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SUNDAY 05 JULY 2026	FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS
 Tuesday – Friday 8:30am – 3:30pm
 Closed 12:30pm – 01:00pm

SUNDAY
 8:00am & 10:00am Mass

MONDAY
 7:00pm Mass

TUESDAY TO FRIDAY
 9:00am Mass

WEDNESDAY
 7:00pm Mass (includes 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

RECONCILIATION (Confession)
Tuesday – Friday
 Before & after Mass (*depending on priests' availability*).

BAPTISMS
 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Sundays.
 Minimum booking time: two months in advance.

FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ALL-NIGHT ADORATION
 7:00pm Mass, Adoration begins.
 3:00am Divine Mercy Chaplet
 9:00am Saturday Mass

SOM YOUTH GROUP
 Every Saturday 4:00pm
 Ages 5-17 (during school terms)
 School hall

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP
 Every Wednesday, 7pm Mass, then YA meeting for 18-35yrs.

FRIDAY PLAYGROUP
 Contact the Parish Office.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS
 Please contact the Parish Office.

THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS

July is the month dedicated to the Precious Blood of Jesus. Let us turn to Him for daily spiritual protection: "Most Precious Blood of Jesus Christ, save us and the whole world!"



This devotion has been recognized for centuries, dating back to Christ's death on the Cross. Many saints were devoted to the Precious Blood of Jesus, particularly Saint Catherine of Siena, Saint Mary Magdalen de Pazzi, and Saint Gaspar del Bufalo.

Saint Gaspar del Bufalo, founder of the [Missionaries of the Precious Blood](#), and promoter of the devotion, said, "We must let it be known how the Blood of Christ cleanses the souls and sanctifies them, particularly by means of the sacraments."

Pope Pius IX officially instituted a feast dedicated to the Most Precious Blood of Jesus Christ in 1849. Pope Pius X later assigned July 1 as the designated feast. However, after Vatican II, the Catholic Church traditionally dedicated the entire month of July to the Precious Blood. Many graces can be obtained from this devotion, including spiritual protection, healing, deliverance from evil, growth in virtue, and a deeper understanding of God's mercy and love.

In honor of this month dedicated to the Precious Blood of Jesus, here are eight quick prayers you can recite throughout your day:

- 1) Prayer Before Praying by Saint Mary Magdalen de Pazzi**
 "Almighty Father, I place the Precious Blood of Jesus before my lips before I pray, that my prayers may be purified before they ascend to Your divine altar."
- 2) Prayer of Saint Faustina**
 "O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a Fount of Mercy for us, I trust in You."
- 3) Powerful Prayer to the Precious Blood**
 "Most Precious Blood of Jesus Christ, save us and the whole world!"

4) Saint Catherine of Siena’s “Constant Prayer” to the Precious Blood of Jesus

"Precious Blood, ocean of divine mercy: Flow upon us! Precious Blood, most pure offering: Procure us every grace! Precious Blood, hope and refuge of sinners: Atonement for us! Precious Blood, delight of holy souls: Draw us! Amen."

5) House Blessing through the Precious Blood of Jesus

"Precious Blood of Jesus, shed on the Cross for us, bless this house. Take it under Thy protection."

6) Prayer to the Precious Blood of Jesus

"Eternal Father, I offer You the Most Precious Blood of Jesus Christ in atonement for my sins, and in supplication for the holy souls in Purgatory and for the needs of Holy Church."

7) Prayer of Protection through the Precious Blood of Jesus by [Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton](#)

"Lord Jesus, by faith in your merits, I now take your Precious Blood and sprinkle it over myself and my family right from the crown of my head to the very soles of my feet. Amen."

8) Prayer to the Precious Blood When Blessing Yourself with Holy Water

"By this Holy Water and by Your Precious Blood, Lord Jesus, wash away all my sins."

Other longer form prayers include the *Litany of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus*, the *Divine Mercy Chaplet*, etc.

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Picture from: [aleteia.org](#)

Litany of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus

Lord, have mercy. R: Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy. R: Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy. R: Lord, have mercy.
Jesus, hear us. R: Jesus, graciously hear us.
God, the Father of Heaven, R: Have mercy on us.
God, the Son, Redeemer of the world, R: Have mercy on us.
God, the Holy Spirit, R: Have mercy on us.

Holy Trinity, One God, R: Have mercy on us.
Blood of Christ, only-begotten Son of the Eternal Father, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, Incarnate Word of God, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, of the New and Eternal Testament, R; Save us.
Blood of Christ, falling upon the earth in the Agony, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, shed profusely in the Scourging, R; Save us.
Blood of Christ, flowing forth in the Crowning with Thorns, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, poured out on the Cross, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, price of our salvation, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, without which there is no forgiveness, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, Eucharistic drink and refreshment of souls, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, stream of mercy, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, victor over demons, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, courage of Martyrs, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, strength of Confessors, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, bringing forth Virgins, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, help of those in peril, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, relief of the burdened, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, solace in sorrow, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, hope of the penitent, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, consolation of the dying, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, peace and tenderness of hearts, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, pledge of eternal life, R: Save us.
Blood of Christ, freeing souls from purgatory R: Save us
Blood of Christ, most worthy of all glory and honor, R: Save us.
Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world, R: Spare us, O Lord
Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world, R: Graciously hear us, O Lord. Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world, R: Have mercy on us.
You have redeemed us, O Lord, in your Blood. R: And made for us, Our God, a kingdom.

[ewtn.com/catholicism/devotions/litany-of-the-most-precious-blood-of-jesus-248](#)

ST PADRE PIO PARISH ROSTER SECOND SUNDAY OF THE MONTH 11/12 JULY

MASS TIME	5:30PM VIGIL MASS	8:00AM MASS	10:00AM MASS
COORDINATOR	Lya Layug	Trish Warda	Valeni Rodrigues
ACOLYTE SENIOR SERVER	Billy Layug	Khalid Younan Gilbert Grech	Chris Hersey
READER	1. Steffi Sequeira 2. Parry Sequeira	1. Marilou Pugoy 2. Belinda Butler	1. Deepa Cijo 2. Cijo Mathew
MUSIC			Manny, Bruce & Co
MORNING TEA		Mal Weber	Deepa Cijo & Cijo Mathew
BAPTISMS			Chris Hersey
CLEANER	Zon Lupisan, Bebs Perez, Ancy Presty, Dari Boni		

ST. PADRE PIO PARISH INFORMATION

FR SHELDON is currently on holidays.

THIS SUNDAY IS NATIONAL ABORIGINAL & TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER SUNDAY



ALLIANCE OF THE TWO HEARTS-VIGIL OF REPARATION

Date: This Friday 10 July, with 7.30pm Mass to Saturday 11 July 12.15am Mass. The full Program is on the noticeboard.

SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY EUCHARIST



Our Parish Sacramental Program of First Holy Eucharist for 2026 is open. This Sacrament is open to children Year 4 and above who have received the Sacraments of Baptism and Reconciliation. Parent letter and Enrolment form are available on the Parish website and hard copies are on the Welcome Table. *All Enrolments must be received by the Parish Office by Friday, 24 July.*

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL & ENROLMENT OF THE BROWN SCAPULAR

When: Thursday 16 July, 9:00am Mass, followed by the Blessing, enrolment of the Brown Scapular and morning tea.



SAFEGUARDING FACE-TO-FACE OPPORTUNITIES

There are several face-to-face Safeguarding Training opportunities. Please register here: <https://parracatholic.org/connect/events/?series=safeguarding-training> For more info, please email: safeguardingtraining@parracatholic.org

MET NATURAL FERTILITY SEMINAR – Introductory Session for Couples Hoping to Conceive: 8 July, 7-8pm via Teams (online).

Hear about Restorative Reproductive Medicine and natural methods of achieving pregnancy. This session is of particular interest to couples that are trying to conceive a child where they may have infertility issues and are seeking medical intervention to help them. To register: parracatholic.org/natural-fertility www.fccau.org

UPCOMING FEAST DAYS & MEMORIALS:

- 06 JULY:** St Maria Goretti
- 07 JULY:** St Peter To Rot
- 09 JULY:** St Augustine Zhao Rong & companions
- 11 JULY:** St Benedict

NEXT SUNDAY 12 JULY

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A
Isaiah 55:10-11, Psalm 64:10-14, Romans 8:18-23, Matthew 13:1-23

ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

Date: Tuesday 14 July, Elena & Waldo Labra
Date: Tuesday 21 July, Kenneth & Jeng Borlongan

TAKE AWAY BIBLE STUDY WITH FR. JOHNSON

The Bible Study is being held in person and on Zoom, every Thursday at 7pm in the Church.
Meeting ID: 88240197264, **Password:** 2xg17M. **Zoom:** <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88240197264?pwd=MC39Q52hu32bkPXe2Z4TjXW0MhaTes.1>
Please invite others, BYO Bible. All are welcome.

BE THE WITNESS — THE MUSICAL

Coming to **Riverside Theatres Parramatta from 10–13 September 2026.**

Be The Witness brings the story of Jesus to life through the eyes of St Peter, using music, drama and storytelling to create a moving encounter of faith, hope and witness. Bring your parish group, family or friends. Single: <https://bethewitness.com.au/> or 10+: <https://www.privyr.com/form/ADzUleQi#special-group-booking>

“COME AND SEE” WEEKEND: Fri 10th - Sun 12th July

A live-in experience for young women with the Schoenstatt Sisters of Mary. Experience and learn more about the community by working and praying with the sisters. At 230 Fairlight Rd, Mulgoa.



“PMA Reflection Day”, Sat 11th July: Under the theme of Mary our Mother and Queen this reflection day is open all: Holy Mass, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Benediction, talks, prayer, fellowship.

MASSES OFFERED FOR THESE INTENTIONS: Deceased: Catherine Hemmings, Mario Cauchi, Suffering Souls in Purgatory, J, S, K, M & A, Leslie Gatt, Eileen McGann, Mary Philip, John Morrison. **For the Sick:** Dolor Payne, Salwa & family, Rasha & Family, Fr. Chris Mithen C.P. James Forrester, Justino Pasia, Erwin Jacob, Elvie Tamayo, Lita Modelo, Bridgette Grech, Liam O’Shea, Jose Joaquin De Sousa, Vida Smith, Beaulah Frankson and Roger Ayo, Lillian Astorri, Pauline Azzopardi, Elise Girdlestone, Daniel Varlow, Pamela Severino, Illuminada Shackleton, Kim Baluyot, Chris Shihada, Maria Joseph, Andrea Lopez, Christian Casulla, Xara Kaye, April Cataroja, Susan, Molly Poulouse, Kyla Aggar, Eric Norman Santos, Jimmy Zacharias, Alona Alcaraz, Trent Moore, 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 office to offer a Mass.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

FIRST READING Zechariah 9:9-10

A reading from the prophet Zechariah

See how humbly your king comes to you!

The Lord says this:

‘Rejoice heart and soul, daughter of Zion!
Shout with gladness, daughter of Jerusalem!
See now, your king comes to you;
he is victorious, he is triumphant,
humble and riding on a donkey,
on a colt, the foal of a donkey.
He will banish chariots from Ephraim
and horses from Jerusalem;
the bow of war will be banished.
He will proclaim peace for the nations.
His empire shall stretch from sea to sea,
from the River to the ends of the earth.’

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 144:1-2. 8-11. 13-14 R. v.1

**I will praise your name for ever,
my king and my God.**

I will give you glory, O God my King,

I will bless your name for ever.

I will bless you day after day

and praise your name for ever. **(R.)**

The Lord is kind and full of compassion,
slow to anger, abounding in love.

How good is the Lord to all,
compassionate to all his creatures. **(R.)**

All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord,
and your friends shall repeat their blessing.
They shall speak of the glory of your reign
and declare your might, O God. **(R.)**

The Lord is faithful in all his words
and loving in all his deeds.

The Lord supports all who fall
and raises all who are bowed down. **(R.)**

SECOND READING Romans 8:9.11-13

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

If by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body, you will live.

Your interests are not in the unspiritual, but in the spiritual, since the Spirit of God has made his home in you. In fact, unless you possessed the Spirit of Christ you would not belong to him, and if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, then he who raised Jesus from the dead will give life to your own mortal bodies through his Spirit living in you. So then, my brothers, there is no necessity for us to obey our unspiritual selves or to live unspiritual lives. If you do live in that way, you are doomed to die; but if by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body you will live.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Matthew 11:25

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth; you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom. Alleluia!

GOSPEL Matthew 11:25-30

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

I am gentle and humble of heart.

Jesus exclaimed, ‘I bless you, Father, Lord of heaven and of earth, for hiding these things from the learned and the clever and revealing them to mere children. Yes, Father, for that is what it pleased you to do. Everything has been entrusted to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, just as no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

‘Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest. Shoulder my yoke and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. Yes, my yoke is easy and my burden light.’

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



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