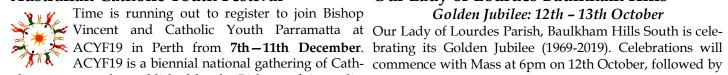
Australian Catholic Youth Festival



guardian. Free twin-share hotel accommodation is still on 9639 8385 or olol@parishofbaulkhamhills.org.au available, but for a limited time.

it: www.catholicyouthparramatta.org

ACBC Social Justice Statement 2019/20

The Australian Catholic Bishop Conference has launched For more information, contact Luming on 0406 587 717 or its 2019/20 Social Justice Statement: 'Making it Real: Genu- Anita on 0451 832 977, email jlowcommunity@gmail.com ine human encounter in our digital world,' ahead of Social or visit www.jlowcom.org Justice Sunday on 29th September. The Statement shares Pope Francis' challenge to us to 'boldly become citizens of CatholicCare Blacktown Neighbourhood the digital world'. Order the Statement online at bit.ly/ Blacktown Neighbour Aid, a program with CatholicCare, socialjusticeshop.

call: 8306 3499.

Alpha Program Weekend

The Pastoral Planning Office is running a training course in the Alpha Catholic program at the Institute for Mission, Blacktown. A sample Alpha evening will be held on Friday 8th November from 7pm to 9pm, before full-day training sessions on Saturday 9th and Sunday 10th November. Morning and afternoon tea and lunch will be provided.

To register, and for more information, please contact Lisa in the Pastoral Planning Office on 8838 3497 or email:

lisa.bright@parracatholic.org

Baulkham Hills Parish Adult Catechesis

Baulkham Hills Parish is conducting a series of catechesis for adults and teenagers starting on 12th August and running every Monday and Thursday evenings at 7.30pm until 3rd October. Sessions will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes large groups. Hall, Baulkham Hills and are free.

For more information, please contact Lucas Neira on 0428 831 256 or the parish office on 9639 8385.

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olic young people established by the Bishops of Australia. a social gathering at 7pm. Bishop Vincent will celebrate the If you are a school student that missed out on being select- Golden Jubilee Mass at 9.30am on 13th October with a ed, you can register to join a diocesan small group with a luncheon to follow. For more information, contact Louise

For more information or to register vis- Spirit of Jesus Community Healing Mass

The Spirit of Jesus Community, part of the Jesus Light of the World Communities, are hosting a Healing Mass on 15th October from 7pm at St Aidan's Church, Rooty Hill.

is looking for volunteers to support our senior clients in For further details about the Statement, visit the Office for the Blacktown area to remain living independently in their Social Justice website <u>www.socialjustice.catholic.org.au</u> or own home. If you would like to make a positive difference to other's lives, please contact the Manager, Deb Woolacott on 0418 114 055 or email deb.woolacott@ccss.org.au

Holy Hour for Vocations

Youth aged 18 to 35 and families are invited to join The Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth for the Holy Hour for Vocations at the Holy Spirit Convent, Plumpton, on Thursday 3rd October at 7pm. Dinner will be served afterwards. RSVP to Sr Paula - vocationscsfn@gmail.com or 0449 656 406.

Rome Pilgrimages

Rome Pilgrimages by the Archdiocese of Sydney, is a Catholic pilgrimage which deepens one's prayer life, offers a cultural experience, and connects pilgrims to our tradition and faith. The cost of the 7-day Pilgrimage is \$2,350.00 (twin share accommodation - excludes airfares, some meals and travel insurance). Discounts available for

Pilgrims stay at Domus Australia in the heart of Rome with opportunities for daily Mass. For more details, call 1800 753 959 or email pilgrimage@sydneycatholic.org



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21ST & 22ND SEPTEMBER 2019

Congratulations to our parish children who will be celebrating the Sacrament of Eucharist this weekend.

Children, you are precious to us and we want you to know you are a very special part of the Corpus Christi Parish.

May God bless each of you...



A fantastic effort has been made by parents to prepare their children with the assistance of the group leaders and all participants for this sacrament.

Entrance Antiphon

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress, I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor, to make you rich out of his poverty. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept; may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes.

I am the Good Shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep, and mine know me

SUNDAY MASSES Saturday 6.00pm Sunday 7.30am & 9.30am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 7.00pm Adoration & Rosary Tuesday at 6.30pm Wednesday 9.10am

Thursday 9.10am Friday 9.10am

RECONCILIATION Saturday

5.15pm - 5.50pmor by appointment

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Mrs Marie Cottee - Parish Secretary - mc@corpuschristi.org.au

Mrs Sue Weekes - Office Support

- sw@corpuschristi.org.au

Mrs Joanne Hocking - Sacrament Support

SCHOOLS OF THE PARISH:

Corpus Christi Primary - ph 4726 2200 (Principal - Mrs Sarah O'Rourke)

Xavier College - ph 4777 0900

(Principal - Mr Michael Pate)

We, the people of Corpus Christi, seek to grow in living a Christ-centred mission, sharing our gifts to foster welcome, justice and community in today's world.

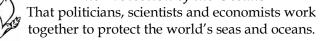


A very warm welcome to anyone who is new to the parish.

So that we can get to know who you are, it would be great if you would please fill out a Census Card available in the foyer.



Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for September *The Protection of the Oceans*





Let us Offer Gifts of Prayer

Recently Deceased:

Bill Attard (passed away 09/08), John Fisher (David Fisher's brother, passed away 19/08), Geraldine Battiston (12/09)

Mass Intentions:

Christ Zahra, Liliana Ducasse (23/08/2004), Helen Bonnici

Anniversaries:

Charlie Collins (25/08/2015), James William Sinnett, Carmen Vella (13/08/2011), Benita Azores (24/08/18), Hilda Henrisson (14/08), Rodolfo Sison (08/08/18), Fermin Sampaga, George Pirotta (15/08/18), Bibiana Zahra (22/07/17)

And for those who are sick:

Eleanor Albertyn, Vincenzo Galluzzo

- ♦ If you would like a family member or friend's name to be included in the sick list, please gain permission from that person before you make the request to the parish team.
- ♦ Intentions remain in The Net for 4 weeks. Please contact the parish Office for further inclusion.



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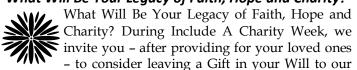
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Plenary Council 2020

The Plenary Council invites people to continue to participate in the journey towards the Council sessions in 2020 and 2021. The "Listening and Discernment" phase recently opened and a guide has been developed to encourage groups to take part in communal discernment on the National Themes for Discernment.

Learn more about the Christian practice of discernment and download the guide, "Let's Listen and Discern", at www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Diocesan Forum Resources

You are invited to view the resources from the recent Diocesan Forum at www.parracatholic.org/forum2019. Read the address from Bishop Vincent Long, materials prepared for the forum, data collated from the forum and images from the day. There will be further opportunities to engage in deanery and diocesan initiatives following the Forum as we continue to go out into the deep to become the community Christ calls us to be.

Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass

All married couples and their families are invited to the Diocese of Parramatta's Annual Wedding Anniversary Mass and Lunch on Sunday 27th



October at 11am at St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta. Lunch in the Cathedral Hall will follow. Please register your names and numbers of years married, and the numbers attending the lunch by contacting the Life, Marriage & Family Office on 8838 3460 or email lmf@parracatholic.org



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Congratulations Sacrament Children...



Last weekend and over the next two weekends 90 children will receive the Eucharist for the first time.

Thank to our parishioners who were group

facilitators: Moreno Faccin, Sharon Hader, Josie Monteleone& Adriana Pallister.

Our parish Sacramental programme works closely with the teachers and staff of Corpus Christi Primary school, and we thank Mrs Sarah O'Rourke, the Principal, Mrs Sharon Shahoud, Religious Education Coordinator and the class room teachers.

We would also like to thank Moreno Faccin, our photographer, the musicians, acolytes and altar servers.

We congratulate all our children and their parents and we warmly encourage them to be active in their faith by receiving Jesus often in this most wonderful Sacrament.

PLEASE NOTE THAT CHILDREN'S LITURGY WILL NOT TAKE PLACE THIS WEEKEND.

Confirmation Photos...

Photos for children who recently received the Sacrament of Confirmation, are available to be collected from the parish office during office hours.

Spring is here!!! Parish Gardening Roster

Just a reminder to the people who have agreed to look after

a section of the gardens around the church and parish grounds... can you please inspect your area for weeds, etc.

If access is needed to work on the garden area please contact the parish office to arrange for

the gate to be opened to gain access to the area. If you require access outside of parish office hours you are welcome to contact Fr Chris on his mobile, 0415 505 594.

Planned Giving Envelopes

IF YOU CONTRIBUTE TO THE PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM VIA THE ENVELOPE SYSTEM, NEW ENVELOPES FOR OCTOBER 2019 – APRIL 2020 ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR COLLECTION FROM THE FOYER.

MOST ENVELOPES HAVE BEEN COLLECTED BUT SOME STILL AWAITING COLLECTION ... THANK YOU!

Office for Worship RCIA Workshop

The Diocese of Parramatta has once again the exciting opportunity to have Nick Wagner, co-founder of TeamRCIA, to facilitate a workshop. This full-day workshop will be held on Saturday 5th October at the Institute for Mission, Blacktown. For more information and to RSVP, please contact the Office for Worship on 8838 3457 or ingrid.vergano@parracatholic.org

Pastoral Formation Day...

What do Catholics believe about sacraments of healing? How do Catholics celebrate reconciliation? How do Catholics care for the sick? Viaticum and Communion to the Sick.

This formation day is for pastoral care workers, clergy, hospital chaplains, lay ministers, parishioners and all those who care for the sick. Presenters will be Dr Jason McFarland and Very Rev Peter Williams

To be held at the Institute for Mission, 1-5 Marion Street, Blacktown on Saturday 16th November. Time: 9am start (registration from 8.30am) and 4.45pm finish.

Registration fee is \$60 per person. Fee covers morning & afternoon tea, a light lunch and a handbook on Communion to the sick.

Register by 12th November, 2019.

For more information or to register, contact CentreforLiturgy@acu.edu.au or phone 9701 4751 or visit: www.acu.edu.au/pastoral_formation_days

Corpus Christi 2749... Our parish Youth Group

meets on the last Saturday of every month in the Parish Meeting Room immediately after Mass. It is a great place to meet other youth from the Parish, have some fun and share a meal. All activities are open to youth in Year 5 and above under adult supervision.

'Young in Spirit' Seniors Group...

Meet on the last Friday of every month in the Meeting Room after morning Mass. Come along and enjoy the company. Please bring a small plate of food to share fo morning tea. New members are very welcome!!! For more information, please contact the parish office.

Corpus Christi St Vincent de Paul...

Corpus Christi conference welcomes enquiries from parishioners who wish to know more about conference activities. Phone 1300VINNIES for assistance.

The Net is available on the Corpus Christi website each week. Please visit www.corpuschristi.org.au/news



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