

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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19th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME
Sunday 9th August 2020

NATIONAL VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK



2ND TO 9TH AUGUST
2020

Prayer for Vocations
O loving and gracious
God, Father of all, you
bless your people in every
time and season and
provide for their needs

through your providential care. Your Church is continuously in need of priests, sisters and brothers to offer themselves in the service of the Gospel by lives of dedicated love. Open the hearts of your sons and daughters to listen to your call in their lives. Give them the gift of understanding to discern your invitation to serve you and your Church. Give them the gift of courage to follow your call. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Redeemer. Amen.

CLERGY EDUCATION AND RETIRED CLERGY COLLECTION

have been combined into one collection which will be conducted this Sunday **9th August 2020** to coincide with the conclusion of National Vocations Awareness Week. Donations over \$2 are tax deductible. Please stipulate if you wish for your donation to go to one particular fund otherwise it will be split 50/50.

LITURGY THIS WEEK

SAT 08 AUG	CATHEDRAL: 9AM OLA CHAPEL: 9AM (LATIN) SUNDAY ANTICIPATED MASS CATHEDRAL: 6PM
SUN 09 AUG	19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME CATHEDRAL: 8AM, 10AM, 5:30PM St Lawrence, deacon, martyr
MON 10 AUG	CATHEDRAL: 9AM, 12 NOON St Clare, virgin
TUE 11 AUG	CATHEDRAL: 7AM, 12 NOON
WED 12 AUG	CATHEDRAL: 9AM, 12 NOON DLS CHAPEL (O'CONNOR): 9:15AM
THU 13 AUG	CATHEDRAL: 7AM 11AM AUTUMN LODGE OLA CHAPEL: 12 NOON (Followed by Adoration & Benediction at 7:45pm)
FRI 14 AUG	St Maximilian Mary Kolbe, priest, martyr CATHEDRAL: 9AM, 5:30PM
SAT 15 AUG	The ASSUMPTION of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY CATHEDRAL: 9AM, OLA CHAPEL: 9AM (LATIN) SUNDAY ANTICIPATED MASS CATHEDRAL: 6PM

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

FRIDAY:	CATHEDRAL: 5PM TO 5:30 PM
SATURDAY:	CATHEDRAL: 11:30 AM TO 12:00 NOON & 4PM TO 5PM

The ASSUMPTION of the LORD... SATURDAY 15TH AUGUST... a holy day of obligation however, during COVID-19 the Bishop has dispensed with the obligation to attend as he has also with the Sunday obligation. If you don't attend Mass, find a way to make this day holy.

The Catholic Weekly

The Catholic Weekly will no longer be available for purchase from the Cathedral from next weekend (15-16 August 2020). The Weekly, is available in digital form (at a cost of \$50 pa) or by subscribing to the print edition that will be posted to subscribers, arriving just after each weekend. For further information: www.catholicweekly.com.au
If you need help to subscribe to either edition, contact Nick 0422474785 or the Parish Office.
Thank you to those who have supported the Weekly in the past.

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**.

COMBINED FIRST RECONCILIATION/FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAM 2020

The sacramental program for **First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion** will run in Term 3 as a combined program. Students at St Mary's parish School in Year 3 and students at schools other than St Mary's in Year 4 are eligible for candidacy into this program. Due to COVID-19 restrictions and protocols, candidates who attend St Mary's will be prepared at school during school hours. Candidates at schools other than St Mary's will attend lessons on Sundays 9am -10am in the Torreggiani Room. The first lesson is this Sunday 9th August and continuing each Sunday until the 13th September. The date for First Reconciliation is Thursday 17th September and the First Holy Communion Mass is Sunday 20th September at 10:00am. Please contact the Parish office for more information and to enrol your child.



Brothers, what must we do?

Next Saturday, August 15th, our parish joins in the national Men's Gathering. There are close to 600 men participating at 39 sites across Australia as well as New Zealand and Kenya. The aim is to inspire and encourage all Catholic men with a vision for personal discipleship, service and mission in the family, parish, diocese and the world.

Programme:	09:00 - Holy Mass
	10:00 - Where are all the men? and Why gather men?
	11:30 - Morning tea break
	12:00 - What is needed?
	13:00 - Lunch
	14:00 - Men of Character & Men's Ministry
	15:00 - Afternoon tea break
	15:30 - What must we do?
	16:30 - Discussion
	17:00 - Conclusion

Cost: FREE (lunch provided, donations welcome)

Registration: Fr Paul Chandler
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Venue: Torreggiani Room

Please Register by Wednesday, August 12th for catering purposes

9 TH AUGUST				
CATHEDRAL	6PM	8AM	10AM	5.30PM
WELCOMER	WClark	DMiron	Tindale	Hansen
READER 1	WClark	CathStephen	MSherar	PBoston
READER 2	AMay	JaisonV	ESuluma	RMenz
PoF	CDoherty	TFlynn	LTindale	JRoff

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.

COVID-19 UPDATE FROM 25TH JULY 2020

COVID-19 SAFETY PLAN & REGISTRATION AS COVID SAFE VENUE.

The Cathedral Parish is now a registered COVID safe venue with a COVID-19 Safety Plan in place.

MAXIMUM LIMIT OF 100 WORSHIPPERS AT MASSES

People attending Mass are required to supply their name and contact details so they can be used for contact tracing.

FUNERALS, MEMORIAL SERVICES, WAKES

The maximum number of people who may attend is 100 or one person per 4 square metres, whichever is lesser. Attendees must supply their name and contact details for contact tracing purposes.

WEDDINGS

Maximum of 150 may attend a wedding or a gathering following a wedding service subject to the 1 person per 4 square metre rule. However, if a wedding takes place in a place of worship, the maximum number of attendees must not exceed 100.

RECORD KEEPING

It is a requirement of the NSW Government that we:

- record and keep the name & contact details & the time of entry of every person entering the Cathedral for a period of 28 days.
- ensure the information recorded is stored confidentially and securely and only used for the purpose of tracing COVID-19 infections.
- on request, provide the information to the Chief Health Officer as soon as practicable.

HOLY COMMUNION

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.

BREACHING THE PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER

It is critical that we as a Parish of the Diocese of Armidale follow these requirements. Not only for public good and hopefully reduction in community spread of COVID-19, but also because breaches come with penalties.

PLEASE NOTE: Adherence to the above requirements are conditions of entry to the Cathedral and Masses. IF YOU ARE UNWELL DO NOT ATTEND THE CATHEDRAL/MASS - STAY HOME

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

RECENTLY DECEASED: Jack Vivers, Brian Darcy, Eric Kelly, Fay Byrne, Mary Anne Dimech (Warialda), John Carrigan, Carmel Mills, Heather Antney
ANNIVERSARIES: Michael Abood, Joseph Stephen, John O'Brien, Harold Bartlett, John Irving, John Lewins, Faye Bartlett, Marie McCann, Agnes McMillan, Evelyn Bower, Laurel Moran, Lela Bourke, John Solomons, Maria Buckley
SICK: Karrin Clark, Mark Longbourne, Fr Steve O'Shea, Gerry Wissink, Ben Singh, Irene & Leigh Owen, Leanne Cox, Beryl McMillan, Bernard Swan, Kieron McQuilty, 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.