

CATHEDRAL PARISH OF SAINTS MARY & JOSEPH

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- Faithful to the Teaching of the Apostles
- Faithful to Prayer
- Faithful to the Breaking of the Bread
- Alive in the Community of the Spirit
- Sharing what we have with those in need
Acts 2:42-46

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

The Parish of Saints Mary & Joseph Cathedral, acknowledges and pays respect to the traditional owners of the land on which we meet – the people of the Anaiwan Nganyaywana Nation. It is upon their ancestral lands that we come together today.

PARISH CLERGY:

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PARISH OFFICE:

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22nd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Sunday 30th August 2020



COMBINED SACRAMENTS PROGRAM 2020

First Holy Communion lessons commence this Sunday, 30th August in the Torreggiani Room 9am to 10am, for those in Year 4 and above, who attend schools other than St Mary's Parish School.

The Parish of Sts Mary & Joseph Cathedral and the Diocese of Armidale are committed to the care, wellbeing and protection of children, young people, and vulnerable people in our community. May our message be that child protection and the dignity of every person is the responsibility of every adult.

LITURGY THIS WEEK

SAT 29 AUG	The Passion of St John the Baptist CATHEDRAL: 9AM OLA CHAPEL: 9AM (LATIN) SUNDAY ANTICIPATED MASS CATHEDRAL: 6PM
SUN 30 AUG	22 ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME CATHEDRAL: 8AM, 10AM, 5:30PM CATHEDRAL: 9AM, 12 NOON
MON 31 AUG	CATHEDRAL: 7AM, 12 NOON
TUE 01 AUG	CATHEDRAL: 9AM, 12 NOON
WED 02 AUG	DLS CHAPEL (O'CONNOR): 9:15AM
THU 03 AUG	St Gregory the Great, pope, doctor CATHEDRAL: 7AM OLA CHAPEL: 12 NOON (Followed by Adoration & Benediction at 7:45pm)
FRI 04 AUG	CATHEDRAL: 9AM, 5:30PM (Followed by First Friday Holy Hour)
SAT 05 AUG	CATHEDRAL: 9AM, OLA CHAPEL: 9AM (LATIN) SUNDAY ANTICIPATED MASS CATHEDRAL: 6PM

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

FRIDAY:	CATHEDRAL: 5:00 PM TO 5:30 PM
SATURDAY:	CATHEDRAL: 11:30 AM TO 12:00 & 4:00 PM TO 5:00 PM OLA CHAPEL: 8:20 AM TO 8:50 AM

POSITION VACANT – OFFICE ASSISTANT

Thank you to those who responded to the expression of interest regarding the position of Parish Office Assistant. The position has been filled.

ROSARY... Prior to the 9am Mass in the Cathedral on Saturday 5th September for the First Saturdays Devotion.

Five First Saturdays Devotion to Our Lady

All are invited next Saturday, September 5th, following the 9am Mass in **Our Lady of the Angels Chapel**, to pray the Joyful Mysteries of the Holy Rosary along with meditations upon each mystery. Our Lady asked Sr Lucia in 1925 to promote the Five First Saturdays of Reparation to make amends for the offences and indifferences directed to her and to pray for the triumph of her Immaculate Heart.

30 TH AUGUST				
CATHEDRAL	6PM	8AM	10AM	5.30PM
WELCOMER	TRice	McGrath	Tindale	Steller
READER 1	AMay	MBarrett	ESuluma	LHanrahan
READER 2	CDoherty	NRamazani	LTindale	JHanrahan
PoF	DFittler	CathStephen	JToakley	LStephen
6 TH SEPTEMBER				
CATHEDRAL	6PM	8AM	10AM	5.30PM
WELCOMER	KMcMahon	Hallman	Brown	Turley
READER 1	CDoherty	LFitzgerald	LTindale	JHansen
READER 2	DFittler	LQuast	HWicks	LHanrahan
PoF	ARogers	CathStephen	CChapman	DRoff

SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY – 30TH AUGUST 2020



The Social Justice Statement 2020-21 is titled:

To Live Life to the Full: Mental health in Australia today.
The COVID-19 pandemic is impacting the mental health of many members of our parishes, schools and communities. In fact, most of us will experience a mental health problem at some point over the course of our lives. Understanding mental health will help us to be aware of those who need our support. Our parishes, organisations and communities can be places of acceptance care and healing, not places of rejection, judgment or stigma.

In the Social Justice Statement To Live Life to the Full: Mental health in Australia today, the Bishops welcome the deinstitutionalisation of mental health care in Australia. However, without adequately funded community mental health services, there is a gap in the system through which people continue to fall. Social determinants including poverty, living conditions, and personal security are significant contributors to mental ill-health. The Statement highlights the experience of First Nations people and communities, asylum seekers and refugees, people who are homeless and those who are in prison.

The Bishops invite us all to reject stigmatisation, to work for the transformation of social determinants of mental ill-health, and to call for policies and service provision that meets the needs of the poorest and most marginalised members of our community.

You can download Statement and accompanying prayer card at

<https://socialjustice.catholic.org.au/event/social-justice-sunday/2020-08-30/>

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

RECENTLY DECEASED: Vic Andersen, Michael Tynan, Robert Halpin, Gordon Lennon, Sandra Flynn, Salvina Sjöholm (Xuereb), Daniel Slannet, Jamilee Joseph, Hank Verhoven, Suzanne Harper

ANNIVERSARIES: Lee Fallon, Rashid Pourshab, Peter Blackley, Samuel Farrugia, Lawrence Fahy, Iris Lasker, Elsie Faddy, **SICK:** Vanessa Hardy, Karrin Clark, Mark Longbourne, Fr Steve O'Shea, Gerry Wissink, Irene & Leigh Owen, Leanne Cox, Beryl McMillan, Bernard Swan, Jenny Cugley, Mary Howie, Robyn Keogh, Melissa Matthews, Tracie Armatage, Robert Markeljic, Don Armatage, Rob Baker, Brian Battersby, Tanya Neilson, Molly Burke, Melissa Gamblen, Fergus Watson, Hannah Whitton, Tom Britt, Danny Jones, Ghodsi Amini, Susan Maye, Michael Zhu, Aeron Ryan, John Fleming, Blake Ross, Gemma Milliken, Joseph O'Brien, Frederic Koelmeyer, Maria Selvey, Anne Simpson, Silvia & Ralph Bowles.

SUPPORTING OUR PRIESTS & PARISH FINANCIALLY:

First Collection: BSB 082 105 A/C No 001023527

Second Collection: BSB 082 105 A/C No 001006225

Please reference with your planned giving number where applicable and surname.

ATTENDING MASS IN THE CATHEDRAL

- Please arrive 10 to 15 minutes early if possible.
- ENTER via the front left-hand door or the disabled access door if required. EXIT VIA THE OPPOSITE SIDE FOLLOWING the SIGNAGE.
- Use hand sanitiser provided.
- Sign in on the provided form. These are kept confidentially in the Parish Office for 28 days and then shredded.
- Each person must pick up a bulletin upon entry and take it with you at the end of Mass.
- Allow for social distancing when choosing a seat. Members of the same household may sit together in one pew.
- No hymn books or Mass cards will be in use.
- There is no congregational or choir singing.
- There will be no collections – baskets are provided in the centre of the Cathedral for 1st and 2nd collections. Tap and Go devices are also provided for contactless donations.
- The Lectionary will ONLY be used by the Celebrant. Readers will use their bulletin for the readings.
- There is no offertory procession.
- You are asked to NOT to shake hands during the exchange of peace.
- When processing to **HOLY COMMUNION** during Mass, please be aware of spatial distancing and **PROCESS IN A SINGLE LINE AT EACH SIDE AISLE & RETURN TO YOUR SEATS VIA THE CENTRE AISLE.**
- **COMMUNION IS ONLY RECEIVED INTO HANDS AT ALL SUNDAY MASSES.**
- Cleaning and sanitizing will be conducted after each Mass with cleaners wearing gloves and products provided – if you can, please help with this.
- Do not congregate in the Cathedral grounds after Mass unless you maintain physical distancing requirements.
- Those visiting the Cathedral for private prayer are asked to sanitize their hands upon entry, maintain physical distancing and to wipe down the seat with the wipes provided before leaving.

WE ARE COMMITTED TO KEEPING YOU SAFE.

Our Cathedral Parish is a registered COVID Safeness with the NSW Government. A copy of the COVID-19 Safety Plan is on the noticeboard for you to read.

Please stay home and get tested if you are experiencing any of the following symptoms (even if they are mild):

- Fever (37.5 ° or higher)
- cough
- sore/scratchy throat
- shortness of breath
- loss of smell
- or loss of taste

