

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*.

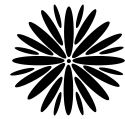
St Pat's warmly invites you to visit the Cathedral in this time to view these projections which centre on the theme of Hope. The opening night will be after the 6pm Mass on 6th July at 7.15pm.

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.

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.

Serving at the Altar

Ongoing Formation Day for Adult Servers and Acolytes

SATURDAY 3RD AUGUST FROM 9.30AM – 2.30PM

INSTITUTE FOR MISSION AT 1-5 MARION ST BLACKTOWN
RSVP by 29th July to ingrid.vergano@parracatholic.org or call 8838 3456. Morning tea & lunch provided

Liturgical Ministry Formation Course

Enrolments are open for August/September:

Diocesan Assembly Centre: 1-5 Marion St, Blacktown
Mondays at 7pm

- ✠ 12th August: Compulsory Introduction Session.
- ✠ 19th & 26th August: Ministers of the Word.
- ✠ 9th & 16th September: Ministers of Communion.
- ✠ 23rd 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.

Deadline for enrolments: 5th August. Download an enrolment form at: www.instituteformission.com.au



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National Weekend for Men

menALIVE for Christ (MAX) is an annual gathering of men from across Australia and New Zealand who seek to be encouraged by one another in their faith journey as real men of God. The menALIVE MAX 19 weekend will be held at the Benedict XVI Conference Centre, Grose Vale, from the 19 to 21 July. For more information and to register, visit <https://cvent.me/Koql2>.

Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible

Mary, Queen of the Family Parish, Blacktown is running Jeff Cavin's Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible Study Program from 22nd July to 9th September. The sessions will be held every Monday from 7pm to 8.30pm at St Patrick's Church, Blacktown.


Visit <https://mqofblacktown.org.au/> to register and to find out more information, or contact the Parish Office on 02 9622 1125 or admin@mqofblacktown.org.au

CYP Music Ministry Masterclass

CYP are hosting a Music Ministry Masterclass at Mary Immaculate Parish, Quakers Hill on Saturday 3rd August from 9.30am to 5pm. This is an invitation for musicians, worship leaders, youth and aspiring composers to gather and be formed in music ministry especially for the involvement and evangelisation of young people. Register now at <https://parracatholic.org/masterclass/>

CYP LIFTED Live feat. Gus and Iggy

The next session of CYP's LIFTED Live sessions will be held at Mary Immaculate Parish, Quakers Hill on Saturday 3rd August from 7.30pm to 10pm. Featuring Gus and Iggy, a Catholic music duo from the Diocese of Wollongong, the LIFTED Band and the creative team, LIFTED Live provides energetic & contemporary worship, adoration & reconciliation. Make it a day and join for the Music Ministry Masterclass, Parish Mass and LIFTED Live in one place! Register now at <https://parracatholic.org/liftedlive/>



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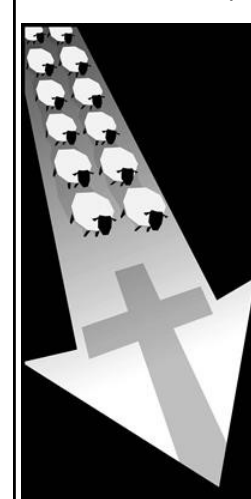
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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

6TH & 7TH JULY, 2019

Reflection by Diane Bergant CSA

Although the gospel is a report of ministerial commissioning, it contains elements of discipleship in general. Most obvious is the disciples' dependence on Jesus. They are not independent missionaries; they are followers.



Furthermore, there is a communal dimension of discipleship. While there is certainly a personal relationship between Jesus and each disciple, discipleship itself is not a singular privilege that one hugs to oneself to the exclusion of others.

Disciples minister to the needs of others, whatever those needs may be and with whatever abilities the disciple may possess. There are various kinds of healing: a friendly smile, a word of gratitude, a soothing touch. We can teach the lessons of life in classrooms, in playrooms, in kitchens, in boardrooms. There are many ways that we can cast out the demons that hold our world by the throat; demons of poverty and oppression, demons of addiction and slavery, demons of disdain and neglect, demons of hatred and violence. If they are not cast out by us, then by whom?

The life of discipleship is not an unmixed blessing. Because disciples are marked by the sign of the cross, they must expect suffering. Because they do not live according to the standards of the world, disciples will be judged as fools. Some of them will be subjected to even greater suffering. Still, the disciple proclaims that true fulfilment is only found in God! In reality, it is the world that is upside down, not the life of discipleship. And it is the cross that sets things right.

Entrance Antiphon

Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple.
Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth;
your right hand is filled with saving justice.

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the peace of Christ rule in your hearts,
and the fullness of his message live within you.
Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.

or

Come to me, all who labour and are burdened,
and I will refresh you, 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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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 July *The Integrity of Justice*



That those who administer justice may work
with integrity, and that the injustice which pre-
vails in the world may not have the last word.

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.

Let us Offer Gifts of Prayer;

Recently Deceased...

Helen Bonnici, Kristie Camilleri Scibilia (09/06), Veronica
McMahon

Mass Intentions:

Joseph Cianter, Jovito Juinio (10/06/18), Christ Zahra

Anniversaries

Frank Sultana (06/07/18), Jane Micallef (10/06/14), Michael
McCormack (20/06/07)

And for those who are sick...

Joan Schneider (Hooton), Julie Williams, Noah Macalinao,
Bill Ross

♦ If you would like a family member or friend's name to be in-
cluded in the sick list, please gain permission from that per-
son before you make the request to the parish team.



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PLENARY COUNCIL 2020

Diocesan Forum

An inaugural Diocesan Forum on Saturday 13th July will
consider the Plenary Council National Themes for Discern-
ment and significant challenges as identified by the Peo-
ple of God. The forum includes participation from a broad
range of diocesan leaders, ministers and representatives.
Speak to your Deanery Pastoral Council Representative
Michael Blair or priest for more information about the Di-
ocesan Forum.

Please pray for fruitful conversation to bring to life ways to
grow and share our faith in the Diocese of Parramatta.

National Theme for Discernment #1 –

*How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church that
is Missionary and Evangelising?*

This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the
voices of the People of God who shared a passion for par-
ticipating in the missionary nature of the Church and de-
sire stronger support, involvement and formation among
all the baptised who make up the Church.

National Theme for Discernment #2 –

*How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church
that is Inclusive, Participatory and Synodal?*

This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the
voices of the People of God who expressed a desire for in-
dividuals and groups within and also beyond the Church
to find a better welcome and be incorporated more into her
life and mission.

National Theme for Discernment #3 –

*How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church
that is Prayerful and Eucharistic?*

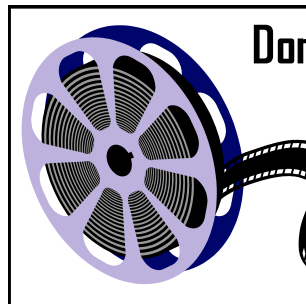
This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the
voices of the People of God who shared how deeply they
treasured the Eucharist and the sacramental and liturgical
life of the Church.

National Theme for Discernment #4 –

*How is God calling us to be a Christ-centred Church
that is Humble, Healing and Merciful?*

This National Theme for Discernment is inspired by the
voices of the People of God who expressed a deep and
faith-filled trust in God and a need for lament and healing
within the Church, acknowledging the sexual abuse crisis
as a turning point for the Church in Australia.

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Parent Only Meeting for First Eucharist



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

**WEDNESDAY 7TH 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
April 2019.*

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.

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.
If access is needed to work on the garden area please con-
tact the parish office to arrange for the gate to be opened to
gain access to the area.

Although the Parish Office hours are as normal during the
school holidays, please call before you come up to ensure
someone is in the office to give you access to your allocated
area.

If you require access outside of parish office hours you are
welcome to contact Fr Chris on his mobile, 0415 505 594.

Data Operators Needed

We are looking for people who can volunteer for the
**6pm Mass on the 4th Saturday of the month and the
9.30am Mass on the 2nd weekend of the month.**
Training will be provided until you are feeling confident
operating on your own. *If you are able to help or would like
some more information, please phone Marie at the Parish Office.*

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 for
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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The proceeds enable Pope Francis to assist the most disad-
vantaged in emergency situations including victims of war,
oppression, and disasters. Thank you for your generosity.

Vinnies BBQ @ Bunnings



Vinnies Conference is holding its annual fund rais-
ing BBQ at Bunnings on **Saturday 20th July** from
8am to 4pm.

If anyone can help at the BBQ for a few hours could they
provide their details on the sheet in the foyer area.
Thank you for your support.

**The Parish Pastoral Council invites parishioners to
submit suggestions in any of the following ways:**

- Person to person with a Parish Pastoral Council Member
- Email to corpuschristippc@gmail.com, a direct email
address to the Secretary of the Parish Pastoral Council
- Letter mailed or hand delivered addressed to:
The Secretary
Parish Pastoral Council
Corpus Christi Parish
PO Box 21,
Cranebrook NSW 2749

- Suggestion Box, using the Suggestion Form.
- The Suggestion Box is located in the foyer of the Church.
*Please remember to include your name and contact number in
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you on the outcome of your suggestion.*





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