





**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE.**

 <p><b>Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for November</b></p> <p><b>People who suffer from Depression</b></p> <p>We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.</p>	<p><b>Vox Episcopi —The Voice of the Bishop</b></p> <p><i>Message for BBNeighbourhoods</i> <b>16 November 2021</b></p> <p>My dear sisters and brothers in Christ,</p> <p>Debate by the NSW Assembly on the Voluntary Assisted Dying Bill (2021) commenced last Friday in the State Parliament.</p> <p><i>(To read the full message go to our website or facebook page)</i></p> 
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<b>First Reading</b> Dan 7:13-14	<b>Responsorial Psalm</b> Ps 92:1-2, 5 R.v.1	<b>Second Reading</b> Apoc 1:5-8	<b>Gospel Acclamation</b> Mk 11:9, 10	<b>Gospel</b> Jn 18:33-37
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<b>MASS SCHEDULE starting 23.10.2021</b>	<b>REFLECTION BY FR MANOJ MANUEL</b>
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**Weekday Mass Schedule**

**OLOR Cathedral:** Mon to Sat 7:00 am

**QOP Church:** Tue, Thu, Fri 8:45 am  
Sat 7:30 am

**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

**QOP 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

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

**Sacrament of Penance / Reconciliation**  
OLOR Cathedral Saturdays from 9 am to 9:30 am  
Queen of Peace Church Saturdays 4:30pm-5:15 pm

**Exposition every First Friday of the month from 10am– 10pm starting 5th November 2021**

**Private Prayer** Our Cathedral Chapel is open for private prayer from 8am-8pm. **It is necessary for everyone who enters the chapel to check in using QR Code, hand sanitise and to wear a face mask. Failure to do so will mean we need to close the chapel.**

**Cenacle QOP Church Thursdays after 8.45am Mass**  
On hold from 9<sup>th</sup> Dec -6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2022, and will resume on the 13<sup>th</sup> Jan 2022.

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

**SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING**


This Sunday is the last Sunday of the Liturgical Year of the Church. It is on this Sunday that we celebrate the solemnity of Christ the King every year. Every new Liturgical Year begins with the first Sunday of Advent. Thus the Church's year begins with preparations to receive the Messianic King and ends with the fulfilment of the mission of Christ the King. The book of Daniel 7:13-14 narrates the vision of Daniel regarding the Kingship of God's Son who will be given all sovereignty, glory and kingship. Unlike the earthly kings, He is given eternal sovereignty, glory and kingship. It will never pass away or be destroyed (Dan 7:14).

The Gospel from John 18:33-37 presents to us the interrogation of Jesus by Pilate who is heard asking, "Are you the king of the Jews?" Jesus is the King of kings, but not the earthly kingship stated in Jesus' own words, "Mine is not a kingdom of this world." The kingship too differs from that of this world. He is a king who bears witness to truth. The citizens of Jesus' kingdom is different from the citizens of this world. Everyone in Jesus' kingdom is called to be the voice of Jesus and be on the side of truth. A happy and blessed celebration of the solemnity of Christ the King.

*Fr Manoj Manuel*

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR HSC STUDENTS** that they feel the Lord's presence during the HSC exam period. We pray that the Lord will give them **calm nerves** and quiet confidence in the knowledge that he holds them in the palm of their hand.

Bless them with keen understanding, retentive memories and the ability to grasp questions correctly.



**VOLUNTEERS THANKSGIVING MASS & TAKE AWAY SUPPER**  
**Tuesday 30 November at 7pm in OLOR Cathedral.** All those volunteering in different roles within the community, (I do understand because of COVID 19, much of our volunteering has physically stopped, but spiritually we are still connected) may I ask you to please RSVP for catering purposes if you can join in.  
**RSVP latest by 25/11/2021**  
**(Only one Mass for both the communities at OLOR Cathedral)**

**NOVEMBER MASSES** For November, all Masses offered in both Churches will be for the Intention of those in the Book of Remembrance and for **those who wish to offer a Mass for your loved ones. Please put your loved ones' name on an envelope and use the 'Heading November Mass Intention' and place the envelope on the collection plate.**



An offering may be placed in the envelope.

**ANNUAL LEAVE:** Fr Roger Delmonte will be on annual leave from 16-28 November, we wish him a relaxing break.

**CHRISTMAS HAMPERS** —St Vincent de Paul will be doing hampers again this year. If you would like to make a hamper please contact Shirley Kelynack, Regional President Hornsby 0401 041 443; 9476 4999 or [Shirleymyra@optusnet.com.au](mailto:Shirleymyra@optusnet.com.au) We would like the hampers back by Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December Thank you.

### **KIDS ADVENT WREATH Craft activity.**

On our Parish facebook page, our e-bulletin and our Website we have a Kids Craft Activity on how to make your own Advent wreath. If you have no access to this the instructions can be requested via email from the parish office.



(1st week of Advent starts Sunday 28th November)

**If you would like to have your Advent Wreath blessed, please bring it along to the 9.30am Mass on Sunday 28th November.**

**YAKHUMNDENI CHRISTMAS APPEAL** - Advent wreaths, Christmas cakes (incl gluten free), plum puddings, date loaves, biscuits, jams, rocky road etc. To order please contact Helen Schyvens on 9487 1563.

### **25 NOVEMBER - International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women**

More information is available here:

<https://www.1800respect.org.au/violence-and-abuse/domestic-and-family-violence>

**WORLD YOUTH DAY:** This year World Youth Day will be held on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> November! Previously celebrated each year on Palm Sunday, the Holy Father has changed the annual celebration to the last Sunday of the liturgical year, being the feast of Christ the King.

"He is our king. He desires ardently to rule our hearts, because we are children of God." – St. Josemaria Escriva

### **NOVENA for NSW State Premier Dominic Perrottet**

The novena commences on Sunday 21 November and ends on Monday 29 November.

**PLEASE CAN YOU HELP US:** Volunteers to undertake the role of COVID Safe Hygiene Marshalls, if you are happy to help, please contact the Parish Office on 8379 1700.

### **ADULT AND JUNIORS SERVERS PLEASE CAN YOU**

**HELP US:** for various Masses, your generosity is much appreciated. Please contact the Parish Office on 8379 1700.

**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.

### **Memorial Mass for Frank Fayers—**

Sunday 28 November 4pm. St George Maronite Catholic Church, 2 Yarrara Rd Thornleigh. All welcome.

**We remember those who died recently** – Sister Christopher Neal IBVM • Bishop Bill Wright • Jessie Formby • Fr Renato Paras • Peter Rath • Anna Asnicar • Anna Hoang

**Anniversaries** – John Boyce

**We pray for the sick** — Kaye Willatt • Pauline Carr • Martin Palisi • Lisa Hogarth

### **SAFEGUARDING –**

*Responding to disclosures of child abuse:*

Key messages a child needs to hear from you (KidsHelpLine, 2021) - <https://kidshelpline.com.au/parents/issues/responding-disclosures-child-abuse>

**Our Journey into Advent.** “Advent 1:23.” At Hornsby Cathedral Parish.

In order to further support the implementation of this project, a Whatsapp group has been set up to send a message each day at 1:23pm to remind participants to pray. This service is available to everyone in the Diocese, and will commence on 28 November concluding 24 December. To receive these messages, please invite parishioners to join the Whatsapp group by following this link: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/JgJNDFGGQFcbAy9fUfXvda>

#### **Our Themes:**

##### **Wed 1 Dec**

##### **7-8pm - Commission – Evangelisation and Mission**

30 mins – the person of Jesus Christ, and his message of Good News. (1 John 1:1-4)

30 mins – the Holy Spirit leads us in the way of discipleship. (Matthew 28:18-20)

##### **Wed 8 Dec 7-8pm - Community – Ecclesial (Church) gathering**

Building together a culture of vocation for all the baptised. (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1877)

30 mins – A united message reflecting the voice of the bishop at the service of his people. (Colossians 2:2-3)

##### **Wed 15 Dec 7-8pm - Common good – justice and peace**

30 mins – Authentic Catholic education for the flourishing of human and faith development. (Evangelii nunti, n. 22)

30 mins – Justice and mercy place the poor at the heart of the Church. (Matthew 25:40)

Those wishing to participate in the programme, please call in the parish office on 028379 1700, to book in.

### **ALPHA Youth -Teens Youth Group – age 12 to 17**

Call for interested parent and leaders to register

We would like to hear from families and parents who have kids aged 12 – 17.

In the New Year, starting February 2022, Hornsby Cathedral parish would like to commence a Youth Group for teens. The aim is to develop an engaging youth community in our Parish where teens can meet together, build friendships, experience youth orientated catechism and discipleship, with music and prayer.

A program that we might start with is ALPHA Youth <https://alpha.org/youth/>.

**Parents**—We appreciate you have the role to ensure teens are involved, encouraged to attend, and provide logistics and volunteer time to assist. Please can you register interest by contacting David Armstrong at [strongarmdave@hotmail.com](mailto:strongarmdave@hotmail.com) or 0459 848 496.

There will be parent/leaders planning meeting to held on **Saturday 27 November, Fr Nulty Room, 6-6.30pm (after 5pm Vigil Mass)**, which you are invited to attend.

### **Curious about Catholicism, or Christianity in**

**general?** Are you, or someone you know, interested in finding out more about what Catholics believe and practise, and why? Do you think you might like to become a Catholic? Free information and discussion sessions start very soon. Come and see with no obligation.

Contact Peter, parish Christian Initiation team leader on Mobile 0411389300 or via email [rcia.hornsby@gmail.com](mailto:rcia.hornsby@gmail.com)