

# Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, Fairfield

Archdiocese of Sydney Est. 1946

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#### MISSION STATEMENT

We are a believing community in the Catholic Tradition, whose heart is Jesus Christ, celebrated in the Eucharist. Our catholicity is lived through the diverse nature of our community which is open and welcoming to all. Daily we are open to the Holy Spirit who speaks to us through the Gospel, enabling us to experience personal and social transformation

## PARISH INFORMATION

Dean/Parish Priest:	Very Rev Fr Michael de Stoop
<b>Assistant Priest:</b>	Rev Fr Josh Miechels
<b>Assistant Priest:</b>	Rev Fr Bhaskar Mendam MSFS
Seminarian:	Adrian Simmons
Seminarian:	Peter Khuong
Parish Secretary:	Rosalia Nauqe
PARISH OFFICE:	2 Weston Street
	Fairfield NSW 2165
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admin@olrfairfield. (02) 9724 5997

#### **Office Hours:**

Monday to Friday: 9am-12pm, 1-4pm

#### CATECHIST COORDINATOR:

Heather Watt: Contact Parish Office LITURGICAL COORDINATOR Manolo Patacsil: 0466 263 419

#### SAFEGUARDING OFFICERS

Lessie Pahimulin and Margaret Lim: Contact the Parish Office

#### SUNDAY MASS

in English (Vigil):	6:00pm (Sat)
in Polish:	7:30am
in English:	9:00am, 10:30am
in Vietnamese:	4:30pm
in English:	6:00pm

#### WEEKDAY MASS

Mon to Fri: 9:15 am Saturday: 8:30 am Tuesday: 7:00 pm

ADORATION Tue-Thu 7-9am

## MONTHLY MASS TIMES

1st Friday:9:15 am Mass and Devotions<br/>6:00 pm Holy Hour (Vietnamese)<br/>7:00 pm Mass & Anointing1st Sat:8:30 am Mass and Holy Hour4th Sat:Anointing of the Sick Mass 9 am

1st Sunday: 1:30 pm Mass in Burmese

Novena Mass: 1st Wednesday 6:30pm

Daily Rosary before and after Mass, Mon - Sat

## SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS

First Sunday of the Month. First part of the Baptism Ceremony takes place during the 10:30am Mass and continues after the Mass. A Baptism preparation class is required prior to Baptism. Baptism Enrolment form need to be submitted to the Parish Office.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

After every weekday Mass, Saturday 9am and 5pm or by appointment.

**MARRIAGES** By appointment – six months notice required and undergo Marriage Preparation Course. Check with Parish Secretary for more information

#### **ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

First Friday of the month during 7pm Mass and last Saturday of the month during 8.30am Mass . For emergencies, you can call the priest on duty on Ph: 0439 615 659

## SCHOOLS

OLR PRIMARY SCHOOL 20 Vine Street, Fairfield Tel: (02) 9727 9064 Principal: Jackie Vella info@olrfairfield.catholic.edu.au **PATRICIAN BROTHERS' COLLEGE** Boys Year 7–12 Tel: (02) 9728 4488 Principal: Mr. Peter Wade info@pbcfairfield.catholic.edu.au Monastery: (02) 97241247 **MARY MACKILLOP CATHOLIC COLLEGE** Girls Year 7–12 Tel: (02) 9725 4322 Principal: Ms. Gilda Pussich info@mmcwakeley.catholic.edu.au **SCECS OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE** Ph: (02) 9568 8218 Website: www.scecs.nsw.edu.au Mary Mackillop Hall 20 Vine Street, Fairfield NSW 2165

#### PARISH GROUPS

Divine Mercy Novena:	Every Saturday at 7:20 pm
Charismatic - Spanish:	Every Saturday 11am
Children's Liturgy:	2nd Sun of the Month 9am c/o Irene Taylor
Our Lady of Perpetual Help:	Wed 6:30 pm c/o Norberto Sia
St. Vincent de Paul:	1st Thurs of the month 6:30pm c/o Marcel
Holy Communion for the Sick & E	lderly: Antoinette 0412015469
Catholic Women's League:	4th Thur of the month, 12:30 pm Sandra
Legion of Mary:	Every Sunday Junior group at 10:30am.
	Adult at 4pm c/o Josephine 0447 438 302

#### A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney

Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with a crime are the police. If you – or anyone you know – have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at (02) 9390 5810 or

safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org. You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.

This Parish pays respect to the Cadigal People of the Eora Nation, the traditional custodians of this land.

RECONCILIATION After Mass Mon to Sat 5-6 pm every Sat

#### THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST - (CORPUS CHRISTI) YEAR C 23 June 2019



First ReadingGen 14:18-20A reading from the book of GenesisMelchizedek brought bread and wine.

Melchizedek king of Salem brought bread and wine; he was a priest of God Most High. He pronounced this blessing: 'Blessed be Abraham by God Most High, creator of heaven and earth, and blessed be God Most High for handing over your enemies to you.' And Abraham gave him a tithe of everything.

#### Responsorial Psalm Ps 109:1-4. R. v.4

(*R*.) You are a priest for ever, in the line of Melchizedek.

#### Second Reading 1 Cor 11:23-26

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians Every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, you are proclaiming the death of the Lord.

This is what I received from the Lord, and in turn passed on to you: that on the same night that he was betrayed, the Lord Jesus took some bread, and thanked God for it and broke it, and he said, 'This is my body, which is for you; do this as a memorial of me.' In the same way he took the cup after supper, and said, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Whenever you drink it, do this as a memorial of me.' Until the Lord comes, therefore, every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, you are proclaiming to his death.

#### **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

Alleluia!

#### **Gospel:** Lk 9:11-17

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke *They all ate and were filled*.

Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them about the kingdom of God; and he cured those who were in need of healing. It was late afternoon when the Twelve came to him and said, 'Send the people away, and they can go to the villages and farms round about to find lodging and food; for we are in a lonely place here.' He replied, 'Give them something to eat yourselves.' But they said, 'We have no more than five loaves and two fish, unless we are to go ourselves and buy food for all these people.' For there were about five thousand men. But he said to his disciples, 'Get them to sit down in parties of about fifty.' They did so and made them all sit down. Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them; then he broke them and handed them to his disciples to distribute among the crowd. They all ate as much as they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were collected they filled twelve baskets.

#### WE REMEMBER AND PRAY FOR:

**Recently Deceased**: Nella Giloramo, Genoveva Da Costa, Seu Leong Tsom.

Anniversary of Death: Charles Schembri, Helena Aditeimumu Loloa, Nicola Colaneri, Luigi Mirarchi, Giovani Severini, Domenico Mazzone, Annie Gonsalves.

In Loving Memory of: Madalena Dang Thi Lien, Catalina Pham Thi Gioi, Pham Thi Ngu, Pulqueria Luis & Jose Luis Mota, Sabah Sadig, Silvestro Climich, Vittorio Bogna, Maria Bogdanich, Elsa Perco, Rijina Yousif, Alan James Doel, Giuseppe Occhiuto, Paul & Pina Axisa, Joseph Murdaca, Mary Patrick, Virisine Racumu, Sarah Bogdanich-Yvonne Hinds, Irene Zerauschek, Caetan Fernandes, Lynette Herbert, Alfred Zammit, Fatima Cham, Maria Luisa Cubelo, Sr. Concezione D'Amico, Giuseppe Gagliano, Karmenu & Vincenzo Cianta, Charlie Camilleri, Cecilia Anh Thi Nguyen, Isabel Tuyet Thi Dang, Vincenza & Vincenzo, Domenico, Stefano, Cagliostro, Concetizione & Concetto D'Amico, Carmela Graziella Ninae D'Amico, Gianni D'Amico, Paul Pace, Georgina Bugeja, Maria Faccin, Karmenu, Vincenza Ciantar, John & Marjorie Windred, Sam Musolino, Sr Concezione & Giuseppe D'Amico, Giuseppe Gagliano, Annunziata D'Amico, Domenico Marzano, Carmen & Anthony Spiteri, Charlie Camilleni, Joseph & Carmen Camilleni, Joseph Busuttil, Mary Rose Price, Emmanuel, John & and all Holy Souls in Purgatory.

*Sick & Infirmed:* Jason Meek, Lucy Bugeja, Mary Nguyen, Maria Pham, Carmel Windred, Baby Hayden.

Special Intention: Levi Daws & family, Lizzie Pace & Family

15	Mrs Annie Gonsalvez
16	Paul Dat Tien Phan
17	Kate Robinson
18	Giuseppe, Antonina Francesca Papalia, Giuseppe Occhiuto
19	Li Cai, Yuloun Zhao, Guang Men Zhao
20	Thanksgiving to God
21	Steve Lawrence

#### Archdiocese Notice: Walk with Christ

In light of it being the Feast of Corpus Christi we ask all parishioners to save the date for a very special celebration for all Sydney Catholics.

Please join your fellow Sydneysiders in the Walk with Christ annual Eucharistic Procession through the streets of Sydney on the Feast of Christ The King on November 24 at 2.30pm.

Thousands of people took part in last year's joyful public proclamation and act of worship to invoke Christ's blessing upon our beautiful city.

Meet at the corner of Martin Place & Pitt Street at 2.30pm on November 24.

## Parish Priest Message: First Holy Communion

On behalf of OLR Parish, I express gratitude for our seminarian Adrian Simmons our catechists Liz Carter and Arthur Silva who instructed the children during the last few weeks to prepare them for their First Holy Communion. I also thank them together with the Assistant Principal Linda Katsibras, Religious Education Coordinator Mary Anne Malone, Year 3 teachers, and the volunteers from the Vietnamese community Lich Phan and Peter Khuong who help to prepare the BBQ for the children's Retreat Day on Friday. These combined efforts between the Parish and the Primary School has ensured that the 66 children have been prepared well for their First Holy Communion this weekend. These children would also do well to have the support of your prayers and words of congratulations.

## **New Planned Giving Envelopes**

The Planned Giving Envelopes for 2019–2020 are available for collection at the church foyer. Tax receipts will be available upon request from 1–31 July. New parishioners are welcome to join.

## Long-Serving Volunteers

I invite you to join me in expressing gratitude for OLR Parish's long-serving volunteers who have now retired; namely: Tom Vassallo, Frank Cubelo (Acolytes); Rita Verstegen; (Reader) Norrie Howard (Liturgy coordinator); (Joe Bugeja (Sacristan), Edward Zammit (Janitor); and Georgina Busuttil (Reader). In addition to serving the needs of their time, each of these volunteers have made significant contributions to what we enjoy today.

In gratitude for the legacy we have received from their generosity, next Sunday, each of these volunteers will be receiving a gift as a token of our appreciation.

## Children's Liturgy

## DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS FOR KIDS -



There will be activities for the kids after the 9am Mass like Worksheets, puzzles, and colouring pages in the Children's

Activity Room to help assist them in celebrating the Sacred Heart of Jesus Feast Day.

The Sacred Heart Feast Day is on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2019. All children are welcome and with your parent or guardian.

Irene Taylor. Children's Liturgy Co-ordinator.

## **School News:**

Our Lady of the Rosary School is now accepting enrolment applications for Kindergarten 2020.



Please collect enrolment applications from the school office now and inform neighbours, parishioners and friends of the enrolment period. Parents wishing to enrol their children need to be aware of the enrolment criteria and that children applying for Kindergarten next year need to turn 5 years of age before July. Waiting list applications are also being received for Years 1-6 2020 for vacancies which may arise.

Linda Katsibras Assistant Principal

# Feast of Saints Peter and Paul (Apostles)

Blessing and Commissioning of all Holy Communion Ministers, Liturgical Ministers namely: Readers and Commentators at Our Lady of The



Rosary Church on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2019 at 6.00 pm Mass

## Liturgy Office - Acolyte Training

Training for Acolytes facilitated by the Archdiocese of Sydney Liturgy Office will be held in our Parish from 9am –12pm on 20, 27 July and 3 August. Commissioning Mass will be held at St Mary's Cathedral, date to be confirmed.

## CHARITY BAKE SALE



Come and support the Mercy Project in fundraising money for poor parish communities in Sudan, by buying some baked goods (Lebanese sweets, cupcakes, cookies, brownies and more)

Happening this weekend after all Masses!

#### \$2 for any baked item!

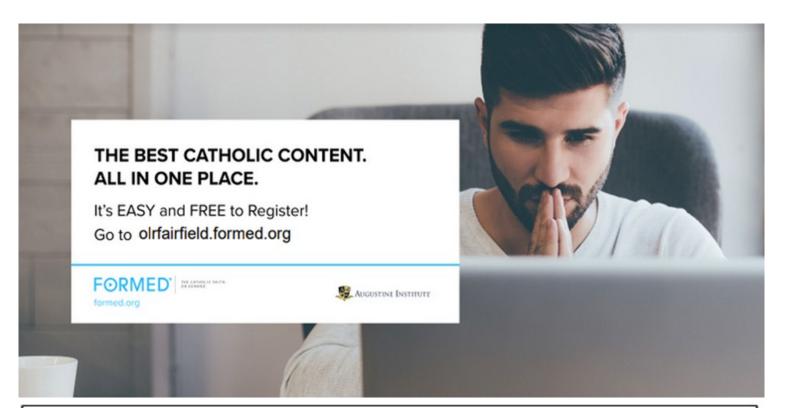
## SACRED HEART OF JESUS PRAYER NIGHT

We invite everyone to come celebrate the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in Prayer.

Date: Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June Time: 6:30-8:30pm Location: Church (18 Vine Street, Fairfield)



6:30-7:00pm Sacred Heart Chaplet and Prayers 7:00-7:30pm Mass 7:30-8:30pm Adoration



# ADRIAN'S FAREWELL

Join us Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July for Mass 10:30am and Lunch after from 11:30am to farewell our Seminarian Adrian as he leaves back to the Seminary.

Lunch (Pizza, Chips and Beer) will be served in the Hall.



We hope to see you there!

## EVERYONE WELCOME at our Winter Gathering 2019



24<sup>th</sup> July and 31<sup>st</sup> July 14<sup>th</sup> Aug and 21<sup>st</sup> Aug Time: 5.30pm- 6.30pm

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