

CATECHISTS for the government schools:

This is a crucial apostolate for our parish. There are over 200 children in the two government Primary Schools within the Parish. Maybe the only time they will hear, in a systematic manner, about our Christian Life will be through a catechist.

Class times: Cowper St. Wednesdays 1:40 - 2:50 PM Half hour classes.

Rainbow St Public School Thursdays 9 - 10 AM Classes are for a half an hour.

Training: catechists are given training by the Confraternity for Christian Doctrine.

Class-room Program: Children and Catechists follow a set program which is laid out step by step, minute by minute. (You end up with about 20 mins of teaching time.)

Before you can teach, you will need to have completed a Level 1 Certificate Course. On- going courses are to Level 5. You will need a **Working With Children Check#**

We will have our Catechists' Sunday on 16 February, focused at the Midday mass with a lunch to follow for our Catechists and interested people. Contact : Mary Bhalla 0423 817 548

Archdiocesan web:www.ccdsydney.catholic.edu.au You will find basic informant on becoming accredited to teach.

LENTEN PROGRAM: These BEGIN the week of Ash Wednesday as the first meditation is preparation for the **First Sunday of Lent**. The program is from the Diocese of Wollongong, titled *Grace*. Cost of a booklet: \$10 regular; \$5.00 concession. (Credit Card payments now available in Foyer or Piety Store). The booklets also include Reflections for Each day during Lent. They are beautifully presented.

GROUP TIMES: MONDAY MORNING: 10.00am Cloister Room with morning tea to follow.
First meeting: Monday 24 February.

TUESDAY EVENING 7.00PM: CLOISTER ROOM (with Young Adults)- 25th FEB

FRIDAY MORNING 10.30AM: VENTNOR - 27th FEB

KEEPING OUR PARISH CHILD-SAFE: things that must be done:

Readers, Collectors, Choirs: I will be at each Mass this coming weekend and the next to make sure you have signed the Archdiocesan Safeguarding Policy. Most have done this but there may be a few new comers.

Collectors will need also need a Working With Children Check. Let me know if you are not able to use a Computer, we will do it with you through the Parish Office – so don't panic.

Leaders of music groups and musicians of Vigil, 10.00am, Midday, 6.00pm Masses will need to get a Working With Children Check. All members of the 6.00pm Sunday Mass need a WCC# Go on line: Working with Children Check NSW Gov and apply.

UPDATING YOUR Working With Children Check: Some of these have expired: you would have been informed. You need to Renew: Go to the same web page as above and go to the renew. You need "points" for identification: Driver's Licence, etc.

SALT On-Line Course. Each month I get an update on who HAS NOT COMPLETED THIS. Kindly do so at your earliest convenience and then give me a copy of your Compliance Certificate: Thanks in advance. Peter Hearn MSC



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OLSH Accessible Seats
Rows 5,6,7 and cross
aisles. Hearing Aid
Users front 6 seats
either side of centre

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time-Year A 8/9th February, 2020



1st Reading: Isaiah 58:7-10

2nd Reading: Corinthians 2:1-5

Gospel: Matthew 5:13-16

Entrance Antiphon: O come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

Responsorial Psalm: A light rises in the darkness for the upright

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord; the one who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the children of all, for he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.

Parish Office

Monday- Friday 9am-4.30pm (Closed 1pm-2pm)

Parish Staff

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Parish Safeguarding Officer:

Mary Croke: 0400 620 335

Hospital Chaplaincy

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Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

Monday: Midday Mass

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Wednesday: Midday Mass

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

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

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

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

St. Margaret Mary's

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

Sunday: 9:30am

Baptisms

Held at OLSH @ 1.00pm on Sundays.

Contact the Parish Office on 9399 6775 to book.

Into your loving care we commend :

Recently Deceased: Colum Boylan, John Bowring, Benito Banuelos, Catherine Byrnes, Mike Barry, Sarah Maguire, Marie Gurney, Bernadette Brosnan, Mike Byrne, Penny Yohanan., Evelyn O'Keefe, John Costigan.

Anniversaries and Deceased: Pavo Teklic, Sarah Michele Pizzata, Daniel Plagaro, Candida Bravo Murphy, John Gallagher, Doug Paton, Paul Doolin, Claude McBeath (brthday remembrance)

Special Intentions: Craig Padmore, Helen Lawlor, Lucelle Rivera (Birthday), Ian Reid (very ill)

We welcome into our Catholic family:

Aidan Slevin, Brodie Angus, Logan Murphy.

The Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney Safeguarding Office

Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with crimes are the police. If you, or anyone you know, have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at (02) 9390 5810 or safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org.

You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.

Spirituality of Jules Chevalier. *"The spirit of our MSC Society is one of love and kindness, humility and simplicity; it is, above all, one of love for justice and concern for all, especially the very poor."* 1985 Constitutions 13

St Vincent de Paul Fire Appeal: Total from OLSH-SMM: \$20,250 . Thank you. **Peter Hearn, MSC**

Coming Up

- **Mon 10 Feb: St. Scholastica**
- **Tues 11 Feb: Our Lady of Lourdes**
- **Thurs 13 Feb: SMM SCHOOL OPENING MASSS 9.15am**
- **Fri 14 Feb: Sts Cyril & Methodius**
- **Sat 15 Feb: Mass of Our Lady**
- **Wed 19 Feb: Opening Mass OLSH Primary 9.30am Church. Eastern Region Teachers' Mass Cathedral**
- **Fri 21 Feb: Opening Mass Marcellin College 9.30 Hall**
- **Wed 26 Feb: ASH WEDNESDAY**

Movie for Seniors in Cloister Room this Wednesday 12th February at 2pm

Mass to launch the Cause of Beatification and Canonisation of Servant of God, Eileen O'Connor

The co-founder of Our Lady's Nurses for the Poor, Eileen O'Connor has taken a major step forward to becoming Australia's second saint after the Archbishop of Sydney, Most Rev. Anthony Fisher OP called on Catholics to submit evidence to support Eileen's cause for canonisation.

You are invited to a Mass which will officially launch the cause.

Thursday 20 February at St Mary's Cathedral. 5:30pm

Celebrant: Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP

All Welcome.

Knitting Group:

Do you knit or would like to? Please come along to our group on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at Ventnor - 10am. We will resume after our break on Monday 24th Feb. New members welcome.

Gentle Exercise Wednesdays 11.00am Ventnor with meditation. All welcome.

PERE RECEVEUR MASS AT LA PEROUSE

SUNDAY 16th FEBRUARY at 11am

This Mass is celebrated annually near the grave of Fr Receveur who died at Botany Bay on 17th February 1788.

He was a priest and scientist with the La Perouse expedition. He may have been the first Catholic priest in Australia.

Everyone is invited to this outdoor Mass

Council and Sausage sizzle provided by Seaside Lions & refreshments by Friends of La Perouse Museum.

Young Adults: We will meet again February 25 at 7.00pm for the Lenten Program and see if we can get a group together. Peter Antony MSC, Peter Hearn MSC

Funerals: WEDNESDAY 1.30PM AT OLSH

MARIE GURNEY (RIP)

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

Name: _____ Contact No: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ Date Submitted: __/__/

SENIORS: Do you know seniors in your community who could use a little help at home? CATHOLIC CARE SERVICES help seniors to enjoy living independently in their own home with comfort and confidence.

Call CCareline on 13 18 19 to find out more.

Day of Healing with Sr Margaret Scully RSC:

Saturday Feb 22. Catholic Charismatic Renewal Centre, 19a Quirk St, Rozelle. 9.00am-4.00pm: What is Healing? Prayer for Inner Healing; Healing of the Family Tree; The Healing Power of Forgiveness. Bring your own lunch; morning/afternoon tea provided. Cost by donation. Registration is essential: 9810 2499; msscully@ccmsw.org.au

Parish Safeguarding Officer

Please be aware that we have a Parish Safeguarding Officer: Mary Croke. Mary has experience in Community Services for Children and Families. Any concerns or worries you have within the Parish, staff or volunteers, can be confidentially discussed with her: 0400 620 335.

Combined Choir Practices for Holy Week - Easter: Begin Wednesday February 5th.

Yes it is coming up to that time again. Practices commence at 7.00pm in the Church. We need to recruit, especially, Tenors and Bassos. So, if you can sing, do come along. Peter Hearn MSC