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SUNDAY 20 OCTOBER 2024

29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

YEAR B

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
to 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

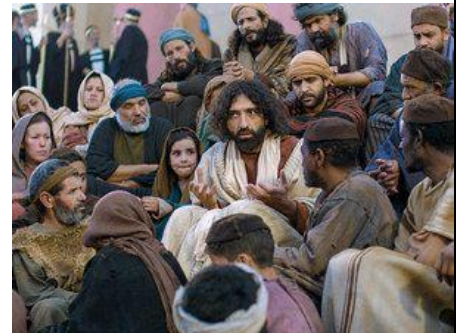
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MESSAGE FOR WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Church proclaims love of God the Father

St. John Paul II

"The Church is missionary in order to proclaim untiringly that God is Father, filled with love for all mankind.... It is the duty of believers to proclaim and testify that while he 'dwells in unapproachable light' (1 Tm 6:16), the heavenly Father in his Son, who was born of the Virgin Mary, died and is risen, has made himself near to all human beings", St. John Paul II said, in his annual Message for World Mission Sunday in 1999.



1. Each year World Mission Sunday offers the Church a precious opportunity to reflect on her missionary nature. Ever mindful of Christ's command: *"Go therefore and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit"* (Mt 28:19), the Church knows she is called to proclaim to men and women of every age and in every place the love of the one Father, who in Jesus Christ desires to gather together his children who are scattered abroad (cf. Jn 11:52).

Our Father who art in heaven

2. The Church is missionary in order to proclaim untiringly that God is Father, filled with love for mankind. Every individual and all nations search, at times even unconsciously, for the mysterious face of God which however is revealed to us solely by his only Son, who is one with the Father (cf. Jn 1: 18). God is "the Father of Our Lord Jesus Christ" and "desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth" (1 Tm 2:4). Those who accept his grace discover with amazement that they are children of the one Father and therefore feel they owe it to all people to proclaim salvation.

In the contemporary world many people, however, fail to recognize the God of Jesus Christ as Creator and Father. Some, at times through the fault of believers, choose to be indifferent or atheist; others still, cultivating a vague sort of religious feeling, have built a God in their own image and likeness; others again consider him to be totally out of reach.

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It is the duty of believers to proclaim and testify that while he "dwells in unapproachable light" (1 Tm 6:16), the heavenly Father in his Son, who was born of the Virgin Mary, died and is risen, has made himself near to all human beings, and made them capable of "responding to him, knowing him and loving him" (cf. CCC, n. 52).

The Christian prays that God may be hallowed through his adopted sons and daughters, and also through those who have yet to be reached by his revelation, knowing that it is through sanctification that he saves the whole of creation.



So that God's name may be made holy among all nations, the Church works to draw humanity and creation into the plan of the Creator who in his love, destined us to be holy and

blameless before him (cf. Eph 1:9,4).

Dear brothers and sisters, Mission Sunday offers each of us an opportunity to put more emphasis on our common missionary vocation, which leads Christ's disciples to become apostles of his Gospel of reconciliation and peace. The mission of salvation is universal; for every person and for the whole person. It is a task which involves the entire People of God, all the faithful. Mission must therefore be the passion of every Christian; a passion for the salvation of the world and an ardent commitment to work for the coming of the Father's kingdom.

For this to come about, there must be unceasing prayer to nourish the desire to carry Christ to all men and women. There must be the offering of one's suffering in unity with those of the Redeemer. There must also be personal commitment to support organizations of missionary cooperation. Among these I encourage you to take into special consideration the Pontifical Mission Societies which have the task of encouraging prayers for the mission, promoting the missionary cause and collecting funds for the work of evangelization.

They operate in close collaboration with the Congregation for the Evangelization of Peoples, which, in turn, coordinates missionary efforts in unity of intentions with the particular Churches and the different missionary institutes present throughout the entire ecclesial community.

...Let us thank the Lord for the immense good work achieved by missionaries as, turning our eyes to the future, we confidently await the dawn of a new day.

Those who work at the outposts of the Church are like watchmen on the walls of God's City. We ask them: "Watchman, what of the night?" (Is 21:11), and we hear the answer: "Hark, your watchmen lift up their voice, together they sing for joy; for eye to eye they see the return of the Lord to Zion" (Is 52:8). Their generous witness in every corner of the earth proclaims: "As the third millennium, of the Redemption draws near, God is preparing a great springtime for Christianity, and we can already see its first signs" (*Redemptoris missio*, n. 86).

May Mary, the Morning Star, help us to say with ever new ardour our "yes" to the Father's plan for salvation, so that all nations and tongues may see his glory (cf. Is 66:18).

With this wish, I gladly send to missionaries and to all those who work for the missionary cause my special Apostolic Blessing.

From the Vatican, 23 May 1999, the Solemnity of Pentecost.

Taken from:

L'Osservatore Romano, Weekly Edition in English 2 June 1999, page 3. L'Osservatore Romano is the newspaper of the Holy See.

FULL MESSAGE CAN BE FOUND AT:

www.ewtn.com/catholicism/library/message-for-world-mission-sunday-8318

Excerpts used from Pope's message-see link above.



Photo of Jesus preaching is from: <https://au.pinterest.com/pin/522276888016204897/>

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A black rectangular advertisement for 'BASTION DETAILING SERVICES'. At the top is a logo consisting of three vertical bars of varying heights. Below the logo, the text reads: 'HAND WASH - CAR DETAIL - INTERIOR DETAIL - WHEEL TREATMENT - CLAY BAR'. In the center, it says 'CALL OR SMS' and at the bottom, in large white font, '0411 282 608'.

A white rectangular advertisement for 'NEPEAN VALLEY FUNERALS'. At the top left is a logo of a tree. To the right, the text reads: 'NEPEAN VALLEY FUNERALS' and 'Traditional Care with Dignity & Respect'. Below this, it says 'Tel: 4722 8222' and 'Local family owned and operated.' At the bottom, it says '24hrs / 7 days' and 'Shop 4, 2-6 Castlereagh St, Penrith'. There is a circular inset photo of two men in suits. At the bottom right is a logo for 'Catholic Cemeteries & Crematoria' with the tagline 'Care, Compassion, Choice'.

ST. PADRE PIO PARISH INFORMATION

THIS WEEKEND IS WORLD MISSION DAY	Sunday 20 October 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr. B
OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY.	Tuesday 22 October: St John Paul II
MASS: Every Monday & Wednesday at 7:00pm.	Wednesday 23 October: St John of Capistrano
ST. PADRE PIO PARISH YOUNG ADULTS GROUP When: EVERY Wednesday. Starting with 7pm Mass in the Church, then continues in the hall. If you are a young adult, aged 18-35 years , please come along. Hope to see you there!	Thursday 24 October: St Anthony Claret
ALL SAINTS' NIGHT When: Thursday 31 October, 6pm-7.30pm. All children are invited to come dressed as Saints of their choice or in white, for an evening of fun and games. Snacks provided. Please RSVP by 27 October using this QR Code.	NEXT SUNDAY: 30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Jeremiah 31:7-9 Ps 125. R. v.3 Hebrews 5:1-6 Mark 10:46-52
	ROSARY PRAYER GROUP Date: Tuesday 22 October Place: Danny & Cely Estigoy Date: Tuesday 29 October Place: Cecil & Michael Aldama
FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ALL-NIGHT ADORATION  When: Friday 01 November 7pm: Mass followed by the All-night Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 3am: The Divine Mercy Chaplet 7am: All Souls Day Mass, Exposition 9am: All Souls Day Mass & Novena to St. Padre Pio. <i>Come and spend time with Our Lord. The sign-up sheet is on the Welcome Table.</i>	2024 CATHOLIC MISSION CHURCH APPEAL You're invited to partner with the Church in Mongolia to help deliver essential services to people who need it most including those affected by homelessness and domestic violence and to share the warmth of God's love with our brothers and sisters. Please support this work by going to catholicmission.org.au/mongolia , or via the BPay details below. Your gift will also assist many other Church programs around the world.
ALL SOULS DAY MASSES: 02 November 7am Mass, 9am Mass & 12pm (midday) Mass.	Parish Name: Glenmore Park Parish Billir Code: 347 716 Ref (BPAY CRN): 107151287771
PRAYING FOR THE HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY in NOVEMBER Please use the November Mass Envelopes on the Welcome Table to offer Mass for the faithful departed. Please PRINT the names clearly. Thankyou	ADVENT FAMILY RETREAT DAY: THE CHRISTMAS MIRACLE – Saturday 30 November, 9am-3.30pm, at St. Padre Pio Parish Mass & Novena, Sessions for primary-school aged and teens/adults, Holy Rosary, Lunch & afternoon tea and more. Free event, registration is essential! The Retreat Program is on the Parish Noticeboard.

MASSES OFFERED FOR THESE INTENTIONS:

Wedding Anniversary & Birthday. **Deceased:** Elsie & Joseph Bugeja. **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 FOUR – FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH 26/27 OCTOBER

MASS TIME	5:30PM	8:00AM	10:00AM
COORDINATOR	Cristina Cignarella	Lynn Young	Regina Rossetto
ACOLYTE	Billy Layug	Khalid Younan	Chris Hersey
SENIOR SERVER	Lya Layug Kylie Sultana	Gilbert Grech	Aiman Jajo
READER	1. Cristina Cignarella 2. Georgia Fraser	1. Trish Warda 2. Jacinta Rastegorac	1. Eric Ruiz 2. Zon Lupisan
MUSIC			Pio's Voices
HOSPITALITY		Warda Family	Jonielyn Yuzon
CLEANING TEAM	Helen Sipeli, Rebekah Gomesz, Marlene Schoebel, Joseph Gomes, Johan		

29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading Isaiah 53:10-11

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

If he offers his life in atonement, he shall see his heirs, and have long life.

The Lord has been pleased to crush his servant with suffering.

If he offers his life in atonement, he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life and through him what the Lord wishes will be done.

His soul's anguish over he shall see the light and be content.

By his sufferings shall my servant justify many, taking their faults on himself.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 32:4-5. 18-20. 22. R. v.22

**Lord, let your mercy be on us,
as we place our trust in you.**

The word of the Lord is faithful and all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love.

**Lord, let your mercy be on us,
as we place our trust in you.**

The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love. to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

**Lord, let your mercy be on us,
as we place our trust in you.**

Our soul is waiting for the Lord. The Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

**Lord, let your mercy be on us,
as we place our trust in you.**

Second Reading Hebrews 4:14-16

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

Let us be confident in approaching the throne of grace.

Since in Jesus, the Son of God, we have the supreme high priest who has gone through to the highest heaven, we must never let go of the faith that we have professed. For it is not as if we had a high priest who was incapable of feeling our weaknesses with us; but we have one who has been tempted in every way that we are, though he is without sin. Let us be confident, then, in approaching the throne of grace, that we shall have mercy from him and find grace when we are in need of help.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation Matthew 10:45

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Son of Man came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for all.

Alleluia!

Gospel Mark 10:35-45

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

The Son of Man came to give his life as a ransom for all.

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached Jesus. 'Master,' they said to him, 'we want you to do us a favour.' He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' They said to him, 'Allow us to sit one at your right hand and the other at your left in your glory.' 'You do not know what you are asking' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptised with the baptism with which I must be baptised?' They replied, 'We can.' Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptised you shall be baptised, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.'

When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to him and said to them: 'You know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all. For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

