



# 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)



Congratulations to Jim & Mary Torrisi who are celebrating their  
60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.

We rejoice in your wonderful union as a married couple. God has  
given us a great example of a Christian marriage. Blessings to you!

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**Michaelite Community:** Fr Stan Kluk CSMA PP; Fr George Gorzkowski CSMA;  
Fr Anthony Casamento 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 (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  
**Next Preparation Night:** Thursday 20 July at 7:00pm.  
**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: Nativity John Baptist (B)** Isaiah 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Luke 1:57-66, 80.

### Fr Stan writes ...

For many today, life is a struggle with economic and social forces which can be overwhelming. Most people's lives reach points where everything seems to be against them. Time and again the Church, too, has seemed to be at the point of destruction. Where is God in all this? The answer of today's readings is: Right there, in the midst of it. Ezekiel, in our first reading, affirms the power of God's word; what God says will be done, as it was at the dawn of time and again in the person of Jesus.

We are almost at the end of the financial year. You have already been advised that there is no tax deductibility for your contributions to the Planned Giving Program for this current financial year. You are advised that for the new financial year 2018/2019 a tax deductibility of 25% can be claimed. The new set of envelopes will be available on the weekend of 23/24 June, a little late this year as there is a delay in the delivery of the new envelopes. I take this opportunity to once again thank you for your ongoing financial support of our parish.

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**THIS COMING Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> June at 7:30pm in the Parish Centre – A PRESENTATION in our PARISH: GOD'S DESIGN for MARRIAGE – Celebrating 50 Years of Humanae Vitae.** The talk, presented by the **Life, Marriage and Family Centre**, will take us right back to God's plan for human sexuality as found in the book of

Genesis. It will engage with a few of the key points from Humanae Vitae and explore what it means to be open to life in marriage.

**ANNUAL MARRIAGE MASS & RENEWAL of VOWS** will take place on **Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> July at St Mary's Cathedral at 10:30am**. All married couples are welcome. Mass will be celebrated by His Grace, Archbishop Anthony Fisher. Married couples wishing to attend to renew their vows should register with the Life, marriage and Family Centre on 9307 8404 or [LMEvents@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:LMEvents@sydneycatholic.org). Registered couples celebrating 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup>, or 65<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversaries will receive a special certificate from Archbishop Fisher. Special recognition will also be given to couples who were married at the cathedral.

**DEFIBRILLATOR FAMILIARISATION & First Responder Information Session (Non-Accredited)** will take place in our Parish Centre on **Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> June at 7:30pm for ALL PARISHIONERS**. The **Michael Hughes Foundation** has created a comprehensive information session dedicated to the subject of sudden cardiac arrest. The course aims to increase awareness about what is sudden cardiac arrest and provide education on how to respond effectively in real life situations with two crucial skills – CPR and the use of a defibrillator. **A defibrillator has been generously donated to our parish by Leo & Bernadette Driessen.**

**Our next HEALING MASS** will be on this coming **Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> June at 8:00pm**. Everyone is welcome!

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS of HOLY COMMUNION:** Please email Kathryn Cassidy [kathryn\\_morgan8@hotmail.com](mailto:kathryn_morgan8@hotmail.com) and Cc Nadia Caravello [caranadia@bigpond.com](mailto:caranadia@bigpond.com) so we can have an updated list of email contacts. Handwriting is not always easy to read!!

**Catholic Charismatic Renewal NSW** invites you to a Formation Day with the inspired preacher Fr. Roni George of the Divine Retreat Centre, Somersby on 30 June, from 10 am to 4 pm. Theme; "Three Major Weapons in His Vineyard". Venue; St. Joseph's Church Hall, Gordon St. Rozelle. Please register by June 27 at CCR Centre 9810 2499 or e-mail; [email@ccrnsw.org.au](mailto:email@ccrnsw.org.au). Cost by donation. Lunch provided.

**COURAGE in SYDNEY – Courage** is a movement for those with same-sex attraction who desire to live chaste lives in accordance with the Church's teachings. Any interested person can call the Sydney chaplain on 0418 136 785.

A men's group meets monthly in Sydney, privately, for fellowship, discussion & prayer, guided by the priest chaplain. Confidentiality assured.

**PRAYERS FOR HEALING:** Mike & Betty Alfred, Jean Holland, Eric Lombardo.

**PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF:** Shirley Moran, Michael Paterson, Ian Cameron, John Crockett, Ray Watts, Vanessa Juresic recently deceased. Also, *Charlie Bietola, Dr Raphael Panetta, Rosina & Michele Panetta, Rosa & Raffaele Fazzolari, Vincenzo & Caterina Cincotta, Mary & Sam Bietola, Salvatore, Elena, Gioconda Rando, Simone & Giovanna Famularo, G A Russo, Maria Russo, 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, Emmanuela Delia, Frank & Edgar Falzon, Angelo, Carmela & Paul Scicluna, Gregory Zammit, Christopher Zahra, Maria & Joe Mallia, Natalio Peluso, Joseph Lin, Rosalinda & Policrispo Romagos, Salvatore Marcellino, Dennis Mather, Giuseppe & Concetta Mule', Rosa, Elisabetta Marcellino, John & Maria Carabetta and the deceased members of the Romagos, Zammit, Zahra families.*

God's Plan for

**Marriage**