

HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC PARISH North Ryde

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(Michaelite Fathers)

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Community: 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 SundayPreparation Nights held monthly
One month's notice required.
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: 22nd Ord (B) Deut 4:1-2, 6-8; James 1:17-18, 21-22, 27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23.

Fr Stan writes ...

A number of the younger members of our parish community are preparing to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time next month. This is an important step on their journey as followers of Christ and I ask that as a community we pray that they will continue to grow in the love and knowledge of Jesus, our merciful Lord.

Today is also Refugee and Migrant Sunday when we celebrate with thanks the diversity of peoples in Australia. We are also invited to pray for migrants and refugees that they may be welcomed warmly into our community.

Let us continue to pray, in these difficult times, for our Church and our Holy Father Pope Francis.

The ST VINCENT de PAUL North Ryde Conference would like thank everyone who supported the WINTER APPEAL last weekend. You generously donated \$3,330.10 - Thank you!



The Flame Gift Shop has a great selection for dad this Father's Day. Come and have a look!

All proceeds from the Gift Shop benefit our parish!



PARISH COUNCIL: Councillors are reminded that the Parish Council will meet this coming Tuesday, 28 August beginning with Mass at 7:00pm

CONFIRMATION 2018 will be on Saturday 10th November at 10am & 1pm. Registration for Confirmation, selection of Mass timings and payment for the programme will be done using the Internet via TryBooking. Bookings close on Friday 31st August. Check out the parish website www.holyspiritnorthryde.org.au for more information.

The ITALIAN PRAYER GROUP will be celebrating its 26th Anniversary this coming Wednesday, 29th August at 1:15pm with Mass (in English) followed by refreshments. Everyone is welcome!

LECTORS: Please collect your new roster from sacristy this weekend.

Safeguarding Awareness Induction Training

If you belong to **ANY** church ministry (Music, Acolyte, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Children's Liturgy), your attendance at this training is **compulsory**, as required by the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney. Only Catechists are exempted from attending this training as they have already fulfilled their obligation within their ministry.

Date: Thursday, 6th September 2018

Time: 7.30pm to 8.30pm Venue: Parish Centre

Miraculous Medal Association: Fr. Carl Pieber CM, Deputy Director General of the AMM is visiting Sydney. Members and friends are invited to meet him and hear him speak at the following celebrations: Saturday 1st September: 10.00 a.m. Mass and Novena at St. Anthony's Church, Marsfield followed by Morning Tea in Church Hall; Sunday 2nd September: 10.00 a.m. Mass at St Vincent's Church, Bland St Ashfield followed by Morning Tea; Saturday 8th September: 10.00 a.m. Mass in the Good Shepherd Church, 136 Hyatts Road, Plumpton, followed by fellowship.

Memorial Mass for the Unborn: Most Rev Anthony Randazzo, Auxiliary Bishop of Sydney, will offer the annual *Memorial Mass for the Unborn* on Wednesday 29th August at 7.00pm at St Mary's Cathedral. Enquiries: Life, Marriage and Family Centre: 9307 8400 or LMFevents@sydneycatholic.org

FATHER'S DAY next weekend: We will be holding a special Michaelite Father's Day appeal. Envelopes are on seats.

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

PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF: Ken Lashmar, John MacAndrew, Leonard Charlier, Giorgio Marchi, Pietrina Deriu, June Wormald 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 lentile, Maria lentile, John, Annarita, Antonio lentile, Natale Papandrea, Papandrea, lentile, 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, Giuseppe & Maria Caterina Pupo, Baby Cove Rose Pupo, Antonio & Angelina Rando, Emmanuela Delia, Frank & Edgar Falzon, Angelo, Carmela & Paul Scicluna, Gregory Zammit, Christopher Zahra, Maria & Joe Mallia, Eileen Fraser, Mr & Mrs Ong Choi Wei, Stan Bellifemine, Mr & Mrs Xuereb, Mary Vella, Mark Odlum, Ernesto Venturato, Antonio & Grazia Fonti, Onofrio & Domenica Casamento, Mr & Mrs Lazar, Roland Lazar, Araceli Magpantay, Bienvenido Batongbacal, Rosalinda Batongbacal, Gloria Ganno and the deceased members of the Zammit, Zahra, Di Tano, Smith, Shewan, Holland families.

EMBER DAYS mark the beginning of each of the four seasons. In Australia, the Church observes the first Fridays of Autumn and Spring (March and September) as special days of prayer and penance, focusing on the environment, the seasons and God's providence.

Let us pray for rain!