



# GOSFORD PARISH

*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.*



Put your *Hope* in God! 

Psalm 42:5

## POPE FRANCIS ON HOPE:

"Dear young people, do not be afraid of making decisive choices in life. Have faith; the Lord will not abandon you!"

"From my point of view, God is the light that illuminates the darkness, even if it does not dissolve it, and a spark of divine light is within each of us."

"Although the life of a person is in a land full of thorns and weeds, there is always a space in which the good seed can grow. You have to trust God."

"Let us pray for peace: peace in the world and in each of our hearts."

"God's love calls us to move beyond fear. We ask God for the courage to put on faith, hope and love as we go out into the world and become the word in body as well as spirit."

## HERE ARE FIVE VERSES THAT DEMONSTRATE THE HOPE WE CAN FIND IN JESUS CHRIST.

### 1 JOHN 5:13-14

I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God that you may know that you have eternal life. And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us.

### 1 PETER 1:3-6

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials, so that the tested genuineness of your faith—more precious than gold that perishes though it is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honour at the revelation of Jesus Christ.

### EPHESIANS 2:8-10

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of



**Go and sell whatever you have and come follow me.**

works, so that no one may boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

### 2 CORINTHIANS 4:16-18

So we do not lose heart. Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal.

### JOHN 4:13-14

Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never be thirsty again, The water that I will give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life."



## POPE FRANCIS' OCTOBER 2021 INTENTION

### Missionary Disciples

We pray that every baptised person may be engaged in evangelisation, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavour of the Gospel.



## BLESSED FRANCIS JORDAN SDS

"Only in living union with God, the holy maker of all, can one successfully work for the wellbeing of one's neighbour..."

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35 YEARS  
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**THE YEAR  
OF ST JOSEPH  
& THE FAMILY  
2021**



## ST PATRICK'S PARISH GOSFORD

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Tim Mara

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## MASSES LIVE STREAMED

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC44NSRmeB1mg\\_EKIJUFJpvg/live](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC44NSRmeB1mg_EKIJUFJpvg/live)

### GOSFORD, 76 YORK STREET EAST GOSFORD

<b>Mon:</b>	9:00am	<b>Wed:</b>	11:30am	<b>Fri:</b>	12:00pm
<b>Tue:</b>	9:00am	<b>Thu:</b>	9:00am	<b>Sat:</b>	9:00am

## WEEKEND MASSES

### GOSFORD, 76 YORK STREET EAST GOSFORD

**Sun: 9:30 am**



YEAR OF THANKSGIVING FOR  
**BLESSED FRANCIS JORDAN**

21st July 2021 - 21st July 2022

SALVATORIANS AUSTRALIA

## ROSARY EVERY NIGHT AT 9:00 PM

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC44NSRmeB1mg\\_EKIJUFJpvg/live](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC44NSRmeB1mg_EKIJUFJpvg/live)

## BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL, IS CLOSED DUE TO COVID LOCKDOWN

### ST PATRICK'S GROUPS MEETINGS

Cancer Prayer Group

Craft Group

Grief & Loss Support

MenAlive

Prayers for Christian Unity

Prayer Group DVDs

Prayer Group & Bible Discussion

Bible Study - Monday night

Youth Group

Salvatorian Collaborators

Women's Faith Circle

Children, Yrs 5 & 6

Family Group



### NOTE:

**ALL ADVERTISED ACTIVITIES ARE SUBJECT TO ANY GOVERNMENT COVID RULINGS AND THEREFORE WILL BE POSTPONED OR CANCELLED IF "STAY AT HOME" OR "LOCKDOWN" RULES ARE IN PLACE.**

## NATIONAL CATHOLIC LEADERSHIP STANDARDS LEADERSHIP, MONITORING & IMPROVEMENT

STANDARD 1 – COMMITTED LEADERSHIP, GOVERNANCE & CULTURE

Key Elements of Standard 1:

- † A Commitment to Safeguarding
- † Promoting a Safeguarding Culture
- † Safeguarding Policies
- † Code of Conduct

## SAFEGUARDING OFFICER HILARY POPE



IF YOU SEE ANY ACTIVITIES INVOLVING CHILDREN OR VULNERABLE ADULTS THAT CONCERNS YOU, PLEASE EMAIL HILARY POPE, OUR SAFEGUARDING OFFICER AT [HILARY.P1@OPTUSNET.COM.AU](mailto:HILARY.P1@OPTUSNET.COM.AU).

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## A MESSAGE FROM FR PAUL

WE WISH FR PAUL BON VOYAGE

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## OCTOBER, MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY



### ROSARY 20 MINUTES BEFORE MASS ON SUNDAYS IN OCTOBER.

The month of October (Overview - Calendar) is dedicated to the Holy Rosary. According to an account by fifteenth-century Dominican, Alan de la Roch, Mary appeared to St. Dominic in 1206 after he had been praying and doing severe penances because of his lack of success in combating the Albigensian heresy. Mary praised him for his valiant fight against the heretics and then gave him the Rosary as a mighty weapon, explained its uses and efficacy, and told him to preach it to others.

## PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Would anyone who would like to collect their planned giving envelopes which were available in the church the weekend we locked down [June 27, 2021] please contact the office on 4325 1042 to arrange contactless collection. We have had a number of givers using anything at hand in which to place their donations and we would like to offer this opportunity for more convenient giving. We look forward to hearing from you.

## SECURE DROP OFF FOR DONATIONS

We would like to especially thank those who have been contributing to the financial support of the parish and its clergy via direct deposit or calling to donate over the phone, or depositing their envelopes into our mailbox.

However - Donations have dropped 40 %, when we compare June 2021 before the lockdown to July 2021 following the lockdown.

We now have a secure letterbox in the fence near our gate into the office area, which people may place their donations - again while they are on their walk.

Certainly, it should be acknowledged that many people and businesses are suffering, and we are grateful for the support we are getting. However, we do have to ask for everyone to keep us in their prayers and remember to give their financial support.

**Joseph**  
THE MAN WHO RAISED JESUS

WITH  
**FR GEORGE KOLODZIEJ, SDS**  
SALVATORIAN SUPERIOR

7:30 PM  
THURSDAY 14 OCTOBER 2021  
VIA ZOOM  
Join Zoom Meeting

Join Zoom Meeting:  
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Password V4tcgV

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**Free, confidential faith based counselling available for parishioners of St Patrick's.**

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**TO BOOK PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE**

## HELP FROM CATHOLIC CARE

### CATHOLIC CARE CAN HELP WITH COLES OR WOOLWORTHS VOUCHERS.

Times are tough. You might have lost work due to the lockdown, or you might be finding it hard to pay the bills or to put food on the table. Please call CatholicCare on (02) 9481 2600 or email them at:

[info@catholiccaredbb.org.au](mailto:info@catholiccaredbb.org.au). They are here to help our parish

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families.

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**GIVING  
LIVE STREAMS  
READINGS  
NEWS**

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**Help your Parish to help your community**

**Your generosity supports our vital ministries and Parish Mission.**

1<sup>st</sup> collection supports our clergy  
2<sup>nd</sup> collection supports our parish upkeep

Visit [www.bbcatholic.org.au/parishgiving](http://www.bbcatholic.org.au/parishgiving)  
or search your App Store for "Parish Giving Broken Bay"

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May Christ bless you for your gifts.

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**SAMPLE OF THE APP HOME SCREEN**

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### PLEASE CONSIDER FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

If you wish to donate to our Parish, you can donate direct to our Bank Account. When you do so please indicate in the "Reference" the purpose for the donation.

### Bank Account Name

### Gosford Parish Church Account

BSB: 062 784

Account Number:  
100001599

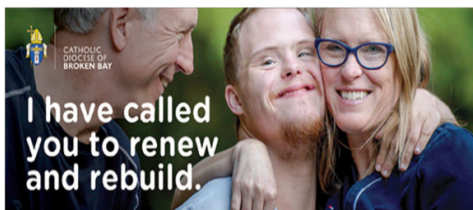


Pastoral Works Broken Bay is the pastoral charity of the Catholic community in Broken Bay.

Previously known as the Charitable Works Fund (CWF), it was renamed in July 2021 to better reflect the authentic, life-giving pastoral work you are helping to support, and provide a name that uniquely connects it to our Diocese.

Thank you for helping to renew and rebuild lives. Every gift makes a difference to someone in hospital, school, a parish or wider community. All donations over \$2 are tax-deductible and allocated to your Parish contribution for Pastoral Works Broken Bay.

**DONATE**



I have called you to renew and rebuild.



Donate to help families and parish communities in Broken Bay.

"My prayer is the change from CWF to Pastoral Works Broken Bay enables us to reach further and wider in helping our local community, and more deeply connects us to the mission of Jesus."

Most Rev Anthony Randazzo DD JCL, Bishop of Broken Bay



### SALVATORIAN FORMATION DONATION CODE.

If you would like to support future Salvatorian priests please go to the link. Just scan with your QR Code Reader on your phone.

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# God Loves You



If you, or you know someone who is struggling.

Catholic Care can help.

Please contact the Parish Office

# Follow the Lord



28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

A man met Jesus on the road and asked him how we can have eternal life. Some of the things Jesus says we can do are written on the sign posts below. Fill in the missing words and pictures.

God tells us there are more important things in life than being rich or owning lots of possessions. Write or draw some things that are important in your life.

Complete the crossword - it uses picture as clues instead of words!



With praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God  
**Most Reverend Anthony Randazzo**  
Bishop of Broken Bay

joyfully announces the Ordination of  
**Deacon Roger Delmonte**  
**Deacon Aldrin Valdehueza**  
**Deacon Samuel French**

to the Order of Presbyters through the  
Invocation of the Holy Spirit and the Imposition of Hands

**Monday**

**18 October 2021**

Commencing at **11.30am**

**OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CATHEDRAL**

Waitara

The ceremony will be conducted within the guidelines of the  
government's COVID-19 Health Orders

**Please participate online via the livestream**

**[www.bbcatholic.org.au/ordination](http://www.bbcatholic.org.au/ordination)**



*Lord, you know all things;  
you know that I love you.  
Jesus said, "Feed my sheep."*

John 21.17

You are also cordially invited to join in the following  
Masses of Thanksgiving, via livestream

**[www.bbcatholic.org.au/ordination](http://www.bbcatholic.org.au/ordination)**

**Rev Fr Roger Delmonte**

**11:00am, Tuesday 19 October 2021**

Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral, Waitara

**Rev Fr Aldrin Valdehueza**


**7:00pm, Tuesday 19 October 2021**

Our Lady of Dolours Church, Chatswood

**Rev Fr Samuel French**

**6:00pm, Friday 22 October 2021**

St John the Baptist Church, Woy Woy



**GO AND SELL WHATEVER YOU HAVE AND COME FOLLOW ME.**



**HOLY ROSARY**  
**Before Mass**

## ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

**PS 129:3-4**

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?

But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.

## FIRST READING

**WIS 7:7-11**

**A reading from the book of Wisdom**

**In comparison to wisdom, I held riches is nothing.**

I prayed, and understanding was given me; I entreated, and the spirit of Wisdom came to me.

I esteemed her more than sceptres and thrones; compared with her, I held riches as nothing.

I reckoned no priceless stone to be her peer, for compared with her, all gold is a pinch of sand, and beside her silver ranks as mud.

I loved her more than health or beauty, preferred her to the light, since her radiance never sleeps.

In her company all good things came to me, at her hands riches not to be numbered.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

**PS 89:12-17. R. V.14**

**(R.) Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!**

1. Make us know the shortness of our life that we may gain wisdom of heart.

Lord, relent! Is your anger forever?

Show pity to your servants.

**(R.) Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!**

2. In the morning, fill us with your love; we shall exult and rejoice all our days.

Give us joy to balance our affliction for the years when we knew misfortune.

**(R.) Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!**

3. Show forth your work to your servants; let your glory shine on their children.

Let the favour of the Lord be upon us: give success to the work of our hands.

**(R.) Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!**

## SECOND READING

**HEB 4:12-13**

**A reading from the letter to the Hebrews**

**The word of God discerns the thoughts and intentions of the heart.**

The word of God is something alive and active; it cuts like any double-edged sword but more finely: it can slip through the place where the soul is divided from the spirit, or joints from the marrow; it can judge the secret emotions and thoughts. No created thing can hide from him; everything is uncovered and open to the eyes of the one to whom we must give account of ourselves.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**MT 5:3**

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs!

**Alleluia!**

## GOSPEL

**MK 10:17-30**

**A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark**

**Go and sell whatever you have and come follow me.**

Jesus was setting out on a journey when a man ran up, knelt before him and put this question to him, 'Good master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: You must not kill; You must not commit adultery; You must not steal; You must not bring false witness; You must not defraud; Honour your father and mother.' And he said to him, 'Master, I have kept all these from my earliest days.' Jesus looked steadily at him and loved him, and he said, 'There is one thing you lack. Go and sell everything you own and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' But his face fell at these words and he went away sad, for he was a man of great wealth.

Jesus looked round and said to his disciples, 'How hard it is for those who have riches to enter the kingdom of God!' The disciples were astounded by these words, but Jesus insisted, 'My children,' he said to them, 'how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God.' They were more astonished than ever. 'In that case' they said to one another, 'who can be saved?' Jesus gazed at them. 'For men' he said, 'it is impossible, but not for God: because everything is possible for God.'

Peter took this up. 'What about us?' he asked him. 'We have left everything and followed you.' Jesus said, 'I tell you solemnly, there is no one who has left house, brothers, sisters, father, children or land for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not be repaid a hundred times over, houses, brothers, sisters, mothers, children and land – not without persecutions – now in this present time and, in the world to come, eternal life.'

## COMMUNION ANTIPHON

**CF. PS 33:11**

The rich suffer want and go hungry, but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

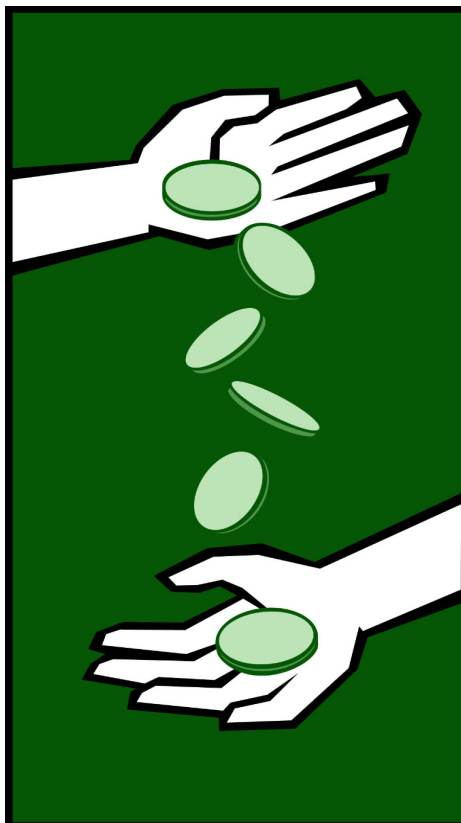
## REFLECTION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

**BY LISA-MARIE CALDERONE-STEWART**

Jesus gives us some harsh words: If you are rich, don't count on getting into the Kingdom of God. Don't count on entering heaven. Don't count on receiving all the wealth and riches you are looking for.

Are most teenagers you know more interested in making good money or in doing good things for the world? What are you most interested in?

Do you believe that money can buy happiness?





Do you think most teenagers would agree with you?  
Why or why not? What does society's behaviour indicate?

We don't hear the name of this rich young man. The Gospel doesn't tell us that he went away, never to return to Jesus again. We don't know if he ever did sell his possessions and give the money to the poor, or if he ever came back to follow Jesus.

What do you think happened to him?

If you were telling this story, how would you write the ending? What would happen to this rich young man, and how would he spend the rest of his life?

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Lisa-Marie Calderone-Stewart (1958-2011) gained her doctorate in education from Cardinal Stritch University and was associate director of early adolescent ministry in the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. Previously she served for six years as the director of youth ministry for the Diocese of Grand Island, Nebraska. She also established "Tomorrow's Present", a youth leadership ministry. She was a highly regarded speaker and wrote many books on spirituality and youth ministry.

## THIS WEEK

**Fri St Teresa of Jesus, virgin, doctor**

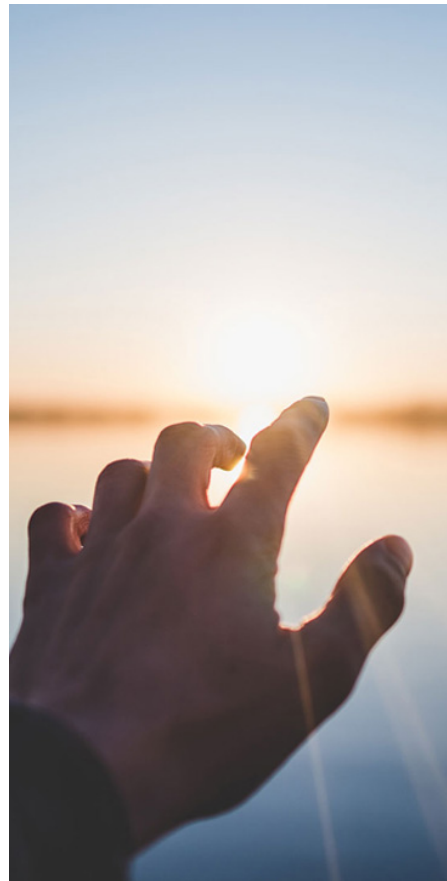
## NEXT WEEKS READINGS

### 28TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

**1st: Is 53:10-11**

**2nd: Heb 4:14-16**

**Gospel: Mk 10:35-45**



## YOUR PRAYERS PLEASE

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SERIOUSLY ILL MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY

Fred Boland, Teresa Davar, Rod Pelling, Susan Milne, Bernadette Humphries, Maura Garvey, Allan Hoole, Maree Nolan, Jim Dibben, William Parkhouse, Anne Holohan, Brent Senger, Oliver Senger, Christopher Michael Graham, Angela Gibbs, Peter Allman, Peter Gloss, Pat Lowe, Maria Keisellis, Pam O'Malley-Jones, Megan McGowan, Judith Wennerbom, Marie O'Donovan, Frank McGuinness.

### RECENTLY DECEASED:

Christina, Jim Middleton, Vilma Arndt, Dr Douglas Arndt, David Murphy, S.P. Tao, Marcello Gobbi, Carlos Llenado, Ron Burges, Fr James Duck, John Darin.

### ANNIVERSARIES:

Robyn McGuinness, John O'Donovan, Bob Martin, Patrick Taggart, Amparo Valenia Bantay, Norman Curran, George Frediani, Josephine Comensoli, Boleslaw Then.

### REMEMBRANCES:

Robyn McGuinness, Anthony Fernandes, Lloyd Wood, Fabria Ghazi, Ron Nixon, Jean Gimmongs, Valerie & Eric Neilson, Keanu Campbell, Joseph Vaz, Ronald Freeman, Fariba Ghazi, .

### CONDOLENCES:

To Johanna Hetherington and her family at the lost of her father Jim Middleton. May we offer our prayers and condolences to Johanna, family and friends.

Also, condolences to the family and friends of Vilma Arndt the wife of Dr Douglas Arndt who also died recently. Vilma and Douglas Arndt have been parishioners of St Patricks since 1963.



Date	Mass	Intention	Date	Mass	Intention
Sat 9/10	9:00am Gosford	Recently Deceased CHRISTINA - DAUGHTER OF PHYLLIS PARISH INTENTIONS	Thu 14/10	9:00am Gosford	+ Recently Deceased JIM MIDDLETON
Sat 9/10	4:30pm Spencer 2nd Sunday of Mth		Fri 15/10	12:00pm Gosford	+ Remembrance ANTHONY FERNANDES
Sat 9/10	5:00pm Gosford		Sat 16/10	9:00am Gosford	+ Remembrances JOAN & THEO MARKS
Sat 9/10	5:30pm Somersby			4:30pm Spencer 2nd Sunday of Mth	
Sun 10/10	7:30am Gosford		Sat 16/10	5:00pm Gosford	
Sun 10/10	9:30am Gosford	For the soul of SUSAN - KNOWN TO GOD Prayers for Matthew Stephens	Sat 16/10	5:30pm Gosford	
Sun 10/10	6:00pm Gosford		Sun 17/10	7:30am Gosford	
Mon 11/10	9:00am Gosford	+ Remembrance Robyn McGuinness For Healing PIOTR & KASIA	Sun 17/10	9:30am Gosford	+ Birthday Remembrance EILEEN MOFFAT
Tue 12/10	9:00am Gosford	For the conversion of MARTA	Sun 17/10	6:00pm Gosford	
Wed 13/10	11:30am Gosford	+ Remembrance EFFIE FERNANDES			

## ST PATRICK'S WILL HAVE A NEW **ADDITIONAL** WAY TO CHECK-IN

### CREATE A COVID-19 CHECK-IN CARD

<https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/create-covid-19-check-card>

The COVID-19 check-in card is a hard-copy (printed) card with a unique QR code that contains your registered contact details.

When you enter a COVID Safe business, a staff member scans your card and your visit to the premises is electronically recorded. If the business device is unable to read your QR code, the staff member will enter your details manually into the Service NSW business online webform.

This information, along with the details of the premises you are attending and the time and date of your visit, will comprise the record of your attendance at the venue. Service NSW will hold the record of your attendance for a period of 28 days from the date it was collected. The record of your attendance will only be disclosed to NSW Health for contact tracing purposes.

The card provides an alternative check-in method for customers who don't have smart phones and/or those who are not comfortable using the Service NSW business online webform.

When you create your card you'll need to enter your name. Only use characters that are in the English alphabet. Special characters or diacritical marks cannot be recognised by the system, so your form will be rejected if they are used.

Once you've created your card you can have it posted to you, or you can download a printable version immediately.

If you select to have your card posted to you, please enter your full address

If you lose the card, or your contact details change, you simply create a new card.

**Note: This check-in method is only available at businesses that have a QR compatible device. It is not mandatory for businesses to accept COVID-19 check-in cards.**

**Yes, St Patrick's will have this method of check-in available when the church re-opens for Masses**

### HOW IT WILL WORK AT A BUSINESS OR PLACE OF WORSHIP.

How do businesses check in customers who have a COVID-19 check-in card?

When a business registers as COVID Safe at nsw.gov.au, it is given a unique QR code to display, along with a unique Service NSW business online webform URL. The online webform can be displayed on a venue-supplied digital device, such as a mobile or tablet.

To check in a customer, please take the following steps:



1. Open the unique business online webform on the digital device.
2. Click on the 'Scan a COVID-19 check-in card' link on the online webform (link can be found above the 'First name' field).
3. When the camera app opens, use the camera to scan the QR code on the COVID-19 check-in card.
4. When the QR code is scanned, the online webform automatically pre-fills with the customer's registered information.
5. Confirm the customer's registered information is correct by showing them the details on the screen.
6. Click the red check-in button. Check-in will be confirmed with a green tick.

Note: Alternatively, if a customer is able to self-serve, they can scan their QR code and check themselves in.





# Sample Card

## COVID-19 check-in card

COVID-19 check-in card	
<p><b>Your First Name will Go here.</b></p>  	<p>This COVID-19 check-in card is only to be used with the Service NSW check-in concierge webform. Present this when checking in. Only usable at venues that have scanning ability.</p>

## Spare copy

COVID-19 check-in card	
<p><b>Your First Name will Go here.</b></p>  	<p>This COVID-19 check-in card is only to be used with the Service NSW check-in concierge webform. Present this when checking in. Only usable at venues that have scanning ability.</p>

## Instructions for use

1. Print this page by selecting the print icon or going to File > Print.  
Choose A4 as your paper size.
2. Cut around the black border and then fold your card along the middle.
3. Carry a card so you have it with you when visiting COVID Safe venues.
4. Present your card at COVID Safe venues that can check you in by scanning a check-in card.

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This check-in method is for people who need an alternative to the COVID Safe check-in tool.  
It is an offence to provide false check-in information.

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