

Our Lady of Fatima Parish

389 Port Hacking Road, Caringbah



Sunday Masses:

Vigil Mass on Saturday night 5.30pm (Reconciliation 4.30pm-5.15pm)

Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am, 5.30pm

PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest: Rev Fr Julian Belich

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BY the consecration the transubstantiation of the bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ is brought about. Under the consecrated species of bread and wine Christ himself, living and glorious, is present in a true, real, and substantial manner: his Body and his Blood, with his soul and his divinity (cf. Council of Trent: DS 1640; 1651).

Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1413

COMMUNION with the Body and Blood of Christ increases the communicant's union with the Lord, forgives his venial sins, and preserves him from grave sins. Since receiving this Sacrament strengthens the bonds of charity between the communicant and Christ, it also reinforces the unity of the Church as the Mystical Body of Christ.

Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1416

SOLEMN FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

(CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY)

15-16 June 2019

Entrance Antiphon

BLEST be God the Father,
and the Only Begotten Son of God,
and also the Holy Spirit,
for he has shown us his merciful love.

First Reading Proverbs 8:22-31

Wisdom was born before the earth was made.

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 8:4-9. *R. v. 2*

O Lord our God,
how wonderful your name in all the earth!

Second Reading Romans 5: 1-5

To God through Christ in the love which is poured out through the Spirit.

Gospel Acclamation cf. Apoc 1: 8

Alleluia, alleluia !

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was, and who is to come.
Alleluia !

Gospel Reading John 16:12-15

Whatever the Father has is mine. The Spirit will receive what I give and tell you about it.

Communion Antiphon Gal 4: 6

Since you are children of God,
God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his son,
the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father.

MASSES THIS WEEK

Monday NO MASS

Tuesday 9.15am

Wednesday 9.15am St Romuald, Abbot
(Optional)

Thursday 7am

Friday 8am DLS
9.15am (Incl. OLF Primary
School)
St Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
(Memorial)

Saturday 8am Optional Memorial of the
Blessed Virgin Mary
Sts John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas
More, Martyrs

Divine Office: Psalter Wk 3

Parish Office Hours:**Tuesday - Friday - 9am - 4pm****Baptisms**

We welcome into the Church family this weekend through the waters of Baptism:

**Chase Sciberras
Harvey John Berkley**

The Baptism Preparation Class is a one on one session with the Priest. Parents and child along with their godparents attend the Naming Ceremony at the 9.30am Mass. Guests are encouraged to attend the Mass. Baptism is at 10.30am on Sundays.

For enquiries, please ring the Parish Office - (02) 9524 7283

Vinnies Winter appeal

The St Vincent's Winter Appeal will take place in all Masses this weekend.

Many thanks for your continued support and generosity.

*Parish Diary***2019 SACRAMENTS**

Confirmation - Sunday, 23rd June

12pm and 3pm Sessions

First Holy Communion - Sunday, 8 September

12pm and 3pm Sessions

First Reconciliation - Tuesday, 19th November

4pm and 6pm Sessions

Enrolment Form must be returned with full payment to the Parish Office before Wednesday, 5th June.

**DATES OF PREPARATION CLASSES
FOR STUDENTS NOT IN THE
PARISH SCHOOL**

Communion: 28 July (Lessons 1 and 2)

4 August (Lessons 3 and 4)

Reconciliation: 20 October (Lessons 1 and 2)

27 October (Lessons 3 and 4)

MASS INTENTIONS**Please pray for the faithful departed**

Recently DECEASED: Maria Terese Altavilla, Thomas Sutton, Tetet Wuthrich, Bob Hawke, Neville Roles, Sven Moller, Jadranka Kosovic, Maria Terese Altavilla, Christine Mary Faber, Dominico Romeo, May Treacy, William 'Bill' Remai, Rita Agius, Dr Albert Montgomery.

Anniversaries of Death: Mrs Helen Lee, Dr Karim Aziz, Josephine and John Caleo, Luiza Colaco, Manuel Montenegro Jr., Guillermo Longa, De Giovanni Family, John and Censina Moore, Chi Ngoc Dang, Pauline Colaco, Berges Family, Giuseppe Zappia, Rolando Ortiz, Varela Family, Montenegro Family, Philomena Corcoran.

ALSO: Carmela Zappia, Anna Nho, Charlton and Meads Families, Rhonda Shallala, Elgean Philomena Greenham, Charles Montgomery and Jean Montgomery. All the Souls in Purgatory.

May they rest in peace.

Please pray for the sick

Therese Griffiths and John Griffiths, Clark O'Brien, Hugh Walsh, Carlo Tagliapietra (to recover after radiation treatment), Lauren Hanrahan, and all the patients in the hospitals in our Parish.

Names in the bulletin will be published as follows: Recently Deceased 4 weeks, Anniversaries 2 weeks, Deceased 4 weeks, unless otherwise notified to the Parish Office, Special Intentions 1 week, Sick 2 weeks.

22nd - 23rd June	A/V Operator	Readers
Saturday 5.30pm	Vigil Choir member	Louise Birdsall, Therese Ziems
Sunday 8.00am	Varsha Jojo	Anna Jojo, Marisa Casaceli
Sunday 9.30am	Sophie O'Connor	Leonie Dowd, Jasna Cimpfe
Sunday 5.30pm	Edwin Mathew	Greg Thornton, Maria Townsend

Children's Liturgy, 23rd June: NONE - Confirmation

Communion Ministry to the Sick, 23rd June: Wendy Martin, Paul Morris

Planned Giving Envelopes

For those who contribute to the Parish through the Planned Giving Scheme, some set of envelopes are available for pick up at the Church foyer.

If your Planned Giving envelopes are not on the Church foyer this weekend, they will be available for pick up the following weekend.

We take this opportunity to thank all those who are supporting your Parish financially. We are grateful for your generosity and continued support.

Morning Tea - 4th August

The morning tea after the 9.30am Mass on Sunday, 4th of August is to celebrate Deacon Moises' Ordination to the Priesthood.

The Parish asked for volunteers to help with morning tea. So far, one lady came forward to help on the day. We need more volunteers. If anyone can spare half an hour after the 9.30am Mass that will be great.

Please let the Parish Office know if you are able to help: 9524 7283.

Thank You

Many thanks to Wendy Macken for organising the BBQ this weekend. Also, thank you to all candidates for the Sacrament of Confirmation and their parents for coming to hand in their Activity Cards.

Walk with Christ

In light of it being the Feast of Corpus Christi we ask all parishioners to save the date for a very special celebration for all Sydney Catholics.

Please join your fellow Sydneysiders in the Walk with Christ annual Eucharistic Procession through the streets of Sydney on the Feast of Christ The King on November 24 at 2.30pm.

Thousands of people took part in last year's joyful public proclamation and act of worship to invoke Christ's blessing upon our beautiful city.

Meet at the corner of Martin Place & Pitt Street at 2.30pm on November 24.

Sacrament of First Reconciliation

If you know anyone whose child is in Year 2 who would like to participate in this year's Sacrament of First Reconciliation, it is not too late to enrol.

For those who could not attend the Information Session last Wednesday, 5th of June, please speak to Mrs Wendy Macken. For More information Please ring the Parish Office: 9524 7283.

Volunteers Needed

The Parish needs your help !!!

We need volunteers in the following Ministries:

- AV Operators
- Gardeners (who can look after the indoor plants)
- Piety Stall minders
- Extraordinary Ministers of Communion
- Acolytes
- Musicians and Singers

If you are able to help, please call the Parish Office.

THE JOURNEY CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM – AIRS 23 June 2019

This week on the Journey, you will hear a short reflection From Fr Mark after our Gospel reading of Luke 9:11-17.

We have some of your favorites Bruce Downes, The Catholic Guy, Mother Hilda and her wise words from the Abbey and our very own Pete Gilmore talking a big game New Testament. Go to WWW.jcr.org.au or www.itunes.jcr.org.au and to ensure that you never miss a show it can be sent to you each week as a podcast via email – for free

Catholic Weekly

The Catholic Weekly is in the Foyer for \$2

HISTORICAL CONTEXT

The Nicene Creed

The definitive statement of Christian belief is contained within the Nicene Creed that is proclaimed by the community in the Mass. It was developed by the Council of Nicea, held in 325, in response to a variety of teachings (some declared to be heresy) that were circulating at the time and the creed was further revised in 381. The creed declares that Jesus is 'God from God, light from light, true God from true God ... of one being with the Father' and that the Holy Spirit 'proceeds from the Father and the Son'. All of these statements seek to define the oneness of the Trinitarian God.



Have you thought?

Spoken through the prophets

One Creedal statement about the Holy Spirit is that 'He has spoken through the prophets'. This statement of Christian belief is to reaffirm that the Spirit has played a role throughout human history and did not 'come into being' at Pentecost. In fact, a translation of the opening lines of Genesis reads, 'and the Spirit of God hovered over the waters'. Although the Old Testament emphasises God the Creator, or the Father, the gospels emphasise the role of Jesus, the Son and the New Testament writings emphasise the work of the Spirit, all three expressions of God's loving presence are beyond the limits of time and place.

LIVING THE GOSPEL

Trinity

Every time we make the sign of the cross we reaffirm our belief in a God who is Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Although some people have difficulties with the gender-specific language of 'Father' and 'Son' and look for other ways to express this reality, all Christian people profess a belief in the one God who is experienced in three distinct ways. We are baptised 'in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit' and we remind ourselves of this reality when we pray and when we bless ourselves or others.



The Spirit brings glory to Christ and the Father

Trinity Sunday, Year C

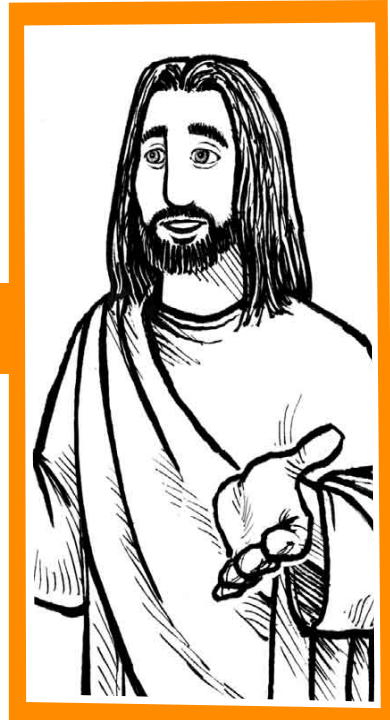
Draw the Father

God - The father

Creator of all things.
Loves each of us.
Sent his only beloved son to save us.

God - The Son

What do you know about Jesus?



Draw the Holy Spirit

God - The Holy Spirit

Guided the prophets.
Strengthened the members of the early church.
Helps us all today.

Jesus told his disciples how the Holy Spirit would bring glory to the Father and the Son. What things can you do to bring glory to God?

The Spirit shows what is true

Write down whether these statements are true or false

- God created the world in eight days.
- God the Father loves us so much that he gave us his only Son.
- Jesus was baptised by John the Evangelist.
- Jesus died so that we may have eternal life.
- The disciples received the Holy Spirit on Easter Monday.
- The Holy Spirit allowed the disciples to speak in many different languages.