



ST PAUL THE APOSTLE PARISH

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday Evening Vigil 6.00pm (*Exposition 4.30pm - 5.45pm*)
Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am and 6.00pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4.30pm - 5.30pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday 9.10am
Tuesday 7.00pm (*Exposition 6.00pm - 7.00pm*)
Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9.10am
Saturday 9.00am

From Father Raning

A family asked a priest to help 'straighten out' a rambunctious young boy and his sister. After he agreed to speak to them separately, the older child, a girl of 8, went into the office. She found the priest sitting solemnly behind a big desk. Silence - then the priest asked, "Where is God?" More silence; the question was repeated. This happened three times, at which point the child burst out of the priest's office and ran for home, straight upstairs to her room. "Boy, are we in trouble," she reported to her anxious younger brother. 'Why? What happened?' 'God's missing and they're blaming us!'

Be a follower, not a fugitive. Run *to* the Lord, not *away* from the Lord. Hide *in* the Lord, not *from* the Lord. When the Lord sees you next, may He see your face, not your back.

First Reading: The apostles decide to not burden believers beyond necessities.
What can I do to follow this advice and help to lighten other's burden?

Second Reading: St. John envisions a city with no temple because God's presence is everywhere.
Where do I look for God's presence?

Gospel: Though he will no longer be visible, Jesus promises to be with us in Spirit.
When have I felt Jesus' presence with me recently?

Please pray for our sick

Antonio Abulad, Maroun Ayoub, Brian Baker, Margaret Brennan, James Brogden, Danielle Brown, Kay Bull, Tim Coakley, Gus DelVillar, Rebecca Duncum, George El-Bayeh, Josephine & Chafic Filfili, Neil Gover, Dex Habito, Piper Hastings, Ludie Irrulbandra, Jacqueline Kelly, Sonia Merhi, Charlie Micallef, Dennis Murray, Arun Papali, Silvi Perumal, Judy Phillips, Catharine Plisich, Marty Stockford and Patrick Wheeler.

As You are the One, and we, Your servants, we pray Oh God above to heal and support all members of our parish family who are sick.
Amen

Mary—Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother

Final week, if you have not attended any of the previous sessions, please consider joining this last session. Learn how Mary our mother works in our lives today, drawing us ever closer to her Divine Son.

Final Session: Friday May 31
Fr David Scott Parish Centre at 7:30pm
Session 7 & 8
Light supper and refreshments supplied
Free of Charge – All Welcome !



Novena Mass to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Every Tuesday at 7pm preceded by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 6-7pm

Rosary

The intention for world peace. Every Wednesday at 2.30pm in the Church.

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Every Friday at 3.30pm in the Marian Chapel. All welcome.

Holy Hour for Vocations

Saturday 5.00 - 6.00pm

Through His death, resurrection and ascension, Christ showed us the path to eternal life. Know that the Lord is with you always, through your struggles and triumphs, and that he will hear your prayers.

Upcoming Meetings

Leisure Group	29/05	10.00am
Parish Council	03/06	7.30pm
Liturgy	05/06	7.00pm
Baptism Talk	06/06	7.30pm
Sacramental Team	12/06	7.30pm
SVDP	12/06	7.00pm
Finance	18/07	7.00pm

	1/2 June	6.00PM Vigil	8.00 am	9.30 am	6.00 pm
Altar Servers	C		F	I	K
Acolytes	Tony Anthony		Tim Hamilton Fidel Zaballa	Eugene De Souza Ray Modini	Jhun Javier
Reader	Nicole Christoy		Annabelle Hamilton	Dilani Dhammapala	Aurea Javier
Commentator	Pauline Knowler		Maddie Hamilton	Tony D'Souza	Michael Hruby
Ministers of Communion	Chris Leonard Elly Benkovich		Jan Francis Veronica Fry	Dianne Stocks Ken Abrahams	Kerry Bailey Peter Cruz
Presentation of Gifts	Nereo & Rosa Fabrello		Volunteer	As arranged	Couples for Christ
Projector	Sylvia McGee		Lourdes Zaballa	Warren D'Costa	Jill Cruz
Children's Liturgy	No Liturgy				
Window cleaning	Phyllis Trovato, Lou Pulverenti, Gerard Rajakariar,				
Church cleaning	Eileen & Dennis Dunnachie, Judy Hince, Chris Leonard, Gemma Martin,				

Feast Days

27th St Augustine of Canterbury
31st Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
1st St Justin
2nd Sts Marcellinus & Peter

Moments of Mercy

I rejoice that souls ask for much, because it is My desire to give much, very much. On the other hand, I am sad when souls ask for little, when they narrow their hearts. (*Diary 1578*)

No Morning Tea or Children's Liturgy

During the Holy Communion Masses, no morning tea and Children's Liturgy will be held.

Catholic Weekly

- Situation serious - Form communities
- Sisters hit the beach
- 'Crisis: Minimum wage is not enough
- The movie you can't see
- Searching for God in the stars
- Movie review: *The Hustle*

Positions Vacant

Liturgy Administrative Support Assistant - Office for Worship
Fundraising Campaigns Executive - The Catholic Foundation More details at: parracatholic.org/employment

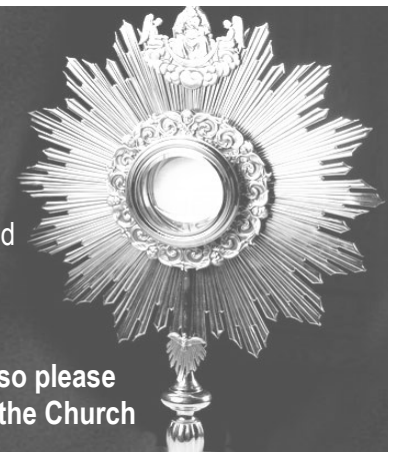
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24 HOUR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Friday 7 June to Saturday 8 June

Starting at 9:10am with Mass on Friday, our Lord will be exposed for 24 hours and concluding with Mass at 9am on Saturday

Come ... spend some time with Him

At all times our Lord Jesus must have someone with Him, so please signify your interest on the timetable posted at the back of the Church



First Holy Communion

Congratulations to our young candidates who received their First Holy Communion this weekend. Know that Jesus is the bread of life and the source of your salvation who will nourish your faith. Our next masses will be held on June 2 & 9.

To our Parish family we ask that you continue to please pray for these young candidates as they continue on their spiritual journey.

Piety Store

Looking for a gift for First Holy Communion, Why not visit the Piety stall? We have a range of gifts and cards for all occasions, come in and browse.

Interested in becoming an Altar Server?

Training will be one afternoon per week over three weeks with new Servers to commence in July. Children applying must:

- have received their First Holy Communion;
- attend Mass regularly; and
- have their parents' permission.

Application forms available in the church foyer and contain all relevant details. Enquires to Peter on 0422 448 206 or Andrew on 0425 722 766 or email altarservers2153@gmail.com

Please pray for

Jack & Gladys Scott, Fr David Scott, Josephine Clayton, Saverio Marotta, Rosa Marotta, Paul Beck, Brian Hurney, Lottie & Fredrick Gibbs, Anna Mary Joseph & Ratnam John Joseph, Maurice & Yvonne Sequeira, Aurelio & Connie Lopez, Michael & Julia Sherman Chammouni Frangi, and Kerry Cini - May they rest in peace



Tuesday 28 May 2019
7.00am—11.00am
St Monica's Parish Hall
10 Daking St, Nth Parramatta
Entry by donation



St Vincent de Paul Society Winter Appeal

The weekend of 15th and 16th June, at all Masses there will be a third collection for the Vinnies Winter Appeal. The power to change a life is in your hands. Donating to Vinnies you are helping our volunteers rebuild lives this cold winter. Your contributions can provide warm blankets for those experiencing homelessness or prevent a family from being evicted from their home. As always we appreciate the wonderful generosity of the parishioners of St Paul the Apostle Parish.