



11th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B



Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for June

The Beauty of Marriage

Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.

Vox Episcopi - The Voice of the Bishop

Next Sunday, 13 June, is the feast of Saint Anthony of Padua. He is my baptismal Patron Saint, and on my recent round of parishes for the conferral of the sacrament of Confirmation, I have discovered that he is the Confirmation Patron Saint of many of our young boys and girls. Because his feast lands on a Sunday this year, we will not be celebrating him in the liturgy, so I thought that I might reflect upon this great Saint in BBNeighbourhoods today.
(The full story can be read on the parish facebook page or parish website.)



First Reading
Ezek 17:22-24

Responsorial Psalm
Ps 91:2-3, 13-16 R.cf.v.2

Second Reading
2 Cor 5:6-10

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel
Mk 4:26-34

SUNDAY REFLECTION by Seminarian Aditya Sugiarto

“What can we say the kingdom of God is like?”, Jesus asked this question and provided the answer almost immediately. He said that the kingdom of God could be likened to “a mustard seed”, which apparently is very small (I have no farming or arborist background).

Often when we think about a kingdom, our mind naturally would imagine grandeur things. Perhaps, a grand palace, formidable military forces, healthy sovereign funds, robust welfare systems, and etc. But Jesus instead used the imagery of a mustard seed, something rather small and vulnerable. I suppose we could think of his own life too; his humble beginning and lowly background. It would be interesting to imagine what his life would be like working in his small village, most likely assisting St Joseph faithfully in his modest carpentry undertakings.

How can we apply this imagery of the mustard seed to our own life? Well...most things in life are in fact, quite ordinary and mundane. However, we are all called to proclaim the kingdom of God in our day-to-day life. Thus, it is up to each one of us to find God in the midst of these busy-ness, no matter how insignificant our task/s may seem. Scott Hahn in his book “Ordinary Work, Extraordinary Grace”, said that when we sanctify our work, in turn our work will sanctify us. With courage, let us ask God for the grace and inspiration to live out this quiet apostolate every day so that the world could see the supernatural dignity and dimension of our good works.

Plenary Council

Fan the Flame
Towards Plenary Assembly One
October 2021



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Mark 4:26-34.

This love cannot be mere words because it is an imitation of Christ’s own love for every person, a love that forgives, transforms, and brings those who hear him into the fullness of life.

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Hornsby Cathedral Parish Missionary Council

We are pleased to announce the formation of our Parish Missionary Council (PMC).

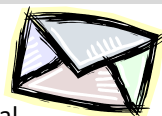
Supported and led by the Clergy, PMC members, and the Principal’s from St Leo’s and OLOR, meet monthly.

Their mission and purpose is to work within and engage the parish to ask questions about the current and future needs of our community. Discerning, praying, supporting, and if required providing leadership around initiatives and activities that relate to the Bishop’s six priorities, set out in his Dec 2020 pastoral letter. As witnesses of the Gospel and the power of the Holy Spirit, we accept the call to serve our faith community.

For more information about this group, check out the website: www.bbcatholic.org.au/hornsby

SAFEGUARDING MESSAGE: When safeguarding is embedded in Parish leadership, governance and culture; members of the Parish recognise that it is a shared responsibility to safeguard children, young people and adults at risk.

NEW SETS OF PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES NOW AVAILABLE



Cathedral — Please collect from rear of Cathedral.

Queen of Peace Church — Please collect from rear of Church.

EXISTING GIVERS: If you are currently contributing via weekly envelopes but would like to change over to direct debit or direct credit please do not take the set of new envelopes home but contact the parish office and ask them to send you appropriate forms to change over from envelopes.

NEW GIVERS: If you would like to start contributing to our Planned Giving Program please contact the Parish Office and request appropriate forms.

Please note that contributions via direct debit or direct credit are the most cost effective for the parish, it also gives the parish a better way to budget via a regular income stream.

Clergy Conference Monday 14 –Thursday 17 June:
No Mass at QOP, 7am Mass at OLOR Cathedral only.
Friday 18 June Mass: Cathedral 7am only (No 9.30am Mass)
QOP Church 8.45am.

Please note that the Cathedral will be locked daily at 4pm during this time.

Congratulations to Fr Peter who is celebrating his birthday on 16th June. Thank you for your wonderful ministry and commitment to our parish.

The CFCA - Youth for Christ Broken Bay is inviting all youths from ages 12-18 yo or Year 7 & up to their Youth Entry Camp 2021. It will be held on 16-18 July 2021 in Camp Scout Kariong, Kariong (Central Coast area).

A weekend activity which aims to enrich Christian faith, know Jesus Christ in a personal way, build friendship with other youths & have fun. Please RSVP by 30 June 2021.

For more info, please contact Owen & Daryl Onida, youth parent coordinators, @ 0412 540 762 & 0433 565 261.

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May I ask you to pray for those who are sick, those who are struck with the virus, those tested positive, those in isolation, and those vaccinated for COVID-19.

We remember those who died recently – Betsy van Herten ● Janite Rose ● Margaret Blight ● Patricia McGuire ● Faustin Mahelai

Anniversaries – Purita Mong ● Jason Brown

We pray for the sick —Bishop Emeritus David Walker

MASS SCHEDULE

from 17 May 2021 until further notice

Public Health Orders, NSW regarding places of worship: Everyone *attending* the service are required to sign in using QR Code, and face masks are recommended.

Weekday Mass Schedule

OLOR Cathedral:

Mon to Sat 7:00 am
Fri 7:00 am and 9:30 am
(until further notice).
Adoration every Friday
7pm-8pm

Queen of Peace Church:

Tue, Thu *, Fri 8:45 am
Sat 7:30 am
* *Cenacle Prayer immediately follows. All are welcome.*

Korean Mass

Tue, Thu 7:30 pm
Wed, Fri 10:00 am

Weekend Mass Schedule

OLOR Cathedral:

Saturday 5:00 pm Vigil
Sunday 9:30 am, 6:00 pm

Queen of Peace Church:

Saturday 5.30 pm Vigil
Sunday 8:00 am

Filipino Mass 3:30 pm

(Every 2nd Sunday of each month.)

Korean Mass

Sat 7:30 pm
Sun 11:00 am & 5:00 pm

[Watch the Mass](#)

THANK YOU to those who stay after Mass to clean the pews.

McQuoin Park Chapel Mass for Residents only
Wednesdays & Sundays at 11 am

Sacrament of Penance / Reconciliation

OLOR Cathedral Saturdays from 9 to 9:30 am.
Queen of Peace Church Saturdays 4.30-5.15pm

Exposition every Friday (except 1st Friday) from 7pm - 8pm
lead by Deacon Roger and Seminararian Aditya.
Starting from 7th May 2021

Private Prayer Our Cathedral *Chapel* is open for private prayer. **It is necessary for everyone who enters the chapel to check in using QR Code for every visit. Failure to do so will mean we need to close the Chapel.**

If a Priest is needed in a matter of emergency, after hours or on the weekend, please call **0458 351 843**.

ONLINE PARISH GIVING

In light of the extraordinary circumstances, we are experiencing due to pandemic, please know that ONLINE Parish Giving is available. To donate, please click on the button below.

1st Collection is used for the support of the Bishop and priests of the Diocese.

[Donate to our Parish](#)

2nd Collection is used to meet Parish running costs, maintenance of Church, Presbytery, offices, other buildings and grounds. It is also used to pay for all our Ministries' expenses and staff salaries and superannuation.