



HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC PARISH

North Ryde

191 Cox's Road, North Ryde NSW 2113

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



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(14 October 2018) **Web:** www.holyspiritnorthryde.org.au
Michaelite Community: Fr Stan Kluk CSMA PP; Fr George Gorzkowski CSMA;
Fr Anthony Casamento CSMA
SUNDAY MASS: Saturday 6:00pm, Sunday 8.30am, 10.00am & 6:00pm.
WEEKDAY MASS: Mon. 8:30am; Tues. 7:00pm; Wed. 8:30am; Thur. 8:30am;
Fri. 7:00am & 9:30am (during school term); Sat. 8:30am.
Public Holidays 8:30am

BAPTISMS: 11.00am each Sunday One month's notice required.
Preparation Nights held monthly Application forms at Parish Office
MARRIAGES: By Appointment (6 months' notice required).
FILIPINO (TAGLISH) MASS: Fourth Sunday of the month at 12:15pm
SPANISH SPEAKING MASS: Every Sunday 12:30pm
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

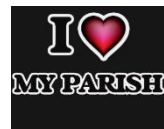
Next Week: 29th Ordinary Time (B) Isaiah 53:10-11; Hebrews 4:14-16; Mark 10:35-45.

Fr Stan writes ...

Prior to beginning the **RCIA** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) process, an individual comes to some knowledge of Jesus Christ, considers his or her relationship with Jesus Christ and is usually attracted in some way to the Catholic Church. This period is known as the Period of Evangelisation and Pre-catechumenate. For some, this process involves a long period of searching; for others, a shorter time. Often, contact with people of faith and a personal faith experience lead people to inquire about the Catholic Church. After a conversation with a priest, or RCIA director, the person, known as an "inquirer," may seek acceptance into the **Order of Catechumens**, through the **Rite of Acceptance**. During this Rite, the inquirer stands amidst the parish community and states that he or she wants to become a baptised member of the Catholic Church. The parish assembly affirms this desire and the inquirer becomes a Catechumen. We have three inquirers who will make this commitment at the 8:30am Mass this weekend, **Harin Fernando, Liyuan Huang** and **Anunt Pongngamjit**. Please support them in prayer as they prepare to receive the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil.

Following our **Parish Survey** earlier in the year, I would like to encourage everyone to attend a **Parish Meeting at 7:00pm on Wednesday, 24th October** in the Parish Centre. Results of the survey will be discussed and an update given on the planning progress. This will be an opportunity for all parishioners to learn more and express their opinion.

Also, thank you to everyone who supported the Spring Plant Sale & BBQ. **\$2,408.10** was raised towards the air conditioning for the church.



SAINT MICHAEL MISSION SOCIETY INC. The Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Society will take place on **Tuesday, 23rd October beginning with Mass at 7:00pm.** For members of the Society, please note that your subscription becomes due on the Feast of St Michael (29th September). Thank you for your ongoing support. For more information about the work of the Society please contact Nadia Caravello Public Officer/Treasurer SMMS Inc on 0419 269 692.



PARISH COUNCIL: Councillors are reminded that there will be a Parish Council Meeting this coming Tuesday, 16th October beginning with Mass at 7:00pm.

Our next **HEALING MASS** will be on this coming Thursday, 18th October at 8:00pm. The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick will be administered during the Mass. Everyone is welcome!

Archdiocesan Social Justice Gathering – 'A Place to Call Home: Making a Home for Everyone in our Land'. Come and join us for our last Social Justice Gathering of the year! We will have speakers on a variety of topics related to the 2018-2019 Social Justice Statement, 'A Place to Call Home: Making a Home for Everyone in our Land'. There will be a delicious lunch and refreshments throughout the day. The street parking and venue are easily accessible by public transport.

WHEN: Saturday 20th October 2018, 10:30 for 11:00am-3:30pm

WHERE: St Columba's Parish Hall, 213 Elswick St, Leichhardt North

COST: Free. RSVP: Essential: email jpoinfo@sydneycatholic.org | or call 9307 8465

We welcome into our Christian community through the Sacrament of Baptism
Zoe Jeanette Fabrizio-De Moura and congratulate her family.

SPECIAL EVENT: Fr Larry Richards on The Mass Explained

The Parish of St Michael's Meadowbank would like to invite all parishioners from surrounding parishes to join us for a special, one night only talk by Fr Larry Richards, one of the most dynamic, popular and highly entertaining speakers in the USA. Fr Larry is renowned for two things: Changing peoples lives and never being boring. Do not miss this rare chance to see him live and hear "The Mass Explained" in a way you have never heard it before.

When: Monday 15 October 7pm

Where: St Michael's Church, 2 Hughes St Meadowbank.

Cost: Free (Donations welcome)

Visit parousiamedia.com and click on upcoming events to register

Contact: Elsa Manu 0433914230 elsa.manu@syd.catholic.edu.au

PRAYERS FOR HEALING: Corona Rivera, Frank Zennaro, Jean Nelson

PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF: Gwen McKenzie, Socorro De la Vega, Maureen Lacey, Warren Chatfield, Fr Denis Foley recently deceased. Also, *Charlie Bietola, Dr Raphael Panetta, Rosina & Michele Panetta, Rosa & Raffaele Fazzolari, Vincenzo & Caterina Cincotta, Mary & Sam Bietola, Frank Ientile, Maria Ientile, John, Annarita, Antonio Ientile, Natale Papandrea, Papandrea, Ientile, Cessario families, Angelo Fazzolari & Fazzolari family, Fortunato & Rosa Galluzzo & Galluzzo family, Rosina, Giuseppe, Salvatore & Bruna Panetta, Luigi, Rosina, Pasquale & Santa Genova, Mario & Dirce Gualdi, Antonino & Tindara Caravello, Alberto Tanzini, Vincenzo Surace, Antonio & Angelina Rando, Giuseppe & Maria Caterina Pupo, Baby Cove Rose Pupo, Emmanuela Delia, Frank & Edgar Falzon, Angelo, Carmela & Paul Scicluna, Gregory Zammit, Christopher Zahra, Maria & Joe Mallia, Maria Russo, Emma Prata and the deceased members of the Zammit, Zahra families.*