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27 October 2019 - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Mass Times:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 6:30am

Thursday: 9:15am

Saturday: 9:00am, 6:00pm (vigil)

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am, 6:00pm

Public Holiday: 9:00am

Youth Mass: 6:00pm (4th Sunday of month)

Baptism: Fourth Sunday of each month by appointment

Wedding: Contact Parish Office at least 6 months prior notice

Morning Prayer: Monday - Wednesday & Friday: 6:10am Thursday: 8:40am

Anointing of Sick: 2nd Thursday of the month at 9:15am or by request

Eucharistic Adoration: Saturday 9:30 – 10am concluding with Benediction

Reconciliation: Saturday 9:30am

Rosary: Immediately after weekday Mass and Saturday (8:35am)



**Every Friday
(during term time)**

Lectio Divina facilitated
by Fr Greg
10-11am, Hall Boardroom

**First Friday
of Every Month**

Exposition / Adoration at
7pm
Holy Mass at 7:30-8pm

Every Thursday

Morning Prayer prior to mass
8:40am

November

Friday 1 November

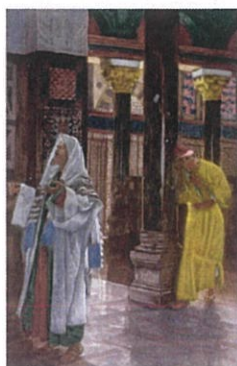
All Saints Day
Masses at 6:30am; 9:30am and
7:00pm

Saturday 2 November

All Soul's Day
Masses at 9:00am and 6:00pm

Sunday 3 November

Children's Choir
9:00am–11:00am



***The tax collector stood off at a distance
and would not even raise his eyes to
heaven but beat his breast and prayed.
(Gospel)***

Dear Parishioners and visitors to the Parish,

The parable of the Pharisee and the tax collector is one of the most beautiful of Jesus parables. It never loses its freshness and power to prompt me to reflect on my own

attitudes and behaviour. The Pharisee has done so many good and praiseworthy things, but his heart is not in the right place. He takes his stand and is sadly blind to the fact that he has forgotten that life is a gift from God, and that we are always in need of God's mercy. The Greek text gives the impression that he is speaking to himself rather than to God and this is his first mistake. The second is his condemnation of the tax collector. The tax collector, on the other hand has no illusions about himself and that enables him to see what the Pharisee so easily misses. The tax collector has taken the first important step—he looks at himself, and recognises his need and woundedness. There is room in his heart to accept the gift that God so eagerly wants to give. Here is a living example of what Ecclesiasticus conveyed so long ago—the prayer of the humble person goes straight to the heart of God.

May God bless you.

Fr Greg Chee, OCD

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Ku-Ring-Gai Interchurch Committee

You are invited to our 2019 Annual Dinner on Friday 8 November at 6pm for 6:30pm. Our guest speaker is Bill Crews AM, Ashfield Uniting Church Minister and Creator, Exodus Foundation.

Bill's presentation "What running Exodus has taught me about life".

Cost is \$40 pp and the dinner will be held at the St Ives Uniting Church, cnr Mona Vale Road & Douglas Street, St Ives.

Corpus Christi is also looking for another representative to join Cheryl Doyle on the Interchurch Committee. Could you please contact Cheryl for further information on 9488 8803.



On Wednesday 23 October Corpus Christi Primary School partnered with Catholic Mission to Sock It To Poverty. Fr Greg and Fr Johny were invited to the school to be goalies for the Kindy kids. Every child paid \$5 to have 5 attempts at getting a goal. A lot of fun was had by the kids and by Fr Greg and Fr Johny!

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER



Holy Spirit

That the breath of the Holy Spirit engender a n new missionary "spring" in the Church

Prayer Zone



Anniversary: Ruben Gabila; Jaroslav Cernanec

Please pray for the ill:

Elizabeth Walsh; Joan and Tom Beram; Rebecca Anderson; Maria and Jack Garcia; Jose Mestres; Meacheal; Estelle Sok; Lewis Criniti; Thi Nguyen; Victoria; Carmel Hadley; Tom Brewer; Anne Baillie, Carmel Hurrell, Mary Sanzone, Fergus O'Brien, Michelle Soumier, Jane Donnelly, Lisa Doherty, Carol-Anne Campbell, Jennifer Nancarro, Gina Jaksetic, Jeannie, Gracie Spencer, Brendan Stone, John Michael Walsh

If you know of anyone who can no longer attend mass due to illness; or if you have noticed one of our parishioners is no longer attending mass, could you please let the office know.



Donations to the Charitable Works Fund help our community through five charities and agencies that serve the people in our

Diocese. These are the **Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD)**, **Catholic Care Hospital Chaplaincy and Pastoral Care Practitioners**, **St Lucy's School**, **St Edmund's College** and the **Ephpheta Centre**. Our next CWF collection will be held on the second weekend of November.

Ku-Ring-Gai Interchurch Group

We will be praying for Fr Greg Chee, Fr Johny and Fr Jay Jay. It is the anniversary of signing the Inter-Church Agreement, pray it will be fruitful.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

The Planned Giving Envelopes are ready to be collected from the foyer.

LITURGICAL RECEPTION AND SOLEMN MASS OF INSTALLATION

The Most Reverend Anthony Randazzo DD, JCL.

AS THE FOURTH BISHOP OF BROKEN BAY

ON MONDAY 4 NOVEMBER 2019 AT 6.45PM

at

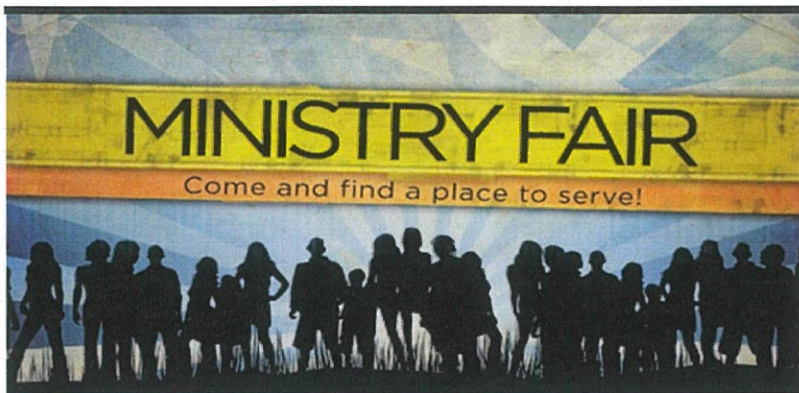
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CATECHIST MEETING

The catechist meeting scheduled for Tuesday 29 October has been moved to Wednesday 30 October at 12:30pm in the Hall.



**CONGRATULATIONS TO DANIELLE HADLEY WHO WON THE GOLD CLASS
TICKETS AT THE MINISTRY FAIR!**

**A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO ALL OF THOSE WHO SIGNED UP TO A
MINISTRY. WITHOUT YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT, TIME AND EFFORT
OUR PARISH COULD NOT FUNCTION AS WELL AS IT DOES.**



Today we will have a speaker from the Catholic Mission. This year's Catholic Mission Appeal highlights the life-saving work supported by Catholic Mission in Ghana. The aim is to rescue vulnerable babies and children and to foster their personal development.

Sister Stan Mumuni is at the forefront of the Church's work in reaching out to children in need in Ghana. As the director of the Nazareth Home for God's Children, Sister Stan works endlessly to provide education, healthcare and a safe home for children rescued from life-threatening situations.

In line with traditional belief, in parts of Ghana, children born with a disability, or whose mother passes during childbirth, are considered to be 'spirit children' and thus at risk of being harmed or killed. The Church in Ghana is dedicated to protecting these children and educating families to ensure every child has a chance to live a full life. The Nazareth Home for God's Children is among the pioneers in this crucial mission.

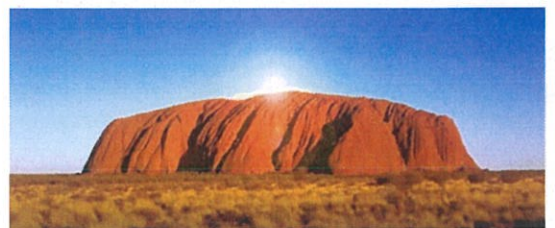
Today you have the opportunity to personally partner with the Church in Ghana and offer monthly support to this essential work. All gifts will be directed to life-saving projects for children in need. Your one-off gift today is also very much appreciated and will make a great difference to those in need.



SOCIAL JUSTICE CORNER:

RETURN OF ULURU TO THE TRADITIONAL OWNERS

In October each year we celebrate the return of the title to Uluru's traditional owner. The handover of Uluru on the 26th October 1985 was a symbolic highpoint for land rights. Hundreds of Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal people attended the ceremony when Governor General Sir Ninian Stephen handed over the title deeds to Anangu traditional owners. Anangu then signed an agreement leasing the land back to the Australian Parks and Wildlife Service (now the Director of National Parks) for 99 years. The occasion formally acknowledged Anangu ownership of the park while at the same time recognising the value of their land as a park of national significance. The first Board chairman was Yami Lester - a former land rights campaigner and an executive member of the Pitjantjatjara Council. Uluru today is a natural wonder, a symbol of indigenous land rights and, for many, a source of spiritual connectedness with the continent. On the 26th October we celebrate the importance of keeping land and culture strong and supporting traditional owners to live on their land and teach their children and grandchildren as they were taught.



Acknowledgement of Traditional Owners

We wish to acknowledge the traditional custodians of these lands on which we gather and show our respect to the Elders past and present. We also wish to pay our respects to all Aboriginal people.

NOVEMBER

1st ALL

SAINTS



2nd ALL SOULS' DAY
When we remember the Faithful Departed



NOVEMBER FOCUS: PRAYING FOR THE DEPARTED

ALL SAINTS DAY—1ST FRIDAY ON 1ST NOVEMBER

Masses:	6:30am	Normal
	9:30am	School Mass (everyone is welcome)
	7:30pm	After Adoration at 7pm

ALL SOULS DAY 1ST SATURDAY ON 2ND NOVEMBER

9AM Mass followed by Adoration and Reconciliation

LET US PRAY FOR OUR DEPARTED BELOVED ONES

Scripture says it is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead in order that they may be loosed from their sins. November is the month when we remember those who have gone before us. Because of Jesus Christ forgiveness and love cross the grave. We may pray for them but they cannot pray for themselves. However they can and will in gratitude pray for us. So as we pray for each other we are exercising mutual charity.

At the 7:30pm mass on the 1st Friday during the intercessions we will remember our departed beloved ones; we also remember them during the Eucharistic Prayer. So come along to the 7:30pm mass and remember those who have gone before us.

REMEMBRANCE BOOK

I would encourage you to write the names of your departed beloved ones in this special book. We will bring this book with these names in the entrance procession to the front on Sunday masses during November and during these masses they will be especially remembered during the Eucharistic Prayer

SPECIAL NOVEMBER ENVELOPES FOR THE DEAD

I would also encourage you to use a November envelope for your departed beloved ones. In this way a special mass will be offered for the person(s). Write the name clearly with a small donation enclosed.

We will also remember them as a group as the names of all November Envelope mentioned individuals will be on slides before mass begins and they will be remembered in the Eucharistic Prayer. In this way at some time a unique mass is offered as well as being remembered during masses in November as a group.

So let us remember our departed loved ones during November in a special way so that they too may experience the fullness of glory experienced by all the saints.

Ministry Rosters

27 October 2019

<i>(Week 5) 26/27 October</i>	<i>Vigil 6.00pm</i>	<i>8.00a.m.</i>	<i>10.00a.m.</i>	<i>6.00p.m.</i>
LECTORS	Minda Licuanan	Marie Lo	Drew Bowie Christian Hoogewerf	Daniel Anania
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION	Karen McEwen Minda Licuanan Andrew Sim	James Cheah Kathy Lee Greg & Tania Murray Raymond Tsui	Denise Carmody Marina Albuquerque Gerry & Cheryl Hoy John & Betty Goh Bev Howie	O'KellyTam
WELCOMING MINISTRY	Ruby Camilleri Charlie Camilleri	Jan Martin Margaret Summersgill Fran Lerner	Jean Lee John O'Connell	Beverley Hannan Sara Figueroa
WARDENS		Frank Bosci	Charles Thomson	Sid Veyret
PIETY STALL	Cheryl Doyle			Ira Rozali
MUSICIAN	Belinda Camilleri	Tamaryn Harris Miho Hachigo	Parish Choir	Margaret Rozali Angela Rozali
CHILDREN'S LIT.			Bev Howie	
COUNTERS	Pat Dayton	Chris Dayton	Aub Crawley	Peter Jackson
ALTAR LINEN	Beverley Hannan			
ALTAR SOCIETY			MORNING TEA	Wehrhahn Family
FLORAL ARRANGER	Margareth Sidhu Judy Henville			

Turramurra Hs	Private Homes C	Private Homes D	Kari Court
Geoffrey Gibbons	Jacqui Gooley	Jacqui Gooley	Jacqui Gooley

<i>(Week 6) 2/3 Nov</i>	<i>Vigil 6.00pm</i>	<i>8.00a.m.</i>	<i>10.00a.m.</i>	<i>6.00p.m.</i>
LECTORS	Claude Jugmans Ray Armstrong	Julia Gibson	Linda Taneja Mika Tregale	Diann Hynes Chris Hannan
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION	Phil Davies Jan Davies Ed Wales Catherine Wales Belinda Camilleri	Marie Lo Carmel McIntosh Zelia Caldeira Rosa Price	Crystal D'Souza Majella Egan Sue Ruberu Francisca Silvianty Jean Lee	Virginia Anania Daniel Anania Diann & John Hynes
WELCOMING MINISTRY	Colleen McMillan Jill Royle Janet Lee Shirley Lockett	Laura Su Jenny Lloyd Carmel McIntosh	Eva Stautner Indira Gomez	Rachel Blake Elaine Dignan
WARDENS		Hector Fernandes	John O'Connell	Matthew Dmello
PIETY STALL	Minda Licuanan			Virginia Anania
MUSICIAN	Trevor Housley	Trevor Housley	Junior Choir	Marianne Ching Jason Licuanan
CHILDREN'S LIT.			Bev Howie	
COUNTERS	Patty Bowie	Elly Wignell	John Bowie	
ALTAR LINEN	Andrena Brewer			
ALTAR SOCIETY	Kathy Lee		MORNING TEA	
FLORAL ARRANGER	Tammy Malouf Helen Russett			

Turramurra Hs	Private Homes C	Private Homes D	Kari Court
Carmel McIntosh	Cypriana Liem	Cypriana Liem	Gerry Hoy

The Word

Sunday 27 October 2019: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C

First Reading

From the book of Ecclesiasticus Sir 35:12-14, 16-18

The prayer of the humble will penetrate the heavens.
The Lord is a judge who is no respecter of personages. He shows no respect of personages to the detriment of a poor man; he listens to the plea of the injured party. He does not ignore the orphan's supplication, nor the widow's as she pours out her story. The man who with his whole heart serves God will be accepted, his petitions will carry to the clouds. The humble man's prayer pierces the clouds, until it arrives he is inconsolable nor will he desist until the Most High takes notice of him, acquits the virtuous and delivers judgement. And the Lord will not be slow, nor will he be dilatory on their behalf.
The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 32:2-3. 17-19. 23. R. v.7

(R.) The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

1. I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise always on my lips; in the Lord my soul shall make its boast. The humble shall hear and be glad. *(R.)*
2. The Lord turns his face against the wicked to destroy their remembrance from the earth. The just call and the Lord hears and rescues them in all their distress. *(R.)*
3. The Lord is close to the broken-hearted; those whose spirit is crushed he will save. The Lord ransoms the souls of his servants. Those who hide in him shall not be condemned. *(R.)*

Second Reading

From the second letter of St Paul to Timothy 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18

All that remains is the crown of righteousness reserved for me.

My life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day; and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.

The first time I had to present my defence, there was not a single witness to support me. Every one of them deserted me – may they not be held accountable for it. But the Lord stood by me and gave me power, so that through me the whole message might be proclaimed for all the pagans to hear; and so I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from all evil attempts on me, and bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.
The Word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself; and the Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us.

Alleluia!

Gospel

From the holy Gospel according to Luke Lk 18:9-14

The publican returned to his home justified; the pharisee did not.

Jesus spoke the following parable to some people who prided themselves on being virtuous and despised everyone else, 'Two men went up to the Temple to pray, one a Pharisee, the other a tax collector. The Pharisee stood there and said this prayer to himself, "I thank you, God, that I am not grasping, unjust, adulterous like the rest of mankind, and particularly that I am not like this tax collector here. I fast twice a week; I pay tithes on all I get." The tax collector stood some distance away, not daring even to raise his eyes to heaven; but he beat his breast and said, "God, be merciful to me, a sinner." This man, I tell you, went home again at rights with God; the other did not. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the man who humbles himself will be exalted.'

The Gospel of the Lord.



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