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SUNDAY 13 OCTOBER 2024

28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

SUNDAY

8:00am Mass & 10:00am Mass

MONDAY

7:00pm Mass

TUESDAY TO FRIDAY

9:00am Mass

Sacrament of Penance

(Confession) before & after Mass
(depending on priests' availability)

WEDNESDAY

7:00pm Mass. Every First
Wednesday, will include Novena
of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

SATURDAY

9:00am Mass

Novena to St. Padre Pio &
Blessing with his Relic

9:30am Sacrament of Penance

5:30pm Saturday Vigil Mass

BAPTISMS

1st, 2nd, and 3rd Sundays.
Minimum booking time: two
months in advance. Please
contact the Parish Office.

FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ALL-NIGHT ADORATION

7:00pm Mass, Adoration starts

3:00am Divine Mercy Chaplet

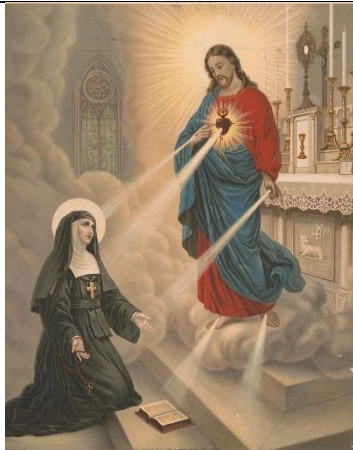
9:00am Saturday Mass

FRIDAY PLAYGROUP

9:30am – 11:30am 0-6 years
Bethany Catholic Primary School
Hall. Contact the Parish Office.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS

Please contact the Parish Office.



**JESUS APPEARED TO ST MARGARET MARY
ALACOQUE SEVERAL TIMES, REVEALING HIS
LOVE FOR HUMANKIND THROUGH HIS
SACRED HEART.**

***Second Revelation: July 2, 1674 – Feast of
the Visitation***

St. Margaret Mary Alacoque: “The Divine
Heart was presented to me in a throne of
flames, more resplendent than a sun,
transparent as crystal, with this adorable
wound. And it was surrounded with a crown

of thorns, signifying the punctures made in it by our sins, and a cross
above...”

“My Divine Master revealed to me that it was His ardent desire to be
known, loved and honored by men, and His eager desire to draw them
back from the road to perdition, along which satan is driving them in
countless numbers, that induced Him to manifest His Heart to men with all
the treasures of love, mercy, grace, sanctification and salvation that It
contains.”

“This Heart of God must be honored under the form of His heart of flesh,
whose image He wanted exposed, and also worn on me and on my heart.

“He promised to pour out into the hearts of all those who honor the image
of His Heart all the gifts it contains in fullness, and for all those who would
wear this image on their persons **He promised to imprint His love on their
hearts and to destroy all unruly inclinations.**

“Everywhere this holy image was exposed to be honored, He would pour
forth His graces and blessings. This blessing was, as it were, a final effort
of His love. **He wanted to bestow upon men during these final centuries
such loving redemption in order to snatch them from the control of
satan, whom He intended to destroy.**”

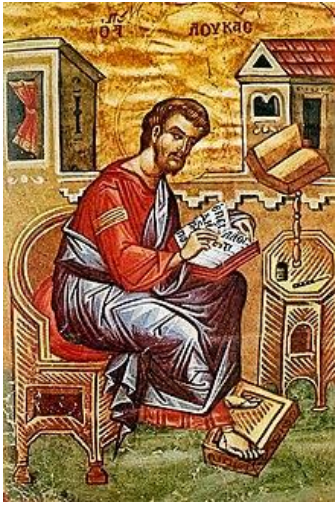
***Sacred Heart of Jesus, please have mercy on us and on the whole
world!***

The above excerpt is from: <https://ewtn.co.uk/chpop-visions-of-the-sacred-heart-of-jesus-4-mystical-messages-to-st-margaret-mary-alacoque/>

Picture is from: <https://www.churchpop.com/content/images/wordpress/2021/06/sacred-heart-photo.jpeg>

ST LUKE, THE EVANGELIST

St. Luke is the Patron Saint of physicians, surgeons and artists.



St. Luke was a native of Antioch, the metropolis of Syria, a city famous for the agreeableness of its situation, the riches of its traffic, its extent, the number of its inhabitants, the politeness of their manners, and their learning and wisdom.

St. Jerome assures us

he was very eminent in his profession, and St. Paul, by calling him his most dear physician. Besides his abilities in physic, he is said to have been very skillful in painting.

The first time that in his history of the missions of St. Paul he speaks in his own name in the first person is when that apostle sailed from Troas into Macedon in the year 51, soon after St. Barnabas had left him, and St. Irenaeus begins from that time the voyages which St. Luke made with St. Paul.

It is only in the Gospel of St. Luke that we have a full account of several particulate relating to the Annunciation of the mystery of the Incarnation to the Blessed Virgin, her visit to St. Elizabeth, the parable of the prodigal son, and many other most remarkable points. The sacred penmen in these writings were only the instruments or organs of the Holy Ghost; but their style alone suffices to indicate how perfectly free their souls were from the reign or influence of human passions, and in how perfect a degree they were replenished with all those divine virtues and that heavenly spirit which their words breathe.

About the year 56, St. Paul sent St. Luke with St. Titus to Corinth with this high commendation, that his praise in the gospel resounded throughout all the churches. St. Luke attended him to Rome, whither he was sent prisoner from Jerusalem in 61. The apostle remained there two years in chains; but was permitted to live in a house which he hired, though under the custody

of a constant guard; and there he preached to those who daily resorted to hear him.

St. Luke was the apostle's faithful assistant and attendant during his confinement and had the comfort to see him set at liberty in 63, the year in which this evangelist finished his Acts of the Apostles.

St. Luke did not forsake his master after he was released from his confinement. That apostle in his last imprisonment at Rome writes that the rest had all left him, and that St. Luke alone was with him. St. Epiphanius says that after the martyrdom of St. Paul, St. Luke preached in Italy, Gaul, Dalmatia, and Macedon.

The bones of St. Luke were translated from Patras in Achaia in 357 by order of the Emperor Constantius and deposited in the Church of the Apostles at Constantinople, together with those of St. Andrew and St. Timothy. On the occasion of this translation some distribution was made of the relics of St. Luke; St. Gaudentius procured a part for his church at Brescia. St. Paulinus possessed a portion in St. Felix's Church at Nola, and with a part enriched a church which he built at Fondi. The magnificent Church of the Apostles at Constantinople was built by Constantine the Great, whose body was deposited in the porch in a chest of gold, the twelve apostles standing round his tomb. When this church was repaired by an order of Justinian, the masons found three wooden chests or coffins in which, as the inscriptions proved, the bodies of St. Luke, St. Andrew, and St. Timothy were interred. Baronius mentions that the head of St. Luke was brought by St. Gregory from Constantinople to Rome and laid in the church of his monastery of St. Andrew. Some of his relics are kept in the great Grecian monastery on Mount Athos in Greece.

*The above excerpt is from: <https://www.ewtn.com/catholicism/saints/luke-674>
The picture is from: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Luke_the_Evangelist*

*St. Luke, pray for us.
Amen.*

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ST. PADRE PIO PARISH INFORMATION

<p>OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY.</p> <p>CONGRATULATIONS <i>Congratulations to Fr Johnson who has been installed as Parish Priest of St. Padre Pio Parish by Bishop Vincent Long.</i></p> <p>MASS: Every Monday. Time: 7:00pm. UPDATE: There will be 7PM Mass EVERY Wednesday. <i>Please spread the word.</i></p> <p>CONGRATULATIONS to Alicia Buttigieg for being a prize winner in the Diocesan Kids' Voices Art Competition!</p> <p>ST. PADRE PIO PARISH YOUNG ADULTS GROUP When: EVERY Wednesday Starting with 7pm Mass in the Church, then continue in the hall. If you are a young adult, aged 18-35 years, please come along. Hope to see you there!</p> <p>ALL SAINTS' NIGHT When: 31 October, 6pm-7.30pm All children are invited to come dressed as Saints of their choice for an evening of fun.</p> <p>PRAYING FOR THE HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY in NOVEMBER Please use the November Mass Envelopes found on the Welcome Table to offer Mass for the faithful departed. Please PRINT the names of the loved ones CLEARLY. ALL SOULS DAY MASSES When: 02 November: 7am Mass, 9am Mass & 12pm (midday) Mass.</p>	<p>Sunday 13 October 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr. B Monday 14 October: St Callistus Tuesday 15 October: St Teresa of Jesus Wednesday 16 October: St Hedwig, St Margaret Mary Alacoque Thursday 17 October: St Ignatius of Antioch Friday 18 October: St Luke Saturday 19 October: Sts John de Brébeuf & Isaac Jogues & companions, St Paul of the Cross</p> <hr/> <p>NEXT SUNDAY: 29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Isaiah 53:10-11 Ps 32:4-5. 18-20. 22. R. v.22 Hebrews 4:14-16 Mark 10:35-45</p> <hr/> <p>ROSARY PRAYER GROUP Date: Tuesday 15 October Place: Ging & Jei Tallada Date: Tuesday 22 October Place: Danny & Cely Estigoy</p> <hr/> <p>LEGION OF MARY MEETING: Every Thursday, 5.30pm in the Church meeting room. All are welcome!</p> <hr/> <p>SAFEGUARDING FACE-TO-FACE OPPORTUNITIES When: Wednesday 16 October for Module 4 Where: St. John the Evangelist Parish, Riverstone. For more training opportunities & to register go to: parracatholic.org/connect/events/?series=safeguarding-training. For more information, please email: safeguardingtraining@parracatholic.org</p>
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MASSES OFFERED FOR THESE INTENTIONS:

Thanksgiving to God-Birthdays. **Deceased:** Thresiamma Joseph, Lyn Farrel, Lily & Roger Varca.
Prayers for the Sick: Kyla Aggar, Richard Daher, Eric Norman Santos, Jimmy Zacharias, Mario Cauchi, Alona Alcaraz, Adrienne Auld, Trent Moore, Bernadette Tecson, Ernesto Modelo, Joselito Canaria, Lynn Navarro, Kim Baluyot, Jasmine Arada, Maricris Palencia, Yvonne Videla, Alejandra Modelo, Emily & Danilo Rosales, Georgina Rastegorac, Maryrose Vella, Catherine Vella. **Please contact the Parish office if you would like a Mass offered.**

ST PADRE PIO PARISH ROSTERS WEEK THREE – THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH 19/20 OCTOBER

MASS TIME	5:30PM	8:00AM	10:00AM
COORDINATOR	Trudi Almeida	Lynn Young	Tracy Amituanai
ACOLYTE SENIOR SERVER	Billy Layug Lya Layug Kylie Sultana	Khalid Younan Gilbert Grech	Chris Hersey Dit Almer
READER	1. Rolaine Vibar 2. Trudi Almeida	1. Sue Guy 2. Ajumol Alexander	1. Katie English 2. Noel Xavier
MUSIC	HELP NEEDED		Modern Harmony
HOSPITALITY		HELP NEEDED each month	Connie Hyland
BAPTISM			HELP NEEDED
CLEANING TEAM	Susan Guy, Anna Roberts, Aiman & Maria Jajo, Johan, Melissa Bowden, Tammy Gosling		

28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading Wisdom 7:7-11

A reading from the book of Wisdom

In comparison to wisdom, I held riches as nothing.

I prayed, and understanding was given me;
I entreated, and the spirit of Wisdom came to me.
I esteemed her more than sceptres and thrones;
compared with her, I held riches as nothing.
I reckoned no priceless stone to be her peer,
for compared with her, all gold is a pinch of sand,
and beside her silver ranks as mud.

I loved her more than health or beauty,
preferred her to the light,
since her radiance never sleeps.

In her company all good things came to me,
at her hands riches not to be numbered.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 89:12-17. R. v.14

**Fill us with your love, O Lord,
and we will sing for joy!**

Make us know the shortness of our life
that we may gain wisdom of heart.

Lord, relent! Is your anger forever?

Show pity to your servants.

**Fill us with your love, O Lord,
and we will sing for joy!**

In the morning, fill us with your love;
we shall exult and rejoice all our days.
Give us joy to balance our affliction
for the years when we knew misfortune.

**Fill us with your love, O Lord,
and we will sing for joy!**

Show forth your work to your servants;
let your glory shine on their children.
Let the favour of the Lord be upon us:
give success to the work of our hands.

**Fill us with your love, O Lord,
and we will sing for joy!**

Second Reading Hebrews 4:12-13

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

The word of God discerns the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

The word of God is something alive and active; it cuts like any double-edged sword but more finely: it can slip through the place where the soul is divided from the spirit, or joints from the marrow; it can judge the secret emotions and thoughts No created thing can hide from him; everything is uncovered and open to the eyes of the one to whom we must give account of ourselves.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation Matthew 5:3

Alleluia, alleluia!

Happy the poor in spirit;
the kingdom of heaven is theirs!
Alleluia!

Gospel Mark 10:17-30

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark
Go and sell whatever you have and come follow me.
Jesus was setting out on a journey when a man ran up, knelt before him and put this question to him, 'Good master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: You must not kill; You must not commit adultery; You must not steal; You must not bring false witness; You must not defraud; Honour your father and mother.' And he said to him, 'Master, I have kept all these from my earliest days.' Jesus looked steadily at him and loved him, and he said, 'There is one thing you lack. Go and sell everything you own and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' But his face fell at these words and he went away sad, for he was a man of great wealth.

Jesus looked round and said to his disciples, 'How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God!' The disciples were astounded by these words, but Jesus insisted, 'My children,' he said to them, 'how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God.' They were more astonished than ever. 'In that case' they said to one another, 'who can be saved?' Jesus gazed at them. 'For men' he said, 'it is impossible, but not for God: because everything is possible for God.'

Peter took this up. 'What about us?' he asked him. 'We have left everything and followed you.' Jesus said, 'I tell you solemnly, there is no one who has left house, brothers, sisters, father, children or land for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not be repaid a hundred times over, houses, brothers, sisters, mothers, children and land – not without persecutions – now in this present time and, in the world to come, eternal life.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

