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**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME -
YEAR B**

**30TH JUNE
& 1ST JULY, 2018**

Reflection by Dianne Bergant CSS

In the gospel, Jesus reaches deep into the world beyond life and rescues a young girl from the jaws of death. Earlier, he was jostled by the crowd and felt healing power leave him in order to restore an afflicted woman. Repeating the words of last week's gospel: Who is this man? Is this someone with whom we want to become involved? On the other hand, can we afford not to get involved with him? This is a man who can lead us to life even in the midst of death. He is someone who is interested in the well-being of everyone, even those who may not be highly valued by society – women and children, the chronically ill, those who carry the seeds of death within them.



God's graciousness toward us should prompt us to be generous toward others. What we receive as life-enhancing gifts, we must share with those in need, those to whom life has not been kind. As we have been favoured by the healing touch of God, so we must extend that same loving touch to others. The love of Christ impels us to be openhanded as we approach those in need. Following Jesus' lead, we must

not only give to them, we must also allow them to take from us. At times this will require that we share material resources; at other times it might mean that our energy will be drained in our service of them. In all of this, Jesus has set the example for us to follow.

Entrance Antiphon

All peoples, clap your hands.
Cry to God with shouts of joy!

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done away with death
and brought us life through his gospel.
Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all within me, his holy name.

or

O Father, I pray for them, that they may be one in us, that the world may believe that you have sent me, says the Lord.

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 — 5.50pm
or by appointment**

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Corpus Christi Primary – ph 4726 2200
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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.*

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS WILL TAKE PLACE ON
THE LAST FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 9.10AM.**

Let us Offer Gifts of Prayer;

Recently Deceased...

Michelle Louise Arcilla, Stephanie Hayes, Lou Zammit

Mass Intentions:

Dioscoro Sampaga, Guillermo Goico, Rosita Paloles, George Buttigieg, Jose Cordovilla-Descalzo Jnr, Irene Barglik, Frances Akaata, Jessica McKay, Antonio Samanthe, Ame Varetto

Anniversaries:



Emma Gavin, Margaret Fehon (14/07/13), Anne Tucker (19/07/16), Paul Tucker, Katarina Mercia (19/07/16), John McDonald (22/07), Marcelino Severino snr, Cory Sampaga, Mary Ferguson, Isabella Lack, Theresa Maria Sultana, Clodagh Trevaskis, Joyce Bosworth, Mick McCormack (11/07/80), Penelope Anastaci, Elizabeth Cross, Marcia McGregor, Chanel Costa, Fiorella Maria Pezzano, Ivan Howard, Helio Lemos, Charlie & Maria Mangion, Victoria Vella, Paul Norris, Fay Ryan, Elijah Tuimai, Pauline Mallia, Doris Ward, Max Kearns, Joe Said, Clariss Burgess, Pat Thacker, Michael Hawkins, Charles Nolan, Kathleen Lane, Paul Kolarvski, Marcelino Severino snr, Gloria Cananga, Tommy Carroll, Paddy Carroll, Frances Attard, Josephine Buttigieg, Domenico Scarpin, Bett Brebner, Francesca Bonello (26/07/12)

And for those who are sick...

Benita Azores, Maria Buttigieg, Marlene Rodger, Angelo Vella, Joan Schneider Hooton, Salvina Vella, Florence Foran, Joyce O'Brien, Marlene Baldacchino, Zeny Johnson, Neil Grant, Ross Dean, Marlen Dolor, Sharon Dawson, Charlie Galea, Jayden Maloney, Kevin McCormack, George Marabouti, Geraldine Carvalho, Kevin Coyle.

Peter's Pence Collection

The annual and historic Peter's Pence Collection is traditionally taken up throughout Catholic parishes around the world either on 29th June, the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, or on the Sunday closest to this Solemnity.

Our collection will take place

THIS WEEKEND 30TH JUNE & 1ST JULY.

This collection helps provide the Holy Father with funds for emergency assistance to those in need. The proceeds enable Pope Francis to assist the most disadvantaged in emergency situations including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Thank you for your generosity.

Ministry of the Communion to the Sick and Dying

ONGOING FORMATION

Saturday 11th August, 9.30am – 2.00pm

Institute for Mission

1-5 Marion Street Blacktown

Morning tea & lunch provided. To register contact Ingrid on 8838 3456 or emailingrid.vergano@parracatholic.org.

Liturgical Ministry Formation Course

The Office for Worship is taking enrolments for Liturgical Ministry Formation Courses for those who are interested in being Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, Communion to the Sick, Senior Servers and Acolytes. There is no cost for these courses.

Diocesan Assembly Centre:

1-5 Marion St, Blacktown

Thursdays at 7pm

- ✱ 16th August: Compulsory Introduction Session.
- ✱ 23rd & 30th August: Ministers of the Word.
- ✱ 13th & 20th September: Ministers of Communion.
- ✱ 27th September: Communion to the Sick & Dying.*

* If you wish to complete Communion to the Sick & Dying, it is compulsory to attend the Ministers of Communion Session first.

** If you wish to become an Adult Altar Server or Acolyte, you must attend all sessions and we will contact you in 2019 to complete the Acolyte Training and Institution.

Deadline for enrolments: 9th August.

**Enrolment forms available from the sacristy
or parish office.**

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Parent Only Meeting for First Eucharist



The first meeting for the Sacrament of First Eucharist will take place on

**WEDNESDAY 1ST AUGUST
AT 7.30PM IN THE CHURCH**

Please note that this meeting is only for the parents of children who celebrated the Sacrament of Reconciliation in March 2018.

Corpus Christi Parish Outing...

Mary MacKillop Centre North Sydney

SATURDAY 18TH AUGUST

The cost is \$40 per person, which includes bus hire, lunch at the centre, museum entry and a guided tour. **This is open to adults and school aged children.**

Fr Chris will celebrate Mass in the Chapel during the day.

The bus is scheduled to leave from the parish car park at 8am and return by 4pm.

A sign up sheet and envelope for payment is available in the foyer. In order to secure the booking of the bus and at the Mary MacKillop Centre a **deposit of \$10 is required by 3rd July**. Full payment must be made by 29th July.

Corpus Christi Parish Car Rally...


A couple of people have kindly put their hand up to be on a committee to organize the Parish Car Rally for 2019.

If anyone has experience in organising a rally or is interested in being part of group to organise this event, please contact Marie at the Parish Office.

Tax Receipts...

If you require a tax receipt for the financial year for your contribution to **The Catholic Foundation**, please phone the Parish Office or send an email to mc@corpuschristi.org.au

Call for Church Cleaners

Unfortunately a couple of people, for personal reasons, have had to retire from the cleaning roster. Therefore, we are in **desperate need** now for some volunteers to join the Church Cleaning roster so it is not left to just the one person to clean the whole church. **It requires an hour of your time every 4 weeks on a Friday afternoon or Saturday morning.** If you are able to join a cleaning team or would like more information, please contact the parish office. 

New Ministry Roster Now Available

The new roster has been prepared and is available for collection from the foyer this weekend. So, if you are on a liturgical ministry, please pick up a copy of the roster marked with your name. Thank you!

Note for Special Ministers...

Just a reminder that the sign-on procedure is continuing. Please be encouraged to check as you enter the Church to see if there are enough Special Ministers.

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DATES TO REMEMBER FOR 2018

Please note these parish events in your diary:

Saturday 18th August

Mary MacKillop Centre, North Sydney

Saturday 13th October:

Pilgrimage to Penrose Park

Saturday 8th December:

Christmas Gingerbread House Making

Date to be Advised December:

The Corpus Christi Collective Youth Group (C3)

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 aged between 12-18 (year 7-12) and are supervised.

'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 for morning tea. New members are very welcome!!! For more information, please contact the parish office.

Kneelers available in Foyer...

As you are aware, the kneeler pads are available for you to use them if you choose. For the time being they are all located in the main foyer and under the Holy Oils Cabinet. For safety, we ask that you please take the kneeler back to the storage box at the end of Mass.

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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The Feast of St Peter and St Paul

Sunday 1st July, 1.30pm Good Shepherd Parish, Plumpton
Presented by the Saint Nicholas Festa Committee, this is a traditional exhibition displaying arts, crafts and agriculture and will include entertainment by the Heartbeats and a short comedy sketch. Entry and parking is free for everyone and plenty of food and drinks available. There will be a jumping castle for the kids at heart. Everyone is welcome. For more information call: Emmanuel Vella: 0405 677 064 or Jacqui Isagon: 0433 320 944

Seminar - 'Understanding Family Law'

CatholicCare Solo Parent Services is holding a two session Seminar on "Understanding Family Law. These sessions are presented by an Accredited Family Law Specialist and will be held on **Saturday 25th August 2018.**

Session 1: 10am - 12pm - Understanding the Family Law Act - Focus on Divorce/Separation and Children's needs.

Session 2: 1pm - 3pm - Understanding the Family Law Act - Focus on Property Settlements.

Venue: St. Patrick's Cathedral Parish Hall, 1 Marist Place, Parramatta. Entry and onsite parking via Boom gate on Victoria Rd. **Cost:** \$10.00 per session.

Registration Essential: Phone 8843 2575 or email: soloparentservices@ccss.org.au

Sydney World Youth Day Mass

Friday 20th July for 5:30pm Mass followed by WYD08 event at 7:00pm @ St Mary's Cathedral, Sydney.

WYD08 event at St Mary's Cathedral College Hall. July 20 2018 will mark 10 years since the Archdiocese of Sydney hosted World Youth Day 2008. To this day, WYD08 remains one of the most powerful demonstrations of faith our country has seen, welcoming Pope Benedict XVI and 500,000 pilgrims from around the world to our city.

To celebrate the 10th anniversary, Catholics from across Sydney are invited to join Archbishop Anthony Fisher for a special Mass followed by food and cultural performances plus the announcement of a number of new initiatives for youth ministry.

Co-hosted by Sydney Catholic Youth, the event will also include the launch of Archbishop Fisher's new book for young people *My Dear Young Friend: Forty letters on youth, faith and future*. All welcome

LIFTED RETREAT 2018: "Complete Joy": 6-8 July

Young adults of our diocese are invited to join us in this Year of Youth open new horizons in our hearts for spreading joy. Take some time away from the busyness of everyday life to be with the Source of all joy: Jesus! Get ready for a weekend of new friendships, great food, solid talks and times of quiet and prayer. For 18-35 year-olds, \$95 per person. Register at parracatholic.org/cyp-lifted-retreat

How Prepared are you for Marriage?

Engaged Encounter provides you with deeper insights into each other and into married life. You will get time together to strengthen & enrich your relationship. For further information visit www.engagedencounter.org.au

Faith in Marriage Seminar: 3rd August

All are welcome to attend the 2018 'Faith in Marriage' Seminar address entitled '**Marriage & Men in Contemporary Society**' and will be given by Robert Falzon co-founder of menALIVE. All parishioners are warmly welcome to attend this free event on Friday 3rd August at 7.30pm at the Institute for Mission, 1-5 Marion Street, Blacktown. Please RSVP to lmf@parracatholic.org or phone 02 8838 3460.

ACYMC 2018

**21st - 23rd September at
Rooty Hill RSL Club**

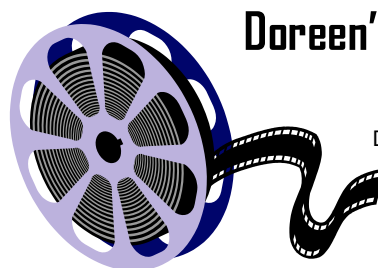
Early-bird registration for the **Australian Catholic Youth Ministry Convention** hosted by the Diocese of Parramatta on behalf of the Australian Catholic Bishops is now open at www.acymc.org.au. The event will host up to 500 adult delegates who are engaged in ministry with young people in parishes, schools, agencies and ministries of the Catholic Church. Contact James Camden, Director, Catholic Youth Parramatta for more information 8838 3428 or james.camden@parracatholic.org

Pilgrimage from Prague to Dubrovnik (in September-October School Holidays)

A three-week pilgrimage - The Shrines and Cathedrals of Central Europe - from Prague to Dubrovnik in the September-October School Holidays will be led by Fr John McSweeney from St John 23rd Parish, Stanhope Gardens.

For details contact Harvest Journeys on 1800 819 156 or info@harvestjourneys.com for more information.

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