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SUNDAY 26 JUNE 2022

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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**ST. PADRE PIO CHURCH
PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Tuesday – Friday 8:30am – 3:30pm
Closed 12:00pm – 12:30pm

WEEKLY TIMETABLE

SUNDAY

8:00am Mass
10:00am Mass

MONDAY

No Mass and Office closed

TUESDAY TO FRIDAY

9:00am Mass

SATURDAY

9:00am Mass
Novena to St Padre Pio
9:30am Sacrament of Penance
5:30pm Saturday Vigil Mass

BAPTISMS

11:30am 1st, 2nd, and 3rd
Sundays. Please contact the
Parish Office. Presentation and
Baptism Information morning
are held every 4th Sunday

**FIRST FRIDAY ALL-NIGHT
ADORATION**

8:00pm – 9:00am Saturday Mass
3:00am Divine Mercy Chaplet

FRIDAY PLAYGROUP

9:30am – 11:30am 0-6 years
Bethany Catholic Primary School
Hall Contact Joanne D’Agostino,
via the Parish Office.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS

Please contact the Parish Office.

Dear Friends,

The disciple of Jesus must take up his cross and follow Him. It is not easy to be a disciple of Jesus in today’s world. The world rejects the message and teaching of Jesus. Even Jesus Himself was faced with rejection. There were people who accepted His teaching and followed Him and at the same time, He was not accepted by some people as well. Certainly, nothing deterred Jesus from speaking the truth. He went on doing the Will of the Father. In the Gospel, we also see the excuses that people make before committing themselves to the kingdom of God. “No one who has kept his hands on the plough and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God”. All that we are and all that we have, belong to God. We are just stewards of God and His world. To be a true disciple of Christ, we need to be generous with our time, talent, and treasure. The Apostles were generous enough to sacrifice everything they had including their family life in order to spread the Gospel. Are we ready to do the same?

There are three categories of people in the world:

1. People who make things happen.
2. People who watch things happen.
3. People who wonder what has happened.

We have got to ask ourselves which category we belong to. History doesn’t wait for hesitations. It keeps moving forward and those who hesitate are left behind. To be part of history, we must be proactive not reactive. Church needs people who are proactive not reactive. The mission of Christ is still alive today. Until the last person in the world is evangelized, the mission of Christ must continue. We are all called to be missionaries by our baptism. Let us heed to our baptismal calling and respond generously to the mission of Christ.

May God be with our efforts to evangelize the world.

God Bless..
Kind regards,
Fr. Suresh Kumar
Parish Priest.

**THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
FEAST DAY JUNE 25**

Below excerpt is from
<https://www.ewtn.com/catholicism/seasons-and-feast-days/immaculate-heart-of-mary-14358> continued

Why does [pictures/images of] Mary [depict her] having a sword in her heart?

Most images of the Immaculate Heart show one or more swords piercing the Heart of Mary. Simeon told the Blessed Mother that “a sword will pierce through your own soul” (Luke 2:35). This indicates the sorrows that Mary would experience, particularly through Jesus’ Passion.

What are the seven sorrows of Mary?

1. The prophecy of Simeon (Luke 2:25-35)
2. The flight into Egypt (Matthew 2:13-15)
3. Loss of the Child Jesus for three days (Luke 2:41-50)
4. Mary meets Jesus on His way to Calvary (Luke 23:27-31; John 19:17)
5. Crucifixion and Death of Jesus (John 19:25-30)
6. The body of Jesus taken from the Cross (Psalm 130; Luke 23:50-54; John 19:31-37)
7. The burial of Jesus (Isaiah 53:8; Luke 23:50-56; John 19:38-42; Mark 15:40-47)

Is Mary's Heart mentioned in the Bible?

Twice in St. Luke’s Gospel, we hear about Mary’s heart. After Jesus was born, Luke 2:19 says, “But Mary kept all these things, pondering them in her heart.” And then after Mary and St. Joseph found Jesus in the Temple after He was missing for three days, Luke 2:51 says, ‘[Jesus’] mother kept all these things in her heart.” Both of these references point to Mary’s interior life in which she meditated on the Mysteries surrounding her Son.

What does it mean to consecrate oneself to the Immaculate Heart of Mary?

To consecrate something is to set it apart for God. This “making sacred” identifies a person or a thing as dedicated to His service. This is shown in the Old Testament where persons and things (the firstborn, the priests, the offerings, etc.) are given over to God, and in the New Testament where Christ is the consecrated one sent from the Father (John 10:36), who consecrates Himself to the Father on our behalf (John 17:19), and through whom we ourselves are consecrated (1 Peter 2:9). When we consecrate ourselves to the Immaculate Heart, we rededicate our self to God in imitation of Our Lady’s complete consecration at the Incarnation (Luke 1:38) and under the Cross (Luke 2:35; Jn 19: 25-27, and entrust our self to her for the fulfillment of our baptismal commitment.

As Pope St. John Paul II said in his prayer consecrating the world to the Immaculate Heart on March 25, 1984. . . . Before you, Mother of Christ, before your Immaculate Heart, I today, together with the whole Church, unite myself with our Redeemer in this His consecration for the world and for people, which only in His Divine Heart has the power to obtain pardon and to secure reparation.

A CONSECRATION PRAYER TO MARY

O Mary, Virgin most powerful and Mother of mercy, Queen of Heaven and Refuge of sinners, we consecrate ourselves to thine Immaculate Heart.

We consecrate to thee our very being and our whole life; all that we have, all that we love, all that we are. To thee we give our bodies, our hearts and our souls; to thee we give our homes, our families, our country.



We desire that all that is in us and around us may belong to thee, and may share in the benefits of thy motherly benediction. And that this act of consecration may be truly efficacious and lasting, we renew this day at thy feet the promises of our Baptism and our first Holy Communion. We pledge ourselves to profess courageously and at all times the truths of our holy Faith.

We pledge ourselves to keep the commandments of God and His Church, in particular to keep holy the Lord's Day. We likewise pledge ourselves to make the consoling practices of the Christian religion, and above all, Holy Communion, an integral part of our lives, in so far as we shall be able so to do. Finally, we promise thee, O glorious Mother of God and loving Mother of people, to devote ourselves whole-heartedly to your service in order to hasten and assure, through the sovereignty of thine Immaculate Heart, the coming of the kingdom of the Sacred Heart of thine adorable Son, in our own hearts and in those of all people, in our country and in all the world, as in heaven, so on earth. Amen.

FEAST DAY OF OUR LADY OF MT CARMEL: 16 JULY

You are Invited
To
The Feast of Our lady of Mount Carmel
On Saturday 16 July 2022 at the 9am Mass,
Followed by the Blessing and
Enrolment of the Brown Scapular
Thereafter join us for Morning Tea

WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK

It is a legal requirement and a Diocesan requirement that all people involved in a child related role should have a current Working With Children Check number (WWCC). Expired WWCC need to be renewed and passed on to the parish office. If you get a call from the Parish office please give your full co-operation and urgent attention to it as it is important.

ST PADRE PIO PARISH INFORMATION

ADULT CONFIRMATION (for 16years and over)
 Adult Confirmation is a community celebration for those who have reached the age of 16 years provided they have received Holy Communion but are yet to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. Catechesis and Formation Day: Saturday 20 August, 9:30am at the Bede Heather Centre. Adult Confirmation: 1 September 2022, 7:30pm at St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta. If interested, please give your contact details to the parish office.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION is traditionally taken up throughout Catholic parishes around the time of the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul. The 2022 collection will take place **THIS WEEKEND** as a leaving collection. 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*

LITURGICAL CALENDAR

JUNE

Sunday 26: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

Monday 27: St Cyril of Alexandria

Tuesday 28: St Irenaeus

Wednesday 29: Sts Peter & Paul

Thursday 30: First Martyr Saints of the Holy Roman Catholic Church

NON-LITURGICAL CALENDAR

ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

Date: Tuesday 28 June

Place: Elena & Waldo Labra 4 Shearwater Dr GP

Date: Tuesday 05 July

Place: Pat Canderle 1 Kurpun Pl, GP

LEGION OF MARY ROSARY MEETING

Date: Every Thursday, 7:00pm

Place: Parish meeting room. All welcome to attend.



FIRST FRIDAY ALL-NIGHT ADORATION 01 JULY

Would you come and spend an hour with me?

8:00pm All-night Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins

3:00am: The Divine Mercy Chaplet

9:00am: Adoration concludes on Saturday with 9:00am Mass & Novena to St. Padre Pio. We encourage all parishioners to add their name to the sign-up sheet on the Welcome table.

MASSES OFFERED FOR THESE INTENTIONS

Prayers for the Sick: Georgina Rastegorac, Waled Hana, John Bender, Maryrose Vella, John Vella, Catherine Vella, Lolyn Velayo, Maureen Klingner **Death Anniversary:** Leila Eggleton, Arturo Zamora **Deceased:** All Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thanksgiving Mass: Fidel & Noevi Maniti *Please contact the Parish office if you would like a Mass offered for Recently Deceased, Death Anniversary, Prayers for the Sick, Thanksgiving or Birthdays.*

ST PADRE PIO PARISH ROSTERS WEEK FOUR 25/26 JUNE 2022

COORDINATOR	Cristina Cignarella	help needed	help needed
ACOLYTE	Joe Badrov	Khalid Younan	Chris Hersey
SENIOR SERVER	Kylie Sultana	help needed	help needed
READER	1. Cristina Cignarella 2. Reginald Vibar	1. help needed 2. Jacinta Rastegorac	1. Eric Ruiz 2. help needed
MUSIC	YFC		
CLEANING TEAM	Helen Sipeli, Rebekah Gomesz, Marlene Schoebel, Joseph Gomes, Mel Gaudoin		

ST PADRE PIO PARISH ROSTERS WEEK ONE 02/03 JULY 2022

MASS TIME	5:30PM	8:00AM	10:00AM
COORDINATOR	Trudi Almeida	Lynn Young	Regina Rossetto
ACOLYTE	Joe Badrov	Khalid Younan	Chris Hersey & Manny Medel
SENIOR SERVER	Kylie Sultana	help needed	help needed
READER	1. Freeda Fernandez 2. Phil Walsh	1. Trish Warda 2. Denise Robens	1. Zon Lupisan 2. Regina Rossetto
MUSIC	Mitchell's Group		Children's Choir
CLEANING TEAM	Doris Cutajar, Paula Harris, Mel Gaudoin, Josephine Caruana, Valeni Rodrigues, Meghan Warda		

ST PADRE PIO PARISH ROSTERS WEEK TWO 09/10 JULY 2022

MASS TIME	5:30PM	8:00AM	10:00AM
COORDINATOR	Cristina Cignarella	help needed	help needed
ACOLYTE	Joe Badrov	Khalid Younan	Chris Hersey
SENIOR SERVER	Kylie Sultana	help needed	help needed
READER	1. Gilbert Grech 2. Angelina Badrov	1. Marilou Pugoy 2. Marg Rooney	1. Deepa Cijo 2. Cijo Mathew
MUSIC	Amen Choir		Manny, Bruce & Co
CLEANING TEAM	Antionette Manna, Mel Gaudoin, Rebecca Locke		



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Dr T Murugathas (Male)
Dr K Singh (Male)

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