



We are a welcoming Christian community which embraces all people.
We support each other to grow in faith and create a loving and compassionate community.
We aspire to live as Christ's witnesses of God's unconditional love.

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
FATHERS' DAY

1 - 9 - 24

This week: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8; James 1:17-8, 21-22, 27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23
Next week: Isaiah 35:4-7; James 2:1-5; Mark 7:31-37



What is the essential mark of a disciple of Jesus?
That's the question which is raised by today's Gospel passage.

**As he does so often Jesus draws the distinction
between faith based on law and faith based in the heart.**

What (hopefully) defines us as Christians is not what we do:
it's who we are:

we are people who believe in, and have *experienced*,
the mercy, compassion and love of God

and we freely share it with others:
other people know about it because they experience it through us.

That's why the message of Jesus is called Good News. And anything less than that, isn't.

Fr Colin



The first Pastoral Works Broken Bay Appeal for this financial year (formerly known as CWF) concludes this weekend .

It supports 5 vital ministries:

- Hospital Ministry - helping those who are vulnerable, lonely or sick in hospital;
- Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) - catechists taking the gospel to students in Public Schools;
- St Lucy's School and St Edmund's College - serving students with disabilities;
- Ephpheta Centre - pastoral care, sacraments and advocacy for the deaf community.

Donations over \$2 tax deductible.



UPDATE

Amount raised last weeked: \$2897

Amount required for this appeal: \$15,000

Shortfall: \$12,103

To donate:

- Envelopes are available on the pews today
- Scan this QR code then under 'Bill Code' scroll down to choose Pastoral Works Broken Bay:

Please use this QR code and NOT the one on the envelopes)

Many thanks for your support.

Fr Colin



FROM FR COLIN Greetings everyone. I hope all is well with you. I will be returning from my annual leave this week and I look forward to being with you at Mass next weekend and continuing our work together as a community of faith. Fr Colin

**ENROLMENTS FOR THE PREPARATION PROGRAMME
FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

are now open !



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OPENING NIGHT
Cocktail Party

JOIN US FOR A FUN NIGHT OF CELEBRATION, MEET THE ARTISTS + BE FIRST TO SEE THE ARTSHOW. PRIZES TO BE WON, LIVE MUSIC, DRINKS + CANAPES.

BUY TICKETS NOW

FRIDAY 6th SEPTEMBER
7.30pm - 10.30pm



As we gather in worship on this day we acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land on which our parish is found.
We pay our respects to Elders past and present.



Our Memorial Walls

As you know we have Memorial Walls in each of our two churches. A Mass is celebrated each November for those whose names are on the Memorial Walls.

The dates for the Masses this year are:

- * at Killara - at the 5:30pm Vigil Mass on Saturday 16th November
- * at Lindfield - at the 10:15am Mass on Sunday 10th November

Ordering Memorial Plaques:

If you would like to order one or more Memorial Plaques for either church, please contact the Parish Office. You can also find out more about the plaques and download the forms required for ordering the plaques by visiting our parish website and going to 'Our Parish' → 'Memorial Walls'.

For the plaques to be in place for this November you would need to have your order in Tuesday 17th September.

Any new plaques will be blessed as part of one of the above-mentioned Masses.



Our next Children's Mass



with Children's Choir
followed by morning tea for all
and activities for the kids

Next Sunday 8th Sept. at 10:15am

What's coming up this year?

OUR NEXT PARISH SYNODAL ASSEMBLY

Sunday 20th October
11:15am - 1:30pm

LINDFIELD ART SHOW

Saturday-Sunday 7th-8th September
Holy Family School

CAREERS EXPO

Sunday 22nd September

MASS AND PIZZA NIGHT FOR HSC/IB STUDENTS & FAMILIES:

Wednesday 2nd October 6pm

BLESSING OF ANIMALS:

Sunday 15th September
11:30am

THANK YOU EVENING FOR VOLUNTEERS:

Tuesday 22nd October
7:00pm Mass, function following

ADVENT ECUMENICAL SERVICE

Tuesday 26th November 7:30pm

COMBINED PARISH & SCHOOL CAROLS NIGHT AND FOOD FEST

Friday 29th November: 6pm

Healing Mass

Our next Healing Mass will be celebrated
next Friday 13th September at 10am
at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church
at Killara
followed by morning tea
in St Joseph's Hall



Social Justice News



Supporting food
banks of St Vincent
de Paul and Jesuit
Refugee Services

Food Drive

Items we especially need:

tinned foods and meals* rice * pasta *
long-life milk * cooking oil * shampoo *
soap * deodorant * women's sanitary
items

NOTE: All items must be non-perishable and
still within their use-by date

Please help us feed those who are hungry!
Bring your items to both churches these dates:

24/25 Aug 31 Aug/1 Sep

Food for the spirit

EDITING YOUR OWN LIFE

Do not conform yourselves to this age but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and pleasing and perfect.

(Rm 12:2)

The laws of mathematics and physics have forever been one of our great constants. They are predictable and reliable, not given to strange surprises.

But now, more and more, scientists are finding that even the laws of physics sometimes offer unexpected surprises and exhibit a freedom that leaves us baffled. Freedom, it seems, is everywhere.

Novelists have always known this. A novelist creates an imaginary character, begins to write a story, and then discovers that this character doesn't always want to follow what the author had in mind for her. She becomes her own person, develops her own attitude, goes her own way, and shapes the story in a way that the novelist never intended. In the end, partly independent of the author, each character writes his or her own story.

In an interesting book, *A Million Miles in a Thousand Years*, Donald Miller takes this concept and uses it to offer a wonderful challenge within which each of us is invited to edit our own life so as to make our story a better and more noble one.

He does this through a series of autobiographical essays within which he challenges himself to write a better story with his own life and then invites his readers to each edit our own lives so as to build a story which is more interesting and more noble, one which, like a great movie, will leave its audience in tears and longing to do better things with their lives when the final credits roll.

Here's how he describes this:

So I was writing my novel, and as my characters did what they wanted, I became more and more aware that somebody was writing me. So I started listening to The Voice, or rather, I started calling it The Voice and admitting there was a Writer. I admitted that something other than me was showing me a better way. And when I did this, I realized the Voice, the Writer, who was not me, was trying to make a better story, a more meaningful series of experiences I could live through.

Miller's writing is brilliant but deceptive. Because of his particular genre, he can seem almost superficial at times, but, in the end, what you get is a combination of David Sedaris (wit, playful self-effacement), Annie Lamott (earthy, disarmingly direct), Kathleen Norris (outstanding common sense, intelligence), Henri Nouwen (an honest look at yourself) and Ignatius of Loyola (good rules for discernment and a bit of a guide to everything). Donald Miller runs all of this through a blender.

Initially, as I read the first chapters, I was taken only by his language and not by his content. He sounded more the comic wit than the wise elder. But slowly, almost imperceptibly, and this is his genius, depth, idealism, Christian vision, disarming common sense, and his real challenge begin to seep through, becoming clearer and more inviting as his story goes on.

Here's an example of both his writing and his depth. In this a passage he shares how he discerns the real voice of God from the many false, neurotic voices that he, and most everyone else, commonly can confuse with God's voice:

As a kid, the only sense I got from God was guilt, something I dismissed as a hypersensitive conscience I got from being raised in a church with a controlling pastor. But that isn't the voice I'm talking about. . . . The real Voice is stiller and smaller and seems to know, without confusion, the difference between right and wrong and the subtle delineation between the beautiful and the profane. It's not an agitated Voice, but ever patient as though it approves a million false starts.

The Voice I am talking about is a deep water of calming wisdom that says: hold your tongue; don't talk about that person that way; forgive the friend you haven't talked to; don't look at that woman as a possession; I want to show you the sunset; look and see how short life is and how your troubles are not worth worrying about; buy that bottle of wine and call your friend and see if he can get together, because, remember, he was supposed to have that conversation with his daughter, and you should ask him about it.

(Miller, *A Million Miles in a Thousand Years*)

And that Voice, he says, is forever saying to us: "Enjoy your place in my story. The beauty of it means you matter, and you can create it even as I have created you."

In the end, this book is a healthy apologetic for faith, morality, decency, and God: the kind of challenge we badly need today. I was given the book by friend who has a twenty-something daughter who has long protested her doubts about God and, not least, her agnosticism about the church. This young post-Christian, my friend said, found the book on the kitchen table, picked it up out of curiosity, and then read it cover to cover, admitting that she was much challenged by it.

Now that's not a bad endorsement!

Fr Ron Rolheiser OMI (from the Center for Liturgy, University of St Louis)

You are
Invited

MUSIC  CONCERT

TIMELESS SACRED MUSIC AT OLGC

SEPT 7th 2024 (Sat) 6:45-8:15pm

Sacred music by Frenchs Forest Parish Choir

Our Lady of Good Counsel Church (OLGC), Forestville

FREE CONCERT

A parishioner has decided she no longer needs to drive her car. She considered if another parishioner might be looking for a low mileage Ford Fiesta to purchase. It was new in 2014, has travelled just over 19,000 km, and regularly serviced with 6 months registration. Colour is white with black upholstery. If interested, contact Anthony Cassidy 0418 288 548.

Hymns for the 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE: PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST OUR SAVIOUR

Refrain Praise to you, O Christ, our Saviour,
Word of the Father, calling us to life;
Son of God who leads us to freedom:
glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

You are the Word who calls us out of darkness;
you are the Word who leads us into light;
you are the Word who brings us through the desert:
glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ! **R**

You are the Word who calls us to be servants;
you are the Word whose only law is love;
you are the Word – made flesh who lives among us:
glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ! **R**

Bernadette Farrell ©1986,2012, OCP. 80544*

DEDICATION OF THE GIFTS: WITH A JOYFUL HEART

Refrain With a joyful heart, O Lord my God,
I bring all to you.

Behold, O Lord, this bread
which we now carry to your altar.
This bread will become your body. **R**

Behold, O Lord, this wine;
accept and bless it for our gladness.
This wine will become your blood. **R**

We come to you, O Lord;
we bring the gifts that you have made,
the gifts we return to you. **R**

Lucien Deiss ©1970, World Library Publications 15452649975c1adf65b35b7*

COMMUNION: A NEW COMMANDMENT

A new commandment
I give unto you
That you love one another
As I have loved you
That you love one another
As I have loved you.

By this the world will know that you are My disciples
If you have love one for another. **x2**

Source unknown – Roy Crabtree ca. 1973

RECESSIONAL: SING A NEW SONG

Refrain Sing a new song unto the Lord
let your song be sung from mountains high.
Sing a new song unto the Lord,
singing alleluia.

Rise, O children, from your sleep
your Saviour now has come.
He has turned your sorrow to joy,
and filled your soul with song. **R**

Glad my soul for I have seen
the glory of the Lord.
The trumpet sounds the dead shall be raised.
I know my Saviour lives. **R**

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This year's Jesuit Mission Bazaar
will be held at **Saint Ignatius'
College Riverview** on **Saturday,
14 September, from 9am to 5pm**

Join over 5,000 people for a vi-
brant community celebration

filled with rides, live music, exciting stalls, fun games, and engaging
activities. Explore stalls offering delicious food, homemade jams, cakes,
books, toys, a wine auction, and so much more.

For more details, visit jesuitmission.org.au/bazaar or contact Katrina
Tucker, Community Engagement Coordinator, at
02 8918 4109 or
katrina.tucker@jesuitmission.org.au



2nd Annual Careers Fair

Imagining your future

Subject & University Degree selection
Job roles & Career path planning

A 2 hour program for Years 7 - 12, & university students

Occupation including:

- Cyber: Police Security
- Finance, Law, Data & Analytics
- Musicians, Athletes
- Healthcare practitioners
- Entrepreneurs, Writers
- Engineers, Product Designers

Speakers including:

- Current university students
- Working graduates
- Industry leaders



2-4pm, Sunday 22 September 2024

Mary Mackillop Hall at Holy Family School, cnr Highfield Rd & Pacific Hwy, Lindfield



To register for the event,
scan the QR code, or visit:

<https://t.ly/ryWvx>

Presented by Parish
Pastoral Council, and:



This year, we...



IGNITE CONFERENCE 24 26-29 September 2024

Individuals (high school & adults) **\$147.50***
(* after using discount code)

Individual tickets are for the full event (incl. lunch & 2x dinners):

Thu 26 Sep. 6pm through to Sun 29 Sep. 1:30pm



For general info, registering your interest
for discount code & childcare, visit
<https://bit.ly/LindfieldKillara5001>

ALL are welcome to the IGNITE CONFERENCE, a national
Catholic conference for everyone. Experience explosive worship concerts,
inspiring practical and faith workshops, powerful sacraments. Join over 2000
high schoolers, young adults, kids, families, leaders, teachers, priests and
religious taking part in a life changing encounter with God and His Church.

Kids (primary school) (**\$52.50** for BB Catholic primary) ~~\$125~~
Parents (of Kids tickets) **\$175***

Family (2x primary kids plus) discount is also available. Above
tickets are only for programmes during below times (incl. lunch):

Sat 28 Sep. 9am - 3:30pm and Sun 29 Sep. 10:45am - 1:30pm

(N.B. late fees will apply on tickets sold after 9 Sep 2024. Above tickets allow flexible entry)

THE PRAYERS AND RESPONSES OF MASS

GLORIA:

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.
Amen

THE PSALM *Ps 14 (15): 2-5*

Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain?
Those who walk without fault;
who act with justice
and speak the truth from their hearts.
Those who do no wrong to their brother or sister,
who cast no slur on their neighbour,
who hold the godless in disdain,
but honour those who fear the Lord.
Those who keep their pledge, come what may;
who take no interest on a loan
and accept no bribes against the innocent.
Such a person will stand firm for ever.

THE NICENE CREED

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were
made.

For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,

(all bow at the following words in bold)

**and by the Holy Spirit was
incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.**

For our sake he was crucified
under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was
buried,

and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the
Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of
the Father.

He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no
end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father &
the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the
prophets.

I believe in one, holy,
catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism
for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward
to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come.
Amen

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *(James 1:18)*

Alleluia, alleluia! The Father gave us birth by his message of
truth, that we might be as the first fruits of his creation.
Alleluia!

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and
Resurrection you have set us free.

FR RICHARD ROHR OFM'S MEDITATION: THE GIFT OF SILENCE

*Spiritual director Ruth Haley Barton describes a "rule of
life" as key to experiencing the reign of God:*

Many of us try to shove spiritual transformation into the
nooks and crannies of a life that is already unmanageable,
rather than being willing to arrange our life for what our
heart most wants. We think that somehow we will fall into
transformation by accident.

Jesus had something to say about this. He used parables to
picture a person who had searched long and hard for
something very valuable and very special. In one story the
prized item is a piece of land; in another it is a valuable
pearl [Matthew 13:44-46]. In both stories, the merchant
has been looking for this prize all his life, and when he
finds it, he doesn't hesitate. He sells everything he has so
that he can buy what he has been searching for.

Both the field and the pearl are metaphors for the
kingdom of God—that state of being in which God is
reigning in our life and [God's] presence is shaping our
reality. The kingdom of God is here now, if we are willing
to arrange our life to embrace it....

Christian tradition has a name for the structure that
enables us to say yes to the process of spiritual
transformation day in and day out. It is called a rule of life.
A rule of life seeks to respond to two questions: Who do I
want to be? How do I want to live? ... [or] the interplay
between these two questions: How do I want to live so I can

be who I want to be?

*For pastor Ken Shigematsu, a rule of life is not a "one-size-
fits-all" solution:*

A monastic rule of life can help us learn what it means to
live so that we are attuned to God in our everything. A life
that does more than pray sporadically, but is itself a prayer
to God....

Having a set of deliberate practices also allows us to build
on our strengths and shore up areas of weakness. If we are
experiencing a failure of self-control, we might deliberately
practice fasting.... If we find ourselves overcommitted and
distracted, engaging in a daily rhythm of ten or twenty
minutes of silent prayer that centres us or meditating on a
brief single passage in Scripture (lectio) may be a helpful
practice.

On the other hand, if we have a naturally contemplative
bent and find ourselves spending a disproportionately large
amount of time in private prayer and solitude, adding
another way of praying may not be helpful. In fact, we
might consider decreasing the amount of time we spend
in formal prayer and perhaps enter into practices of justice
or service so we can grow as a contemplative in action....

Ultimately, a rule can enable us to live our lives, as
Thomas Kelly writes, "from a Centre, a divine Centre ... a
life of amazing power and peace and serenity, of
integration and confidence and simplified multiplicity."

SUNDAY MASS

Killara Church :

5:30pm Vigil 9.00am

Lindfield Church

6.00pm Vigil 8.30 am 10.15am **

12 noon Chinese Mass 6:00pm Youth Mass*

* On the 3rd Sunday of the month the 6pm Youth Mass is followed by a Parish Pizza Night in St Brigid's Hall.

** The 10:15am Mass on the 2nd & 4th Sundays is a Children's Mass, featuring our Children's Choir (followed by morning tea).

WEEKDAY MASS THIS WEEK

SEVENTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Mon: 8am Killara
Tues. 8am Killara *Memoria, St Gregory the Great*
Wed. 10am Lindfield
Thurs.: 10am Lindfield
Fri.: 10am Lindfield

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays for 15 mins after Vigil Mass at Killara
Saturdays 5.15 - 5.45pm at Lindfield

**THE ORDINARIATE OF OUR LADY OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS
(GATHERING IN OUR CHURCH AT KILLARA):**

Mass

Wednesday 6pm (preceded by Exposition from 5pm)
Thursday 9am Friday 9am Sunday 12 noon
Evensong
4th Sunday of the month 4pm

SUNDAY MASS ROSTER

Saturday		31 Aug.	7 Sep.
Lindfield	6:00 pm	Fr Joey Frez	Fr Colin
Killara	5:30 pm	Fr David Strong	Fr Ansaalem
Sunday		1 Sep.	8 Sep.
Lindfield	8:30 am	Fr David Strong	Fr Colin
Killara	9:00 am	Fr Joey Frez	Fr Stephen
Lindfield	10:15 am	Fr David Strong	Fr Colin
Lindfield	12:00 pm	Fr Sam French	Fr Joey Frez
Lindfield	6:00pm	Fr Stephen	Fr Colin

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For all of our staff click on 'Our Parish' on the website.

Holy Family School: 4 Highfield Rd, Lindfield

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PARISH DIARY

Every Wednesday:

8:00am Meditation (online)

SEPTEMBER

Fri. 6th 7:30pm Lindfield Artshow cocktail party
Sat. 7th-Sun. 8th all day Lindfield Artshow & Fair
Fri. 13th 10:00am Healing Mass at Killara
Sun. 15th 11:30am Blessing of animals event
Sun. 22nd 2pm-4pm Careers Expo

OCTOBER

Wed. 2nd 6:00pm HSB/IB students & families
Mass & Pizza Night

OUR CHINESE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

常年期第二十二主日 1.09.2024

玷污。

—— 上主的話。(默想片刻)

讀經一 (我吩咐你們的話，你們不可增刪；天主的誠命，你們務要謹守遵行。)

恭讀申命記 4:1-2, 6-8

梅瑟勸勉人民說：「以色列！現在，你要聽從我教訓你們的法令和規律，並盡力遵行。這樣，你們才能生活，才能進入和佔領，上主你們祖先的天主，所賜給你們的地方。」

「我吩咐你們的話，你們不可增刪，但要按照我所訓示你們的：上主你們天主的誠命，完全遵行。」

「你們務要謹守，並遵行我的誠命，因為這樣，在萬民眼中，才能顯出你們的智慧和見識。」

「萬民一聽到這一切法令，必會說：『這實在是一個有智慧，有見識的大民族！』有那一個大民族的神，這樣接近他們，如同上主我們的天主，在我們每次呼求他時，這樣親近我們呢？又有那一個大民族，有這樣公正的法令和規律，如同我今天在你們面前，所頒布的這一切法律呢？」 —— 上主的話 (默想片刻)

答唱詠 詠 15 (14): 2-5

【答】：上主，誰能在你的帳幕裡居住？(詠 15:1)

額：只有那行為正直，做事公平，從自己心裡，說誠實話的人。【答】

額：他不信口非議；他不危害兄弟，更不會對鄰里，恃勢欺凌。他睥視作惡犯罪的人，重視敬畏天主的人。【答】

額：他從不放債，貪取重利；他從不受賄，傷害無辜；這樣行事的人，永遠堅定不移。【答】

讀經二 (你們務要發這聖言來實行。)

恭讀聖雅各伯書 1:17-18, 21-22, 27

我親愛的姊妹弟兄：一切美好的贈與，一切完善的恩賜，都是從上而來，即從光明之父降下來的；在他內沒有變化，或轉動的陰影。他自願用真理之言，生了我們，為使我們成為他受造物中的因果。

你們要脫去一切不潔，及種種惡習，並要以柔順之心，接受那種在你們心裡的聖言；這聖言能拯救你們的靈魂。你們務要按這聖言來實行，不要只聽，自己欺騙自己。

在天主父前，純正無瑕的虔誠，就是看顧患難中的孤兒和寡婦，保持自己不受世俗的

福言前歡呼 (雅 1:18)

額：亞肋路亞。

【眾】：亞肋路亞。

額：父自願用真理之言，生了我們，為使我們成為他受造物中的因果。

【眾】：亞肋路亞。

福言 (你們離棄天主的誠命，而只拘守人的傳統。)

恭讀聖馬爾谷福音 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

那時候，法利塞人，及一些從耶路撒冷來的經師，聚集到耶穌面前。他們看見耶穌的幾個門徒，用不潔的手，就是用沒有洗過的手吃飯。

原來，法利塞人和所有猶太人，都拘守先人的傳統：若不仔細洗手，就不吃飯；從街市上回來，若不先沐浴，也不吃飯；還有其他許多按傳統，應拘守的事：如洗杯、洗盥、洗銅器等。

法利塞人和經師們就問耶穌說：「你的門徒，為什麼不遵守先人的傳統，竟然用不潔的手吃飯？」

耶穌對他們說：「依撒意亞論及你們這些假善人的預言真好，正如所記載的：『這民族用嘴唇尊敬我，他們的心，卻遠離我。他們恭敬我，也是虛假的，因為他們所講授的教義，是人的規律。』你們離棄天主的誠命，而只拘守人的傳統。」

耶穌又叫群眾來，對他們說：「你們都要聽我，且要明白！不是從人外面進入他裡面的，能使人污穢，而是從人裡面出來的，才使人污穢。因為從裡面，從人心裡出來的，是惡念、邪淫、盜竊、兇殺、姦淫、貪食、毒辣、詭詐、放蕩、嫉妒、毀謗、驕傲、愚妄：這一切惡事，都是從裡面出來的，並且使人污穢。」

—— 上主的話。(讀過後默想片刻)

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Lord, in Jesus your Son, you restored to us the gift of everlasting life. Grant that life to:

Recently deceased: Joan Ammon, Evina Wong, Brendan Walsh, Diana Roche, Bishop Kevin Manning, Wandy Kopczyńskiej, Sue Simmons (wife of Deacon Paul Simmons). Anniversary: Patricia Darwell, June Connors, Ron Burke, Kevin Cavanagh, Nora Kelliher, Joan Reynolds, Ellen Lee, Faye Bartlett, Norma Campbell, Thomas William Wade, Mary Kane. And for: Deceased members of O'Sullivan and Whithers, Eileen Mary Wade, Gwen Dean.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK: Diane McGirr, Mary Moran, Peter Tsang, Wolfgang Liers, Tanya Walsh, Jutta Mathur, Jessica Keen, Therese Playout, Ali Crawford, Morna Sutherland, Barbara McMullen, Jesse Langford, Cyril Ferriere, Alex Noble, William Wise, Rosanna Comastri, Janette Brennan, Arifin & Ida Marjadi, Bev Gledhill.

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- ◆ The TAP MACHINES are available in our two churches.



INFLATABLES * CARNIVAL GAMES * ANIMAL FARM * FOOD & MARKET STALLS

Lindfield artshow & fair 2024

JOIN US! *on the*
FIRST WEEKEND IN SEPTEMBER!

Lindfield Fair Opening Times

Saturday 7th September 10am to 3pm

Lindfield Art Show Opening Times

Saturday 7th September 10am to 4pm
Sunday 8th September 10am to 2pm

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Holy Family Primary School

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The Lindfield Art Show forms part of the Lindfield Art Show & Fair at Holy Family School, a fundraising initiative coordinated by the Holy Family PBF on behalf of Holy Family Catholic Primary School, Lindfield. Funds raised as a result of the Lindfield Art Show will be put towards current and future education needs of Holy Family Catholic Primary School.

WE NEED YOU

Catechists

Have you thought about assisting a Catechist / Special Religious Education Teacher, or becoming an SRE teacher?

- Catholic Scripture classes teach God's Word to students in state primary schools and high schools.
- There are vacancies currently in state primary schools within the parish.
- Catechists assist with providing information to families and students regarding the Sacramental Program at the parish.
- Class preparation is minimal: teacher and student manuals are provided containing lesson plans; training and additional resources are provided.
- Classes are half an hour in school terms, mainly on Tuesdays - Thursdays in the morning.
- Catechist Co-ordinator Karen happily provides support to assist new teachers.

CONTACT KAREN BY EMAIL:
catechists@lindfieldkillara.org.au

Saint of the Week

St Augustine



St Augustine was born in 354 A.D. Augustine believed in living as he pleased. He didn't take to living a religious life early on, and it was only through St Monica's prayers and the Holy Spirit that he decided to become a Christian. Augustine was gifted in writing and in academics. Through St Augustine's life, he wrote many books, became a priest and a bishop, and practiced many acts of poverty. Augustine even started up a religious order.

St Augustine passed away in 430 and is the patron saint of brewers and theologians.

Green Team

from Holy Family Catholic Primary

Spring has started early at the Lindfield church! Pauline, Samantha and students from the school have been cleaning and replanting the garden beds and pots in the Church and School precinct. The fruits of their early effort can be seen around the Church: weeds have been cleaned away from the fence line, dirt and rubbish cleaned away from the big pots—reinvigorating and freshening up the appearance as people enter the Church.

Thank you!!

CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULTS EVENT

The Story of Mary

Learn about the life of Saint Mary Mackillop
with other young adults

SUNDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER | 10 AM

Mary Mackillop Place
7-11 Mount Street
North Sydney, 2060

Museum entry - \$10.00

Schedule

Mass: 10am

Museum Tour: 11am - 12.30pm

Liturgy/Reflection: 12.30pm - 1pm

Lunch to follow

This event is open to all young adults. If you can attend please
RSVP via the QR code or by sending a message to Andrew:
0499181117 by no later than the 12th September.



'NEVER SEE A NEED WITHOUT DOING SOMETHING ABOUT IT'
MARY MACKILLOP

RSVP via QR code



Children's Mass is back next weekend on
September 8th! Join us after at COG downstairs
for some fun games and activities!
10:15am at Lindfield Parish



Youth News

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Children's Choir, Morning Tea
& Family Activities
September 8th, 10:15am @ Lindfield Church

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Youth Mass and Monthly Pizza Night
September 15th, 6pm @ Lindfield Church

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Children's Choir, Morning Tea & COG
September 22nd, 10:15am @ Lindfield Church

CHILDREN & YOUTH PERMISSION FORM FOR PARTICIPATION

If you haven't completed
the form for your child(ren)
already, please scan the QR
code to sign-up, or enter
below link on your browser
thank you:

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