St Patrick's Parish Gosford

The Communities of St Patrick's East Gosford, St Francis of Assisi Somersby & Holy Trinity Spencer Neighbourhoods of Grace, entrusted to the care of the Salvatorians.



YEAR OF TRUST AT ST PATRICK'S

Children and young people will be kept safe by adults who treat them with care, respect and compassion.

DROUGHT RELIEF PRAYER CAMPAIGN

The Catholic Bishops of Australia have announced a National Prayer Campaign for Drought to take place during November. People across the country are encouraged to pray for the gift of rain, for people affected by the drought and to provide practical support, where possible. The Bishops note that large parts of the country are directly affected by the drought, but the impact is national – and so should the response be national. Access resources and find out more at: www.catholic.org.au/drought



HAPPY BIRTHDAY, CHERYL WALSH ST PATRICK'S PRIMARY PRINCIPAL & PARISHIONER!

The parishioners wish you well for the coming years and we thank you for your wonderful work as Principal at St Patrick's School.

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WARNING

Please note that an email scammer is currently using Fr Greg's name to try and email people. Always check the actual email address to ensure that the email is really from Fr Greg.



BISHOP ANTHONY RANDAZZO'S LITURGICAL RECEPTION AND SOLEMN MASS - NOVEMBER 4 2019

LITURGICAL RECEPTION AND SOLEMN MASS OF INSTALLATION

The Most Reverend Anthony Randazza 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

Bishop Anthony Randazzo's Liturgical Reception and Solemn Mass - 4 November 2019. Bishop Anthony will be installed as the fourth Bishop of Broken Bay on Monday 4 November 2019 at 6.45pm at The Light of Christ Centre, Waitara at a special Liturgical Reception and Solemn Mass. *The Parish Bus will depart Gosford at 5.15pm. Supper follows and we may not depart Waitara until 9.30pm......Booking sheet available in the foyer of the church.*

FR FRANCIS JORDAN SDS

"Carry on your spiritual dialogue with the Savior. Sit, at his feet, humble and docile, and attend to His words."



POPE FRANCIS' NOVEMBER 2019 INTENTION

Dialogue and Reconciliation in the Near East.

That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.



A warm welcome to our parishioners and visitors who are celebrating the Eucharist with us this weekend at St Patrick's Parish.

76 York St East Gosford NSW 2250



ST PATRICK'S PARISH GOSFORD **PASTORAL CARE**

Fr Grzegorz [Greg] Skulski SDS

Parish Priest Email: greg@sds.org.au Paul Tran SDS Deacon:



Society of the Divine Saviour

http://www.sds.org.au

PARISH OFFICE

SALVATORIANS

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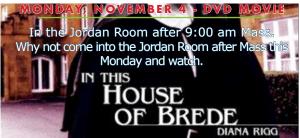
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Christian Brothers' Community

Frederick Street, East Gosford Br Peter Hester cfc [Community Leader] Br Rod Shoebridge cfc



CHURCH OPEN DAILY 8:30AM - 4:30PM.

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Cancer Prayers:

9:00am 4th Tuesday Monthly in Jordan Room

Grief & Loss, Prayer & Support: 1st Thursday Monthly 2pm in Jordan Room Craft Group - Friday each week of School Term 9:30am - 12:00pm

Movie Night 4th Sat Night Monthly after 5:00pm Mass.



After 9:00am Mass in the Jordan Room.

All proceeds to Charities



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NEXT EVENT IS FRIDAY, NOV 15.

In the School Hall 7:00 pm on 2nd and 4th Friday of each Month. Parents of Primary School Children contact Melissa Monaghan and book your youngsters in for a few hours of fun in a spiritual environment.

Enquiries to Melissa 0434 251 481

ST PATRICK'S PARISH YOUTH GROUP YOUTH GROUP MEETING

Tonight, November 3 after 6:00 pm Mass in the Jordan Room. Pizza, food, games, memes and more. Exploring the Catholic faith through talks, small groups, prayer and bible study, all as part of a stable community of young people. Good Music. Quality Banter.

MONDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY GROUP

7:00pm in the Jordan Room, all are welcome.

NOVEMBER – THE MONTH OF REMEMBRANCE

As you are all aware, November is the month of remembrance of our departed family and friends. If you would like Mass offered for yours, envelopes are available at all pews today. Please write the names of those you would like remembered [IN BLOCK LETTERS] and pop in your donation. All the names given will be placed in a Book of Remembrance which will be available for viewing at the sanctuary.

MASSES OF REMEMBRANCE:

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE AT PT CLARE CEMETERY TUESDAY NOVEMBER 12, 2019 @ 11AM. According to our practice established many years ago, we will hold a special Mass of Remembrance at Pt Clare Cemetery on Tuesday November 12.

All who have loved ones there may be particularly interested in attending.

THE CWF BRINGS JOY!

This week, we will be sharing Rachel and Clare's stories about their experience as students and now catechists themselves!

There will be a CWF video shown at Masses on the weekend of 2/3 Nov. The video highlights CCD as one of the Diocesan services funded by CWF.

In the CWF video this week we meet Rachel and Clare who are two catechists from Epping/Carlingford Parish. As students, they attended a Public School in our Diocese where they received weekly lessons from a Catholic Special Religious Education (SRE) teacher (catechist) who was supported by CCD. Clare even converted to Catholicism thanks to her positive experience with SRE. Currently, 15 children from Public Schools are preparing for 1st Communion in our Parish. Perhaps someone you

know has benefited from a SRE class in a Public School. This is made possible through Parish catechist teams, CCD and donations to CWF. How can you contribute? Call Alain (0414273654) to enquire about joining our catechist team. Here's the link to the CWF video - <u>https://www.youtube.</u> com/watch?v=-zTVi5eXq0s&t=4s

Thanks & blessings

Alain Corne

CWF APPEAL

COMMENCES THIS SUNDAY NOVEMBER 3 -ONLINE GIVING NOW AVAILABLE!

This weekend we will commence the second of the Charitable Works Fund Appeals contributing to the good works of the Diocese of Broken Bay, and this appeal will focus on the work of Catechists in our parishes.

Envelopes are available this weekend, but now online giving has been introduced to make giving a little easier. Just log on to <u>http://www.givenow.com.au/cwf</u> and follow the prompts.

Your giving will be allocated against our parish's levy [some \$10,000+ per appeal] and your tax receipt for this 100% deducible giving, will be issued directly from the Diocese of Broken Bay. We are aware of the many worthy charities that need your support and hope that you will include this appeal, and levy placed on the parish to enable their work, to be amongst them.

PIETY STALL HELPERS NEEDED

The St Vincent de Paul Society operates our Piety Stall for your convenience but is now in desperate need of more helpers. Could you please enquire at the stall if you are interested, or call Pat on 0403 711 590.

PIETY STALL SALE

St Vincent de Paule "The Columban Calendar"	\$8.00
Christmas cards in packs of eight	\$6.00
and for old stock	\$3.00

Tel: 4325-1042 ♦ email: patsgos@acs.net.au ♦ Web: <u>www.bbcatholic.org.au/gosford</u>

THE DIOCESE CELEBRATES ROBYN NEVIN A CATECHIST OF 55 YEARS STANDING!

We offer our congratulations to Robyn who'll be awarded for her 55 years' service as a Catechist at the Annual CCD Mass this Saturday, November 9 at Waitara. We look forward to next Sunday in our parish, when we will similarly congratulate Robyn, and others who have significant years of service as Catechists.

VOLUNTEERS THANKSGIVING MASS AND DINNER

Come, all volunteers, and celebrate another successful year at St Pats!

Thanksgiving Mass at 7.00 pm followed by dinner in the hall, Tuesday, November 26 2019.

We have many rostered, and unrostered, volunteers in ministries and service who give of their time regularly in this parish and Fr Greg would like to say 'THANK YOU!' with Mass and a shared meal.

For catering purposes, please RSVP by November 20 to the office via call or email:patsgos@acs.net.au

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT CLAIM THE DATE!

Saturday December 14. Pop this in your diary – directly after the 5pm Mass. More details to come soon!

COMMISSIONING SERVICES AT OUR 6:00 PM MASS THIS SUNDAY

After receiving the necessary training, we welcome and commission at the 6:00 pm Mass this weekend Matthew French, Joseph & Marissa Hussein and Nate Sullivan as our new Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.

Fr Greg would also like to take this opportunity to commission, Senior Server, Jacob Curcio, and EMHC, Sherree Sullivan.

We thank them all for their stewardship of their parish and invite others who would like to become Eucharistic Ministers to please speak with Fr Greg, or contact the office. We have a number of vacancies, especially at the 5:00 pm Vigil and 7:30 am Masses, and your service would be very much appreciated.

THANK YOU

Thank you from the Mountains catechist team to our bus drivers, John Moriarty and Brian Jay. These two volunteer bus drivers transported the students from four Mountain schools to/from our School Mass at the Divine Retreat Centre last Tuesday – much appreciated!

Thanks & blessings, Alain Corne

SPECIAL MASS OF THANKSGIVING & HEALING

AT ST PATRICK'S FRIDAY NOVEMBER 8

This special Mass will be held at St Pat's at 7:00 pm on Friday, November 8, celebrated and directed by the Vincentians of the Divine Retreat Centre, Somersby.

All parishioners are welcome to come and celebrate this special Mass at St Patrick's

ALL SAINTS DAY ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL MASS

A beautiful and joyous Mass wsa enjoyed by St Patrick's chidren and many others. The children came dressed as their favorite Saint and Fr Greg encouraged the children to join in with singing and dancing.

For copy of any Photos please contact the school . tomcroll@photom.com.au. All proceeds to the Church.





ALL SAINTS DAY AT ST PATRICK'S - FR GREG DRESSED AS A SAINT





ALL SAINTS DAY AT ST PATRICK'S-DENNIE DERSSED AS FR FRANCIS JORDAN

NOTICE FOR PARISHIONERS WHO USE HEARING AIDS HEARING AID LOOP IN THE CHURCH.



There is a Hearing Aid induction loop installed in St Patricks which covers all Pews on the left side of the church. This hearing aid loop device allows hearing aid users to hear anyone using a microphone.

To access the loop switch your hearing aid to the position you use to

listen on the telephone.

Most hearing aids have at least three switch positions and usually, the second or third position is for on the phone or an installed loop system, like the one installed inside St Pats.

If your hearing Aid seems to be unable to avail of this facility, or you are unsure how to use it, advice on its use is available. Please advise the office if you wish to have help or advice. A group discussion and demonstration can be arranged.

SPIRITUAL HEALING APPOINTMENTS

SR MARGARET SCULLY RSC

Sr Margaret will be in the Parish on November 20 and is available for spiritual healing appointments. To book some time with Sr Margaret please phone 9810 2499, her e-mail is playing up, so please use phone.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR BREAKFAST AFTER MASS TODAY

AFTER 7:00 AM AND 9:00 AM MASSES



St Patrick's Parish Fundraising Breakfasts are coming back!

Join us in the Jordan room on the first Sunday of the month after the 7:30am and 9am Masses Bacon/sausage and egg sandwich \$5 Coffee \$4 Tea \$3 Hot Choc \$4

ALTAR SERVERS

FLIP OUT FOR TWO HOURS OF FUN & FOOD! SUNDAY NOVEMBER 10 AT 11:30 am.

We're inviting all altar servers to join us for some end of year fun at Flipout, 10 Hely Street West Gosford from 11:30 am.

If you have grip socks already, please bring them! RSVP by Friday, November 1:

email: patsgos@acs.net.au or Ph: 4325 1042 PARENTS ARE WARMLY WELCOME, INDEED ENCOURAGED!



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MINI FETE NOVEMBER 16 & 17

AFTER EACH MASS, MARK YOUR CALENDAR -



Cakes, puddings, books, crafts, plants, CD's, white elephant stall etc. Proceeds to Lay Salvatorian Projects.

A great chance to clean out some stuff from the attic or show off your cooking skills.



Donation of hard Goods to the Parish Office by Nov. 10.

If you are able to man a stall on the day please contact Cecilia Coughlin.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

CF. PS 37:22-23

Forsake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me!

Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation!

FIRST READING

WIS 11:22 - 12:2

A reading from the book of Wisdom

You have mercy on all things because you love everything that exists.

In your sight, Lord, the whole world is like a grain of dust that tips the scales, like a drop of morning dew falling on the ground.

Yet you are merciful to all, because you can do all things and overlook men's sins so that they can repent.

Yes, you love all that exists, you hold nothing of what you have made in abhorrence, for had you hated anything, you would not have formed it.

And how, had you not willed it, could a thing persist, how be conserved if not called forth bv vou?

You spare all things because all things are yours, Lord, lover of life, you whose imperishable spirit is in all.

Little by little, therefore, you correct those who offend, you admonish and remind them of how they have sinned, so that they may abstain from evil and trust in you, Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PS 144:1-2. 8-11. 13-14. R. SEE V.1 (R.) I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

I will give you glory, O God my King, I will bless your name for ever.

I will bless you day after day and praise your name for ever.

(R.) I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

The Lord is kind and full of compassion, slow to anger, abounding in love.

How good is the Lord to all, compassionate to all his creatures.

(R.) I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord, and your friends shall repeat their blessing.

They shall speak of the glory of your reign and declare your might, O God.

(R.) I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

The Lord is faithful in all his words and loving in all his deeds.

The Lord supports all who fall and raises all who are bowed down.

(R.) I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

SECOND READING

2 THES 1:11 - 2:2

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians

be glorified in you and you in him.

We pray continually that our God will make you worthy of his call, and by his power fulfil all your desires for goodness and complete all that you have been doing through faith; because in this way the name of our Lord Jesus Christ will be glorified in you and you in him, by the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

To turn now, brothers, to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and how we shall all be gathered round him: please do not get excited too soon or alarmed by any prediction or rumour or any letter claiming to come from us, implying that the Day of the Lord has already arrived.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

JN 3:16 Alleluia, alleluia!

God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have eternal life. Alleluia

GOSPEL

LK 19:1-10 A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

The Son of Man came to seek and to find that which was lost.

Jesus entered Jericho and was going through the town when a man whose name was Zacchaeus made his appearance; he was one of the senior tax collectors and a wealthy man. He was anxious to see what kind of man Jesus was, but he was too short and could not see him for the crowd; so he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to catch a glimpse of Jesus who was to pass that way. When Jesus reached the spot he looked up and spoke to him: 'Zacchaeus, come down. Hurry, because I must stay at your house today.' And he hurried down and welcomed him joyfully. They all complained when they saw what was happening. 'He has gone to stay at a sinner's house' they said. But Zacchaeus stood his ground and said to the Lord, 'Look, sir, I am going to give half my property to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody I will pay him back four times the amount.' And Jesus said to him, 'Today salvation has come to this house, because this man too is a son of Abraham; for the Son of Man has come to seek out and save what was lost.'

COMMUNION ANTIPHON CF. PS 15:11

You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.

SCRIPTURE COMMENTARY

BY DIANNE BERGANT CSA

The universal love and providence of the creator is celebrated in this most unusual reading from Wisdom. This passage depicts a creator who is personally involved with every dimension of the natural world. We find here the same cosmic power as seen in other creation passages, but it is coupled with love and mercy. We also see the immensity of God, and the love that Lk 20:27 - 38

The name of our Lord Jesus Christ will God has for creation. Just as the power of the creator is matched by the love of the creator, so is this love manifested through mercy. Perhaps an even more daring statement concerns the imperishable spirit of God that exists in all things.

> The responsorial psalm opens with an acclamation closely associated with God's name revealed at the time of the reestablishment of the covenant (cf. Exod 34:6). In these two verses covenant language abounds. God is described as gracious, compassionate, and filled with lovingkindness. The works of the Lord include everything that God has made as well as everything that God has done. There is a comprehensiveness to this call for praise. The faithful of the Lord are those who are holy, those who are bound to God in covenant loyalty. It is not enough that they enjoy the privilege of belonging to God's kingdom. Through them, God invites the entire universe to participate in it.

> Paul addresses two very important issues: the fruition of the Christians' calling by God; and the correct teaching about the final coming of Christ. He addresses the Christians with familial titles, indicating both his relationship with them as together constituting children of God and members of the church, and his personal commitment to them. The goal of Christian maturity is the glorification of the name of Jesus. Paul insists that Christian living is based, not on the performance of good works, but on faith in Jesus. Paul taught that in faith and through baptism, Christians have died with Christ and risen with him, and now live resurrected lives. He also taught that fulfilment has not been brought to its ultimate completion. Paul teaches an 'already-but-not-yet' eschatology.

> The story of Zacchaeus demonstrates once again the mission of Jesus to seek and to save what is lost. Despite his obvious disrepute, Zacchaeus is described as possessing several very honourable qualities. His interest in seeing Jesus overrode any shame he may have experienced in having to climb the tree. He responded immediately to Jesus, and the sincerity of his transformation is seen in the extent of his restitution. The narrative draws bold lines of contrast between Jesus' attitude toward this man and that of the people who witnessed the encounter. Jesus insisted that only those who are lost can be found; only those who are perishing can be saved. Those who revere themselves as righteous seldom understand this and, as a result, miss opportunities for their own salvation.

MONDAY NOV 4

St Charles Borromeo, bishop

FRIDAY NOV 1 All Saints - Solemnity **SATURDAY NOV 9**

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

NEXT WEEKS READINGS

SUNDAY NOV 10

1st Reading: 2 Macc 7: 1 - 2, 9 - 14 2nd Reading 2 Thes 2:16 - 3:5 Gospel

Your Roster – Novemberber 10, 32nd Sunday Ordinary Time Year [C]					
MASS	VIGIL 5:00	7:30am	9:00am	6:00pm	Somersby - 6:3
DATE	2.11.19	3.11.19	3.11.19	3.11.19	2.11.19
Audio/Visual	Robert Biviano	Bernie Pannell	Greg McBride	Joe Tropiano	Melissa Monaghan
Acolytes	Sam Giddings	Eunice Dal Busco	Peter McLean	Kevin O'Donnell	Altar Society:
	Sean Pearson	Sheila Evans	Peter Jukius	Patrick Nicholls	Vicki Muscat
Lectors	Terry Cooke	Gerard Price	John Miller	Youth	Melissa Monaghan
	Bridget Sharp	Regina Fong	Neil Murphy	Cheryl Walsh	Marisa Xuereb
Commentator	Bridget Sharp	Ron Begg	Chris Paget	Youth	Michael Monaghan
Extraordinary	Nicole Murphy	Joy McHugh	Anne Lovett	Corrie Dunn	Maria Lentini
Ministers of	Fiona Bolton	Anna Neale	Frances Mathey	Anna Llige	Michael Monaghan
The Eucharist	Vic Camilleri	Gerard Price	Margaret Mathieson	Anne Mackson	
	Rosemary Lee	Lucy Price		Margaret Pratt	
Altar	Taz Parry	Sebastian Eager	Cohen Sutton	Vito De Toffol	Antoinette Xuereb
Servers	Lachlan Murphy	Laura Eager	Indigo Sutton	Remi De Toffol	Alex Camilleri
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			Yuna Iwasaki		
COUNTERS	ALTAR LINEN	ALTAR SOCIETY	CHILDRENS	PARISH BUS	HOSPITAL
November 4 Dianna Addis Fiona Eaton November 11 Ron Begg Marie Cradock	P/up Nov 11. Josie McGuinness Ret'n Nov 15.	Sat, Nov 9 Fran Thompson Barbara Mills Roslyn McMahon Audrey Morris Catherine Shaw	LITURGY Sunday Nov 10 Cheryl Frazer Lucy Frazer	October Nov 10 Driver: John Donnelly Helper Brenda Donnelly	VISITATION Nov 10 Eunice Dal Busco Laraine Rowe

YOUR PRAYERS PLEASE

MASS INTENTIONS				
Date	Mass	Intention		
Sat 2/11	9:00a Gosford 5:00p Gosford 6:30p Somersby	NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES Recently Deceased MELITA WATERS Recently Deceased CHARLIE CLEMENT Prayers for Emmanuel Gauci		
Sun 3/11	7:30a Gosford 9:00a Gosford 6:00p Gosford	PARISH INTENTIONS Recently Deceased DAVID BELL NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES		
Mon 4/11	9:00a Gosford	NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES		
Tue 5/11	9:00a Gosford 7:00p Gosford	NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES Recently Deceased MRS HOGAN		
Wed 6/11	11:30a Gosford	NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES		
Thu 7/11	9:00a Gosford 12:40p St Joey's	NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES +Anniversary FRANZ HAKVOORT		
Fri 8/11	12:00n Gosford	NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES		
Sat 9/11	9:00a Gosford 5:00p Gosford 6:30p Somersby	PERSONAL INTENTIONS NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES		
Sun 10/11	7:30a Gosford 9:00a Gosford 4:00p Spencer 6:00p Gosford	+ Anniversary JOHN BUTLER PARISH INTENTIONS NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES		

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SERIOUSLY ILL MEMBERS **OF OUR COMMUNITY:**

Sheila Eaton, Marie O'Donovan, Margaret Kings, Megan McGowan, Kellie Nevin, Charlie Sammut, Rachael Lees, Brian Graham, Arlene Peters, Kath Ryan, John Burg, Peter & Lena O'Donovan, Tina Learwood, Allan Francis, Brian Loo, Bev Meehan, Michael Graham, Glenn Mills, Frank McGuinness, Angela Cunningham, Simon Low, Christopher Graham, Frances Cannon, Margaret Gunnlson, Sonia Cummings, Anna-Marie Rowan, Melita Waters, Judy Wennerborn, Helen Bligh, Scott McKinnon.

RECENTLY DECEASED:

Emmanuel Gauci, Mrs Hogan, David Bell, Steven Kim, Charlie Clement.

CONDOLENCES:

Sincere condolences to Gary & Elaine Bell on the loss of Gary's beloved brother, David.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Emmanuel Gauci, Mrs Hogan, David Bell, Steven Kim, Charlie Clement.

REMEMBRANCES:

During November, all Remembrances are recorded in the Book of Remembrance.



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A HUGH THANK YOU

FROM JOSIE MCGUINNESS AND FAMILY.

Josie wished to thank all those kind people who helped and attended the Memorial Mass offered for Ian, her late husband.

Thank you, the Most Rev Dr David Ranson who celebrated Mass for Ian and gave a beautiful and wellarticulated homily. The supper afterwards was attended by almost all those who attended the Mass.

Josie would especially like to thank Cecilia, Margaret and Eunice, for their help in setting up the Jordan room and cleaning up afterwards.





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NEXT MOVIE NIGHT - 26th November

MOVIE:- The Last Straw (Rated PG)

Discover the true meaning of Christmas one piece at a time; Its Christmas time at the McDonald house, but with the chil-dren's constant bickering, silent nights and days are nowhere to be found.

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