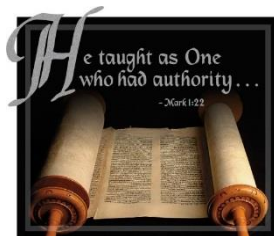




# HOLY NAME OF MARY PARISH RYDALMERE

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time / B  
28 January 2018

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## MASS TIMES

<b>SUNDAY EUCHARIST:</b>	Saturday Vigil	5.30pm
	Sunday	7.30am & 9.30am
<b>WEEKDAY EUCHARIST:</b>	Tuesday - Saturday	9.15am
<b>RECONCILIATION:</b>	Saturday	4.30pm - 5.15pm
<b>ANOIDING OF SICK WITHIN MASS</b>	1st Saturday bi monthly (Feb, Apr, Jun, Aug, Oct, Dec)	9.15am
<b>EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT &amp; BENEDICTION</b>	Exposition/Benediction: Friday	8.30am
	Exposition: Wednesday & Saturday	8.30am
<b>PRAYER OF THE CHURCH:</b>	Tuesday	9.00am
	Friday	8.30am
<b>BAPTISMS:</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of month	11.30am

## Please Pray For

### RECENTLY DECEASED:

Fr Grove Johnson, Clive Constable, John Rizk, Fr Brian Rooney, Joseph Kutajczyk, Sunta Spinetti, Amada Enaje, Mariapia Ferioli, Abigail Tugaga, Claudio Spinetti, Patricius Hon, Rogato Meteoro, Eileen Platton, Mgr John Lyne, Kathleen Birrell.

### ANNIVERSARIES:

Joseph Paul Faust, Prem Chandra, Rosalia Lopes, Doreen Clinch, Sr Christine Hesel, Lorna Buckley - Vilma Roberts, Frederick Herft.

## Rosters - 3/4 February

### Altar Servers:

Vigil 5.30pm Reshan Weerakkody, Aidan Williams, Cameron Menin  
Sun. 9.30am Tanya Francis, Camille Delos Reyes

### Ministers of Communion:

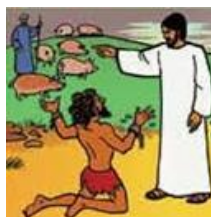
Vigil 5.30pm Eric & Lina Flores  
Sun. 9.30am Ben Horne, Lilian Garcia

### Counters:

Kathleen Burrows, Marilyn & Tanya Elias

### Lectors:

Vigil 8.30pm Enid Mulcare, Jose Garcia  
Sun. 7.30am Janice Moulay  
Sun. 9.30am Lynette Rodrigues, Dany Yu



### WOMEN IN LEADERSHIP: A GIFT TO THE WORLD

For women of any age and experience in formal leadership positions and for those who exercise leadership without a formal title in business, schools, homes, offices, parishes etc. The inspirational Sr Hilda Scott OSB (presenter at ACYF) and Dr Leoni Degenhardt will be the presenters. April 13-15 2018 at Benedictine Abbey, 695 Mountain Road, Jamberoo. Info: cottageretreats@jamberooabbey.org.au or 02 4236 0533.

### STEPPING BEYOND: SUPPORT FOR THOSE SEPARATED OR DIVORCED

CatholicCare Solo Parent Services "Stepping Beyond" Support Group, is held on the last Tuesday of each month for men and women experiencing a separation or divorce. First gathering will be held on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January. **Please note new venue:** 13 Buller St, North Parramatta. **Time:** 7pm - 9pm. **Cost:** \$5.00. **Registration Essential:** T: 8843 2530 or E: Rita at soloparentservices@ccss.org.au

## YOUTH GROUP

### YOUTH GROUP UPDATE

NO youth group for February! We will be back into the rhythm in March. Thank you.

### CROSSROADS PRO-LIFE WALK ACROSS AUSTRALIA

One of the walkers from the Crossroads Australia Pro-Life group, who are walking from Brisbane to Melbourne this Summer, will be speaking at parish Masses on the weekend of the 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> January about the Crossroads Walk and their mission of giving witness to the sanctity and dignity of human life at all stages. For more information about the walk and how you can help check out the website: <http://crossroadsaustralia.org/> or simply say hi to them after Mass.

### SCRIPTURE REFLECTION EVENING

We invite you to a scripture reflection evening on Wednesday 21 February at 7pm at the Institute for Mission in Blacktown. The evening will be led by Dr Laurie Woods who is an engaging speaker & biblical scholar from our diocese. Laurie will help us nourish our Lenten journey through a reflection on the passion narrative in Mark's gospel. Come along and be welcomed by the IFM team with nibbles & refreshments from 6:45pm with the session to run from 7pm to 9pm. To register for this evening please contact Charbel on (02)9831 4911 or email charbel.dib@ifm.org.au. RSVPs by Monday 19 February.

### CATHOLIC RELIGIOUS COURSE

The Catholic faith is a treasure given to us by God. The fortnightly course will continue on Tuesday, 30<sup>th</sup> January in the Parish Meeting Room at 7.30pm. This course is open to anyone who would like to become a Catholic. The course is also geared towards Catholics who would like to enhance their faith. The course will run over a number of months. Please contact Fr Peter for details on 9684 1541.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Nicholas Cummings, Liana Luca and Axel Mu who received the Sacrament of Baptism last Sunday.

### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

#### ARCHIVES AND RECORDS MANAGER - CHANCERY OFFICE, PARRAMATTA

Responsible for the secure electronic and physical storage of Diocesan records and archives; to develop, implement, evaluate and improve records management policies, processes and systems; to help with the roll-out of the new Electronic Documents and Records Management System (EDRMS); and to train and support staff with records and information management across the Diocese, its ministries, agencies and parishes. **Applications close 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2018.**

#### PROFESSIONAL OFFICER - CHANCERY OFFICE, PARRAMATTA

This position will be part of a team of professionals in the Office for Safeguarding & Professional Standards (OSPS) to provide advice and services to Catholic Church agencies and ministries, in the areas of prevention, compliance and outreach, with particular focus on safeguarding children and vulnerable people. Please email all applications to careers@parra.catholic.org.au by **29 January 2017.**

**Please visit: [www.parracatholic.org/employment](http://www.parracatholic.org/employment) for further details on those positions.**

### SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> February is the first Saturday of the month. The Sacrament of the Sick will be administered during the 9.15am Mass.



### CATHOLIC FOUNDATION (D.W.F.) APPEAL

Our first Catholic Foundation Appeal will be held on the weekend of 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> February. The Catholic Foundation appeal funds the charitable works of the diocese. The works include CatholicCare Services, Seminarians, University Chaplaincy, disabled ministry, CCD (Catechists) and many other works of charity. Our quota is \$6,075. Please give generously. All donations over \$2 are Tax Deductible.

### LIFE IN CHRIST LENTEN SEMINAR

Our world needs Christ. Few Catholics actually live out their Christian faith. Many do not go to Sunday Mass. Many go but do all sorts of sinful things outside of the church. We need to re-evangelise Catholics, know, love and live in Christ. I would encourage all parishioners to attend the seminar. The seminar will take the place of the Lenten discussion groups **this year only**. We need to be renewed in our faith and to be evangelisers. The seminar will be held in the parish hall, 10am to midday on the following dates:  
1<sup>st</sup> Session, 17<sup>th</sup> February: JESUS THE MESSIAH  
2<sup>nd</sup> Session, 24<sup>th</sup> February: CALLED TO WITNESS  
3<sup>rd</sup> Session, 3<sup>rd</sup> March: REPENTANCE AND FAITH  
4<sup>th</sup> Session, 10<sup>th</sup> March: THE GIFT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT  
5<sup>th</sup> Session, 17<sup>th</sup> March: GROWING IN THE SPIRIT

### TUESDAY GOSPEL DISCUSSION GROUP

Tuesday Gospel Discussion group will resume on 6<sup>th</sup> February at 25/15 Gloucester Ave. following 9.15a.m. Mass. For info 9683 7467.

### SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN 2018

The dates have been set for the Sacramental Program for 2018 and a list of all dates and times can be collected at the entrance of the church.

### CATHOLICARE WESTERN SYDNEY AND THE BLUE MOUNTAINS

CatholicCare Western Sydney and the Blue Mountains has relocated from 2A Villiers Street, North Parramatta to 13 Buller Street North Parramatta. CatholicCare will continue to offer the following services: \* Personal and Family Counselling \* Relationship Counselling \* Post Separation Support and Counselling \* Grief and Loss Counselling for adults and children \* Financial Counselling \* Problem Gambling Counselling \* CHOICES NDIS approved counselling. Appointments can be made by calling 02 8843 2530. Free parking available. For more information contact: Karolyn Ellis, Manager Family and Relationship Counselling Services, Karolyn.ellis@ccss.org.au or 0447 441 862.

### MARIAN MOVEMENT OF PRIESTS CENACLES

The first Cenacle was held by our Lady with the Apostles in the Upper Room in Jerusalem. Our Lady is requesting that Cenacles be held by us here on earth today. If anyone is interested to learn about or conduct a Cenacle, please contact Gloria Divine on 0404 856 198 or email perfectcompany.gd@gmail.com

