

# OUR LADY OF DOLOURS Chatswood Catholic Parish



29<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME  
20 October 2019 – Year C/1



- 23 October 7pm – MenAlive Mass & BBQ/Beers
- 28 October 10am – Catechist Term 4 meeting in Magnificat

**Church** - Cnr Kirk & Archer Sts,  
Chatswood  
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**EXTRAORDINARY MISSION MONTH:** As we are celebrating this month as the Extraordinary Mission Month, we will be having a Solemn Rosary celebration on **Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2019 at 7pm** in the Church. Followed by a light supper in the Magnificat room.

**HOW TO GROW IN YOUR SPIRITUAL JOURNEY:** Are you searching for where God is in your life? Are you praying, but not finding the answers or feel like you're not getting a response? Whether you have been an active Catholic for a long time or only a short time, you may benefit from Spiritual Accompaniment (also called spiritual direction), which is a one to one conversation about a person's prayer life.

On Sunday October 27<sup>th</sup> three experienced Spiritual Directors will come to our parish to present a one-hour introduction to spiritual direction and they will be available to take appointments from people who want to take up this opportunity. This gathering will be at 11.30am in the Magnificat meeting room. Please RSVP to Fr Jim [jim.mckeon@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:jim.mckeon@bbcatholic.org.au) or Gail Gill [gail.gill@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:gail.gill@bbcatholic.org.au)

**OUR PARISH GREW** by more than 130 people per weekend from 2018 to 2019, from 1344 to 1485 each weekend. This is great news and worth celebrating – and if you're one of those new people, welcome! This is why we hoped that when we gave the invitation to everyone to contribute financially as a committed giver that we would see a corresponding increase in giving, as we did last year when we had a substantial increase in giving. Some people have already returned their commitment forms – thank you to those people. Perhaps other people have taken the forms home but not yet returned them. Please do consider giving, whether by credit card, or direct debit, or by envelope according to your means. Together we can do great things in the year ahead, including upgrading the church sound system, sponsoring young people to the Australian Catholic Youth Festival, running Alpha, supporting our Community Dinners and employing another member of staff to support all of our parish ministries. There are forms by each of the doors of the church, or, if you are receiving the bulletin electronically, download by clicking on [Financial Support Pledge Form](#).

**JUST FOR MEN:** Every fortnight a group of men from our parish meet together to share what they have been reading in scripture, to pray together, and to encourage each other to be the best man, husband, father and friend they can be. This is what Men Alive is. Occasionally we have Mass and dinner together which is open to any men who want to develop their Christian discipleship. This will be on Wednesday Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm in the church. For more info call David on 0401 560 693.

**ALL SOULS DAY:** We invite parishioners to bring flowers or pictures of their loved ones to be placed in front of the altar before the Holy Mass begins as a symbol of those we are praying for during the Mass. Before the final blessing there will be a small prayer for all those loved ones represented.



## WITHIN OUR PARISH

### HSC HANGS

Come hang out with us in the Magnificat Room each Monday from 3.30pm – 5pm during September & October.

Music, meditation and mateship. Chill out and relax with friends while taking a break from preparing for the HSC. Just turn up.



We pray for all those students sitting the HSC.

**THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** is available every Thursday night from 7 – 8pm, and every Saturday morning from 9.30am – 10.30am. It is a wonderful way to admit to God our sin, and to receive his mercy and peace. You can also make an appointment to see Fr John or Fr Jim at other times as needed.

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

**Recently Deceased:** Milica Kain & Josip Kain, Shirley Stuart, Carmel Keys

**Sick:** Gordon Thomas, Monica Cotter, Rose Medina, Albert Boudville, Janis Slater, Josephine Sirabella, Pritika Rau, Julie Tang, Monica Wong, Louis Nortje, Tristan Worledge, William Wise, Alex Noble



### Baptisms:

Ava Seeto, Katia Mustaca, Harper Villamayor & Alice Aspiras



## Coming Event for the Catechist Ministry

The Catechist Meeting for Term 4 will be happening on the 28<sup>th</sup> October 2019 in the Magnificat Meeting Room from 10am – 12noon. We will have morning tea from 9.30am. See you there! Please RSVP to Maricel by phoning 9410 9029 or emailing [maricel.malapira@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:maricel.malapira@bbcatholic.org.au)

### PARENT'S CONNECT GATHERING

For parents requiring a reference for school enrolment, we invite you to join us at our final gathering for the year, Saturday 26 October, 11am – 12pm, in the Magnificat Room (Corner Kirk and Archer Streets). A great space for parents to reflect and share, in addition to providing details of spiritual support offered in the parish. We look forward to spending time with you. Please book online through the parish website [www.bbcatholic.org.au/chatswood](http://www.bbcatholic.org.au/chatswood) or contact [Bernadette.ho@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:Bernadette.ho@bbcatholic.org.au). Dates for our 2020 gatherings are available on the website.



Once a year, we run a preparation program for children between the ages of 6 and 12 who would like to be baptised.

This program includes the parents and child attending preparation sessions together in a small group with other children and families.

Our next Kids' Baptism Program will begin **NEXT Sunday 27 October 2019.**

**To find out more or to enrol your child:-**

Go the parish website:

<http://www.chatswood.dbb.org.au>

From the home page:

- Click on **Sacraments**
- Click on **Baptism**
- Click on **Kids Baptism**
- Click on **Kids Baptism Program Dates**

Please print and read this file so that you know all the dates and events for the Kids Baptism program

When you are ready to enrol;

- Click on **Kids Baptism Enrolment Form**
- Please print and complete this form then email it to [angela.hague@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:angela.hague@bbcatholic.org.au)

*If you would like to discuss baptism for your child, please contact **Angela at the Parish Office.***

# LITURGICAL RECEPTION AND SOLEMN MASS OF INSTALLATION

*The Most Reverend Anthony Randazzo* DD, JCL

AS THE FOURTH BISHOP OF BROKEN BAY

ON MONDAY 4 NOVEMBER 2019 AT 6.45PM

at

THE LIGHT OF CHRIST CENTRE, 28 YARDLEY AVENUE, WAITARA



## NOVEMBER MASSES

November is the month of praying for people we love who have died, launched by All Saints Day on Friday November 1<sup>st</sup> and All Souls Day on Saturday November 2<sup>nd</sup>. We will celebrate additional Masses on these days. **All Saints Day Masses Friday Nov 1<sup>st</sup> 9am and 12.15pm. All Souls Day Masses 7pm Friday Nov 1<sup>st</sup> (vigil), Saturday Nov 2<sup>nd</sup> 7am and 9am. Note that the 5.30pm Mass on Saturday Nov 2<sup>nd</sup> is the vigil of the Sunday, not an All Souls Day Mass.** A remembrance book for writing the names of people who have died is in the foyer of the church.

## COMMUNITY DINNERS

Join us for our Community Dinner each Saturday night 6.30pm – 7.30pm in Harrington Hall (the south side of O.L.D. school yard. This is not just for our parishioners, but for anybody who eats alone and would like to share a meal in company. It is provided by four teams of volunteers drawn from our parish and Catholic school communities.

## COLUMBAN ART CALENDAR 2020

The Columban Art Calendar is an iconic Catholic calendar, well known for its traditional religious paintings and liturgical information and is a major fundraiser for the Columban missionaries. 2020 marks the 98th edition. Now available in our Piety Stall at a mere cost of \$9 each.

**CORRECTION TO AFTER-HOURS EMERGENCY MOBILE NUMBER NOTICE:** Please be advised that the mobile number listed in the 6 October bulletin was incorrect. The correct after-hours emergency mobile number is 0473 046 906 (as printed on the left-hand side of this page). Apologies for any confusion this may have caused.

## WALK WITH CHRIST

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 **Sunday 24 November 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 24 November.

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

### Monday

3.30pm HSC Hangout in Magnificat  
7pm Indonesian Legion of Mary in St Peter

### Tuesday

9.30am Bible discussion in St Paul  
6.30pm Acclaim Spiritual Ministry in Magnificat  
6.45pm Filipino Chaplaincy Choir practice in church

### Wednesday

7pm MenAlive Mass & BBQ in Church/forecourt  
7pm Indonesian Music practice in Magnificat

### Thursday

6.30pm English Conversations Club in St Paul  
7pm Faith Enrichment Group in St Peter

### Friday

10am "Inner Smile Meditation" in St Paul  
7pm Faith-filled Fridays in Magnificat  
7.30pm Home Rosary 239 Mowbray Rd Chatswood

### Saturday

9.45am Chinese RCIA in St Paul  
11am Bible Discussion in St Paul  
11am Parent Connect Group in Magnificat  
4pm Chinese RCIA in Magnificat  
6.30pm Community Dinner in Harrington Hall

### Sunday

10am Kids Baptism (Session 1) in St Peter

## A PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND OF ISRAEL

Watch the Gospels come alive on this most authentic faith journey. Live on location in the Holy Land of Israel. Experience Jesus' life from Bethlehem to Nazareth and Galilee to Jerusalem.

**BETHLEHEM; NAZARETH; JERICHO; JERUSALEM; MT TABOR; MT NEBO & Mt CARMEL; PETRA; CAESAREA MARITIMA & QUMRAN CAVES; FLOAT IN THE DEAD SEA; BOATING IN THE SEA OF GALILEE; MARRIAGE VOWS RENEWAL AT CANA**

Departure: 11th October 2020 from Sydney  
Arrival: 21st October 2020 at Sydney

If you are interested, please attend the Information Meeting with Magi Holidays; November 2, St Peter's Room @ 11am.

**PARISH MASS & DEVOTIONS TIMETABLE**

**Monday to Friday** – Monday 12.15pm, Tuesday & Wednesday 9am, Thursday 9am & 12.15pm, Friday 9am

**Saturday** - 9am and 5.30pm (Vigil)

**Sunday** - 7.30am, 9am, 10.30am and 5.30pm

**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.)

**Teen Choir** at 9am Family Mass on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month.

**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 & 7pm-8pm each Thursday. Any time by request.

**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. Also, on Thursdays 7-8pm.

**Novena - Our Lady of Perpetual Help** – Saturday 10.00am with **Benediction** 10.30am

**Anointing of the Sick** - 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of month at 12.15pm 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 94109000 (*at least 1 month before requested Mass*)

**SUNDAY MASS READINGS:**

**Entrance:** For you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Ex 17:8-13 As long as Moses kept his arms raised, Israel had the advantage.

**Responsorial Psalm:** Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** 2 Tim 3:14 – 4:2 This is how the people of God become equipped and ready for every good work.

**Gospel:** Lk 18:1-8 God will see those who cry to him vindicated.

**READINGS FOR WEEK DAYS:**

**MON:** Rom 4:20-25; Lk 12:13-21

**TUES:** Rom 5:12, 15, 17-21; Lk 12:35-38

**WEDS:** Rom 6:12-18; Lk 12:39-48

**THURS:** Rom 6:19-23; Lk 12:49-53

**FRI:** Rom 7:18-25; Lk 12:54-59

**SAT:** Rom 8:1-11; Lk 13:1-9

**CELEBRANTS FOR SUNDAY MASSES**

		19/20 Oct	26/27 Oct
<b>Vigil</b>	5.30pm	Fr John	Fr John
<b>Sun</b>	7.30am	Fr Jim	Bishop David
	9.00am	Fr John	Fr John(K)
	10.30am	Bishop David	Fr Jim(K)
	5.30pm	Fr Jim	Fr Jim

	5.30 pm Saturday	7.30 am Sunday	9 am Sunday	10.30 am Sunday	5.30 pm Sunday
Week 4 26 & 27 October	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 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*.