

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 Danai Penollar
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EUCHARISTIC Prayers for Reconciliation I-II may be used when there is a theme of reconciliation. They may be used with other Prefaces which refer to conversion and penance, such as the Prefaces of Lent.

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Second Sunday of Lent (Year B)

24 - 25 February 2018

Entrance Antiphon

cf. Psalm 26:8-9

OF you my heart has spoken: Seek his face.
It is your face, O Lord, that I seek;
hide not your face from me.

Or:

cf. Psalm 24:6,2,22

Remember your compassion, O Lord,
and your merciful love, for they are from of old.
Let not our enemies exult over us.
Redeem us, O God of Israel, from all our distress.

First Reading

Genesis 22: 1-2, 9-13, 15-18

The Sacrifice of Abraham, our father in faith.

Responsorial Psalm

115:10, 15-19 R: 114:9

I will walk in the presence of the Lord
in the land of the living.

Second Reading

Romans 8: 31-34

God did not spare his own Son.

Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 17:5

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!
From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard:
this is my beloved Son, hear him.

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

Gospel

Mark 9:2-10

This is my son, the beloved; listen to him.

Communion Antiphon

Matthew 17:5

This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased;
listen to him.

MASSES THIS WEEK

Monday 9am (Incl. De La Salle College)

Tuesday 9.15am

Wednesday 9.15am

Thursday 7am

Friday 9.15am (Incl. OLF Yrs 4, 5 and 6)

7pm-8pm Stations of the Cross

8pm Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

12am Mass-Immaculate Heart of Mary

Saturday 8am Opt Mem of Blessed Virgin Mary

6.30am Exposition, Adoration

7.30am Morning Prayer,
Benediction then Eucharistic
Adoration until Sunday 3pm

Divine Office: Psalter Week 2

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday from 16 February to 23 March
at 7pm in the Day Chapel. **All Welcome!**

Parish Office Hours this week:

Tuesday - Friday - 9am - 4pm

Baptisms

No Baptism this weekend.

The next Baptism Preparation Class, on first Sundays of the month, is on **Sunday, 4th of March at 4.30pm followed by the 5.30pm Mass.** Enquiries, ring the Parish Office.

Catholic Weekly

- 100 and still going strong: CWL celebrates volunteer's centenary
- Maronites open first Australian seminary
- Priest to be Chaplain at Commonwealth Games
- Meet Wollongong's new bishop
- Movie Review: Black Panther
- Simcha Fisher: Friendships help develop healthy relationships

The Catholic Weekly is in the Foyer for \$2

24 HOURS FOR THE LORD

Pope Francis has again invited the universal Church to participate in **24 hours for the Lord;** offering Reconciliation in the context of Adoration on the weekend leading up to the 4th Sunday of Lent.

In our Parish, we will have the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday, 9th of March in the Day Chapel from 9.45am until 8pm.

9.45am - Adoration

10am - Rosary

10am - 10.30am - Reconciliation

11.40am - Rosary

12pm - Angelus

3pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet

6.30pm - 7pm - Reconciliation

7pm - Stations of the Cross

8pm - Benediction

Pope Francis: Eucharistic Adoration is the secret to knowing the love of Jesus Christ.

ALL WELCOME !

MASS INTENTIONS

Please pray for the faithful departed

Recently DECEASED: James, Bezzina, Victorio Atendido, Maria Donnici, Joan Hilton, Mario Bianco, Mary Patricia Gladstone, Michael Harkin, Pearl Forde, Maura Glynn, Beverley Abbott, Mary Gabrielle Evans, Sharon Turner, Sr Mariana Keegan, Sr Denise Hynes.

Anniversaries of Death: John Otto Edwin Lingham, Ernesto Montenegro, Mary Patricia ("Pat") Neilsen, Mery Rukavina, Olga Janovic, Dragutin Sarija, Antonio Gonzalez, Mary Schofield, Veronica May Sorbell, Salvatore de Bono, Patrick McGrath, Mavis McGrath, Patrick John Rooney, Phillip Searson, Valdivia Family, Rosa Lubrano, Armando Lubrano, Dorothy Walker.

ALSO: Janovic Gracijan, Zdenka Macan, Aleksander Rukavina, Tonko Malenica, Milica Rukavina, All deceased members of the Panzer and Antolov Families, Rhonda Shallala, Meads Family, Charlton Family, Ferrario Family, Ryan Family, John Druon, Anna Nho, John BT Quang, Anna De, John B.T. De, May, John and Phillip Searson, William and Mary Smith, Suen Moller, Patricia Russo, Derek Story, Most forgotten Souls in Purgatory. All the Souls in Purgatory.

May they rest in peace.

Please pray for the sick

Raymond John Treacy, Patricia White, Ron Smith, Pat Griffith, Milan Nguyen, Beryl Ward, Jeanette Graham, . 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.

03-04 March 2018	A/V Operator	Readers
Saturday 5.30pm	Choir Member	Kay Cook, Peter Faber
Sunday 8.00am	Volunteer Needed	Van Bucek, Marisa Casaceli
Sunday 9.30am	Nicholas Ricci	Rhonda Francis, Anna Cindric
Sunday 5.30pm	David Walkow	Sherrol Gane, Adam Bryant

Children's Liturgy, 04 March: Liz O'Brien, Louise Gordon

Communion Ministry to the Sick, 04 March: John Jaeger, Mary-Lynne Osland

NEW NOTICES

1. INVITATION TO CLERGY, RELIGIOUS AND PARISHIONERS

Clergy, religious and parishioners are invited to join Archbishop Anthony Fisher, OP and his auxiliary bishops in their Prayers of Forgiveness and Reparation for all people who have been affected, directly or indirectly, by abuse within the Church. Survivors of abuse who feel able to attend this liturgy are warmly welcome.

The prayers, centered around the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary, will be in St Mary's Cathedral, Sydney at 6.30 pm on Friday 2nd March, which is an Ember Day of prayer and fasting throughout Australia.

2. 18 March - The Day of the Unborn Child

The Day of the Unborn Child will be held on 18th March and will be led by Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP (flyer attached).

The Day of the Unborn Child marks the day Our Lord became a tiny unborn child in His mother's womb. It is a day of celebration and remembrance of the dignity of the unborn. It is also a day to remember the millions of unborn children whose lives have been ended by the violence of abortion.

Join us to witness the sanctity of human life !

For more information: Call Life and Family Institute: (02) 9002 0354 / www.lifeandfamily.com.au or email: info@lifefamily.com.au

3. CatholicCare

Do you have time to help people in your community?

We need volunteers to provide much needed companionship to elderly people who feel lonely and isolated in Sydney's South West and Inner West.

If you have time to spend with someone who would truly appreciate it, please call us on 13 18 19 and become a volunteer today. Visit us on the web at www.catholiccare.org

4. Positions Vacant

Communications & Development Manager
Council of Catholic School Parents NSW/ACT
Permanent full-time position. Sydney CBD-based.

For further information please contact Anthony Spata at REACH Human Resources, on 0402 210 055. Applications close 27 February 2018.

Position Vacant: Donor Relations Officer (Casual)

Applications are invited for the casual position of Donor Relations Officer in the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney. For further information, the advertisement can be viewed at www.catholicjobsonline.com.au

Position Vacant: Housekeeper/Cook – Bishop's Residence (Part Time)

Applications are invited for the position of Housekeeper/Cook – Bishop's Residence (Part Time) in the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney. For further information, the advertisement can be viewed at www.catholicjobsonline.com.au



LMC
Our Lady of Mercy
CATHOLIC COLLEGE BURRANEER

OPEN DAY

Wednesday 14 March 2018

9.30am–11.30am / 5.30pm – 7.00pm



62–66 Dominic Street Cronulla
www.olmcburraneer.catholic.edu.au



Sydney Catholic Schools
INSPIRING SPIRITS AND MINDS

DE LA SALLE COLLEGE, CARINGBAH, 60TH REUNION

The Foundation Class of De La Salle College, Caringbah, is trying to organize a reunion. The organisers have lost the contact details of the following.

Anthony Barclay, Lindsay Bennett, Karl Brockman, Peter Campbell, Chris Campbell, Harold Donniger, Brian Ellery, John Faddy, Mark Fitzgerald, Christopher Hellyer, Peter Keayes, Ray Kirwin, Tony Moore, James Morris, James Muratore, Michael Mulligan, Paul Murra, Richard Parry, Rohan Reynolds, Peter Tipping, George Valentine, Gray Watson, Richard Williams

We are hoping that some of their families might still be in Caringbah and will be able to assist. If so, please email Chris Parkes at chrjparkes@gmail.com, or contact the Office.



ADORATION IN THE DAY CHAPEL

All welcome!

(First Friday until 3pm Sunday)

**Come and join the First Friday Devotion
to the Sacred Heart of Jesus**

and on

**First Saturdays, the Immaculate Heart of Mary
(every month)**

First Friday, 2nd March and First Saturday, 3rd March 2018 in the Day Chapel

7pm Holy Hour with Scriptural Rosary

8pm Holy Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, including Salutation, Family Consecration

8.45pm Stations of the Cross

9.15pm Nine Offices of the Sacred Heart

11.15pm Litany of the Sacred Heart, Joyful Mysteries

11.45pm Glorious Mysteries

12am Holy Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, including Consecration Prayers

12.45am to 2am Office of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Chaplet of the Divine Mercy, Luminous Mysteries

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6.30am First Saturday Program continues and concludes at **3pm** Sunday.

Note: Confessions available before 8pm & 12am Masses.

Sacramental Program Dates for 2018

Forms are now available in the Foyer.

Confirmation:

Please hand in your enrolment form as soon as possible.

For students in the Public Schools, the final Make-up Information Evening will be on **Thursday, 8th March at 6pm** in the Parish.

Confirmation on Sunday,
20 May, 12pm and 3pm

First Holy Communion:

Application Forms must be in on or before
23rd of February at the Parish Office.

Information Afternoon on **Sunday
4th March at 4pm to 5:15pm at the Church.**

First Communion on Sunday
12th August, 12pm and 3pm.

First Reconciliation (Confession):

Application Forms must be in on or before
25th May at the Parish Office.

Information Afternoon on **Sunday, 3rd June.**

First Reconciliation on Tuesday
13th November, 4pm and 6pm.

Chanel College 60th Anniversary Reunion for students of THE MARIST FATHERS ERA [1958-1970].

For details send your email address to chanel.geelong@gmail.com OR your postal details to PO Box 3069 Geelong West 3218

THURSDAY AND SUNDAY CATECHESIS

COME AND LISTEN

Starting Sunday 18th February at 7.30pm

Can I ever be forgiven?

Why am I always tense?

Why am I so unhappy?

What is missing in my life?

These are questions we often ask ourselves – and to which there is really only one answer: Jesus Christ loves you! If we were convinced of this our lives would be very different!

COME AND LISTEN

“Don't let yourself be robbed of hope.”

With this Word the Lord encourages us and offers a hope that many never seem to discover: our life can change and become wonderful!

“Man does not live on bread alone but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.”

What an adventure awaits us if we discover how true this is! This catechesis is for all who are over 13 years old - and want to know the risen Christ:

Sundays and Thursdays at 7.30pm, starting the 18th of February.

Babysitters provided if you cannot leave your children. Enquiries: Stefania 0439 088 436.



Health Care Kogarah

Bereavement Walking Group



A group for people who have experienced the death of someone close and live in the George's River, Bayside and Sutherland Local Government Areas commencing on Monday, 5 March 2018.

When	The group commences on Monday, 5 March and will be held weekly from 9.30am and finishing approximately 11.30am - 12noon. The group will initially run for six months.
Where	We meet at the parking area (directly behind the club house) of the Georges River 16ft Sailing Club off Sanoni Avenue at Dolls Point.
What to bring	Bring water, sunscreen, a hat as required and comfortable walking shoes.
Register your Interest	Please phone reception on 9553 3025. The group facilitator will return your call to speak with you about the group and provide further information.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH, CARINGBAH
2018 HOLY WEEK LITURGIES AND RECONCILIATION

THURSDAY 7 pm	22 March 2nd Rite Reconciliation	Parish Enquiries 9524 7283
FRIDAY 7 pm	23 March Stations of the Cross – Holy Hour (Adoration and Benediction)	
RECONCILIATION 11 am – 12 noon and 4 pm-5:15 pm	24 March, (Saturday)	
PASSION SUNDAY Vigil 5:30 pm and Sunday 5:15 pm	24-25 March Blessing of Palms & Solemn Procession at all Masses on Saturday 24 March, Sunday 8:00 am and 9:30 am Children’s Mass - with donkey and BBQ afterwards	
TUESDAY 9:15 am 7 pm - 8 pm	27 March Mass Reconciliation and Adoration - (Day Chapel)	
WEDNESDAY 9:15 am 11 am - 12 noon 7 pm - 8 pm	28 March Mass Reconciliation and Adoration – (Day Chapel) Reconciliation and Adoration – (Day Chapel)	
HOLY THURSDAY 10 am 7:30 pm	29 March Mass of the Chrism (St Mary’s Cathedral) Solemn Mass of the Lord’s Supper followed by Exposition until 12 midnight in the Day Chapel	
GOOD FRIDAY 10 am 3 pm	30 March Stations of the Cross (Reconciliation Afterwards) Solemn Celebration of the Lord’s Passion	
HOLY SATURDAY 9:30 am 7 pm	31 March Morning Prayer of the Church Easter Vigil and Mass with adult Baptism	
N.B. – No scheduled Reconciliation on Holy Saturday and Vigil starts at 7 pm NOT 5:30 pm		
EASTER SUNDAY 8 am, 9:30 am & 5.30pm	1 April Masses (Baptism within the Mass at 9:30 am Mass)	
EASTER MONDAY 8 am (i.e. later time)	2 April Mass	
EASTER TUESDAY TO EASTER FRIDAY 9:15 am 8pm and Midnight	Masses as normal, First Friday Holy Hour 7pm-8pm First Friday Masses (Sacred Heart and Immaculate Heart of Mary)	
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY	8 April Masses as normal Divine Mercy program from 2pm Sunday (Reconciliation from 2pm to 2:45pm) Mass at 3pm.	

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church

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Every First Friday until Sunday
the Chapel is constantly open
for Prayer 37 hours as an

Oasis of Mercy

Enquiries 9524-7283 Parish Office

**Open next weekend
7pm Friday, 2nd March
to 3pm Sunday, 4 March**

**“Were you not able to keep watch
(with me) for one hour?”**

Mark 14:37 or Matthew 26:40

