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St Patrick's Gosford

Year of

COURAGE

LETTER

FROM OUR PARISH PRIEST, FR GREG

Dear Parishioners,

I am humbled to be called to serve as your Parish Priest, in the parish of Gosford, and grateful for the opportunity to have recently shared and celebrated with you the many improvements, initiatives, and programs that have been established and supported by our Parish. At this same time, last January I had the opportunity to share with you the average weekly income and running costs of our parish, and also shared, the approximate, \$2200 deficit that we currently are facing. There are several contributing factors that have led to the deficit, one of which being the passing away of many parishioners that have generously contributed through their planned giving offerings.

As a result of your generous contributions, the giving to the 2nd collection, the collection that pays the bills, increased by \$300 per week. We are truly grateful and wish to warmly thank those who joined planned giving or increased their donations. With an insurance bill of \$40k pa and any shortfall in the levied Pastoral Works Fund potentially being upwards of \$30k pa, we still require further support in managing the shortfall.

I have prayerfully discerned the needs of our parish to consider ways to manage our current financial situation, taking time to consider possible ways in which to meet the current financial demands, to ensure the financial stability of our parish, into the future.

A number of changes have been considered and the following changes have been made; the cessation of livestreaming the Rosary at 9pm on Facebook/youtube as well as all Podcasts, the cancellation of all retreats for 2024, and also some of our youth and other evangelisation programs. In addition we have sourced new and more competitive utility and communication providers. However, the largest cut had to be in all parish staff hours. We are known for the level of service we provide and perhaps that won't be quite the same moving forward but we will try our best and we can



Pope Francis' Prayer Intention

MARCH

For New Martyrs

Let us pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world might imbue the Church with their courage and missionary drive.



always hope it will only be temporary. Effective from April, 1 2024, the new office hours will be 9.30am to 3.30pm Monday to Thursday and 9.30 to 2.30pm on Fridays.

The decisions I have had to make have caused me great sorrow but I have solid hope for the future of the parish this is why I have made these decisions now instead of waiting one or two years for the increase of our finances.

In the meantime, I look forward to any financial support you can offer and I encourage you to consider joining plan giving program or credit card direct debit by contacting the parish office.

I ask that you continue to keep Fr Bronek, myself, and our Parish in your prayers.

Yours in Christ

Fr Greg Skulski SDS

Parish Priest.





FR. Francis Jordan

As Jesus says: "Whatever you do... You do to me". .. I already seem to hear the piteous cries of those dear afflicted ones who plead for help. With joy I may now, indeed, go to soothe and meet their need.

MM A Song of a Sister of Charity 1854 in Poems





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If you see any activities involving children or vulnerable adults that concerns you, please email Hilary Pope, our Safeguarding Officer.

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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

 Tue:
 9:00am
 Thu:
 9:00am
 Mon: Tue: Fri: Sat: 12:00pm 9:00am Devotion to St JPII after Mass

Adoration and Confession 30 minutes before each weekday Mass

WEEKEND MASSES INCL. CONFESSION 30 MIN BEFORE

GOSFORD, 76 YORK STREET EAST GOSFORD

DEFORE THE DIFCCED CACDALAENT

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 4200 WISEMANS FERRY RD		4.00nm 2nd Sat of Month	

BEFORE THE BLESSED SAC	RAMENT	
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 DA	LY AT 9:00 PM
Mon, & Thu	8:05 am to 8:25 am	
Tuesday	8:05 am to 8:25 am:	"Right to Life"

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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	Please contact Margaret on 0439257817			
Women's Faith Circle	2nd and 4th Friday of the Month in the Primary Learning And Resource Centre 6:00 pm to 7:45 am			
MenAlive	7:00pm 1st Tuesday of the month. Mass followed by meeting in the Jordan room.			
Seniors Ministry	Meet 1st Tuesday of the month. Enquiries:			
	Prayer Group DVDs 1st Monday of the Month			
Monday Morning Prayer Groups 9:30 am after Mass	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!			
Divine Will Prayer Group	6:00pm to 7:15pm every Wednesday in the Jordan Room.			
Salvatorian Collaborators	3:00pm, 1st Saturday of the month, in the Jordan room.			
Paddies - Youth	Years 3 & 4 students, meet every Friday during school terms in the Hall 3:00 to 4:30 pm.			
Arise - Youth Group	Years 5 & 6 students, meet every Friday during school terms, in the school Library 6:00pm.			
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			

NATIONAL CATHOLIC LEADERSHIP STANDARDS Committed leadership, governance & culture

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- A Commitment to Safeguarding
- Promoting a Safeguarding Culture
- Ŷ Safeguarding Policies
- Code of Conduct



UPCOMING EVENTS

FOR NORMAL MASS TIMES SEE OPPOSITE ON PAGE 2 ANY EXCEPTIONS WILL BE LISTED BELOW.

Date	Time	Event	
Tue 26/03/24	9:30 – 10:30am	Church Cleaning for Easter	
Thu 28/03/24	7:00pm	Last Supper of the Lord	
Fri 29/03/24	10:00am 3:00pm	Stations of the Cross Lord's Passion	
Sat 30/03/24	11:00am	Blessing of Easter Food	

PALM SUNDAY MASS

We would like to thank Bob and Lyn Pankhurst for bringing their donkey, Oliver, to be part of our entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday experience which they do so graciously each time we need him. Thank you to those who donated and/or collected our palms which a small team utilised to make the palms you have for today's ceremony.

CONFIRMATION SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM IS NOW OPEN FOR ENROLMENTS.

Children 8 years and in Yr 3 are eligible to received Confirmation, the 2nd sacrament of initiation. Applications are available at the foyer, on our website, on St Patrick's Primary platforms, and are being distributed by Catechists. Applications close April 3, preparatory to the Parents' Evening on April 10.

CHURCH CLEANING IN PREPARATION FOR EASTER

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, FOLLOWING THE 9AM MASS

We usually have a great response to the our church cleaning mornings, and the delicious morning tea that follows, and are hoping that it will be the same this time. See you there!

CHRISM MASS

The Chrism Mass will be celebrated at 7.30pm on Tuesday 26 March at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara. Priests of the Diocese of Broken Bay gather for this celebration with Bishop Anthony Randazzo to renew their priestly commitments. During Mass, the Oils of Catechumens and the Sick are blessed, and the Chrism is consecrated and brought back to each parish for use in various Sacramental liturgies throughout the year. All parishioners are warmly invited to attend this sacred occasion in the life of our Diocese. Those who would like to attend this Mass are asked to place their names on the sheet provided in the foyer. We anticipate our bus will depart the church at 5:30pm.

ST PATRICK'S MEMORIAL COLUMBARIUM



Some aren't aware that at the Victoria Street face of the church, we have our own columbarium for the placement of the ashes or mementos of our departed loved ones. Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to know more about this opportunity for an everlasting memorial to the departed at a sacred location to visit

INTERNATIONAL FOOD NIGHT EVENT – WHAT A SUCCESS!

With over 200 enjoying an evening of delicious culturally diverse dishes and equally diverse music last Saturday's event was a great success and there are many we would like to thank: The Dinner Committee for making it all happen, The Fund Raising Committee for their help with ticket sales those who contributed dishes on the night and especially George for that huge paella, and lastly Ric Ritchie our DJ on the night, and our youth for their contribution and, of course, those who came together for a fun night in community with each other.



THERE'S NOTHING LIKE FRESH FLOWERS AT EASTER

Fresh flowers on the altars on the most important celebration in the Church year is like having fresh flowers in your home when you are expecting a special guest. Fresh flowers also symbolise a new life which comes from the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Please contact the office, or speak with Father, if you would like to assist and donate towards the flowers.

ALTAR OF REPOSE ADORATION

Adoration will begin after the celebration of the Lord's Supper on Thursday at 7:00pm, and will finish at 10:00pm. All are welcome to join us!

RCIA - JOURNEY TO EASTER SACRAMENTS

Our RCIA elect (catechumens) and candidates have completed their formation and preparatory rites, so there is one final step: They receive their Sacraments of Initiation, and are welcomed completely into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil!

Please keep our RCIA elect and candidates in your prayers: Simon C, Amy, Lisa S, Sarah, Lisa W, Kristy, Danielle, Kate, Prue & Simon B.

SALVATORIAN SEMINARY COLLECTION 6-7 APRIL, 2024

Fr George Kołodziej SDS, Superior for Salvatorians in Australia will be at all masses in Gosford talking about formation of Salvatorian future priests.



ALPHA IS BACK @ ST PATS!

You are invited to come and join us as we give the Australian Edition of Alpha a crack.

Starting Wednesday 3rd April at 7pm, we will gather weekly until the middle of June. Each week we cover a new topic, with our first night asking the question: "Is there more to life than this?". Alpha is for all: from new Christians to those who have been Catholic their entire lives; from teenagers to those less willing to disclose their age! Register here https://www.trybooking.com/CQFWA, follow the QR code, leave your details with the office, or put them on the sheet on St. Pat's

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We are still looking for volunteers, with roles for part of or the whole program, especially for hospitality. Please leave your details with the office if you think you can help.







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BISHOP ROBERT

Will be our main celebrant for the celebration of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday at 7:00pm. Please make him feel very welcome.

PIETY SHOP

New items for Easter have arrived in our piety shop! Please visit before or after each Mass on the weekend to make your purchases!

CATECHIST MINISTRY

Our Parish Public School Lent/Easter celebrations are underway, with Chertsey and Kariong being celebrated this week. As always, it is such a privilege to witness the children's relationship with God and our Parish Catechist's nurturing God's love alongside the children.

Anyone interested in joining this beautiful Ministry, please call Raelene on 0499 995 292





JPII CENTRE

DISPLAY ROOM VIEWING

Display room is open!

All are invited to visit our display room in the JPII centre. The room is available for viewing on Fridays from 12:30-1:30pm (no appointment needed), and from Tue-Thur by appointment. The room is not open for viewing on Mondays. To book appointments, please call 0499 386 336.





BAPTISM PRESENTATIONS

Our parish warmly welcomes the families of Chase Jamieson & Huxley Cruz Berndt, Bowie Ryan and Florence Jade Dransfield, Leona Anya Sargent, Bonnie Mae Morton, Louie Barry Fullwood, and Oliver John Kinninment, who will be celebrating their Baptism presentations at our parish this Sunday!

PWBB APPEAL - WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT

ALL DONATIONS OVER \$2 ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE

Our Diocese of Broken Bay continue their appeal to support the pastoral works program which supports a wide range of charities in our Diocesan community, particularly the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) and the Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Program. PWBB also supports St Lucy's School and St Edmund's College for students with disabilities and the Ephpheta Centre which supports the deaf community. This financial year, Gosford Parish has been asked to collect \$60,319 for the 2023/24 appeal. More information about donations below:

PWBB Total to be Raised by **Gosford Parish**

60,319 60,000 55,000 50,000 45,000 40,000 35,000 30,000 25,000 20,000 15,000 10,000

5,000

APPEAL 2023/2024 FINANCIAL YEAR

Our allotted target this year is: \$60,319 to be collected by June 30, 2024.

> **COLLECTED TO DATE:** \$33,780 **BALANCE OWING:** \$26,584

Thank you so much for your generosity to date.

A long way to go!



Thank you for your generosity

our generosity means the Church can be there during mes of great need, renewing and rebuilding their lives



Pastoral Works Broken Bay is the pastoral charity of the Catholic community in Broken Bay.

Every gift makes a difference to someone in hospital, school, a parish or the wider community.

Most Rev Anthony Randazzo















"HOSANNA! BLESSED IS THE ONE WHO COMES IN THE NAME OF THE LORD.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

CF JOHN 12: 1, 12-13; Ps 23: 9-10

Six days before the Passover, when the Lord came into the city of Jerusalem, the children ran to meet him; in their hands they carried palm branches and with a loud voice cried out:

* Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!

O gates, lift high your heads; grow higher, ancient doors.

Let him enter, the king of glory!

Who is this king of glory?

He, the Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory.

* Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!

FIRST READING

Isaiah 50:4-7

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

I did not cover my face against insult and I know I will not be ashamed.

The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue.

So that I may know how to reply to the wearied he provides me with speech.

Each morning he wakes me to hear, to listen like a disciple.

The Lord has opened my ear.

For my part, I made no resistance, neither did I turn away.

I offered my back to those who struck me, my cheeks to those who tore at my beard; I did not cover my face against insult and spittle.

The Lord comes to my help, so that I am untouched by the insults.

So, too, I set my face like flint; I know I shall not be shamed.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 21:8-9. 17-20. 23-24. R. v.2

(R.) My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

1. All who see me deride me.

They curl their lips, they toss their heads.

'He trusted in the Lord, let him save him; let him release him if this is his friend.'

(R.) My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

2. Many dogs have surrounded me, a band of the wicked beset me.

They tear holes in my hands and my feet.

I can count every one of my bones.

(R.) My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

3. They divide my clothing among them. They cast lots for my robe.

O Lord, do not leave me alone, my strength, make haste to help me!

(R.) My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

4. I will tell of your name to my brethren and praise you where they are assembled.

'You who fear the Lord give him praise; all sons of Jacob, give him glory.

Revere him, Israel's sons.'

(R.) My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

SECOND READING

PHILIPPIANS 2:6-11

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians

He humbled himself to become like us and God raised him on high.

His state was divine, yet Christ Jesus did not cling to his equality with God but emptied himself to assume the condition of a slave, and became as men are, and being as all men are, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross.

But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all other names so that all beings in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld, should bend the knee at the name of Jesus and that every tongue should acclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

PHILIPPIANS 2:8-9

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Christ became obedient for us even to death dying on the cross.

Therefore God raised him on high and gave him a name above all other names.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!.

GOSPEL

Mark 15:1-39

The passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

First thing in the morning, the chief priests together with the elders and the scribes, in short the whole Sanhedrin, had their plan ready. They had Jesus bound and took him away and handed him over to Pilate.

Pilate questioned him, 'Are you the king of the Jews?' 'It is you who say it' he answered. And the chief priests brought many accusations against him. Pilate questioned him again, 'Have you no reply at all? See how many accusations they are bringing against you!' But to Pilate's amazement, Jesus made no further reply.

At festival time Pilate used to release a prisoner for them, anyone they asked for. Now a man called Barabbas was then in prison with the rioters who had committed murder during the uprising. When the crowd went up and began to ask Pilate the customary favour, Pilate answered them, 'Do you want me to release for you the king of the Jews?' For he realised it was out of jealousy that the chief priests had handed Jesus over. The chief priests, however, had incited the crowd to demand that he should release Barabbas for them

instead. The Pilate spoke again. 'But in that case,' he said to them 'what am I to do with the man you call king of the Jews?' They shouted back, 'Crucify him!' 'Why?' Pilate asked them 'What harm has he done?' But they shouted all the louder, 'Crucify him!' So Pilate, anxious to placate the crowd, released Barabbas for them and, having ordered Jesus to be scourged, handed him over to be crucified.

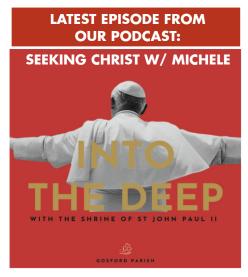
The soldiers led him away to the inner part of the palace, that is, the Praetorium, and called the whole cohort together. They dressed him in purple, twisted some thorns into a crown and put it on him. And they began saluting him, 'Hail, king of the Jews!' They struck his head with a reed and spat on him; and they went down on their knees to do him homage. And when they had finished making fun of him, they took off the purple and dressed him in his own clothes.

They led him out to crucify him. They enlisted a passer-by, Simon of Cyrene, father of Alexander and Rufus, who was coming in from the country, to carry his cross. They brought Jesus to the place called Golgotha, which means the place of the skull.

They offered him wine mixed with myrrh, but he refused it. Then they crucified him, and shared out his clothing, casting lots to decide what each should get. It was the third hour when they crucified him. The inscription giving the charge against him read: 'The King of the Jews.' And they crucified two robbers with him, one on his right and one on his left.

The passers-by jeered at him; they shook their heads and said, 'Aha! So you would destroy the Temple and rebuild it in three days! Then save yourself: come down from the cross!' The chief priests and the scribes mocked him among themselves in the same way. 'He saved others,' they said 'he cannot save himself. Let the Christ, the king of Israel, come down from the cross now, for us to see it and believe.' Even those who were crucified with him taunted him.

When the sixth hour came there was darkness over the whole land until the ninth hour. And at the ninth hour Jesus cried out in a loud voice, 'Eloi, Eloi, Iama sabachthani?' which means, 'My God, my God, why have you deserted me?' When some of those who stood by heard this they said, 'Listen, he is calling on Elijah'. Someone ran and soaked a sponge in vinegar and, putting it on a reed, gave it him to drink saying, 'Wait and see if Elijah will come to take him down.' But Jesus gave a loud cry and breathed his last.



	ROSTER	— MARC	CH 28-31 -	THE HOLY	TRIDUUM	
Mass	Holy Thursday 7:00PM	Good Friday 3:00PM	EASTER Vigil 7:00PM	EASTER Sunday 7:30 am	EASTER Sunday 9:30 am	EASTER Sunday 6:00 pm
Date	28.03.24	29.03.24	30.03.24	31.03.24	31.03.24	31.03.24
Audio Visual	Michael Lynch	Ron Begg	Michael Lynch	Ron Begg	Peter McLean	[Required]
M.C.	John McCrae	Kevin O'Donnell	Peter McLean			
Acolytes	Peter Young	Eunice Dal Busco	Peter Young	Gerard Price	Liz Malik	Patrick Nicholls
	Sheila Evans	Mark Bennett	Sheila Evans	John Ryan	Tim Dasan	Kevin O'Donnell
-	Joseph Nicholls	Liz Malik	Anna Jung			
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Commentator	Ron Begg	Frances Mathey	Eunice Dal Busco	Chris Golden	Frances Mathey	Barbara McCarthy
Extraordinary Ministers of The Eucharist				Korina Konopta	Steph Trevenen	Sherree Sullivan
Altar			Vito De Toffol		Esther Mathey	
Servers			Remi De Toffal		Jude Mathey	
COUNTERS 25/3/24 Eunice Dal Busco Diana Addis Marie Cradock 1/4/24 Eunice Dal Busco Joyce Byrne Victoria Milanovic	ALTAR LINEN P/Up 25/03/24 Aimee Sands Ret'n by 29/03/24 COFFEE SHOP 30/03/24 Anita Venn Dominique Norris Kath McGrath	ALTAR SOCIETY Sat 30/03/24 Helen Moore Colleen Kirk Margaret Dibben Anna Catlin	CHILDREN'S LITURGY 31/03/24 No Children's Liturgy [Easter Sunday]	PARISH BUS 31/03/24 Driver Aaron Huckle Helper	FRIDAY HOSPITAL 12/04/24 Co:Theresa Giddings Colleen Drummond Bigi Kongola Coleen Martin Denise Nicholson Sandrea Petith Joan Vella-Critien Gary Wills	SUNDAY HOSPITAL 14/04/24 John McCrae Nora Koleszar

PRAY FOR THE SERIOUSLY ILL MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY:

Brian Connell, Jessica Anslow, Soon Hock, Margaret Mathieson, Robyn Murphy, Paul Jones, Claire Hastings, Joshua Herbert, Mery-Anne Bonnici, Aaron Burke, Robyn McBride, Jadwiga Skulska, Joshua McCarroll, Gloria Emara.

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Carol Howarth, Mary Vella, Dean Davids, Lenus Shumack, Arthur Cradock, Vincenzo Luci, Colin Pratt, Jill Kulp, Vincenzo Luci, Max Randall, Clarie Answerth, Jim Robison, Leigh Adams, Dennis McCarroll.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Frank & Patricia Hickey, Victor Buhagiar, Anna-Maria Maisano, Wieslaw Wozniak, Ric Comensoli, Joh Van Yzendoorn, Laurence Pope, Josephine Mair, Helen & Charlie Clement, Zoe & Annette Patten, Concetta Di Martino.

REMEMBRANCES

Marek Then, Holy Souls, Maria Maisano, Friquet Family, Ronald Freeman, Fogarty Family, Holy Souls, Ted Turley, Peter Mills, Joseph Minto, Hilda Doutre, Anne Maree Lott, Maria, Frank & Carmel Attard.

CONDOLENCES

We offer our sincere condolences to those members of our parish who have recently faced the loss of loved ones. May God welcome them into His heavenly home.

MASS INTENTIONS

Date	Mass	Intention
Sat 23/03	9:00am Gosford	JPII INTENTIONS
Sat 23/03	5:00pm Gosford	Return to Health TOM & GWENDA HARRIS
Sat 23/03	5:30pm Somersby	Strength & Healing JADWIGA SKULSKA
Sun 24/03	7:30am Gosford	+ Anniversaries FRANK & PATRICIA HICKEY
Sun 24/03	9:30am Gosford	PARISH INTENTIONS
Sun 24/03	6:00pm Gosford	Return to Health FRANK COPPA
Mon 25/03	9:00am Gosford	+ Remembrance MAREK THEN
Tue 26/03	9:00am Gosford	Recently Deceased CAROL HOWARTH

Date	Mass	Intention
Wed 27/03	11:30am Gosford	ALL HOLY SOULS
Wed 27/03	6:30pm Somersby	+ Remembrance FRIQUET FAMILY & RONALD FREEMAN
HOLY THUR 28/03	9:00am Gosford	OUR CLERGY
Sat EASTER VIGIL 30/03	7:00pm Gosford	PERSONAL INTENTIONS [FG]
Sat EASTER VIGIL 30/03	7:00pm Somersby	Strength & Healing JADWIGA SKULSKA
EASTER Sun 31/03	7:30am Gosford	+ Remembrance JOHN BURG
EASTER Sun 31/03	9:30am Gosford	PARISH INTENTIONS
EASTER Sun 31/03	6:00 pm Gosford	+ Remembrances RIC & LAURA McGUIRE

RELAX





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