



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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Michaelite Fr Stan Kluk CSMA PP Fr George Gorzkowski CSMA
Community: Fr Anthony Casamento CSMA
SUNDAY MASS: Saturday 5:00pm, Sunday 8.30am, 10.00am & 5:00pm.
WEEKDAY MASS: Throughout January 2020 Mon-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: Presentation of the Lord (A) Malachi 3:1-4; Hebrews 2:14-18; Luke 2:22-40.



My Country (a few verses)

I love a sunburnt country, a land of sweeping plains, of ragged mountain ranges,
of droughts and flooding rains.

I love her far horizons, I love her jewel-sea, her beauty and her terror –
the wide brown land for me!

Core of my heart, my country! Her pitiless blue sky, when sick at heart, around us,
we see the cattle die – but then the grey clouds gather, and we can bless again
the drumming of an army, the steady, soaking rain.

Core of my heart, my country! Land of the rainbow Gold, for flood and fire and famine,
she pays us back threefold – Over the thirsty paddock, watch after many days,
the filmy veil of greenness that thickens as we gaze.

Dorothea Mackellar (1904)

We welcome into our Christian community through the Sacrament of Baptism

Dylan Rui de los Santos and congratulate his family.

Have you ever dreamed of going to the Holy Land?



PILGRIMAGE to the HOLY LAND with FATHER STAN

We will be joining parishioners from Terrigal. If you would like to join us for a **10-day pilgrimage**, please pick up an itinerary from the foyer of the church or enquire at the parish office. **Secure your spot with a \$300 deposit. Still time to join the group!**

Departing Sydney **Tuesday 9th June 2020** and returning to **Sydney 21st June.**

We will have a Christian guide from Nazareth. He is one of the most sought-after guides in the Holy Land.

Cost per twin share \$6800 (includes air fare, all breakfasts, all dinners and 1 lunch). For itinerary please visit <http://www.holyspiritnorthryde.org.au/new/events>

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".



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VINNIES
BUSHFIRE APPEAL

THANK
YOU

for your
generous
response

Eternal God,

In wisdom and love
you created our earth
to sustain us and give us life.

We turn to you now
in faith, hope and love,
asking you to look with favour
on our fire-ravaged and drought-stricken land,
on our starving and
displaced animals,
on our failing crops and burning
farms, towns and forests.

Strengthen, sustain and give new heart
to our farmers

and to all who are affected by drought;
be with those who support them.

Strengthen and comfort the victims of the fires,
those who have lost family, friends, property and stock.
Protect our volunteer firefighters and all members of
essential services. Amen.

PRAY FOR THE SOUL OF: Jim Patterson (funeral Mass on Monday week 3rd February at 10:30am) Laly Joseph, Benito Albace, Carlo Ghisolfi, Marco Torre, Alice Hurst, Guy Tesoriero recently deceased.

Also, Frank & Edgar Falzon, Maria & Nino Rossi, Ignazio (Jim) Torrisi, Walter Gaspari, Charlie & Melina 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 & Bruno Panetta, Luigi, Rosina, Pasquale & Santa Genova, Mario & Dirce Gualdi, Antonino & Tindara Caravello, Alberto Tanzini, Vincenzo Surace, Giuseppe & Maria Caterina Pupo, Baby Cove Rose Pupo, Emmanuela Delia, Angelo, Carmela & Paul Scicluna, Gregory Zammit, Christopher Cissie, Pauline Zahra, Lina Maria & Joe Mallia, Bob Camilleri, Debbie Brown, Owen Monkhouse, J O Homsy, Catherine & Fred Assender, Pearl Russo, Margaret Tesoriero, Monica Ryan, Lina & Salvatore Macri and the deceased members of the Zammit and Zahra, Di Tano, Smith, Shewan, Holland families.

ASSOCIATION of the MIRACULOUS MEDAL: Mass and Novena will be celebrated at St Anthony's Church, Marsfield on Saturday 1st February at 10:00am. All welcome!