

HAPPY MOTHERS DAY

To all our mothers, step mothers, grandmothers, godmothers and all who exercise a motherly influence in our lives-may this day(and every day) be truly blessed.

For the gift of motherhood, We praise you, O God

For all who exercise a motherly influence on us, We praise you O God

For mothers who bring new birth to life, We ask your blessing, O God

For tireless days and sleepless nights, We ask your blessing, O God

For nurturing and gentle care, We Ask your blessing, O God

For every thought and every prayer, We ask your blessing, O God

For the lessons given over many a year, We thank our mothers, Lord

For time, attention and a listening ear, We thank our mothers Lord

For picking us up when we are feeling low, We thank our mothers, Lord

For guiding our actions, for showing us "how", We thank our mothers, Lord

For all their patience, generosity and love, We admire ur mothers, O God For strength and

courage when times are tough, We admire our mothers, o God For being there always in

sickness and health, We admire our mothers, O God For being concerned for our spiritual

wealth, We admire our mothers, O God. AMEN

Bible Study OLSH Randwick



The Eucharist in Scripture

The Catholic tradition is full of beautiful ritual and symbolism, none more so than in the Eucharistic celebration.

- What is the symbolism of mixing water and wine?
- What is the meaning of 'do this in memory of me'?
- How is the Mass the offering of a living sacrifice?

These answers and more are found in the six sessions of this year's Bible Study commencing this May.

Tuesday Sessions: 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm followed by refreshments starting 15 May, final session 19 June

Friday Sessions: 10:00 am to 11:30 am refreshments served mid session starting 18 May, final session 22 June

Venue: Ventnor heritage building OLSH Randwick

Cost: \$20 for the book set and refreshments
Payment received and books handed out at the first session

No prior registration required, just come to the first session



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The Ascension of the Lord, Year B.. 12/13rd May, 2018

*Accessible Seats - Rows
5,6,7 and cross aisles.
Front 6 seats either side
of centre aisle.*

1st Reading: Acts 1: 1-11

2nd Reading: Ephesians 1:17-23

Gospel: Mark 16: 15-20

Entrance Antiphon: You kingdoms of the earth, sing to God; praise the Lord, who ascends above the highest heavens; his majesty and might are in the skies alleluia.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 46: God mounts his throne to shouts of joy; a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Go and teach all people my gospel. I am with you always, until the end of the world. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: Behold, I am with you always, even to the end of the age, alleluia.

Parish Office

Monday- Friday 9am-5pm (Closed 1pm-2pm)

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Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

Monday: Midday Mass

Tuesday: 6:30am Mass, 11am (Holy Hour), Midday Mass.

Wednesday: 6:30am Mass, Midday Mass

Thursday: 11:30am (Novena), Midday Mass, 5:40pm Mass.

Friday: Midday Mass (Anointing Mass 2nd Friday), 5:40pm Mass, 6pm (Holy Hour)

Saturday: 11am (Reconciliation), Midday Mass, 5pm (Reconciliation), 6pm Vigil Mass.

Sunday: 8am, 10am, Midday, 6pm. 10:30pm

St. Margaret Mary's

Saturday: 5:15 (Reconciliation), 5:30pm Vigil Mass.

Sunday: 9:30am

Baptisms

Held at OLSH, 1:15pm Sundays.

Contact the Parish Office on 9399 6775.

Into your loving care we commend :

Recently Deceased: Anna Budelica, Elizabeth Tierney, Frank Shortt, Lal Durrant, Rustum Gamo, John Molan, Anna Budelica.

Anniversaries/Remembrances/Deceased: Holy Souls, Gerard Lohan, Joaquim Morais, Ray & Louise Andrade, Phyllis Mills, Maria Filomena Conti, Celsa Vila, Frank and Dolores Corry, Henri De Polignac, Margaret De Martin, William Crothers, Sue Rowley, Robin McNair, Stella McNair, Anthony Chong, Len Jarman Maria & Antonio Lim, Bob Flahive.

Special Intentions:

We welcome into our Catholic family:

Sebastian Farouk, Alistair Farouk
Jad Jaber, Mariam Jaber.

CATHOLIC WEEKLY: \$2

Annals of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart:

(MSC publication) on sale in foyer: \$5. Excellent articles on keeping the faith in a time of indifference and sometimes antagonism towards religion. Articles: *Science, Religion and the Secular State; MSC Martyrs of Spanish Civil War; article on Down babies and threat to their existence...*

OLSH CHURCH REPAIRS:

ACCESSIBLE ENTRANCE WILL HAVE TO BE VIA THE CHOIR SIDE – ACCESS WILL BE FROM THE FRONT OF THE CHURCH ON THE SOUTH SIDE. THIS WILL MEAN THAT THE FIRE DOORS WILL NEED TO REMAIN AT LEAST AJAR DURING MASSES. CHOIRS-MUSICIANS NEED TO TAKE NOTE THAT A CORRIDOR FOR WHEEL CHAIRS AND OTHER AIDS WILL NEED TO BE KEPT FREE. THIS WILL BEGIN WEEKEND OF MAY 12-13 – FOR AROUND 5 WEEKS.

Peter Hearn MSC

Coming Up

- ⇒ **Sun 13 May: ASCENSION DAY - Mothers' Day.**
- ⇒ **Sat 19 May -ST MM Family Mass-Presentation of Confirmation candidates.**
- ⇒ **W/e 19-20May: PENTECOST SUNDAY**
- ⇒ **Sun 27 May: Confirmation in Cathedral 3.30pm**

SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB. Wed. 6th June 2018. 7.30 - 9pm at the PADDINGTON RSL CLUB 220-232 Oxford St, Paddington, opposite the Town Hall. Topic: **“Running Charities”**. Speakers: **Sophie Cotton Smith**, Marathon Runner, founder of *Running for Premature Babies* charity; and **Brad Anderson**, Sydney Service Manager of *Orange Sky Laundries*, a charity which offers a free mobile laundry service for the homeless. Donation entry. Info Marea: 0414 873 910.

READERS NOT ON EMAIL: the next roster is 9/10 June-18/19 August., If you are unavailable during any of that time, please let Maureen know by this Wednesday, 16th May.

Communion from the Chalice: As the cold/flu season is on us with some parishioners already suffering, if you have symptoms of cold or flu, please do not proceed to receive communion from the Chalice. I will take advice, as per last year, from Drs as to when we will discontinue reception from the Chalices. Peter Hearn MSC

Sacramental Programme

OLSH & SMM : Sacrament of Confirmation

Sacrament of Confirmation-Sun May 27th at the Cathedral. 3.30pm

THANK YOU for your generous donation to the CWF appeal last weekend. We will have a total figure later in the month.

Justice Trends: Free – article on West Papua and self-determination; lack of movement in Aboriginal living standards...

OLSH Youth Group returns on Saturday 19th May.

Friendship, Fun and Faith it starts at 4pm and finishes at the conclusion of 6pm mass.

If you are in Year 5 and above and would like to join the group,

please contact us at youtholsh@gmail.com

CLEAN WATER LUNCHEON.

A lunch will be held in Ventnor following the midday Mass on Thursday 17th May to assist the MSC's in helping the many in need of clean water. Your attendance and donations would be greatly appreciated.

New Parishioners (Hand to a Priest or Acolyte after Mass)

Name: _____ Contact No: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ Date Submitted: ___/___/___

Mass usually attended: _____

'TODDLER TALES' FOR

PARENTS WITH PRAMS -next meeting

every Friday AT 9.30am
Cloister Room

All Welcome!

Caring News: Catholic Care article on people who offer short-term care to babies in special need; article on meaningful work for people with intellectual disabilities...

Catholic Care: Supporting the people of Sydney for 75 years. Our Family Support Services help families in the Sydney Archdiocese who may be struggling with managing daily life. To find out more call **13 18 19**, email connect@catholiccare.org or visit www.catholiccare.org.

Young Adults:

We meet every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7pm in the cloister room. Our next gathering will be on Tuesday 15th May.

May is the month of Mary so we will learn more about Mary, we will look at her song of praise (the Magnificat) as our song of praise in the world today.

All young adults are welcome to join us.