

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, Fairfield

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18 Vine Street, Fairfield NSW 2165 Mobile No. Sick Calls: 0439 615 659 www.olrfairfield.org.au Our Lady of the Rosary Fairfield





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

Assistant Priest: Rev Fr Josh Miechels

Assistant Priest: Rev Fr Bhaskar Mendam MSFS

Seminarian: Adrian Simmons Seminarian: Peter Khuong

Parish Secretary: Rosalia Nauqe
PARISH OFFICE: 2 Weston Street

Fairfield NSW 2165

Email: admin@olrfairfield.org.au

Phone: (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 RECONCILIATION

MASS After Mass Mon to Sat

Mon to Fri: 9:15 am 5-6 pm every Sat

Saturday: 8:30 am

Tuesday: 7:00 pm ADORATION
Tue-Thu 7-9am

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MONTHLY MASS TIMES

1st Friday: 9:15 am Mass and Devotions

6:00 pm Holy Hour (Vietnamese)

7:00 pm Mass & Anointing

1st Sat: 8:30 am Mass and Holy Hour 4th 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 & Elderly: 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

<u>safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org</u>. 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.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C 07 JULY 2019

First Reading

Is 66:10-14

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

Rejoice, Jerusalem, be glad for her, all you who love her! Rejoice, rejoice for her, all you who mourned her! That you may be suckled, filled, from her consoling breast, that you may savour with delight her glorious breasts. For thus says the Lord: Now towards her I send flowing peace, like a river, and like a stream in spate the glory of the nations. At her breast will her nurslings be carried and fondled in her lap. Like a son comforted by his mother will I comfort you. And by Jerusalem you will be comforted. At the sight your heart will rejoice, and your bones flourish like the grass. To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 65:1-7. 16. 20. R. v.1 (R.) Let all the earth cry out to God with joy

Second Reading Gal 6:14-18

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God. I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. Amen.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, Alleluia!

Gospel: Lk 10:1-12. 17-20

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he himself was to visit. He said to them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest. Start off now, but remember, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals. Salute no one on the road. Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer deserves his wages; do not move from house to house. Whenever you go into a town where they make you welcome, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you." But whenever you enter a town and they do not make you welcome, go out into its streets and say, "We wipe off the very dust of your town that clings to our feet, and leave it with you. Yet be sure of this: the kingdom of God is very near." I tell you, that on that day it will not go as hard with Sodom as with that town.' The seventy-two came back rejoicing. 'Lord,' they said, 'even the devils submit to us when we use your name.' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall like lightning from heaven. Yes, I have given you power to tread underfoot serpents and scorpions and the whole strength of the enemy; nothing shall ever hurt you. Yet do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you; rejoice rather that your names are written in heaven.'

WE REMEMBER AND PRAY FOR:

Recently Deceased: Mary Patrick,

Anniversary of Death: Helena Aditeimumu Loloa, Modesta

Bustillos, Lope Mapagu.

In Loving Memory of: Charles Schembri, Gemma Di Carlo, John Ranieri, Antonino Zarcardi, Maria Carion, Seu Leong Tsom, Madalena Dang Thi Lien, Catalina Pham Thi Gioi, Pham Thi Ngu, Paul & Pina Axisa, , 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, Carmela Cagliostro, Concetizione & Concetto D'Amico, 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: Aidan Cianta, Jason Meek, Lucy Bugeja, Mary Nguyen, Maria Pham, Carmel Windred, Baby Hayden.

Special Intention: Corazon Topacio,

Fr Josh - Mass Intentions 29 May - 4 July

- 5 Giuseppe Gagliano
- 6 Concetoo and Annunziata D'Amico
- 7 Karmenu and Vincenza Cianta
- 8 Harold Aviet
- 9 Giuseppe Gagliano
- 10 Annunziata Conetto D'Amico
- 11 Nicola Colaneri

Liturgy Office - Acolyte Training

The Acolytes course has been rescheduled to take place on

- Saturday 20 July from 9am until 12 noon,
- Thursday 25 July, 7 9 pm and
- Saturday 27 July 2019, from 9am until 12 noon.

These changes have been made because of the ordinations taking place on 3 August 2019 at St Mary's Cathedral. Commissioning Mass for the Acolytes will be held at St Mary's Cathedral (date to be confirmed).

Fr Don (Liturgy Office)

Attention Catechists:

The Confraternity of Christian Doctrine is holding a special Area Mass for catechists. The Mass will be held on Friday 12 July at Mary Immaculate Parish, Bossley Park commencing at 11am. Mass will be followed by lunch. Please bring a small plate to share. All are welcome. RSVP CCD on 9307 8330 or email Teresa.culjak@ccdsydney.catholic.edu.au

Message from the Archbishop Fisher who is currently in Rome for the Ad Limina

I've been following from afar the Israel Folau matter — which illustrates some of the concerns we discussed with the Pope and Vatican departments. Much has been said and written about the Folau saga and no doubt there will be more to come. But it does seem to me that there has been a very heavy-handed targeting of Israel and Maria Folau for daring to express unfashionable religious views. In the background is a relentless campaign from some quarters to push religious beliefs and believers to the margins of society, and to confine faith to an ever-narrowing field of private life. You don't have to agree with all Mr Folau says or the way he says it to be troubled by the determination of some to destroy him and his family, and also to be concerned about what this means for freedom of speech and belief for ordinary Australians.

The Australia we all know and love has, for the most part, been good at giving people the space to believe different things, to express them in free speech, to try to persuade others of their beliefs, and to practice what they preach. But now we are seeing sporting organisations, airlines, websites, financial institutions and health insurers using their corporate power to narrow that space and punish those whose views they disapprove. No one should have to raise millions to vindicate their rights against such corporate power.

Matters pertaining to the freedom of religion will no doubt be on the agenda of state and federal parliaments in the coming months. They shouldn't be reduced to the Folau saga. But it's important we all keep informing ourselves about, praying and advocating for respect for religious freedom in Australia.

Over development of Weston Street

You are invited to sign objection letter regarding the overdevelopment of Weston Street, even if you have signed an objection letter before, more need to be signed because the developers have changed their Development Applications.

Application Form for Sacrament of Confirmation 2019.

Application Forms are available from the Parish Office during working hours. If you are in Year 6 or older and have received Baptism and Holy Communion you are eligible to receive this Sacrament.

Closing date is on Friday 26 July and Parent Information Night will be on 1 August at 7pm in the Church. More details are on the form. Any queries please contact Rosa at the Parish Office.

Taking Holy Communion to the Sick

Only Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC) are allowed to take Holy Communion to the sick and housebound. We ask that any ministers taking Holy Communion to the sick must fill in the Registration Book first which is now available in the sacristy. The list of (EMHC)'s is available in the sacristy. Thank You.

Antoinette Balamoan (EMHC Coordinator)

School News:

Our Lady of the Rosary Primary School would like to thank the parishioners for collecting the Woolworths Earn and Learn



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stickers. The collection of the stickers allows the school to get a wide variety of resources for the school including things like sporting equipment, resources for the classroom and books. The students thank you very much for your generosity

Jackie Vella Principal

One Hour Retreat - Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday 11th July 2019 - 5.30 - 6.30 pm

Special Retreat for all Holy Communion Ministers, Liturgical Ministers, Acolytes, Readers and Commentators at Our Lady of the Rosary Church conducted by (Fr Josh Miechels):



Theme: The magnificence of the Cross All are welcome

GENESIS BIBLE STUDY IN JULY

Have you ever wondered...

- Why Jacob wrestled with God?

- Why God 'asked' Abraham to kill his son

- Why the story of Lot is so weird?

Then join the bible study led by Fr Josh.

From Tuesday 23rd July, 7:30-8:30pm every fortnight on Tuesday until Dec 10th 2019

More questions? Email Fr.josh@olrfairfield.org.au



SEE AND BELIEVE: ST IGNATIUS LOYOLA

You're invited to See and Believe as we watch the life of St Ignatius Loyola (Feast day July 31st) and Learn about his spirituality.

Date: Friday 26th July **Time:** 6:30pm-10pm **Location:** Parish Hall (2 Weston St, Fairfield)



Snacks, Dinner and drinks provided!

All donations are also welcomed

ADRIAN 'S FAREWELL MASS AND LUNCH

You're invited to farewell our beloved Seminarian Adrian as he leaves back to the Seminary.

Date: Sunday 14th July

Time: Mass 10:30am,

Lunch after Mass

Location: Parish Hall



Spiritual bouquet card for Adrian

As we farewell Adrian next month, we have organised Spiritual bouquet prayer cards for all parishioners to fill in, located on the table in the foyer of the Church.

Simply write a number on the given lines on how many times you will pray for him for every type of prayer listed such as Rosaries and then write your name and date.

Once finished, please place card in the box. Thank you.

