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15 July, 2018

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OFFICE HOURS

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday 5:30pm

Sunday 7:30am and 9:30am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tuesday 9:00am Mass

Wednesday 7:00pm Mass & Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena

Thursday 9:00am Mass

Friday 9:00am Mass

First Friday 9:00am, 7:00pm Masses

Saturday 9.00am Mass & Novena to St Padre Pio

First Friday Mass & Adoration: Mass: 7pm on First Friday of the month, Adoration: 8pm Fri - 9am Sat

RECONCILIATION: Following Saturday morning Mass

BAPTISMS: 1st, 2nd and 3rd Sundays @ 11:00am
Please contact the Parish Office.

Presentation Mass & Baptism Information morning are held every 4th Sunday of the Month

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM ENQUIRIES

Please contact the Parish Office

Dear Friends,

The Gospel of Mark speaks of Commissioning of the disciples by Jesus. The instructions are crystal clear by Jesus to His disciples. It was an importance task to which He sends them out. Jesus didn't want His disciples to rely on the material and worldly possessions in order to spread the Kingdom of God. He wanted them to be convinced of who they are and rather than what they have. He asks them to be away from the normal securities of life but to focus on the Mission of God.

The Commissioning means 'being sent forth'. Jesus sent them to the Mission with Divine Authority. This authority is not for domination but for service. He shared with them the power over the unclean spirits and to cast them out.

The Church of today has the tendency to be a 'maintenance church' rather than a 'Missionary Church'. It is a great danger. The danger is in the attitude and style of functioning. The Missionary Church is not stagnant. It is dynamic and optimistic. It is Divine oriented rather than result oriented.

As a parish, we need to introspect our focus. Where are we heading to and what do we need to do in order to accept the Mission of Jesus for Glenmore Park community. Every member of the parish family needs to play his/her role in a way that the whole community shoulders the responsibility for this Mission.



THE MASS

What is the Structure of the Mass and why do we do what we do, in the Mass?

(Source: <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/beliefs-and-works/mass/>)

Archbishop Mark Coleridge takes us through the Catholic Mass in this multi part series.

The Mass Series: Part 11 – Liturgy of the Eucharist –Eucharistic Prayer (Part 2)

So, bread and wine are raised from being just bread and wine. And that becomes the promise that everything will be raised into the fullness of life in this great act of giving birth. After the consecration we then remember – again remember is a crucial word – but it's remembering with such power that it makes what we're remembering present here and now. So, it's not just remembering something that's past it's remembering in a way that makes the past present.

So, together we proclaim the Mystery of Faith, we say. Mystery is not Agatha Christie stuff. What we mean by mystery in fact is like sacrament. Let us proclaim the Mystery of Faith. Let us proclaim the Sacrament of Faith.

In doing that, what we do is, we remember something which is past, we acknowledge what God is doing here and now in the present and we look forward to something which we believe God will do.

We say, 'We proclaim your death O Lord', so we look back to the death of Jesus and all that it represented, 'We profess your Resurrection', not just as a past event, something that happened once upon a time, it did happen once upon a time but the risen Christ is present here and now in His word and in the bread and wine and in the assembly.

So, we're saying the Resurrection which happened once upon a time is still happening here and now. And then 'Until you come again' we say, we look forward to that

moment when Jesus Christ will return and that will be the moment of the final transfiguration of everything. Ourselves and the entire cosmos. All that bread and wine represent. *(TO BE CONTINUED IN NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN)*

THIS WEEK'S READINGS:

First Reading: Amos 7:12-15

Second Reading: Ephesians 1:3-14

Gospel: Mark 6:7-13



INFORMATION FOR THE FEASTDAY OF ST. PADRE PIO

- A joint committee meeting took place last Thursday, where it was planned to have a three-day Triduum for the Feastday of St Padre Pio: Thursday 20 to Saturday 22 September. On Sunday 23 September, there will be 9.30am Mass, starting with a Procession. If you have any ideas, please share them with the Committee members. More info to follow shortly.



ST PADRE PIO PARISH ROSTERS WEEK FOUR 2018

Mass Time	5:30PM	7:30AM	9:30AM
Mass Coordinator	Matthew Topp	Lynn Young	Cecilia Zammit
Acolyte	Khalid Younan	Martin Warda	David Baker
Senior Server	Guy Sands Deb Sands	Aiman Jajo	Chris Hersey
Altar Server	AWO JMU AMW EFA SFA	CWA LWA AMA	EPO JBA RHE SBA
Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist	Matthew Topp Melissa Topp Luisa Wood	Maryann Peters Ashleigh Peters Denise Robens	Coley White Tracey Amituanai Manny Medel
Hospitality	Mary Bender Melissa Topp	Agnes Forwood Maureen Klingner Marlene Schoebel	Therese Baker Grus Family +
Baptism Hospitality	Presentation Mass & Baptism Class weekend		
Commentator	Zon Lupisan	Bev Croft	Elvie Williams
Reader	Eric Ruiz Joanne Potts	Trish Warda Anna Dedovic	Cecilia Zammit Frank Zammit
Music	M/W Choir (even months) Children's Choir (odd months)		Y4C Choir
PowerPoint Operator	Sands Family	Meghan Warda	+
Children's Liturgy			Gayathri Ediriweera
Cleaning Team	Saturday	Team Four	Zon Lupisan

UPCOMING FEAST DAYS

Monday 16 July: Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

Tuesday 17 July: The Blessed Martyrs of Compiègne

Saturday 21 July: St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Doctor of the Church, Capuchin Franciscan, Noted Preacher

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES FOR THIS FINANCIAL YEAR

The Planned Giving envelopes for this financial year are available at the back of the Church, all envelope subscribers are kindly asked to pick theirs up on their way out. If anyone wishes to subscribe to the planned giving envelopes, please contact the parish office.

ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

THE ROSARY Prayer Group will be at the home of **Elena & Waldo Labra, 4 Shearwater Drive, Glenmore Park on Tuesday, 17 July at 7pm.** Please join the group to pray the Holy Rosary & receive the blessings from our Blessed Virgin Mary. **Please ring Elvie on 0412 397 671 if you are interested hosting the Rosary Prayer Group.**



CATHOLIC MISSION LEAVING COLLECTION: NEXT WEEKEND: 21 & 22 JULY.

'How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of the messenger who announces peace, who brings good news...' Isaiah 52:7. Next weekend our parish will be holding the annual Catholic Mission Church Appeal. This year we are invited to help heal a nation through education in Myanmar. Led by Cardinal Charles Maung Bo, the Church is developing an alternative system of quality education, with comprehensive teacher training programs and the establishment of new schools, especially in remote areas.

Freecall: 1800 257 296

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL BBQ BREAKFAST We are holding our final fundraising BBQ for this year: next Sunday 22nd July, after the 7.30 and 9.30 Masses. Our chef will be cooking a tasty bacon and egg breakfast. A \$5.00 donation will be greatly appreciated. So, come and enjoy. The Team.



SYDNEY WORLD YOUTH DAY MASS: 20

JULY: Friday July 20, 2018 will mark 10 years since the Archdiocese of Sydney hosted World Youth Day 2008.



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.

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

THE 'CATHOLIC WEEKLY' NEWSPAPER IS AVAILABLE for \$2 on the Welcome Table.

ALPHA AT ST. PADRE PIO PARISH IS BACK!



Do you want to grow in your faith?

Do you want to rediscover the Good News of Jesus Christ? Is there someone in your life who

needs to hear the message of Jesus? An Alpha session consists of a meal, a video presentation and discussion. There is no pressure and it is open to Parishioners and non-church goers alike. **Alpha begins on Thursday 26th July 2018, 7:00pm at Bethany Catholic Primary School.** Sign up at the welcome table/contact Brad & Natalie Wilkinson pppalphamail.com

BETHANY CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL MID-WINTER

CARNIVAL: FRIDAY 27 JULY. Bethany Catholic Primary School is holding a mid-winter carnival and it will be a great fun afternoon for all the family. **This will take place between 2pm-7.30pm.** Please contact the school for more information.

A THANKSGIVING MASS for children and families who participated in the Confirmation program will be held on **Sunday, 29 July 2018 at 9.30am.** Please, bring cake or biscuits to share afterwards.

- **Everyone who volunteered at the sacramental programs this year is cordially invited for a morning tea and sharing on Sunday, 5 August 10.45am-12.15pm at Bethany Catholic Primary School.** Please, bring a plate to share.

- **The First Holy Eucharist program** will commence with the parent evening sessions on **either 7 or 9 August at 7pm.** If your child is eligible pick up an enrolment form from the hospitality table and **return it to the parish office by Tuesday, 31 July.**

LITURGICAL MINISTRY FORMATION COURSE

Would you like to be involved in Ministry as a Minister of the Word, Extraordinary Minister of Communion, give Communion to the Sick and Dying, or as a Senior Server or Acolyte? The Liturgical Ministry Formation Course begins again on **Thursday 16th of August 2018.** Please collect an enrolment form from the Welcome Table and **return the form by 31st July to Fr Suresh or the parish office.**

COME ONE, COME ALL! Join us and support our **"KARAOKE NIGHT"** as a fundraising event for our beloved St. Padre Pio Parish. **WHERE: BETHANY SCHOOL HALL on SATURDAY, 11 AUGUST, 7PM. COST: \$5/person, \$10/family, \$30/table of 8, LOTS TO ENJOY: singing competition, games, door prizes. FOOD AND DRINKS are on sale, BYO Alcohol.** Please contact: Annabelle Bhandoo: 4737-9735, Manny Medel: 0422 833 499



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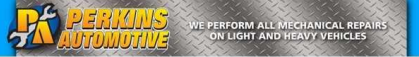
- Holy Souls in Purgatory, especially for those who have no one to pray for them.

Recently deceased: Mary Vella

Death anniversary: Dominga Toledo



Please pray for all our parishioners and friends who are ill at home or in hospital, including: Karen Foley, Anne Hume, Jessie Zammit, Peter Sidgreaves, Malcolm Maitland, Lucy Xiberras, Elena Zamora, Gabrielle Bugden, Jordan Gibbons, Lucia Longo, Sybil Chalice, William Chalice, Ray Wehbe, John Denniss, Benjamin Almeida. *Please notify the Parish office if the person is no longer sick or requiring the prayers.*



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