

PYMBLE CATHOLIC PARISH

SACRED HEART & OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR

Building a Christ-centred community of Love and Mercy

Pymble Parish is under the Pastoral care of the Salvatorian Fathers

CELEBRATING YEAR OF PRAYER





Prayer to the Holy Trinity

Glory be to the Father,

Who by His almighty power and love created me,
making me in the image and likeness of God.

Glory be to the Son,

Who by His Precious Blood delivered me from hell, and opened for me the gates of heaven.

Glory be to the Holy Spirit,

Who has sanctified me in the sacrament of Baptism,

and continues to sanctify me

by the graces I receive daily from His bounty.

Glory be to the Three adorable Persons of the Holy Trinity, now and forever.

Amen.

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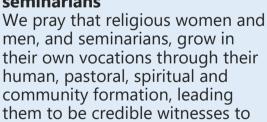
We welcome to Pymble Parish Bishop of Broken Bay

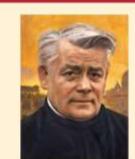
Bishop Anthony Randazzo

who will be visiting this Sunday, celebrating Confirmation for our 65 candidates.

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR MAY For the formation of religious and seminarians

the Gospel.





Prayer for the Intercession of Blessed Francis Jordan

Lord Jesus Christ, Saviour of the world, you called Francis Mary of the Cross Jordan to be your apostle, to make God known and loved by all people everywhere, using all the means your love inspires. You filled him with universal apostolic zeal, with a deep trust in God's loving providence, with a profound spirit of prayer, with a sincere devotion to Mary, Mother of the Saviour, and with the courage to follow you, even into the mystery of the Cross.

Grant also to me the grace to proclaim the Gospel in this spirit, and make me an effective apostle in today's world.

Through the intercession of Blessed Francis Jordan, I pray to you for my special needs (include your personal intention). I make this prayer through you, my Saviour, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, forever and ever. Amen.

www.sds.org.au

Baptisms at Pymble Parish

For enquiries please contact the Parish office on 9144 2702 or via email on office@pymblecatholicparish.org.au
Our upcoming Baptism Formation Class will be held on:

Thursday, 13 June 2024 at 7:30pm Sacred Heart Church

Bookings are essential

A warm welcome to all our Parishioners who are celebrating the Eucharist with us this weekend.



www.pymblecatholicparish.org.au

Parish Team

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Youtube QR code:

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Parish Mass Times

Sacred Heart

2 Richard Porter Way, Pymble NSW 2073

Weekdays:

Tuesday to Friday 9:00am

Rosary: Tuesday to Friday after morning Mass

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday after morning Mass

Weekend:

Sunday: 9:30am and 6:00pm

Reconciliation:

Friday 8:45am

Sunday 5:30pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Succour 64 Kendall St, West Pymble, NSW, 2073

Weekend:

Saturday: 9:00 am

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday: 8:00 am (Quiet Mass)

Reconciliation:

Saturdays 9.30 am

Contact details

Address: 2 Richard Porter Way, Pymble, NSW 2073 **Postal address:** PO BOX 231 Turramurra NSW 2074

Telephone: (02) 9144 2702

Email: office@pymblecatholicparish.org.au **Website:** www.pymblecatholicparish.org.au

Office hours: Monday to Thursday 8.30am to 4pm &

Friday 8.30am to 1pm

For information about Weddings please contact

Daniela in the Parish Office.

For information about the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation,

Reconciliation and First Eucharist, please contact

Rebecca at rebecca@pymblecatholicparish.org.au

PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOLS

SACRED HEART

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OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR

Principal: Jodi Jefferson **Telephone:** (02) 7256 2101

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OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR STAGE 2W

Over the past few weeks, Stage 2W have spent our Religious Education lessons preparing for the Mother's Day Liturgy. The students were eager to take on the responsibility of this liturgy, acknowledging its importance, and the significance of May being the Month of Mary. Each student took on a different role during the Liturgy, with some children setting the altar, some reading the Prayers of the Faithful and some taking part in the blessing of our mums.

The Gospel reading was extremely special, with three students reading and acting out Luke 1:26-38, playing the roles of the narrator, Mary and the angel Gabriel.

The Stage 2W children took turns to read some similes and metaphors about their mums (pictured below) and we concluded with a slide show presentation of all the wonderful OLPS mums.

We hope all the mothers within the parish had a wonderful Mother's Day!



MOTHERS DAY GIFT: TO NANAY

My mum's is a brave as a fierce knight My mum's the boss of the world My mum's a five-star chef My mother is as fit as me My mum's a basketball wizz My mother is as loving as Jesus My mum's an Uber driver My mum's a star My mum's a superhero My mum's a Jasmine flower My mother is a se My mum's a beautiful woman I love you Nanay. You're the best mother I can ask for. You're the best woman in the world. From your loving son... Alonso



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YOU ARE AS USHINE AS A FIVE-LEAF CLOVER

YOU ARE A FIVE STAR UBER- DRIVER.

YOU ARE LIKE A SUMPLOWER THAT FOLLOWS THE SUMLIGHT.

You are like an everlasting diamend .

You are like a shooting star sparkling throughout the night.

You are like 100s & 1000s sparkling with vivid joy left and right .

YOU ARE LIKE AN OCEAN WITH WAVES OF LOVE.

YOU ARE LIKE A PEARL EXCELLING IN THE OCEAN .

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This is my present to you I

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WHAT'S ON IN OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

Sunday, 26 May

The Most Holy Trinity (Solemnity)

8:00am Mass at OLPS (Quiet Mass)
9:30am Mass at Sacred Heart
11:30am Confirmation at Sacred Heart
1:30pm Confirmation at Sacred Heart
6:00pm Mass at Sacred Heart

Tuesday, 28 May

8.25am Rosary in May at OLPS
9:00am Mass at Sacred Heart
7:30pm Charismatic Prayer Group
7:30pm Lectio Formed; Mary

Wednesday, 29 May St Paul VI, pope (Optional)

9:00am Mass at Sacred Heart

Thursday, 30 May

9:00am Mass at Sacred Heart

The Rosary is recited after all weekday Masses

Friday, 31 May

The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Feast)

9:00am Mass at Sacred Heart followed by Adoration and Litany to the Sacred

Heart of Jesus

Saturday, 1 June

Vinnies Winter Appeal Launch St Justin, martyr (Memorial)

Reconciliation Presentation Masses

9:00am Mass at OLPS with followed by the First

Saturday Devotion with Adoration and Prayers for New Vocations to Priesthood

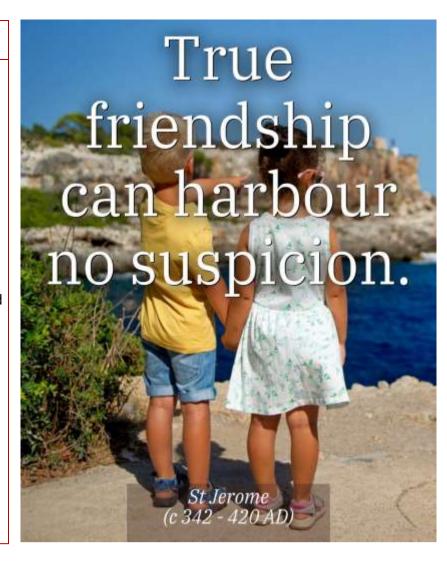
and Religious Life 5:00pm Mass at OLPS

Sunday, 2 June

Corpus Christi (Solemnity)

Reconciliation Presentation Masses

8:00am Mass at OLPS (Quiet Mass)9:30am Mass at Sacred Heart6:00pm Mass at Sacred Heart



Parish Prayer Zone

Praying for others gets our focus off ourselves and onto the needs of those around us. As we "carry each other's burdens," we "will fulfil the law of Christ" (Galatians 6:2). Praying for each other makes us stronger and helps us to grow our faith and Christian love.

Recently Deceased:

Kathleen Morrison, Denise Lindsay, Marie Jones, Refaat Saber, Geoff Riley, Greg Tysoe, Nancy Dal Cin, Victor Ho, Ursula Middleton, Michael Ryan, Monica Wheeler, Lucy Sibyl Orenstein, Elizabeth George

Death Anniversaries:

Thelma Lovery, Michael Tjiong, Frances Mary Fisher, Roy Freeman, Odette McLeod, Angus Ross, Santa Celio, Owen Thomas, Janine Parker, Lucia Sudiro, Judy Carson, Lilian Castillo, Judy, Carson, Owen Thomas, Edith & Harold Burford

Prayers for the sick:

Gail O'Toole, Pamela Seaman, Joseph Hendryjanto, Margaret Browne, Danny Ung

Weekly prayer intention:

This week we pray for all the faithful: that we recognise that God is always present in our lives and journeys with us through all our joys, sorrows, and everyday responsibilities. Amen.

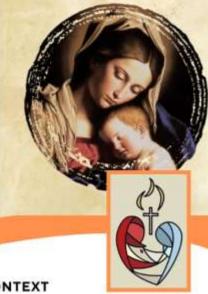
If you would like the names of your relatives to be included in the prayer list (anniversary of deaths, recently deceased, illnesses, wedding celebration or anniversaries, birthdays, etc.) please contact the Parish Office by midday each Wednesday. Remember that due to privacy policy, names of the sick can only be put on the bulletin with permission of the immediate family. This list will be updated every month and we would appreciate if we are advised of any updates. Thank you.





LECTIO: MARY

The Bible and the Mother of God With Dr Brant Pitre



INVITATION

You are invited to join our eight part Mary series based on the Lectio program by Dr Brant Pitre.

TOPICS

The Mary program topics include:

- · The New Eve
- · The New Ark
- Mother of the Messiah
- · The Queen Mother
- · The Perpetual Virgin
- Mother of Sorrows
- The New Rachel Question & Answer

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:



(02) 9144 2702

CONTEXT

Why is Mary so important to Catholics, and why have so many people been devoted to her over the centuries? We examine what the Old and New Testaments, the life of Christ, and the early Church fathers reveal about the life and identity of Mary.

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Please join in with this opportunity to learn, share your thoughts and to get to know others in our Parish community.

7pm alternate Tuesday evenings Sacred Heart Church Pymble Next event: 28 May 2024

DR BRANT PITRE

Dr Brant Pitre is Distinguished Research Professor of Scripture at the Augustine Institute, Graduate School of Theology.



PYMBLE CATHOLIC PARISH 2 RICHARD PORTER WAY PYMBLE



We give thanks to God for the blessing these pastoral works offer to those in hospital, at school, across neighbourhoods and local parishes of Broken Bay.

Parish numbers for the Pastoral Works Appeal:

Parish Quota 2023/24 Financial Year	\$39,997.00
Amount raised since November 2023 plus Give Now & Good Giving Donations	\$7,561.04
Amount still to be raised	\$32 , 435 . 96

It is essential for us to reach this goal to fulfil our commitment. Should we fall short, the remaining amount will need to be covered by funds from our second collection, which is vital for our parish's needs.

All donations over \$2 are tax deductible, ABN 87 849 944998.

To donate, complete and return an envelope in our Churches. Or online by scanning the QR code or visiting:

www.tinyurl.com/2f2bbuyv

Thank you for your contributions towards the pastoral works of the Church. God Bless.



Confirmation at Pymble Catholic Parish

Confirmation Celebrations are this weekend! Please continue to pray for our 65 Confirmation candidates as they finalise preparations for reception of this joyous sacrament.

Confirmation celebrations will be on **Sunday**, **26 May** at 11:30am and 1:30pm.

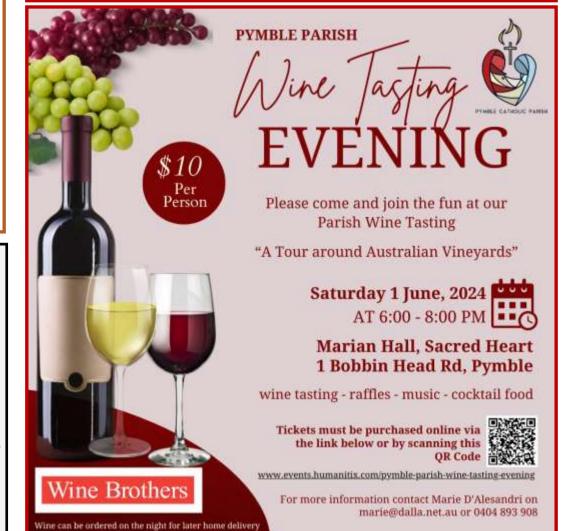
Each celebration will be a full mass.

These celebrations will be in addition to the usually scheduled masses.

The Most Rev Anthony Randazzo, Bishop of Broken Bay, will be the celebrant.

All are welcome to attend.





Become a Catechist You are needed!

Contact for details: michele@pymblecatholicparish.org.

Position Vacant – Administration Assistant

Ku-ring-gai Chase Catholic Parish 3 month initial contract

For details, please go to https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/about/contact-us/ positions-vacant



Join Us for the Rosary in May

The Rosary is led by Maree Anderson and Louise Johnston at **OLPS Church** each Thursday during the month of May. This special gathering is open to children, parents, and all parishioners who wish to come together in prayer.

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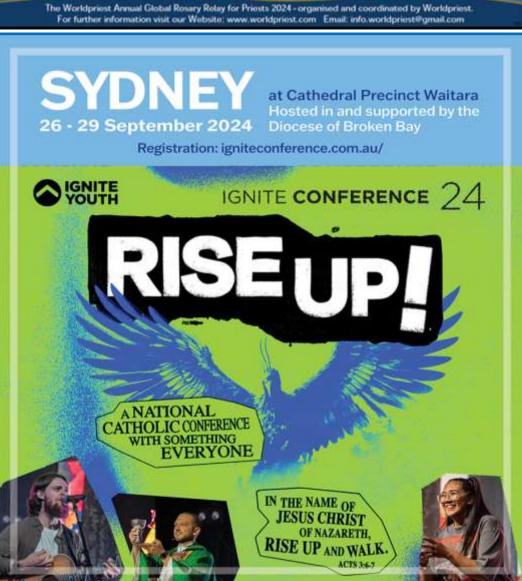


Dates: Every Thursday in May

We look forward to seeing many of you there as we lift our hearts together in prayer.





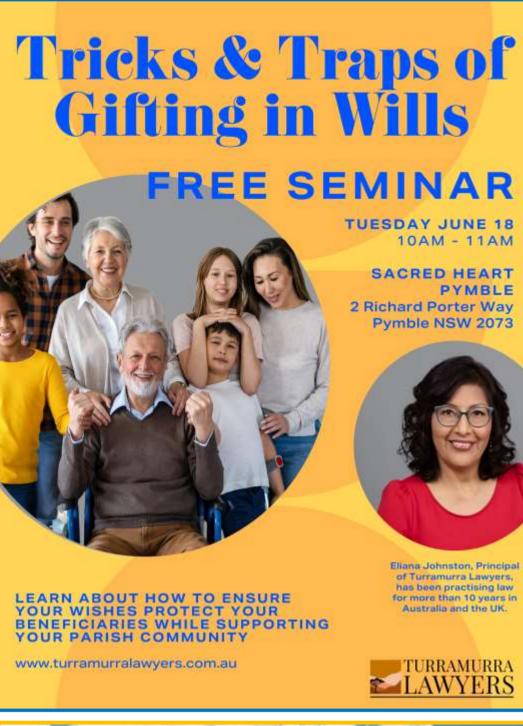


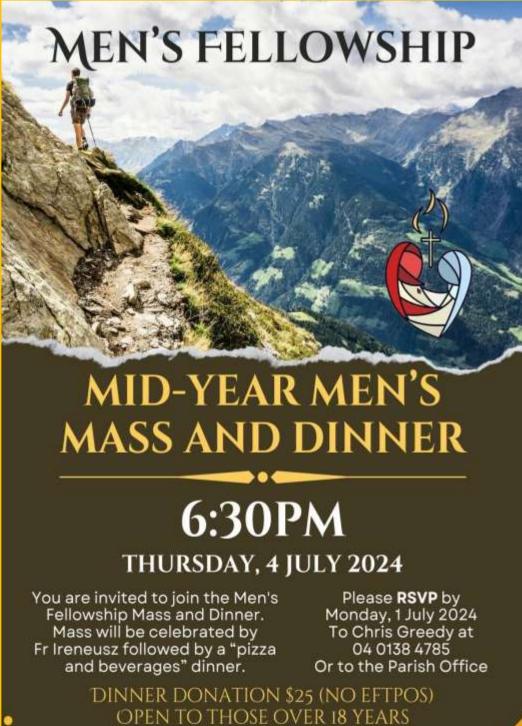


The 2024 Diocesan count will conclude this weekend of 25 & 26 May.

We would like to thank our parishioners for helping with this task for assisting with the counting over the last four weekends.

Please inform the Parish Office if you have recently changed your address, phone number or email. For Parishioners who give via credit card, please let us know if your credit card has expired or if you have changed your card. Thank you!





Sacred Heart Church

2 Richard Porter Way Pymble | 02 9144 2702

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 Deuteronomy 4: 32-34, 39-40 A reading from the book of Deuteronomy

Moses said to the people: 'Put this question to the ages that are past, that went before you, from the time God created man on earth: Was there ever a word so majestic, from one end of heaven to the other? Was anything ever heard? Did ever a people hear the voice of the living God speaking from the heart of the fire, as you heard it, and remain alive? Has any god ventured to take to himself one nation from the midst of another by ordeals, signs, wonders, war with mighty hand and outstretched arm, by fearsome terrors – all this that the Lord your God did for you before your eyes in Egypt?

'Understand this today, therefore, and take it to heart: The Lord is God indeed, in heaven above as on earth beneath, he and no other. Keep his laws and commandments as I give them to you today so that you and your children may prosper and live long in the land that the Lord your God gives you for ever.'

Responsorial Psalm Ps 32: 4-6, 18-20 R. v.12

(R.) Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

- The word of the Lord is faithful And all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love. (R.)
- With his word the heavens were made,
 By the breath of his mouth all the stars.
 He spoke; and they came to be.
 He commanded; they sprang into being.
 (R.)
- The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine. (R.)

Second Reading Romans 8: 14-17

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The spirit you received is not the spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out, 'Abba, Father!' The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God. And if we are children we are heirs as well: heirs of God and coheirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

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

Gospel Matthew 28: 16-20

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

The eleven disciples set out for Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had arranged to meet them. When they saw him they fell down before him, though some hesitated. Jesus came up and spoke to them. He said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time.'

Gospel Reflection

Meditation: How can we know who God is? Jesus revealed to his disciples the great mystery of our faith - the triune nature of one God in three persons and the inseparable union of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Jesus' mission is to reveal the glory of God to us - a Trinity of persons - God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit - and to unite us with God in a community of unbreakable unity and everlasting love. The ultimate end, the purpose for which God created us, is the entry of God's sons and daughters into the perfect unity of the blessed Trinity.

Jesus, the Son of God, reveals the Father's true nature

The Jews understood God as Creator and Father of all that he made (Deuteronomy 32:6) and they understood the nation of Israel as God's firstborn son (Exodus 4:22). Jesus reveals the Father in an unheard of sense. He is eternally Father by his relationship to his only Son, who, reciprocally, is Son only in relation to his Father (see Matthew 11:27). The Spirit, likewise, is inseparably one with the Father and the Son.

Through baptism we share in the life of the Trinity

The mission of Jesus and of the Holy Spirit are the same. That is why Jesus tells his disciples that the Spirit will reveal the glory of the Father and the Son and will speak what is true. Before his Passover, Jesus revealed the Holy Spirit as the "Paraclete" and Helper who will be with Jesus' disciples to teach and guide them "into all the truth" (John 14:17,26; 16:13). In baptism we are called to share in the life of the Holy Trinity here on earth in faith and after death in eternal light.

We can have a personal relationship with the Father and the Son through the gift and working of the Holy Spirit

How can we personally know the Father and his Son, our Lord Jesus Christ? It is the Holy Spirit who reveals the Father and the Son to us and who gives us the gift of faith to know and understand the truth of God's word. Through the Holy Spirit, we proclaim our ancient faith in the saving death and resurrection of Jesus Christ until he comes again. The Lord gives us his Holy Spirit as our divine Teacher and Helper that we may grow in the knowledge and wisdom of God. Do you seek the wisdom that comes from above and do you willingly obey God's word?

Jesus' departure and ascension into heaven was both an end and a beginning for his disciples. While it was the end of Jesus' physical presence with his beloved disciples, it marked the beginning of Jesus' presence with them in a new way. Jesus promised that he would be with them always to the end of time. He assured them of his power - a power which overcame sin and death. Now as the glorified and risen Lord, ascended to the right hand of the Father in heaven, Jesus promised to give his disciples the power of the Holy Spirit, which we see fulfilled ten days later on the Feast of Pentecost (Luke 24:49 and Acts 2:1-4). When the Lord Jesus departed physically from the apostles, they were not left alone or powerless. Jesus assured them of his presence and the power of the Holy Spirit.

Our mission is to proclaim the love of God our Father who saved us through his Son, Jesus Christ, and who unites us in his Holy Spirit

Jesus' last words to his apostles point to his saving mission and to their mission to be witnesses of his saving death and his glorious resurrection and to proclaim the good news of salvation to all the world. Their task is to proclaim the "good news" of salvation, not only to the people of Israel, but to all the nations. God's love and gift of salvation is not just for a few, or for a nation, but it is for the whole world - for all who will accept it. The Gospel (the Good News of Jesus Christ) is the power of God, the power to forgive sins, to heal, to deliver from evil and oppression, and to restore life. Do you believe in the power of the Gospel of Jesus Christ?

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Pymble Parish Roster 1/2 June 2024		
Sacred Heart (Pymble)	Sunday 9:30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes	T Hopcroft	P Adams
Altar Servers	A & T De Souza	N Adams W Rusak
Readers	Family Mass	D McGreal
Altar Society	1 June: Jan / Teresa / Marie	
Counters	2 June: A Mazzei / A Perera / T Scanlan	
OLPS (West Pymble)	Saturday 5:00pm	Sunday 8:00am
Acolytes	G Lynch	C De Sousa
Altar Servers	M & A Chisholm	D'Silva Family
Readers	E & Z Victor	C Kipps
Altar Cloth	2 June: P Ryan	

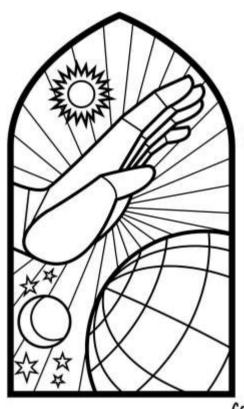
Children's Corner

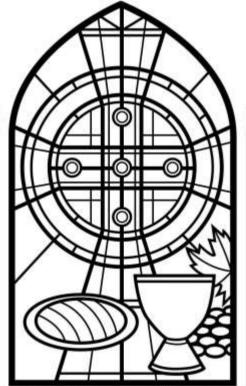
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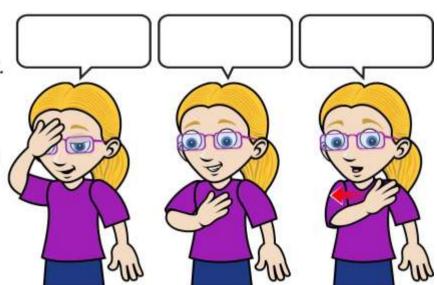


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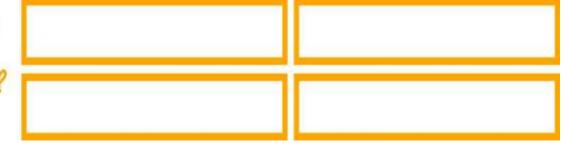
There is a simple prayer that we say almost every day, which reminds us of the Trinity. That prayer is the Sign of the Cross.

How do I make the Sign of the Cross?

- L Using your right hand, touch your forehead and say.... (fill in the 1st speech balloon)
- Touch your chest near your heart and say.... (fill in the 2nd speech balloon)
- Touch your left shoulder, then your right shoulder and say.... (fill in the 3rd speech balloon)



When and where do we use the Sign of the Cross?





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