



# HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC PARISH, North Ryde

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Under the care of the Congregation of St. Michael the Archangel (Michaelite Fathers)



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**Parish Priest:** Fr Stan Kluk CSMA      **Assistant Priest:** Fr Peter Kaupa CSMA

**SUNDAY MASS:** Saturday 5:00pm, Sunday 8.30am, 10.00am & 5:00pm.  
**WEEKDAY MASS:** Mon. 8:30am; Tues. 7:00pm; Wed. 8:30am; Thur. 8:30am;  
Fri. 7:00am; (& 9:30am School Term Only); Sat. 8:30am  
**Public Holidays: 8:30am**

**FILIPINO (TAGLISH) MASS:** Fourth Sunday of the month at 12:15pm  
**SPANISH SPEAKING MASS:** Every Sunday 12:30pm  
**BAPTISMS: 11.00am each Sunday** One month's notice required.  
**Preparation Nights held monthly** Application forms at Parish Office  
**Next Preparation Night:** Thursday 15 September at 7:00pm.  
**MARRIAGES:** By Appointment (6 months' notice required).  
**RECONCILIATION:** Saturday after morning Mass or by appointment.  
**PARISH OFFICE HOURS:** 9:00am to 3:00pm Mon – Fri  
**ST VINCENT DE PAUL REGIONAL HELP CENTRE:** 9809 2757  
**Next Week: 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday OT (C):** Amos 8:4-7; 1 Timothy 2:1-8; Luke 16:1-13.

## Fr Stan writes ...

**Marriage Week** starts today! It is a great time to speak out for marriage and for marriages. A time to speak out the truth about marriage from scripture. A good starting point for Marriage Week is to increase our teaching and discussion on what love and marriage means in the context of God's word and society. This should be done in all parts of the local church and all age groups. Marriage Week is a great opportunity to reach out with the truth about marriage and to minister and honour marriages across our nation.

This weekend some of our young parishioners are enrolling for the Sacrament of Confirmation, which will be conferred by the Most Rev Bishop Terence Brady on 12<sup>th</sup> November. I ask you to remember them and their families in your prayers, as well as all those involved in preparing them for this important Sacrament.

This coming **Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> September**, is the feast of the **Exaltation of the Holy Cross**. It also marks the 36<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the opening and dedication of our parish church in 1980 by Cardinal James Freeman. **Mass will be at 8:30am.**

**HOLY SPIRIT 60TH ANNIVERSARY DINNER: Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> October at the North Ryde Golf Club. 7:00pm to Midnight; Tickets: \$70 per head. Tickets are available after Mass. For more information contact Shane 0417 219 394 or Denise 0419 609 181**

We welcome into our Christian community through the Sacrament of Baptism  
*Ryan James Cahill* and congratulate his family.

**HEALING MASS** this coming Thursday, 15 September at 8pm. Everyone is welcome!

## RESPONSES FOR CONFIRMATION ENROLMENT CEREMONY

**FATHER:** God has called you to follow him. By your Baptism and through sharing in the Sacraments of Penance and Eucharist you have already celebrated your response to his call. Are you ready now to prepare to complete you initiation and respond more fully to this call?

**CANDIDATES:** Yes, I am. I commit myself to join as fully as possible in preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation. May the Spirit of God be with me and all those who help me prepare – especially my parents and my family and those responsible for this Parish Programme.

**FATHER:** My brothers and sisters gathered here and especially the parents who present these candidates: Are you ready to help them come to know and follow Jesus Christ?

**ALL:** We are. We will assist them in this preparation and encourage them to know and follow Jesus Christ. May the Spirit of God be with us all.

**SHARING FAITH:** The catechists of Holy Spirit Parish are currently recruiting for next year. You are invited to prayerfully consider joining the catechist team to share the faith you love with the children at one of the three public schools in our parish. For more information, **call Anna Marie on 0423 659 895.**

**THE AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC HISTORICAL SOCIETY** will hold a one day conference on 24<sup>th</sup> September at the Australian Catholic University in North Sydney. Full program and registration details are at: <http://australiancatholichistoricalsociety.com.au/conference/>

**THE SPANISH SPEAKING COMMUNITY** invites all Holy Spirit parishioners to support their **LATIN FIESTA!** Proceeds to three NGOs that work with Venezuelan children. This is a party where you will dance with “Changó! Salsa Band”, discover the Venezuelan cuisine (Arepas, a superb BBQ, and delicious desserts), and have a chance to win exotic prizes in the Raffle. **Sunday 18th September 2016, 1:30pm to 4:30pm at Holy Spirit School Hall.**

**THE FEAST in Honour of OUR LADY of GRACE** will be celebrated on **Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> September at St Anthony's Marsfield. Mass at 1:30pm.** There will be a week of devotions from Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> September leading up to the feast. **See programme on noticeboard.**

**The SAINT MICHAEL MISSION SOCIETY INC.** The AGM of the Society will take place on Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> October beginning with Mass at 7:00pm. Everyone is most welcome. **For members of the Society, please note that your subscription becomes due on the Feast of St Michael the Archangel (29<sup>th</sup> September). Thank you for your ongoing support.** For more information on the works of the Society, please contact Nadia on 0419 269 692.

**PRAYERS FOR HEALING:** Names will normally only be published with an individual or family member's permission. Melissa King, Leopold Kluk, Fr Maurice McNamara, Angelica Owczarek, Hilda Barmala, Josephine McCabe, George Paterson, Jake Vidakovic, Margaret Buchanan.

**PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF:** Fr Kevin Spillane, Fr Frank Furfaro, Mary Moody, Tony Gouel, Tom Bagot, Del Anderson recently deceased. Also, Caterina & Vincenzo Cincotta, Angelo Fazzolari, Sam & Mary Bietola, Charlie Bietola, Rosa & Raffaele Fazzolari, Dr Raphael Panetta, Rosina & Michele Panetta, Maria Ientile, Frank Ientile, John, Annarita, Antonio Ientile, Natale Papandrea, Papandrea, Ientile, Cessario, Fazzolari, Galluzzo, Dominello families, Rosina, Giuseppe, Salvatore, Bruno Panetta, Luigi, Rosina, Pasquale Salvatore, Elena, Gioconda Rando, Simone & Giovanna Famularo, G A Russo, Mario & Dirce Galdi, Alberto Tanzini, Antonino & Tindara Caravello, Baby Cove Rose Pupo, Giuseppe Pupo, Maria Caterina Pupo, Emmanuela Delia, Gabrielle & Desmond Dwyer, Mary & Leslie Jones, James & Ann Dwyer, Edgar Falzon, Angelo, Carmela & Paul Sciduna, Torrentes & Nazario Pacquiao, Catalino & Nécitas Romagos, Natalio Peluso, Peter Carter, Eva & Robert Robinson, Eugene Smythe, Christopher & John Monaghan, Ennio Di Tano, Ernie Smith, Flavia & James Thambimuttu, Roland Lazar, John Smolders, Mrs Zuzart, Gregory Zammit, Lina Mallia and the deceased members of the Zahra, Zammit, Di Tano, Smith Shewan, Hollands, Jones, Dwyer families.