

# Our Lady of Dolours

Parish Established 1910

The Catholic Parish of Chatswood

Diocese of Broken Bay

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

19 May 2019 – Year C/1

“2019 focus: Relationship with God”



- **Sunday 19 May** 9am – Year 1 Class Mass
- **Wednesday 22 May** 7pm - Mens' Mass & BBQ
- **Saturday 25 May** 10am – Insights into Catholic Social Justice

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MAY CENSUS CONTINUES THIS WEEKEND & NEXT



## CHARITABLE WORKS FUND APPEAL

Thank you for your donations last weekend at the CWF Appeal. If you still wish to donate, envelopes can be found at the Church doors in the foyer.

### SCHOOL ENROLMENT

Many Catholic schools are continuing their enrolment processes over the coming month, and most catholic schools require a reference. To obtain a parish reference, we ask parents to attend one of our parent gathering sessions, giving Fr Jim and members of our parish team an opportunity to meet with you and to share the opportunities for parish involvement and belonging for you and your family. Our upcoming gatherings are as follows:

- **Secondary school - Saturday 15 June at 10am**
- **Primary school – Saturday 13 July at 10am**

**Venue:** Magnificat Meeting Room, Kirk Street.

The gatherings are relaxed and informal, designed for parents, not children and either or both parents are welcome to attend. Please bring along your school reference form with your section completed to the workshop. If your reference form does not have a section for you to describe your parish involvement please download this form from the parish website. To RSVP or for more information contact [Bernadette.ho@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:Bernadette.ho@bbcatholic.org.au)

### PROCLAIMING PENTECOST

Each year Christians have gathered together in different churches at Pentecost to pray for their local area, and this year, we are hosting this gathering for the first time. Called “Proclaiming Pentecost” it will be a night of prayer, praise and intercession on the eve of Pentecost, Saturday June 8<sup>th</sup>, in our church from 7pm. Come and join us in praying for Chatswood and the North Shore.

### PENTECOST PRAISEFEST Friday evening 7<sup>th</sup> of June, 6-9pm in the church and surrounds.

A light dinner will be provided from 6:00pm before our night begins.

The event is open to high school students through to young adults up to the age of 30.

Well known and acclaimed Australian Catholic recording artist Genevieve Bryant will perform and share her testimony.

Join young people from across the Diocese, catch up with friends while enjoying our pre event Festival, encounter God through vibrant & honest Praise and Worship music, and receive spiritual nourishment through an inspiring and relevant message.

## Within the Parish

### INSIGHTS INTO CATHOLIC SOCIAL JUSTICE – 25 May. “From Scripture to Pope Francis: Tradition and Our Call to Justice”

Presented by Dr Anthony Maher, (Visiting Professor at Charles Sturt University and Education Officer for the Catholic Schools Office Diocese of Broken Bay), this formation event will explore the call to justice and mercy arising from sacred Scriptures, through to Vatican II, and as demonstrated by Pope Francis. The reflection will include discussion on how parishes may respond to the Pope’s ‘Call to Holiness’ through social justice.

**Date:** Saturday 25 May 2019

**Time:** 10:00am-12:00pm Magnificat Room, Chatswood Parish Meeting Rooms

**RSVP:** By Wednesday 22 May 2019 to Natalie Moutia [faith.formation@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:faith.formation@bbcatholic.org.au)

This formation event on 25 May is being held just prior to the SJ Around the Bay Meeting at Chatswood that afternoon at 1pm, which people may wish to participate in also. We look forward to seeing you then.

### PIETY STALL

Two NEW booklets just arrived only 75c each. ‘Understanding The Mass’ and ‘The Sacrament of Reconciliation’.

### MEN’S MASS AND FREE KOREAN BBQ



Join us for a men’s mass to celebrate friendship and our holy father. Followed by a delicious Korean BBQ dinner and beers (free) hosted by Fr Andrew. **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 7pm** in the Church.

RSVP: [Daidsunjaya@hotmail.com](mailto:Daidsunjaya@hotmail.com) or 0401560693

### NEW PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Thank you to all our givers who support the parish through their financial generosity. We also gratefully acknowledge the particularly consistent efforts of the parishioners who are supporting the parish through the Planned Giving Program envelopes. **Please collect your new 2019-2020 PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES from the main foyer of the Church from this weekend. The boxes of envelopes are in alphabetical order. Please note that your Planned Giving Envelope no. might be different from last year.** Thank you for collecting them this way as it saves a considerable amount on postage costs for the parish.



### ETHICA ACCESSORIES IN THE PARISH TODAY!

Ethica is the social enterprise of Mary MacKillop Today. We specialise in quality fair trade products ethically crafted by artisan women in Peru. We will be showcasing our alpaca range for adults and kids, there will be something for everyone.

The proceeds make a difference in the lives of the women, their families and ultimately their community. You can make a difference! Shop quality not quantity.

### I’M NEW HERE!

We warmly welcome you and we’re glad you’re here! We are delighted to have you join our parish family. We hope you will feel at home here very quickly and find the parishioners are friendly and will reach out to you to make you feel welcome. We pray that you may find warmth, encouragement and spiritual growth in Our Lady of Dolours and we look forward to getting to know you personally in the weeks and months ahead.

Please help us connect with you, we would love to hear your story, tell ours and share life’s journey together.

**What do I do next:** Please contact Bernadette Ho, New Parishioner Engagement Coordinator, on 9410 9031 or email

[bernadette.ho@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:bernadette.ho@bbcatholic.org.au) to chat or make a time to catch up personally. I’d be delighted to spend time getting to know you and to help you find ways to connect and develop a sense of belonging here within our parish. There is always lots going on in our vibrant community, I’d love to share it with you!

### WITH OUR LADY OF DOLOURS WE PRAY FOR:

**Sick:** Yin Thing Phee, Gordon Prentice, Majorie Tiong & family, Monica Wong, Tomislav Petesic, Shirley Stuart, Nora Chan and Tai Chian Chan, William Wise, Alex Noble, Gloria Soar, Michael Dignam, Grazia Baldry, Marian Pyne

**Deceased Anniversary:** Loh Guat Lin, Margarita Tu, William Joseph Saunders, Margaret Doris Saunders, Rev Brother Anselm Saunders, Fr Franko Stanich, Marko & Mara Stanich, Siegfried & Michaela Korb, Maria Gussing, Josef Egger, Hubert Gussing, Diana Carson, Alan Brodie, Mary Regina Alfred

**Recently Deceased:** Deacon Jim Caulfield



*SAFEGUARDING MESSAGE FOR MAY*  
A culture of Safeguarding values  
DIGNITY... "As the Father has loved me,  
so I have loved you; abide in my love." –  
John 15:9

## OZROSARY – Celebration of Feast of Our Lady Help of Christians

Please join us as we celebrate this special occasion in honour of Our Lady Mary Help of Christians, Patroness of Australia, for a **ROSARY** on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May at 11.30am in the forecourt of the church (weather permitting), otherwise we will have the rosary in the church. We are praying for the future and protection of our country and consecrate Australia, our Church, youth and families to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Our prayers will be joined with the prayers of thousands around Australia and the world as part of the OzRosary53 and Global Public Square Rosary projects. (Marian Catholic Action Group)



**AUTUMN AND WINDOWS:** Autumn has finally arrived, and at the moment we have pleasant days and chilly evenings. Our church has no heating, so we need to use the windows and doors wisely. Please close the windows and the interior doors at 3pm or 4pm as the afternoon begins to cool, to keep in whatever warm air there may be in the church. On warm days please open some windows again mid-morning, whenever it is warmer outside the church than in.

### WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT O.L.D.

#### **Monday**

7pm Indonesian Legion of Mary in St Peter

#### **Tuesday**

9.45am Bible Discussion in St Paul

7pm Liturgy Committee in St Paul

6.45pm Filipino Choir practice in Church

#### **Wednesday**

6.45pm Charismatic Prayer Group in St Peter

7pm MenAlive Mass & BBQ in Church & St Paul

#### **Thursday**

6.30pm English Conversations Club in St Paul

7pm Faith Enrichment in St Peter

#### **Friday**

10am Meditation in St Paul

7pm Filipino Chaplaincy Bible Study in Magnificat

7.30pm Home Rosary 45 Park Road, Naremburn

#### **Saturday**

9.45am Chinese RCIA in St Paul

4pm Chinese RCIA in Magnificat

#### **Sunday**

11.30am RCIA in St Peter

**FR ANDREW'S PILGRIMAGE** to Rome, Dubrovnik and Medjugorje from 26<sup>th</sup> August to 8<sup>th</sup> September for 14 days. If you are interested in joining this pilgrimage please pick up a brochure in the foyer of the church. Or, contact Fr Andrew through his personal email ([andykim53@hotmail.com](mailto:andykim53@hotmail.com)) to apply for the trip.

## UPDATE FROM THE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL - TUESDAY 14 MAY 2019

This week, the fourth Parish Pastoral Council meeting this year, we revisited and reflected upon how intentional disciples of Jesus are formed. Reflecting and sharing our own faith journey, we appreciated hearing faith experiences other than our own, and could identify similarities and differences in our own ongoing conversion. This led us to explore pathways that are more likely to help parishioners deepen their relationship with Jesus. We discussed what has worked well in achieving this deepening of faith in our own parish in the past, along with successful models and programmes in other parishes in our diocese and dioceses further afield. Initiatives, such as faith sharing groups that have been fruitful appear to include the five elements: Give, Connect, Worship, Grow, Serve. Other themes that emerged following reflection were the power of small groups, the desire to build trust, the need for space and time to share and build relationships. This discernment will help us formulate the next steps towards our focus for the year - supporting individuals in the parish to deepen their personal relationship with God. *Parish Pastoral Council*

## Outside the Parish

### Hosted by Catholic Schools Office, Broken Bay

Parents (and grandparents, carers) are very welcome to a day of Reflection on the topic:

**“Messy Parenting: Catholic Conversations About Raising a Family”** with guest speakers Mike & Alicia Heron, from [The Messy Parenting Project](#) (Ohio, USA). **Thurs 23 May, 9.30am – 2pm.** Held in the beautiful contemplative space of Canisius Spirituality Centre, Pymble. Cost: \$20 payable on the day. RSVP: [jo.spek@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:jo.spek@dbb.catholic.edu.au)

**Jesuit Refugee Service** and **Jesuit Mission** invite you to a screening of the **“The Staging Post”**, a beautiful documentary that follows two Afghan Hazara refugees stranded in Indonesia as a result of Australian policies on turning back boats. Facing many years in limbo, they built a community and started a school which inspired a refugee education revolution. Q&A after film. **Wed 22 May @ 7.00pm – 9.00pm**, Ron Dyer Centre, St Mary's Church, 42 Ridge St, North Sydney. Bookings: [www.trybooking.com/BCABF](http://www.trybooking.com/BCABF)

### Make a Difference through Friendship

Compeer is a special work of the St Vincent de Paul Society. Compeer's mission is to improve the quality of life and self-esteem of adults experiencing mental health challenges through one-to-one friendship with a caring volunteer. If you are friendly, accepting and looking for an enjoyable volunteer opportunity, apply on [www.compeer.org.au](http://www.compeer.org.au) or call us directly on (02) 9564 2097.

**PARISH MASS & DEVOTIONS TIMETABLE**

**Monday to Friday** - 9am & 12.15pm  
**Saturday** - 9am and 5.30pm (Vigil)  
**Sunday** - 7.30am, 9am, 10.30am and 5.30pm  
**Public Holidays** - 9am only

**Filipino Mass (in English)** 12noon; 1<sup>st</sup> Sun of month  
**Indonesian Mass;** 7pm; 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun of month  
**Family Mass** - 9am each Sunday

**Children’s Choir** at 9am Family Mass on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month (Please arrive at 8.30am for setup and practice.)  
**Kids’ Word** - Children’s Liturgy of the Word for ages 3-6 & 6-10. Meet in Church at 9am every 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays. (Except long weekends & school holidays.)  
**Youth Mass** - 5.30pm each Sunday

**Reconciliation** - 9.30am - 10.30am each Saturday & 10am-10.30am each Sunday. Any time by request.  
**Reconciliation in Korean** – 3pm Saturday in Church, fortnightly.  
**Morning Prayer** - 8.45am Monday to Saturday  
**Rosary** - 9.30am Monday to Saturday;  
**Cenacle** - each Monday at 11.30am  
**Exposition** - 9.30am - 10.30am each Saturday  
**Adoration:** Thursday after 9am mass. Ends with Divine Mercy Chaplet.  
**Novena - Our Lady of Perpetual Help** – Saturday 10.00am with **Benediction** 10.30am  
**Anointing of the Sick** - 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of month at 12.15pm Mass, during weekday Mass, before surgery or medical treatment, or by request.

**Baptisms** - Go to our website to book or contact Bernadette Ho. (*details on front page*)  
**Weddings** - Contact the parish secretary.  
 For a **Marriage/Anniversary Blessing** at a Saturday/Sunday Mass contact Nicole in the Parish Office on 9410 9000 (at least 1 month before requested Mass).

**SUNDAY MASS READINGS:**

**Entrance:** O sing a new song to the Lord, for he has worked wonders; in the sight of the nations he has shown his deliverance, alleluia.

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Acts 14:21-27 They assembled the church and gave an account of all that God had done with them.

**Responsorial Psalm:** I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** Apoc 21:1-5 He will wipe away all the tears from their eyes.

**Gospel:** Jn 13:31-35 I give you a new commandment: love one another.

**READINGS FOR WEEK DAYS:**

**MON:** Acts 14:5-18; Jn 14:21-26  
**TUES:** Acts 14:19-28; Jn 14:27-31  
**WEDS:** Acts 15:1-6; Jn 15:1-8  
**THURS:** Acts 15:7-21; Jn 15:9-11  
**FRI:** Gen 3:9-15, 20; Eph 3:14-19; Lk 8:19-21  
**Our Lady, Help of Christians**  
**SAT:** Acts 16:1-10; Jn 15:18-21

**CELEBRANTS FOR SUNDAY MASSES**

		18/19 May	25/26 May
<b>Vigil</b>	5.30pm	Fr Andrew	Fr Jim
<b>Sun</b>	7.30am	Fr Jim(K)	Bishop David
	9.00am	Fr Andrew(K)	Fr John(K)
	10.30am	Bishop David	Fr Andrew
	5.30pm	Fr John	Fr Jim(K)
	7pm	Indonesian Mass	-----

	5.30 pm Saturday	7.30 am Sunday	9 am Sunday	10.30 am Sunday	5.30 pm Sunday
Week 4 25 & 26 May	Junior Server: Isabella Ho James Ho Genevieve Ho Emanuela Leung Viviana Leung  Senior Server: Catherine Ho Mike Kilkeary	Junior Server: Phoebe Thompson Eliza Thompson  Senior Server: Gerard Ryan Rose Thompson	Junior Server: Alex Evans Tom Evans Matthew Evans Adrian Kan  Senior Server: Sean Dixon Patrick Dixon Benton Ng Nicole Ng	Junior Server: Angeline Dizon Jasmine Dizon Arwen Taqueban  Senior Server: Kenneth Dizon Walter Niemoatko Paul Taqueban	Junior Server: Eda Chiou Andrew Kim Margaret Kim Jade Jimenez Jewel Jimenez  Senior Server: Fernanda Carrillo James Godfrey

**Working in a child-related ministry in the Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay**

Paid and volunteer workers who have direct face to face contact with children (under 18 years) are required by law to obtain a Working with Children Check number. Please note though exemptions may apply in some cases. The Parish is the employer of the paid or volunteer worker and therefore is required by law to verify the Working with Children Check number. All paid or volunteer workers engaged in a child-related role must have a clear Working with Children Check to work in a child-related ministry. This disclosure references the legislation, *Child Protection (Working with Children) Act 2012*.