



MANLY FRESHWATER CATHOLIC PARISH

Mary Immaculate and St John the Baptist Churches

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 29th October 2023



Gospel Reflection

In this Sunday's Gospel, as in last Sunday's, the Jewish leaders seek to trip Jesus up. The question the lawyer poses was much discussed in rabbinical circles: Which is the greatest commandment? The Pharisees' intention in posing the question was to force Jesus into a single rabbinical school, thereby opening him up to criticism from all other sides. Jesus' answer, however, proves his fidelity to both the Jewish tradition and to a spirituality that transcends the legal interpretations of the commandments: the "second" commandment is the manifestation of the first. If we love the Lord God with our whole being, that love will manifest itself in our feeding of the hungry, our sheltering of the homeless and our liberating the oppressed. connectionsmediaworks.com



CATHOLIC MISSION APPEAL

With Timor-Leste's fragile infrastructure, reliance on local health practices, and limited access to medical care, many health conditions only worsen, and sadly can result in death. This week Catholic Mission will offer you the opportunity to partner with the Sr Carolina and the Salesian Sisters in Veniale, Timor-Leste, where your gift

can help continue a life-saving program to help address this reality. We hope you will take next week's opportunity to make an incredible impact for those in need. Envelopes will be available in the pews from this weekend.



PARISH GIVING – thank you for your generous support. We encourage you to use the tap machines at the Church entrances. If you prefer to use cash there will be **ONE** collection during Mass at the offertory at Manly and **TWO** at Freshwater.

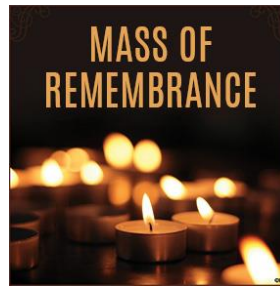
There is only one collection at Mass at St Mary's Manly which is allocated as follows:

- 25% to Supporting our Priests including the sick & retired in our Diocese.
- 75% to Parish operations and maintenance of buildings



Pope Francis Prayer Intention for October – For the Synod

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.



At our Remembrance Mass on All Souls Day, Thursday 2 November we will remember and pray for all the faithfully departed of your families and our Parish community.

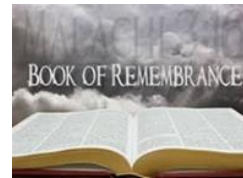
We invite you and your family to one of the Masses.

All Saints Day Mass Wednesday 1st November at 9.15am at Manly and Freshwater

All Souls Day Masses Thursday 2nd November **Freshwater** - 9.15am

Manly – 9.15am and 6pm which will be followed by a light supper.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE



During the month of November we remember our loved ones who have died. To add the names of your loved ones to our **Parish Book of Remembrance** which will be on display in the

Churches during November please contact the Parish Office on 9977 5822 or email manlyfreshwaterparish@bbcatholic.org.au



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

is a process of hearing and living the Good News of Jesus as revealed through the Bible and Catholic tradition in our parish community. Our Focus is a relationship with Jesus Christ our Lord.

We explore the teachings, practices, beliefs, and sacraments of the Catholic Church. Our aim is come to know a deeper understanding and relationship to God and to the parish community where we can find acceptance, welcome, and belonging in God's love.

RCIA Enquiry Nights– Come and See

Tuesday 31st Oct & Tuesday 7th Nov 2023 at 7.00pm in the Parish Centre

Especially for Adults who are unbaptised or baptised in another Christian tradition and wanting to know more about the Catholic Faith. Contact: Parish Office for more details

CHANGES TO WEEKDAY MASSES 9:15am

Mass will be held on the following days...

Manly: Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

Freshwater: Wednesday

LET US PRAY FOR

29th October 2023

Recently Deceased: Myree Randazzo

Anniversary: John Beninati; Jacob Varghese; Joan Ellis

Prayers for the sick in our parish: "Lord, grant them and their carers strength and courage" Margaret Burridge; Stephen Robertson; Maureen Williams; Gerry Wybrandt; Amy Farrow; Patricia Duffy; Florencia Lira; Ken Waller; Mary Helen Fogarty; Belinda Nicholls; Jacqui Dawson; Gerry Ring; Zacchaeus Ratnam; Pat Smith; John Connors; Don Hews; Joan Jacobs; Sheila Lee; Paul Donnelly; Julie Wallis; Lyn Hillard; Ian Flynn; Jake Usher; Wayne Smedley; Shirley Ford; Apolinar Anasarias; Kay Flenady; Annette Frances O'Leary; Anna Kalayzich; Bill Hipkiss

Dates to remember...

- **RCIA Enquiry Night** Tues 31st Oct 7pm Parish Centre
- **All Saints Day Mass** Wed 1 Nov 9:15am at both Churches
- **All Souls Day Mass** Thurs 2 Nov 9:15am at both Churches
- **Remembrance Mass & Supper** Thurs 2nd Nov 6pm Manly
- **Cenacle of Our Lady** SMM Tues 9:45am, SJB Wed 9:45am
- **Lectio Divina** Tues 7:30pm and Wed 10am
- **Eucharistic Adoration in Manly** Wed 6pm – 7:30pm

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM



The Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion will be held in Term 1 2024. We will be holding the Parent Information

Evenings on Tuesday 21st Nov at Manly at 7pm and Tuesday 28th Nov at Freshwater at 7pm.

If your child is in Year 4 or over and you wish them to take part in this program it is essential you attend one of these sessions. If you have any queries please email michelle.ellis@bbcatholic.org.au

PIETY STORE

Movie of the month – Sound of freedom (Jim Caviezel) God's children are not for sale. Based on true events, the child trafficking syndicate is more organised than people realise. A recent box office hit, \$20 @ the piety store.

CD of the month "To hell and back – divine love and the cross" Anne Marie Schmidt. An incredible testimony on divine providence during the Nazi persecution and Russian invasion. The hand of God from the perspective of a Czechoslovakian survivor. Only \$5 @ the piety store.

The Catholic Doctors and Nurses Event of the year

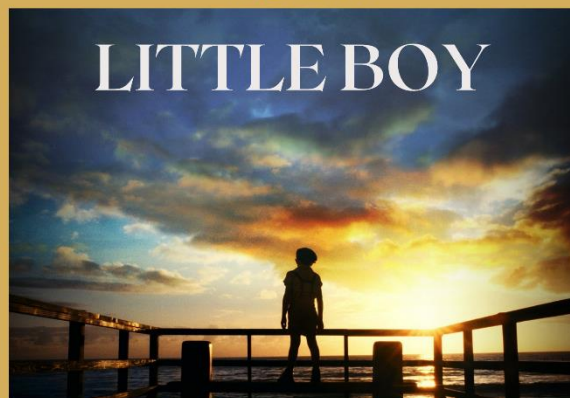
The Catholic Medical Association National Conference and Inaugural White Mass 10-12th November, 2023

Ethical Medicine is at an important crossroad and Catholic practitioners are confronted everyday with an increasingly secular workplace. This conference aims to address a number of the current and emerging issues confronting the Catholic practitioner. This is also a time where we can connect with each other and become more acquainted with the professionals within our network. It is a time for being informed, for joining in fellowship and, most importantly, connecting with Christ. We're looking forward to seeing you at this important time. Please see the full program and Register at: <https://catholicmedicine.org>

Livestreaming on Facebook Sunday 8:30am Mass
[manlyfreshwaterparishfacebook/videos](https://www.facebook.com/manlyfreshwaterparishfacebook/videos)

Manly Freshwater Parish promotes SAFEGUARDING which involves the implementation of proactive, common sense and practical ideas that ensure the safety of children and vulnerable adults in our community

MANLY FRESHWATER PARISH PRESENTS



TICKETS:

BOOK YOUR SEAT VIA EVENTBRITE OR PAY CASH AT THE DOOR

11 NOVEMBER
DINNER & MOVIE
TICKETS \$10 OR
FAMILY TICKET \$20
PIZZA FROM 6:30PM
MOVIE BEGINS 7PM

VENUE

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IT WILL BE A NIGHT OUT!
ALL ARE WELCOME!!!

PIZZA & MOVIE NIGHT

Manly Freshwater Parish presents "LITTLE BOY"

"Little Boy" is an enjoyable film based on the loving relationship between father and son and set during the second World War. It is rated PG and considered suitable for children aged 8 and up.

Purchase your ticket online via the eventbrite link below or from the parish office in cash

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/st-marys-parish-manly-presents-movie-night-featuring-little-boy-tickets-733786604487?aff=oddtcreator>

For more information email the parish office
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CAN'T GET TO MASS ON SUNDAY AND WANT TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION?

Many of you have not been able to come back to Mass on Sunday for different reasons. If you would like one of the Priest to visit you at home, please ring the parish office on 9977 5822.

St Mary's School News...



To recognise October as the month of the most Holy Rosary, St. Mary's school participated in the **"One Million Children Praying the Rosary"** prayer initiative for global peace and unity on the

18th October. Each class took time to pray for the Rosary together to show that the trusting prayer of children can fly like an arrow straight to the heart of God and therefore has such great power. We also had a special visit from Miss Gradwell's Nonna who had a special lesson for Kindy about the Holy Rosary.

This week our 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners had their creative entries acknowledged at the showcase concert at Hornsby RSL for the 2023 Religious Creative Arts Competition. The event showcased the talent and creativity on display in all 5 categories reflecting the theme of this year "Compassion". Taylor Longhurst performed her written song at the show as she won 1st place in her category.



We had a fantastic day at the **Polding Athletics Carnival** at Homebush with outstanding results from our talented

students. All of our relay teams progressed to the finals, with the 8-10 year boys placed 2nd and the 11-13 year girls placed 3rd overall. Otto (Yr5) ran a wonderful 1500m and placed 2nd. This week we have 9 students competing at the NSW State championships, we wish them all the best!



Last week, Year 4 visited **the Botanic Gardens of Sydney** for the Sustainability Heroes Program today. One of their challenges was to design and make a water harvesting system. A great and educational day was had by all students and teachers alike.

Kind regards Josie Gradwell (REC)

StJohn's School News...



October is Mission Month at Catholic Schools Broken Bay, and students were invited to

attend a mass at Our Lady of the Rosary, Waitara, alongside students from other systemic schools. The mass aimed to celebrate the valuable work carried out by Catholic Mission, with a particular focus on Timor-Leste, our neighbouring country, and the health and wellness challenges faced by local families. Catholic schools are encouraged to support this mission through "Socktober - Kick Goals for Good," a fundraising initiative that aids Catholic Mission projects on the ground, providing essential medicines and health support to vulnerable children. To learn more about this initiative, please visit <https://www.catholicmission.org.au/>.



SJB Stage 3 students participated in the Catholic Schools Broken Bay Northern Beaches Basketball Gala Day last week. SJB continues to shine, and we congratulate our senior girls' team for emerging

as overall winners. The team was led by two NSW CPS Polding team members and displayed remarkable skill and determination. Our SJB senior boys team also made us proud, reaching the semi-finals with a remarkable display of spirit and speed. Congratulations to all the players across all levels for their notable improvement in skill and, most importantly, their excellent sportsmanship.



This term, we have three "Step into School" transition sessions, during which our 2024 Kindergarten families join us to learn more about starting school and meet new people.

Kind regards Kelli Johnson (Acting REC)



St John the Baptist
Catholic Primary School, Freshwater

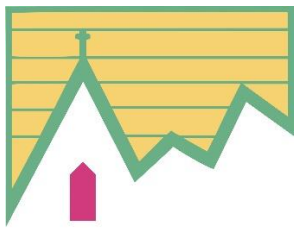
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Church FINANCES

Manly Freshwater Parish Annual Financial Reporting 2022/2023

Dear fellow parishioners,

As we endeavour to keep you all well informed each year as to our income/expenditure position, on behalf of the parish finance committee I hope you find this annual update informative as we try to keep our finances well managed and balanced.

I am pleased to advise that indeed we have achieved our goals once again of keeping our heads above water while at the same time meeting the many financial commitments in running this vibrant parish and its many activities, as well as our Diocesan commitments.

You do not have to look too far around to see that we have all inherited this magnificent sandstone church building. It is now 150 years old and going strong thanks to our ongoing carefully planned maintenance program that spreads the cost of upkeep over a number of years.

The wonderful pipe organ also requires ongoing maintenance, the cost of which is being greatly assisted by some very generous families within the parish.

The Manly presbytery is a heritage listed building that requires constant attention as you can imagine.

Another of our assets is the Freshwater Church and former presbytery. The latter provides a solid rental income for the parish. The Church has been repainted and maintenance work carried out to the roofing and guttering.

The perimeter fencing surrounding the Manly carpark requires constant painting to control salt air rusting issues and our beloved (huge) fig tree, which is an icon of Manly and cannot be removed, has to be managed.

These are but a few of the many projects that we have to manage on your behalf each year to keep the parish functional and safe for everyone who enjoys all the facilities we happily provide.

Here are some bullet points of interest.....

- Parish population - 2000 regulars on and off.
- At Easter and Christmas, the Mass attendances swell to over 4,000 on those feasts.
- Persons coming on and off the property each week include school activities, groups etc 5,000 movements approx.
- Plus, special occasions, sacraments, weddings, funerals and community events.

This is a very busy precinct as you can see, and we appreciate all your weekly contributions which go towards making this all possible and to be enjoyed by many parishioners and our wider community. This helps fulfil our Christian "outreach program".

Your individual generosity every week whether by cash, direct debit, credit card or utilising our tap machines goes greatly towards helping us meet our many financial commitments.

Our income for the past 12 months (1/7/2022 to 30/6/2023) totalled \$414,479.

The main components were your giving (\$290,715), gross rental of \$82,991, and church hire.

Our expenditure over the same period totalled **\$342,988.**

The main items were office expenses, employment, insurances and regular maintenance and cleaning.

We ended the financial year with a solid operating surplus of \$71,491.

Our budgeted income for the next 12 months is \$441,400

We are budgeting expenditure on normal operations of \$376,284

Hoping for an operating surplus of around \$65,000 in the 12 months to June 2024.

We must keep in mind that we are facing some large capital costs over the next 3 years that include.....

1. Presbytery mortar repining and verandah restoration \$125,000
2. Replacing sandstone blocks at Whistler Street end of church \$200,000
3. Repainting of interior of Manly church \$50,000

Thank you!!! We must thank the financial astuteness of our parish priest Fr David Taylor, who is very mindful of using your generous commitments towards the running of this parish wisely, for this result.

As Fr David frequently advises the finance committee "that he never takes the commitment of our parishioners lightly and appreciates every dollar that comes in". Just for your further assurances, the parish has enjoyed for many years the collective wisdom of the members of our financial team who originate from many and varied commercial backgrounds as they bring their individual experiences and knowledge that greatly assists the proper management of parish finances.

Members are - John Zemek (chair), Fr David Taylor, Micheal McGrath, Anne-Catherine Holland, Ian Press, Valerie Bueno and Paul Pervan. It is reassuring that the continued careful management of our parish finances are in the capable hands of such professionals who have your best interests at heart with all their financial decisions on behalf of the parish. Please do not hesitate to approach any of these wonderful volunteer persons should you wish to understand our parish finances in any more detail.



Above all, please keep up your weekly giving and if possible, make a weekly/monthly commitment. Please consider a change to direct debit contribution which will help assure the parish administration of its income, week in and week out.

A big thank you to each and every one of you in helping keep this parish functional and operational for the enjoyment of the thousands who use these facilities week by week.

God Bless Manly Freshwater Parish Finance Committee. October 2023

**Diocese of Broken Bay Parish Annual Financial Report – Manly Freshwater Parish
Revenue & Expenditure Statement for the Financial Year ended 30/06/2023**

Year	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24
	Actual \$	Actual \$	Budget \$
Operating Revenue			
Planned Giving	160,700	165,229	180,000
Unplanned Giving	75,487	125,486	117,000
Total Parish Giving	236,187	290,715	297,000
Special Collections that remain in Parish	0	0	0
CCI Rebates	0	0	0
Managed Fund Distributions	0	0	0
Bequests (unfettered)	0	0	20,000
Entertainment, Functions and Fundraising	0	0	5,000
Interest	28	205	400
Other Revenue	28,031	40,568	40,000
Rent Received (Net of utility costs & exp. prior to FY23)	59,797	82,991	79,000
Total Operating Revenue	324,043	414,479	441,400
Operating Expenditure			
Administration	5,823	9,199	10,000
Altar and Church Requisites	18,471	15,449	20,000
Pastoral Works Broken Bay (PWBB) Appeal Shortfall	0	0	0
Donations	169	1,949	5,000
Employment	123,175	108,916	130,000
Insurance	42,033	64,645	70,000
Interest	4,176	6,518	7,200
Motor Vehicles	25,110	21,826	23,650
Office Expenses	23,725	33,783	26,250
Other Expenses	1,943	2,797	2,100
Pastoral Programs	4,763	10,966	12,100
Repairs and Maintenance (parish use recurring)	24,442	38,147	38,500
Repairs and Expenses (rental properties)	0	6,157	7,000
Superannuation (Clergy)	5,732	5,667	6,234
Telecommunications	2,334	2,012	2,500
Utilities (Gas & Electricity, Council & Water Rates)	6,881	14,957	15,750
Total Operating Expenditure	288,777	342,988	376,284
Net Operating Surplus/(Deficit)	35,266	71,491	65,116
Non Operating Revenue			
Sale of - Land & Buildings	0	0	0
Sale of - Furniture, Fittings & Plant etc.	0	0	0
Cash Boost & Jobkeeper	15,000	0	0
Jobsaver	21,054	0	0
Donations / Bequests (fettered)	5,000	0	50,000
Other Non Operating Revenue	0	0	0
Total Non Operating Revenue	41,054	0	50,000
Non Operating Expenditure			
Purchase of Land and Buildings	0	0	0
Purchase of Furniture and Fittings, etc.	5,160	0	10,000
Repairs and Maintenance (non-recurrent)	81,433	0	35,000
Donation / Bequest Expenditure	0	0	50,000
JobKeeper Topup	0	0	0
Other Non Operating Expenditure	0	0	15,000
Total non operating expenditure	86,593	0	110,000
Net Non Operating items Surplus/(Deficit)	(45,539)	0	(60,000)
Net Overall Profit/(Loss)	(10,273)	71,491	5,116
CASH AND DEPOSITS @ 30 JUNE 2023		244,242	
Less CDF LOAN		-93,541	
Less OTHER NET LIABILITIES (incl leave & payroll)		-36,848	
NET FUNDS AVAILABLE TO PARISH		113,853	

MINISTRY ROSTER – NOVEMBER 2023 – MANLY

	Ministry	Week 1 4 – 5 November	Week 2 11 – 12 November	Week 3 18 – 19 November	Week 4 25 – 26 November
		31st Sun in Ord Time	32nd Sun in Ord Time	33rd Sun in Ord Time	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
6pm Vigil Mass	Server	Assistance Required	Louise Wareham	Louise Wareham	Louise Wareham
	Readers	Freya Zemek	Bill Tango	Rita Bruzzese	Bill Tango
	Music	CD'S	CD'S	CD'S	CD's
	Warden	John Zemek	John Zemek	John Zemek	John Zemek
	Piety Store	Merle Zemek	Merle Zemek	Merle Zemek	Merle Zemek
8:30am Mass	Server	Ken Thompson	Ivica Covic	Ken Thompson	Ivica Covic
	Readers	Jan Van Den Broek	Patty Thomas	Patty Thomas	Jan Van Den Broek
	Music	Parish Choir	Parish Choir	Parish Choir	Parish Choir
	Warden	Assistance Required	Assistance Required	Assistance Required	Assistance Required
	Piety Store	Jan Dorsen	Jan Dorsen	Jan Dorsen	Jan Dorsen
10:30am Mass	Server	Louise Wareham	Louise Wareham Teresa Hearn	Assistance Required Bernie Lawler	Louise Wareham
	Readers	Katalina Taefotu Ron Gravolin	Rita Bruzzese Janie Fonua	Carmel Lawler Katalina Taefotu	Rita Bruzzese Janie Fonua
	Music	Tongan Choir	Gina Marshall Bianca Zatz	Tongan Choir	Gina Marshall Bianca Zatz
	Warden	Paul Pervan	Paul Pervan	Paul Pervan	Paul Pervan
	Morning Tea			Tongan Community	
	Piety Store	Kim McGrath	Jenny Tucker	Kim McGrath	Jenny Tucker
6pm Mass	Server	Richard Heasman	Kieran & Gabriele Wan	Ivica Covic Richard Heasman	Kieran & Gabriele Wan
	Readers	Dean Gale	Sandie Cornish Richard Heasman	Youth Group	Family Mass
	Music	Simon Hyland	Josh Willard	Simon Hyland	Family Mass
	Warden	Assistance Required	Assistance Required	Assistance Required	Assistance Required
	Piety Store	Assistance Required	Assistance Required	Assistance Required	Assistance Required

MINISTRY ROSTER – NOVEMBER 2023 – FRESHWATER

	Ministry	Week 1 4 – 5 November	Week 2 11 – 12 November	Week 3 18 – 19 November	Week 4 25 – 26 November
		31st Sun in Ord Time	32nd Sun in Ord Time	33rd Sun in Ord Time	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
5pm Vigil	Server	Ian Press	Lou Maruca	Mick O'Farrell	Ian Press
	Readers	Amanda Whitfield	Family Mass	Amanda Whitfield	Jessica & Joseph Press
	Music	CD's	Family Mass	CD's	CD's
	Server	Joanne Druery	Joanne Druery	Francis Raymond	Amorina Wright
9am Mass	Readers	Patricia Brown Luke Campbell	Vincent Bokanovic Luka Bokanovic	Toni Walsh Pam Brown	Josh Wright Jasmine Wright
	Music	Pat Brown	Pat Brown	Pat Brown	Pat Brown
	Altar Society	N/A	Amanda Whitfield	N/A	Jacqui Good Mary Arcus
	Morning Teas	Andy & Beck Thiss	Tim Markwart	Angelica & Michael Rosatto	Wright family

If you would like to take part in one of these ministries, please contact the parish office 9977 5822

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

First Reading *Exodus 22:20-26 (JB)*

A reading from the book of Exodus

If you are harsh with the widow or the orphan, my anger will rage against you.

The Lord said to Moses, 'Tell the sons of Israel this, "You must not molest the stranger or oppress him, for you lived as strangers in the land of Egypt. You must not be harsh with the widow, or with the orphan; if you are harsh with them, they will surely cry out to me, and be sure I shall hear their cry; my anger will flare and I shall kill you with the sword, your own wives will be widows, your own children orphans.

"If you lend money to any of my people, to any poor man among you, you must not play the usurer with him: you must not demand interest from him.

"If you take another's cloak as a pledge, you must give it back to him before sunset. It is all the covering he has; it is the cloak he wraps his body in; what else would he sleep in? If he cries to me, I will listen, for I am full of pity."

The word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm *Ps 17:2-4, 47, 51 (JB)*

R. I love you, Lord, my strength.

I love you, Lord, my strength, my rock, my fortress, my saviour. My God is the rock where I take refuge; my shield, my mighty help, my stronghold. The Lord is worthy of all praise: when I call I am saved from my foes. R.

Long life to the Lord, my rock! Praised be the God who saves me. He has given great victories to his king and shown his love for his anointed. R.

Second Reading *1 Thessalonians 1:5-10 (JB)*

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians

You turned away from idols to serve God and await his Son.

You observed the sort of life we lived when we were with you, which was for your instruction, and you were led to become imitators of us, and of the Lord; and it was with the joy of the Holy Spirit that you took to the gospel, in spite of the great opposition all round you. This has made you the great example to all believers in Macedonia and Achaia since it was from you

that the word of the Lord started to spread - and not only throughout Macedonia and Achaia, for the news of your faith in God has spread everywhere. We do not need to tell other people about it: other people tell us how we started the work among you, how you broke with idolatry when you were converted to God and became servants of the real, living God; and how you are now waiting for Jesus, his Son, whom he raised from the dead, to come from heaven to save us from the retribution which is coming.

The word of the Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation *John 14:23 (JB)*

Alleluia, alleluia!

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

Alleluia!

Gospel *Matthew 22:34-40 (JB)*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

You shall love the Lord your God and your neighbour as yourself.

When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees they got together and, to disconcert him, one of them put a question, 'Master, which is the greatest commandment of the Law?' Jesus said, 'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second resembles it: You must love your neighbour as yourself. On these two commandments hang the whole Law, and the Prophets also.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



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Weekend Masses:
Manly: Saturday Vigil 6:00pm
Sunday 8:30am, 10:30am, 6:00pm
Freshwater: Saturday Vigil 5:00pm & Sunday 9am

Weekday Masses:
Manly: Tuesday – Friday 9:15am
Freshwater: Tuesday – Friday 9:15am

Baptisms: please contact the parish office
Manly: 4th Sunday of the month
Freshwater: 2nd Sunday of the month

Reconciliation: *Manly* Sat 10am – 11am

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