

# 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

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(Lunch is 1:00-2:00 pm so avoid this time)

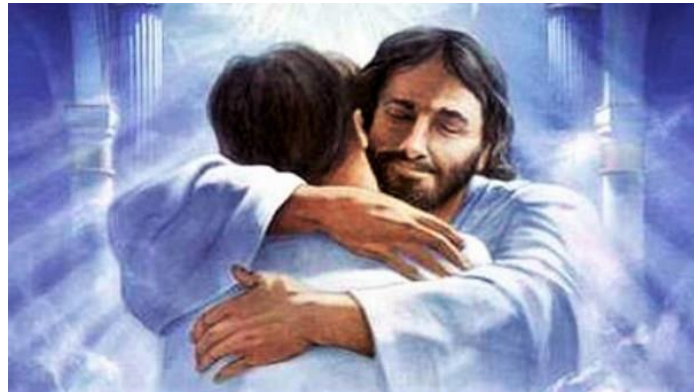
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## 24<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2020



## COMBINED SACRAMENTS PROGRAM 2020

FIRST RECONCILIATION will take place this Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September. Due to COVID restrictions, the children who attend St Mary's Parish School will receive this sacrament at school during school hours and the children who attend other schools will receive this sacrament in the Cathedral on Thursday evening at 6pm. FIRST HOLY COMMUNION will be celebrated next Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> at 6pm and Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> at 10am Masses.

Please pray for our 29 students and their families as they prepare to receive these sacraments in the coming week. A practice for First Holy Communion will be held for all candidates on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September in the Cathedral from 3.30pm-4.30pm.



This weekend, the Catholic Church in Australia marks Child Protection Sunday, on which we pray for those who have been abused, their families and supporters. We recognise and apologise for the harm done by priests, religious and lay people in Church settings. The Church takes a zero-tolerance approach to child abuse. We recommit to practices that support survivors and make the Catholic Church and its ministries the safest possible place for children and people at risk.

Find out more at:

[www.catholic.org.au/childprotectionsunday](http://www.catholic.org.au/childprotectionsunday) and

[www.catholicreligious.org.au/safeguarding](http://www.catholicreligious.org.au/safeguarding)

## LITURGY THIS WEEK

SAT 12 SEP	CATHEDRAL: 9AM OLA CHAPEL: 9AM (LATIN) SUNDAY ANTICIPATED MASS CATHEDRAL: 6PM
SUN 13 SEP	24 <sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME CATHEDRAL: 8AM, 10AM, 5:30PM
MON 14 SEP	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross CATHEDRAL: 9AM, 5:30PM CHRISM MASS
TUE 15 SEP	Our Lady of Sorrows CATHEDRAL: 7AM, 5:30PM
WED 16 SEP	Sts Cornelius, pope, martyr, & Cyprian, bishop, martyr CATHEDRAL: 7AM, 5:30PM
THU 17 SEP	CATHEDRAL: 7AM OLA CHAPEL: 12 NOON followed by Eucharistic Adoration and benediction at 7:45pm
FRI 18 SEP	CATHEDRAL: 9AM, 5:30PM
SAT 19 SEP	CATHEDRAL: 9AM, OLA CHAPEL: 9AM (LATIN) SUNDAY ANTICIPATED MASS CATHEDRAL: 6PM First Holy Communion Mass

## 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

## MASS OF THE SACRED CHRISM

5.30pm Monday 14<sup>th</sup> Sept in the Cathedral  
Parishioners are welcome to attend, however, due to COVID-19 restrictions, we are limited to 70 attendees, therefore bookings are essential. To book, please contact the Parish Office.

**CLERGY ASSEMBLY...** all the clergy of the Diocese will gather in Armidale for meetings this Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September.

## THIS SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER...



Every year on Good Friday, a collection is taken up in Catholic Churches to support the work of the Franciscans working in the Holy Land. Christians there rely heavily on the help that comes to them from this worldwide collection. **This year, since measures to prevent the spread of the coronavirus prohibit gatherings in our churches, the traditional Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land has been postponed to September 13<sup>th</sup>.**  
<https://myfranciscan.org/good-friday/>

## ROSTERS FOR 13<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER

CATHEDRAL	6PM	8AM	10AM	5.30PM
WELCOMER	MCarson	DMiron	Chapman/BPrior	Chin
READER 1	Volunteer	BMackson	JToakley	PBoston
READER 2	WClark	AHallman	ESuluma	JHanrahan
PoF	KMcMahon	TFlynn	SBristow	PTurley

## ROSTERS FOR 20<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER

CATHEDRAL	6PM	8AM	10AM	5.30PM
WELCOMER	FHC	LFitzgerald	FHC	Hanson
READER 1	FHC	FMiron	FHC	RMenz
READER 2	FHC	NHallman	FHC	LStephen
PoF	FHC	JaisonV	FHC	NChin

## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Robert (Bob) Jones, Vic Andersen, Michael Tynan, Robert Halpin, Gordon Lennon, Sandra Flynn, Salvina Sjöholm (Xuerab) **ANNIVERSARIES:** Keith Bryan Briones, Pat Clancy, Nicholas Williams, Desiree Redlich, Barbara Peberby, John De Bavay, Rita Mammen, Barbara Mitchell, Doug Hiscox, Clifford Walford **SICK:** Jimmy Ryan, 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 Markelj, 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

Plea with your planned giving number where applicable and surname.

## OUR PARISH NOW HAS ANOTHER MEANS OF GIVING

Armidale Diocesan Investment Group (ADIG) have recently engaged with the Archdiocese of Brisbane (ADF) regarding a Parish Giving Application that they have developed. For more information contact Bernie Munro 0438650167

This Parish accepts donations via the Parish Giving Application



[www.parishgiving.brisbanecatholic.org.au](http://www.parishgiving.brisbanecatholic.org.au)



## 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 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> 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

