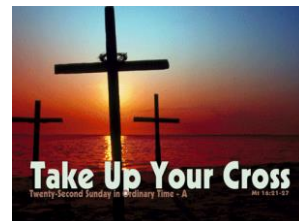




HOLY NAME OF MARY PARISH RYDALMERE

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time / A
30 August 2020

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MASS TIMES

SUNDAY EUCHARIST:	Saturday Vigil	5.30pm
	Sunday	7.30am & 9.30am
WEEKDAY EUCHARIST:	Tuesday - Saturday	9.15am
RECONCILIATION:	Saturday	4.30pm - 5.15pm
ANointing OF SICK WITHIN MASS	1 st Saturday bi monthly (Feb, Apr, Jun, Aug, Oct, Dec)	9.15am
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT & BENECTION	Exposition/Benediction: Friday	8.30am
	Exposition: Wednesday & Saturday	8.30am
PRAYER OF THE CHURCH:	Tuesday	9.00am
	Friday	8.30am
BAPTISMS:	2 nd and 4 th Sunday of the month	11.30am

Please Pray For

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Sr Mary Paul Killian olhc., Sr Kathleen Cudmore rsm., Angelina Abrau, Geoff Ferry, Clare Boulous, Fr Anthony Campbell, SJ, Ruben Tiglao, Sineona Tiglao, John Davis, Gloria Tong, Clare Boulous, Monica James, Genevieve James, Remegio Garcia, Bess Covidin, Bob Toomey, Wayne Farquhar, Ronald O'Donohue, Marie Walsh.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Bernie Cudmore, Leo Keegan, Varini Massillamany, John McAlinden, Betty Johnstone, Fr Kevin Hay, Fr Eric Burton - Herb Bellamy, Pauline Bellamy, Umberto Bruzzese, Bill Ryan, Cedric Aboud, Thelma Aboud, Morrie Aboud, John Herlihy, Gladys Saville, Khne Abremeya, Harris Abood, Catherine Banks, Frederick Herft.

Rosters – 5/6 September

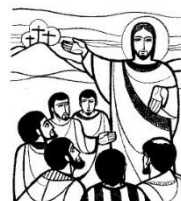
Cleaning Ministry

Counters:

Lectors:

Vigil 5.30pm
Sun. 7.30am
Sun. 9.30am

Thomas & Sophie Russo
Patrick Edouard-Betsy, Bill O'Shea
Lynette Rodrigues, Anne Betteridge
Sue Farrugia
Helen Wong, Eli Ogrizek



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Jessica Anlezark and Sean Flynn who will receive their First Holy Communion this Sunday. We also congratulate Evangeline Robinson who was baptised last Sunday. May you and your families know the love of Jesus is with you always.

RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

People wearing face masks receiving Holy Communion must remove their mask and consume the Host in front of the Priest or Minister. Do not walk away and then consume the Host. The Sacred Host is the Body of Christ.

LIVESTREAMED MASSES

Livestreamed Masses from across the Diocese of Parramatta are still available on the Diocesan website <https://www.parracatholic.org/covid19/#online>

CONFIRMATION 2020

Confirmation will be held in November but there are changes to the enrolment, preparation of the children and the celebration of the Sacrament. Please go to the website for the information and the enrolment form. Copies of the information and the enrolment form can also be collected at the entrance to the church.

COVID-19 UPDATE

Parishioners attending the church are required to complete their details on the **Mass Attendance Sheet** provided at the back of the church. Currently up to 100 people can attend a place of worship. First come first serve is applied in this church.

On consideration of the most recent NSW Health advice, the Diocese of Parramatta **highly recommends** all worshippers at Masses in the Diocese to wear a mask to, during and from Mass and other services.

Please sanitise your hands.

Social distancing (1.5m) must be observed at all times. Take a seat only on unmarked pews.

If you are experiencing cold or flu-like symptoms, having a temperature or have been in contact with anyone that is either a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19, you should not enter the church.

During this pandemic you are dispensed from Sunday Mass obligations.

Baptisms

Currently baptisms are held on the **second and fourth Sunday** of the month and will take place with no more than **two** families at any time.



RYDALMEN

Our next men's group meeting will be Thursday 3rd September at 7.15pm (for a sharp 7.30pm start) in the Parish meeting room. We will watch and discuss Sessions 1 and 2 of the *Australian Catholic Men's Gathering 2020*. Please come, listen and engage with your Catholic brothers across Australia at a time when the Church and the world need men of faith, reflection and action. Our contact is Shane (0468 563 089 or shane.young@ozemail.com.au) who will ensure we adhere to COVID protocols.

HOLY LAND COLLECTION

The annual collection for the support of the church in the Holy Land normally takes place on Good Friday. This year, due to the closure of churches around the world during Holy Week because of the COVID-19 Pandemic, Pope Francis moved the date for this collection to Sunday **September 13th** to coincide with the Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross on September 14th. This collection is used to maintain over 70 churches and shrines associated with the life of Jesus. Last year, Australian Catholics donated \$1.3 million to this cause, despite tough economic times, rural droughts and the increasing cost of living. This year, we are again facing great challenges due to COVID-19, but your generosity would again be greatly appreciated. Please remember the Christians of the Holy Land on Sunday September 13th and please also keep them in your prayers.

SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY 30 AUGUST 2020

The Social Justice Office is proud to present an online workshop dedicated to the Social Justice Statement 2020-21 on Monday **31 August** from 7pm to 8.30pm via Zoom. Join with people from across the Diocese to break down the Social Justice Statement and hear from the experts on Mental Health and the everyday tools you can use in your life and ministry, what resources are available in the diocese and how we can work together. To RSVP, please contact patrice.moriarty@parracatholic.org If you'd like to order copies of the statement and prayer cards please email patrice.moriarty@parracatholic.org

SEPTEMBER YOUTH GROUP

There's so much going on this September we're having a **double header online** youth group!!! So get yourself in shape for **6:30pm** on Saturday **September 5th** and Saturday **September 19th** as we take on the topic of holiness and host our inaugural Online Olympics – who will walk away with the gold? For more information (including our online meeting link) please get in contact with Bec Hall at rebecca.b.hall@outlook.com

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL FOR RETIRED PREISTS - FATHER'S DAY APPEAL 2020

Owing to COVID19 pandemic and its social and financial impact on families, communities and Churches, the Clergy Support Foundation of the Diocese of Parramatta will not be holding its Annual Bishop's Collection for Retired Priests, i.e. the Father's Day appeal, this September. Like many other organisations, the CSF will use its own resources to support the retired priests in this financial year. Donations will always be accepted, however, via our BPOINT portal at www.parracatholic.org/csf or electronic funds transfer to BSB 067950 Account No 00001691 Account Name CSF No 1 with Reference your name. IF you would like a tax deductible receipt for your donation, please send email to csf@parracatholic.org with your name and address details. The CSF Committee thanks you for your support of the Clergy Support Foundation over the last 15 years. May God bless you at this difficult time in all our lives.

Please approach priest/acolyte or contact our office if you'd like to donate but have no access to a computer.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING

Our next meeting is on Tuesday **8th September** at 7.30pm in the Meeting Room. New members welcome.

SOCIAL JUSTICE COVID-19 FOOD AND TOILETRIES DRIVE

Jesuit Refugee Service and House of Welcome are dealing with a 400% increase in emergency assistance calls and are needing to feed over 1,000 people facing destitution each week. You can help by running a food and toiletry drive or donating yourself. For more information, contact Patrice Moriarty 0409 399 505 or, House of Welcome office@houseofwelcome.com.au or JRS amelia.savage@jrs.org.au

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY (ACU)

The Australian Catholic University is delighted to announce its new campus at 22 Main Street Blacktown, named in honour of St. Josephine Bakhita. The building will house learning spaces, simulation wards, student support facilities, meeting rooms and staff office space, will be open from February 2021. Enrolments have commenced and many hundreds of applications have been received. A range of scholarships will be offered to students including a generous pledge from the Blacktown City Council. This is an exciting time and ACU is honoured that we have been chosen to be supporting Catholic tertiary education and the future vision of the Blacktown community. The annual Open Day for future students will be held virtually from 9am to 3pm on three consecutive Saturdays - **29 August, 5 September** and **12 September**. More information about our Open Days can be found on the ACU website: acu.edu.au

