. V.1**

**(R.) In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

1. You turn men back into dust and say: 'Go back, sons of men.'

To your eyes a thousand years are like yesterday, come and gone, no more than a watch in the night.

**(R.) In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

2. You sweep men away like a dream, like grass which springs up in the morning.

In the morning it springs up and flowers:

by evening it withers and fades.

**(R.) In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

3. Make us know the shortness of our life that we may gain wisdom of heart. Lord, relent! Is your anger for ever?

Show pity to your servants.

**(R.) In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

4. In the morning, fill us with your love; we shall exult and rejoice all our days.

Let the favour of the Lord be upon us: give success to the work of our hands.

**(R.) In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.**

**SECOND READING**

**COL 3:1-5, 9-11**

**A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Colossians**

**Seek the things that are above where Christ is.**

Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are on the earth, because you have died, and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed – and he is your life – you too will be revealed in all your glory with him.

That is why you must kill everything in you that belongs only to earthly life: fornication, impurity, guilty passion, evil desires and especially greed, which is the same thing as worshipping a false god; and never tell each other lies. You have stripped off your old behaviour with your old self, and you have put on a new self which will progress towards true knowledge the more it is renewed in the image of its creator; and in that image there is no room for distinction between Greek and Jew, between the circumcised or the uncircumcised, or between barbarian and Scythian, slave and free man. There is only Christ: he is everything and he is in everything.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

**MT 5:3**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs!

**Alleluia!**

**GOSPEL**

**LK 12:13-21**

**A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke**

**To whom will all this wealth of yours go?**

A man in the crowd said to Jesus, 'Master, tell my brother to give me a share of our inheritance.' 'My friend,' he replied, 'who appointed me your judge, or the arbitrator of your claims?' Then he said to them, 'Watch, and

be on your guard against avarice of any kind, for a man's life is not made secure by what he owns, even when he has more than he needs.'

Then he told them a parable: 'There was once a rich man who, having had a good harvest from his land, thought to himself, "What am I to do? I have not enough room to store my crops." Then he said, "This is what I will do; I will pull down my barns and build bigger ones, and store all my grain and my goods in them, and I will say to my soul: My soul, you have plenty of good things laid by for many years to come; take things easy, eat, drink, have a good time." But God said to him, "Fool! This very night the demand will be made for your soul; and this hoard of yours, whose will it be then?" So it is when a man stores up treasure for himself in place of making himself rich in the sight of God.'

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON**

**WIS 16:20**

You have given us, O Lord, bread from heaven, endowed with all delights and sweetness in every taste.

**THIS WEEK**

**Mon St Alphonsus Liguori, bishop, doctor**

Mass at St Patrick's 9:00 am\*

**Tue Weekday, Ordinary Time 18**

Mass at St Patrick's 9:00 am\*

**Wed St Dominic, priest**

Mass at St Patrick's 11:30 am\*

**Thu St John Vianney, priest**

Mass at St Patrick's 9:00 am\*

**Fri Weekday, Ordinary Time 18**

Mass at St Patrick's 12 noon\*

**Sat The Transfiguration of the Lord**

Mass at St Patrick's 9:00 am\*

**Vigil** Mass at St Patrick's 5:00pm

**Vigil** Mass at Somersby 5:30 pm

**Sun 19th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME**

Mass at St Patrick's 7:30 am

Mass at St Patrick's 9:30 am\*

Mass at St Patrick's 6:00 pm

**\* Designates Mass is Live-streamed**

**NEXT WEEKS READINGS**

**19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

1st: Wis 18:6-9

Ps: 32:1, 12, 18-20, 22

2nd: Heb 11:1-2, 8-19

Gos: Lk 12:32-48

## ROSTER - AUGUST 7, 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS	VIGIL 5:00	7:30am	9:30am	6:00pm	Somersby - 5:30pm	
DATE	06.08.22	07.08.22	07.08.22	07.08.22	Function	06.08.22
<b>Audio/Visual</b>	Michael Lynch	Ron Begg	Greg McBride	Lee Sullivan	<b>Audio/Visual</b>	Michael Xuereb
<b>Acolytes</b>	Peter Young Alberto Torres	Gerard Price Sheila Evans	Peter McLean Katrina Pratt	Joseph Nicholls Mark Bennett	<b>Sanctuary Setup</b>	Michael Monaghan
<b>Commentator</b>	Hilary Pope	Eunice Dal Busco	Emily Rudd	Ange Stitt	<b>Commentator</b>	Mary Luci
<b>Lectors</b>	Val Dibben Megan Neale	Isobel Binello Thea Dowsett	Frances Mathey Nicole Mead	Rayden Gomez Rick Llige	<b>Lectors</b>	Nai Herford Marisa Xuereb
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of The Eucharist</b>	Fiona Bolton	Anne Lovett	Margaret Mathieson	Elvira Bennett	<b>Extraordinary Ministers Cleaning</b>	Mary Luci Michael & Janelle Monaghan
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Lorenzo Arango	Rowan Talbot Lily Talbot	Cara Eades Esther Mathey Jude Mathey		<b>Altar Servers</b>  <b>Flowers</b>	Jessica Xuereb  Nai Herford
<b>COUNTERS</b> <b>01/08/22</b> Eunice Dal Busco David Slingsby Victoria Milanovic <b>08/08/22</b> Eunice Dal Busco Neryl Tyrrell Margaret Hunter	<b>ALTAR LINEN</b> <b>P/Up 01/08</b> Aimee Sands Ret'n by 05/08  <b>COFFEE SHOP</b> <b>06/08</b> Lucy & Gerard Price	<b>ALTAR SOCIETY</b>  <b>Sat, Aug 06</b> Eunice Dal Busco Mabel Kan Anita Venn Susan Tabone	<b>CHILDRENS LITURGY</b>  <b>07/08</b> <b>Leading up to children's first Eucharist and Reconciliation, there will be no Children's Liturgy.</b>	<b>PARISH BUS</b>  <b>07/08</b> <b>Driver:</b> Dave Dessmann  <b>Helper:</b> Carmen Chetcuti	<b>FRIDAY HOSPITAL</b> <b>05/08</b> Theresa Giddings Patricia McCaskie Bigi Kongola Coleen Martin Denise Nicholson Sandra Petith Gary Wills	<b>SUNDAY HOSPITAL VISITATION</b>  <b>07/08</b> Bigi Konaola Marie Cradock

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SERIOUSLY ILL MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY:

Ranjan Fernando, Michael Ludemann, Anne Hanna, Marie Nolan, Caterina Erbeni, Lorraine Fanning, Kim Byrne, Pat Garnsey, Olivia McGuinness, Philip Soady, Sheryl Rogers, Bernadette Humphries, Megan McGowan, Damien Vella-Critien, Aaron Burke, Mery-Anne Bonnici, Lorraine Collins, Ross Sayer, Fred Boland, Teresa Davar, Susan Milne, Maura Garvey, Anne Holohan, Brent Senger, Oliver Senger, Christopher Michael Graham, Angela Gibbs, Peter Allman, Pam O'Malley-Jones, Judith Wennerbom, Marie O'Donovan, Frank McGuinness.

### RECENTLY DECEASED:

Gerald Bellemore, Ray Gale, Stephen Downey, Michael Sharp, Anne Hannah, Beverly Mills, Carmelo Luci, Stanislaw Sawicki, Carmel Attard, Clement [Clem] O'Donovan.

### ANNIVERSARIES:

Gary Bell, Florence Watt, Josephine Comensoli, Raphael Spano, Robert Brundrett, George Frediani, Andrew Murphy, Kristie Camilleri Scibilia.

### REMEMBRANCES:

Loretta Vianello, John Matthews, Magdalen McNamara, Maria Dabski, Norman Curran, Fred Muscat, Frank Vella, Michael Kokegei.

### CONDOLENCES:

Our condolences to all the families and friends of all those recently deceased. We pray for the souls of those departed, rest in the arms of our Lord.

With special condolences to Paul and Mary and the family on the loss of father, grandfather and great-grandfather, Carmelo Luci.

Also to Kathleen Bellemore and family after the passing of Kathleen's husband Gerald Bellemore.



## MASS INTENTIONS

Date	Mass	Intention
Sat 30/07	9:00am Gosford & on line	For the Intentions of the FLORES FAMILY ESP. ALEXA & SASHA
Sat 30/07	5:00pm Gosford	+ Remembrances FRED MUSCAT & FRANK VELLA
Sat 30/07	5:30pm Somersby	+ Anniversary JOSEPHINE COMENSOLI
Sun 31/07	7:30 am Gosford	Recently Deceased CARMEL ATTARD
Sun 31/07	9:30 am Gosford & on line	PARISH INTENTIONS
Sun 31/07	6:00 pm Gosford	1. 1st Birthday Blessings RITA ANDRZEJEWSKA 2. Recently Deceased RAY GALE
Mon 01/07	9:00am Gosford & on line	+ Anniversary FLORENCE WATT
Tue 02/07	9:00am Gosford & on line	+ Remembrance LORETTA VIANELLO
Wed 03/07	11:30am Gosford & on line	Recently Deceased STEPHEN DOWNEY Remembrance JOHN MATTHEWS

Date	Mass	Intention
Thu 04/07	9:00am Gosford & on line	+ 2nd Anniversary GARY BELL
Fri 05/07	12:00pm Gosford & on line	Thanksgiving to the MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS
Sat 06/07	9:00am Gosford & on line	HOLY SOULS
Sat 06/07	5:00pm Gosford	Recently Deceased MICHAEL SHARP
Sat 06/07	5:30pm Somersby	PARISH INTENTIONS
Sun 07/07	7:30am Gosford	Recently Deceased ANNE HANNAH BEVERLY MILLS
Sun 07/07	9:30 am Gosford & on line	40th Wedding Anniversary KRYSZTOF & ELZBIETA
Sun 07/07	6:00 pm Gosford	Strength & Healing MARK THEN & FRANCIS NG YET KONG

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