



# HOLY SPIRIT CATHOLIC PARISH, North Ryde

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**Community:**      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; Thu. 8:30am;  
Fri. 7:00am; 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: 5<sup>th</sup> Ordinary (C)** Isaiah 6:1-8; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11.

## Fr Stan writes ...

This weekend the **Archdiocese** celebrates **Catechist Sunday**. Let us pray with our parish catechists as they prepare to resume their ministry for 2019. They will renew their commitment at the Sunday 10:00am Mass and then 'Sent Forth' to proclaim the Good News to our children in our parish Public Schools.

We extend our congratulations to Mary Callachor who will receive a certificate of appreciation for 15 years of service to catechist ministry, as well as to Alex Acosta for 5 years of service. Well done!

Our parish school students and staff have now begun their new academic year. We welcome them back and pray for a successful year ahead.

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## St Bakhita's Day – Ethical Sourcing Seminar and Expo (8<sup>th</sup> February)

Take action to eradicate modern slavery and human trafficking from our world.

About this Event: To commemorate the International Day of Prayer and Awareness Against Trafficking in Persons on the feast day of St Josephine Bakhita (1869-1947) the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney Anti-Slavery Task Force is sponsoring this event. It is part of a larger Archdiocesan programme directed at eradicating modern slavery announced by the Archbishop of Sydney, Most Rev. Anthony Fisher OP in March of 2017.

You will hear from church, business, government and community leaders about the reality of slavery in our world today, including in Australia, and what can be done to address it in our homes, workplaces and communities.

Feast Day Mass of St. Bakhita will commence in St. Mary's Cathedral at 1:10 PM.

Register here: <http://www.holyspiritnorthryde.org.au/new/events>

**PARISH COUNCIL:** Councillors are reminded that the first meeting of the year will be on Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> February beginning with Mass at 7:00pm.

## Religious Freedom – what does it all mean and how will it affect my family?

How will the new proposed bill effect your children and grandchildren?  
What impact will it have on educating our children in Catholic schools?  
What can you do to protect your religious freedom?

Listen to Monica Doumit speak about where this is heading & what we can do about it.

**Date & Time:**      Sunday 17 February 2019 4-5pm

**Where:**      All Hallows' Catholic Church  
2 Halley Street, Five Dock

Child minding by Children's Liturgy members will be available.

As Catholics we have a responsibility to act now and protect our religious freedom. Don't miss this important event.

Our first **Healing Mass** for this new year will be on this coming **Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> February at 8:00pm**. The sacrament of anointing will be administered during the Mass. Everyone is welcome! Please note that the monthly Healing Masses will now be on the **first Thursday** of each month.

**PRAYERS FOR HEALING:** Leo Callachor.

**PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF:** Rufo Adrillano, Judith Fisher, Concepcion Abergas, John Jackson, Mario Flanders 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, Anthony Darmanin, Giuseppe & Maria Caterina Pupo, Baby Cove Rose Pupo, Emmanuela Delia, Frank & Edgar Falzon, Angelo, Carmela & Paul Scicluna, Gregory Zammit, Christopher & Cissie Zahra, Maria & Joe Mallia, Antonio & Angelina Rando, Charlotte Schneider, Giovanni Addamo, Frederick & Catherine Assender, Rodolfo Inaldo, Carmela Nadile, Nicola Nadile, Matthew Hunt, Kerry Byrne and the deceased members Zammit & Zahra, Di Tano, Smith, Shewan, Hollands families.*



## Happy New Lunar Year!

Fr Stan, Fr George, Fr Anthony and all parish staff would like to wish our Chinese parishioners "**Gong Xi Fa Cai**"

## RESPONSE for Sunday 10am Mass

**Catechists:** Yes. I accept the responsibility of being a Catechist in the name of Jesus Christ.

**Father:** Those who stand before us have accepted the responsibility to be catechists to Catholic children at Truscott St., Ryde East and North Ryde Primary schools. Will you now join with me in pledging our mutual support and prayers as we commission them to go forth as Catechists?

**Community:** As members of this parish, we accept your commitment and we pledge our support and our prayers to you in your ministry.

**PLENARY COUNCIL 2020:** The Parish submission to the Bishops of Australia **Plenary Council 2020** has now been finalised and submitted. If you would like a copy of the submission, please contact the Parish Office.