

ST LUKE THE EVANGELIST PARISH REVESBY

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER **YEAR B - SUNDAY, 9 MAY 2021**

PLEASE VISIT OUR CHURCH (OPEN DAILY) FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

PARISH MASS TIMES

WEEKEND MASSES:

SATURDAY VIGIL: 5:00pm

SUNDAY MASS: 7:30am

9:00am (with music)

6:00pm (with music)

11:15am (Vietnamese)

WEEKDAY MORNING MASSES:

Monday to Friday (except Tuesday)

8:50am Rosary

9:15am Mass followed by Adoration/Reconciliation until 10:15am.

WEEKDAY EVENING MASSES:

TUESDAY

6:15pm Adoration

6:35pm Rosary/Reconciliation

7:00pm Mass

ROSARY: 25 minutes before all Masses

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION: 7am-9pm. Masses at 9:15am, 7:30pm, and 4pm in Vietnamese

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: 10am on Sundays, Saturday by appointment only, and during any weekend Masses.

RECONCILIATION: 30 minutes before all weekend Masses, during weekday Adoration after morning Masses, and Tuesday evening before Mass.

MASSES WITH ANNOINTING OF THE SICK: First Friday's bi-monthly at 9:15am - July, September, November 2021.

SICK CALLS: Anytime

NURSING HOME MASSES:

25 May - 10:30am Mass at Beechwood

28 May - 10:30am Mass at Opal Nursing Home

MARRIAGE: Bookings six months prior to the marriage.

REGULAR PARISH MEETINGS:

MEN ALIVE: Wednesday, 19 May in the Presbytery at 7:30pm

BIBLE STUDY: Every Monday, 10:30am in the Parish Centre

MOTHERS PRAYER GROUP: 1st Monday of the month, 10am in the Parish Centre.

IF YOU HAVE USED THIS BULLETIN, PLEASE TAKE IT HOME WITH YOU.

THANK YOU



PARISH NEWS

This Week in Liturgy

Thursday, 13 May - Our Lady of Fatima Feast Day

Friday, 14 May - St Matthias the Apostle



Mother's Day, 9 May 2021

Today we recognise and appreciate all Mothers on Mother's Day. Let us offer our prayers and this Eucharistic celebration as a thanksgiving for our Mothers.



May - The month of Mary

During this month, specially dedicated to Our Lady, we would like to encourage you to pray The Rosary daily as individuals, as a family, or join the Parishioners in our Church who pray the Rosary daily (25 minutes before every weekday and weekend Mass). After weekday Masses we will also pray the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Saturday Vigil Family Masses in May

The Parish Pastoral Council would love to invite all families to all Saturday Vigil Masses in May at 5pm. Parents and children will be involved in readings, bringing gifts and other ministries. Mass will follow with a BBQ Sausage Sizzle. We hope to see you there!



Confirmation Program 2021

Please pray for our Confirmation Candidates and their parents as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday the 6th of June.

Tuesday & Friday Evening Masses

There will be no Friday evening Masses (14+21 May) Please note there are also changes listed on the front page of the bulletin for our Tuesday evening Masses.

2021 Collections

We would like to thank you for your generous donations for our Lent and Easter collections. Collectively we have raised:

- \$3,228.30 for the Good Friday Holy Land Appeal
- \$4,884.65 for Project Compassion



CWF Appeal

This is our last appeal for the financial year, the amount collected last weekend was \$492.95. Last calendar year due to Covid there was only one collection. In November we collected \$3,800 (a shortfall of \$9,000). CWF collections take place three times a year, with our quota of \$12,800/quarter. The Archbishops Office distributes all funds collected from all Parish's to support CatholicCare, the Ephpheta Centre, the Aboriginal Catholic Ministry Centre, the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (Catechists) and the Seminary of the Good Shepherd. Please help us to meet our quota, there are envelopes along the pews in front of you.

The Search Program

This coming weeks session "Why a God?" at 7:30pm in the Parish Hall.

Bible Study & Mother's Prayer Group



You are invited to attend Bible Study each Monday at 10:30am in the Parish Centre and Mother's Group every first Monday of the month at 10am in the Parish Centre. For more information, please contact the Parish Office on **(02) 9773 9065**.

Social Club Meeting

Join us on Thursday, 20 May from 9am-2pm for St Luke's Social Club day in the Parish Hall. For more information, please contact the Parish Office on **(02) 9773 9065**.

St Vincent De Paul Meeting

This months St Vincent De Paul meeting will be on Wednesday, 26th of May at 7:30pm in the Parish Centre.

PPC Meeting

On Thursday the 6th of May our newly elected PPC came together to help continue the work of the Parish. Guest speakers Elizabeth Arblaster and Helen Wagner from the Sydney Archdiocese attended to go through the Archdiocese Mission Plan "Go Make Disciples" and discuss strategies in which this plan may be incorporated into our Parish.

Community Transport

BCCT provides affordable, accessible and flexible transport options to older people, younger people with disabilities and their carers on outings in the area and beyond. For timetables and prices there are flyers in the Foyer to collect.

E-Bulletins

Would you like to have a copy of our weekly bulletin

YOUTH CORNER

delivered directly to your email address? If so, please email or call the Parish office to register.

Little Church

Every Sunday during school terms at 9am Mass, all children 4+ years old are invited to join Little Church Mass. Children's Bulletins also available at the Church foyer.

St Luke's Youth

- Next youth evenings in the hall are the 15/05; 29/05; 12/06; 26/06
- Year 5/6 Youth Group from **6-7pm**
- High School Youth Group from **7-8:30pm**

For more information, please contact the Parish Office on **(02) 9773 9065**.

St. Luke's Young Adults (18-35)

Join us each Sunday at 7.00pm in the Parish Centre.

Praise & Worship Evening for High School Students

On Friday, 28th of May at St Luke's from 6pm-8:30pm we would love to welcome all High Schoolers from MSJ, De La Salle Revesby Heights/Bankstown, and all students from

Please keep in your Prayers



Recently Deceased: Walter Kelly, Felipe Alvarez, Carol D'Souza.

Death Anniversaries: Joe & Margaret Giordmaina, Antonio Gonzalez, Victor & Joyce Craigie, Brian McMahon, Maria Almeda, Sebastian Pereira, Norma Nagrampa, Jhune Olano

Other Deceased: Michael & Patricia Kerr, Tassone family relatives, Monardo Family Friends, Preta Family.

Special Intentions: Cara Lanie, Jeremy & Charlotte Wedding Anniversary, Natalie & Paul, for peace in Myanmar.

Please pray for the sick our Parishioners & Friends: Adam Brook, Ann Fedz, Patricia Fitzpatrick, Pauline Sahyoun, Anthony Alam, Cara Curry, Sophia Gacic, Alexander Schofield, Matthew Leydon, Brian Tracey, Terrance Owsnett, Olga Fernando.

Please let us know if your loved ones are sick

Church Cleaning

7 May - Colleen Kennedy
15 May - Peta Gitsham

Altar Linen

7 May - Jan Woods
16 May - Annette Dobson

Communion to the Sick

9 May - Patrick Sharkey, Denise McGregor & Margaret Hill
16 May - David Hill, Ruth Moraes, Ha Doan

Counters

9 May - Ruby Joseph (Leader), Bernie Crotty & John Kazzi
16 May - George Mansour (Leader) Michael Hartney & Seema Miranda

Beatification of Fr. Francis Jordan

The beatification for Venerable Father, Fr. Francis Mary of the Cross Jordan (Founder of the Salvatorians) will be held next Saturday, May 15 2021 at the Archbasilica of St John Lateran in Rome, Italy. This is the biggest celebration in the Salvatorian history.

At all weekend Masses next weekend at St Luke's we will be thanking God for the beatification of Fr Francis.

The beatification itself will be streamed live by the Catholic TV station TELEPACE:

<https://telepacenews.it/diretta/>

Rite of Beatification at Basilica of St. John Lateran: 15 May 2021 at 10.30am (Italian time) (6.30pm – Sydney)

Mass of thanksgiving for the new Blessed Francis Jordan at St. Peter's Basilica: 16 May 2021 at 3pm (Italian time) (11pm - Sydney)

As Salvatorians working in Sydney we would like to invite you for the thanksgiving celebration for the beatification of Blessed Fr. Francis Jordan to Sacred Heart Church at Mona Vale on Friday 18th of June at 6pm.



8/9 May 2021	5:00 pm	7:30 am	9:00 am	6:00pm
Acolytes	Gary Donovan	Patrick Sharkey	Richard Dobson	George Mansour
Readers	St Luke's Primary Parents	Geoff Mullins Lynda Griffiths	Salome D'Costa Peter Costello	Immanuel John Chase Missen
Musicians	Dominique Farah		Jennifer Wentzel	Harmony
Altar Servers	Maria + Mia Berberian Jayden Janto Lila Keys	Joanne and Andrew Dao	Leo Nguyen Ansel Siqueira Alton Siqueira	Cianna Abitria Maya Burr
15/16 May 2021	5:00 pm	7:30 am	9:00 am	6:00pm
Acolytes	Andrew Hearne	Russell Rodrigo	Sam Khoury	Gary Donovan
Readers	St Luke's Primary Parents	Andrew Powell Anne Powell	Jan Lipari Felicity Chang	Ruth Moraes Nicole Gacic
Musicians	Jennifer Wentzel		Nancy Misfud	Lucy's Group
Altar Servers	John Paul Farah Kleon Kurniawan Fred Sharkey	Joanne and Andrew Dao	Daniel Garavaglia Juliet Hearn	Emily Embrey Meekah Embrey

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Entrance Antiphon *Is 48:20*

Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard;
proclaim to the ends of the earth:
The Lord has freed his people, alleluia.

First Reading *Acts 10:25-26. 34-35. 44-48*

As Peter reached the house Cornelius went out to meet him, knelt at his feet and prostrated himself. But Peter helped him up. 'Stand up,' he said, 'I am only a man after all!'

Then Peter addressed them: 'The truth I have now come to realise' he said, 'is that God does not have favourites, but that anybody of any nationality who fears God and does what is right is acceptable to him.'

While Peter was still speaking the Holy Spirit came down on all the listeners. Jewish believers who had accompanied Peter were all astonished that the gift of the Holy Spirit should be poured out on the pagans too, since they could hear them speaking strange languages and proclaiming the greatness of God. Peter himself then said, 'Could anyone refuse the water of baptism to these people, now they have received the Holy Spirit just as much as we have?' He then gave orders for them to be baptised in the name of Jesus Christ. Afterwards they begged him to stay on for some days.

Responsorial Psalm *Ps 21:26-28. 30-32. R. v.26*

(R.) The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

1. Sing a new song to the Lord
for he has worked wonders.
His right hand and his holy arm
have brought salvation. (R.)

2. The Lord has made known his salvation;
has shown his justice to the nations.
He has remembered his truth and love
for the house of Israel. (R.)

3. All the ends of the earth have seen
the salvation of our God.
Shout to the Lord all the earth,
ring out your joy. (R.)

Second Reading *1 Jn 4:7-10*

My dear people,
let us love one another
since love comes from God
and everyone who loves is begotten by God and knows God.

Anyone who fails to love can never have known God,
because God is love.

God's love for us was revealed
when God sent into the world his only Son

so that we could have life through him;
this is the love I mean:
not our love for God,
but God's love for us when he sent his Son
to be the sacrifice that takes our sins away.

Gospel Acclamation *Jn 14:23*

Alleluia, alleluia!

All who love me will keep my words,
and my Father will love them and we will come to them.
Alleluia!

Gospel *Jn 15:9-17*

Jesus said to his disciples:

'As the Father has loved me,
so I have loved you.

Remain in my love.

If you keep my commandments
you will remain in my love,
just as I have kept my Father's commandments
and remain in his love.

I have told you this
so that my own joy may be in you
and your joy be complete.

This is my commandment:

love one another,
as I have loved you.

A man can have no greater love
than to lay down his life for his friends.

You are my friends,
if you do what I command you,
I shall not call you servants any more,
because a servant does not know
his master's business;
I call you friends,
because I have made known to you
everything I have learnt from my Father.

You did not choose me,
no, I chose you;
and I commissioned you
to go out and to bear fruit,
fruit that will last;
and then the Father will give you
anything you ask him in my name.
What I command you
is to love one another.'

Communion Antiphon *Jn 14:15-16*

If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord,
and I will ask the Father and he will send you another
Paraclete, to abide with you for ever, alleluia.

Next weeks readings (Pentecost Sunday)

Gen 11:1-9; Rom 8:22-27; Jn7:37-39