

Fr. Rob Galea Praise & Worship Concert

TUESDAY 11TH JUNE 2019 – 7.30PM.
Mary Immaculate Parish Quakers Hill
125 Barnier Drive Quakers Hill.

All funds raised will go towards the renovation project at Mary Immaculate Church. \$20.00 per ticket. For tickets contact the parish office on 9626 3326 or Ged 0477 151 279 or our website www.maryimmac.org.au

Energy Information Session and Table Talk

Monday 17th June at 7pm
Holy Spirit Parish, St Clair

Holy Spirit Parish, St Clair, with the Sydney Alliance are hosting an Energy Information Session and Table Talk. You're invited to share your experiences of the energy market and speak to an energy expert. RSVPs are essential to Chris Benton, Chair of Social Justice Commission – maxbchris@optusnet.com.au

Light Up St Pat's 2019 6th – 21st July

St Patrick's Cathedral Parish, Parramatta are once again hosting the Light Up St Pat's projections, in conjunction with Parramatta Council's *Winterlight Festival*. St Pat's warmly invites you to visit the Cathedral in this time to view these projections which centre on the theme of Hope. The opening night will be after the 6pm Mass on 6th July at 7.15pm.

If you would like to volunteer as part of the Evangelization Team contact Mindy at credo@stpatscathedral.com.au or call the parish office 8839 8411.

A mandatory induction night will be held in the St Patrick's Cathedral Hall on June 25th at 7pm.

Women in Leadership

The Benedictine Abbey, Jamberoo invites women of any age and any experience in formal leadership positions, and for those who exercise leadership without a formal title in business, schools, homes, offices, parishes, anywhere to the Women in Leadership workshop. The aim is to support women to explore their unique gifts – as people, as women and as leaders. 4th – 7th July.

For more information please call 4236 0533 or email cottage-retreats@jamberooabbey.org.au

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IFM Reflective Ministry Program

The Institute for Mission's Reflective Ministry Program – Component 2 starts on Tuesday 20th August.

This is a great opportunity to enrich and enthuse those involved in the ministries of the Catholic communities. Go to ifm.org.au for more information and registration, or contact the IFM team on 02 9296 6369.

The Jewish Jesus in the Eucharist

The Northern Deanery Pastoral Council is hosting a presentation from the Institute for Mission on The Jewish Jesus in the Eucharist on Wednesday 12th June, at St Michael's School Hall, Baulkham Hills from 7pm to 9pm. A light supper will be provided.

To RSVP for catering purposes, contact Wendy on 0427 863 149 or deanerypc@parishofbaulkhamills.org.au

Feast of St Anthony Triduum

St Anthony of Padua Parish, Toongabbie, is hosting a Triduum in honour of St Anthony of Padua between 11th and 13th June. There will be Mass, Novena and Fellowship from 7pm on Tuesday and Wednesday. On Thursday, there will be Mass and all-day veneration from 9.30am and Mass, Novena and a procession with the Relic of St Anthony from 7pm. Enquiries: parish office on 9631 3316.

CYP LIFTED Retreat 2019

CYP invites young adults aged 18–35 to attend the annual LIFTED Retreat.

5th – 7th July Benedict XVI Retreat Centre, Grose Vale.
You can expect great guest speakers, stimulating discussions, adoration, daily Mass, Reconciliation, soul-stirring music and delicious food. The theme is inspired by Pope Francis – 'Dare to be Different' Register now @ <https://parracatholic.org/cyp-lifted-retreat/>

New Office for Safeguarding and Professional Standards Website

The Diocese of Parramatta's Office for Safeguarding and Professional Standards (OSPS) has launched a new website, strengthening their ability to deliver advice and support to parishes, agencies and ministries to ensure the Diocese is safe for all people. Visit the website at www.safeguarding.org.au



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PENTECOST SUNDAY - YEAR C

8TH & 9TH JUNE, 2019

Reflection by Dianne Bergant CSA

We have been in the in-between time since the Ascension of the Lord. Today we celebrate the dramatic inbreaking of the time of fulfilment. We celebrate the fullness of the Spirit and the great gathering of nations. The feast also brings the Easter season to its conclusion.

Today's readings recapitulate many themes that appeared throughout the Easter season: Christology, Trinitarian theology, reign of God, repentance, salvation, mission, universality. All are brought together as we are brought together into the body of Christ.

The plan of salvation has been brought to its conclusion. Christ is exalted next to God and has sent his Spirit to fill the earth with God's power. The world is charged with divine energy; it needs but a spark to ignite it with life and with excitement. This vitality explodes into the extraordinary: tongues are loosed and speech overflows its linguistic constraints; charismatic gifts flood the valleys of human habitation; barred doors are burst open and frightened hearts are calmed. The Spirit of the Lord fills the whole world.

We gather together to discover that God has gathered us for another. Strangers assemble to fulfil personal obligations and they experience a phenomenon that bonds them together for life. Individual religious devotion is swept up into communal divine revelation. Through the Spirit of God, we are reconciled to each other and then together we spend ourselves for the common good. The world is renewed; the community is revitalised; we come to know the mysterious yet all pervasive peace of Christ.

Entrance Antiphon

The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world
and that which contains all things understands what is said, alleluia.
or

The love of God has been poured into our hearts
through the Spirit of God dwelling within us, alleluia.

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
Come, Holy Spirit; fill the hearts of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.
Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit
and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.

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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SCHOOLS OF THE PARISH:

Corpus Christi Primary – ph 4726 2200
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Xavier College – ph 4777 0900
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This weekend the Saturday 6pm Mass will be celebrated by one of the priest's from Kingswood parish; the Sunday 7.30am Mass will be celebrated by Fr Domingo and the 9.30am Mass will be celebrated by Fr Dado.

**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 June

The Mode of Life of Priests
That priests, through the modesty and humility
of their lives, commit themselves actively to a
solidarity with those who are most poor.

Let us Offer Gifts of Prayer;

Recently Deceased...

Veronica McMahon (*Anne Marie Bosworth's mother, who
passed away on 31/05*), Charlie Galea (*18/05*), Sr Merilyn
Browne (*12/05*), Kevin McCormack (*04/05*)

Mass Intentions:

Jovito Juinio (*10/06/18*), Christ Zahra

Anniversaries

Maryann Azzopardi (*14/05/16*)

And for those who are sick...

Julie Williams, Noah Macaliniao, Bill Ross

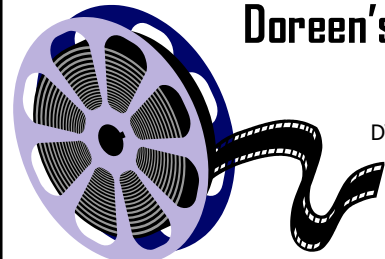
- ♦ If you would like a family member or friend's name to be included in the sick list, please gain permission from that person before you make the request to the parish team.
- ♦ Intentions remain in The Net for 4 weeks. Please contact the parish Office for further inclusion.



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Bishop's Good Shepherds Appeal

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The Holy Spirit Seminary in Harris Park is training 15 young men to be true shepherds of Christ's flock and future priests for the Diocese of Parramatta. Your gift to Parramatta Catholic Foundation will support our seminarians to prepare for the priesthood and a life of community service.

Please give generously via the Bishop's Good Shepherds Appeal envelopes or online at yourcatholicfoundation.org.au/appeal

Plenary Council 2020

After 10 months of Listening and Dialogue and a period of analysis and prayerful discernment, the **National Themes for Discernment** for the Plenary Council 2020 are being announced at Pentecost – this weekend. More information on each of the National Themes for Discernment will be available in the coming weeks. Find out more at: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Please keep in your prayers the children in our
Parish Community preparing for the
Sacrament of Confirmation.

May their families be great models of faith for them
during this important time.

Confirmation Preparation Groups...

The third Confirmation Preparation session takes place this week. If you are not able to attend your regular group session please contact the Parish Office to arrange attending another group.



Final Preparation for Confirmation

The final preparation for the CHILDREN will take place on **FRIDAY 26TH JULY FROM 3.30PM—5.00PM IN THE CHURCH**. It is really important that all candidates attend as it will be their only practice as a total group.

Confirmation Dates... All those children who received First Eucharist last year will be preparing for Confirmation this year. The date Parramatta Diocese has allocated is Thursday 1st August at 5pm & 7.30pm.

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Corpus Christi Feast Day



*Our Feast Day will be celebrated on
Sunday 23rd of June.*

All are warmly invited to join the celebration.
We will be marking our Feast Day with Adoration before 9:30am Mass. Following Mass, morning tea will be served by Xavier College in the school hall.

Corpus Christi 2749... Our Parish Youth Group

Date Saturday 22nd June after Mass

Theme is Finding Your Happy

As it is our Feast Day, instead of pizza we are celebrating with our Feast Day Dinner. Could each family please bring a plate along for the kids to share so that we can join together in a Feast Day Dinner. Our Youth Band will be playing at the Vigil Mass before Youth Group, so make sure you come along and support your friends.

Please Mark this Date in your Diaries...

Corpus Christi 2749 (our Youth Group) will be hosting a fundraiser Talent Show on 3rd August 2019.

Ticket sales will be used for fundraising for a new drum kit for our Youth Band who will be playing at Mass from June. We will also be fundraising to subsidise our own hoodies with our Youth Group logo on them.

Sign up sheets will be placed in the foyer in June.

We will have snacks and drinks available to purchase on the night. So save the date and we hope to see as many people as possible there.

If you would like to find out more about the Talent Show, please contact Denise Caffrey or Rebecca Hocking.

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 6 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 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. 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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WEEKEND MASSES WILL REMAIN THE SAME...
SATURDAY AT 6PM & SUNDAY AT 7.30AM & 9.30AM.**

New Mother's Support Group...

Strengthening our Faith Community

Are you interested in joining other mums and bubs/toddlers in the parish to meet regularly and share their experiences while the children play? If you are interested in joining this group, please send your expression of interest to Carmen - mrscsiataga@gmail.com

New Ministry Roster...

 A huge thank you to all who support our Parish of Corpus Christi by volunteering for the Liturgical Ministries.

Your care and commitment to our parish community is truly appreciated.

✱ **We are about to start preparing the Roster to cover the period 7th/8th July to 21st/22nd December.** Would all those in rostered Ministries please check your plans and advise Marie at the office by either phone or email **before Friday 21st June**, of any planned absences or non-availability during that period.

Parish Ministries...

If at any time a member of the parish is seeking some involvement in parish ministries, you are warmly encouraged to contact the Parish Office.



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