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PASTORAL CARE Fr Grzegorz [Greg] Skulski SDS [Parish Administrator]			7th Sunday of Ordinary Time Vear C February 24, 2019 St Patrick's Year of Trust 2019				
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SALVA	TORIAN	S				A STAN	
Parish Office Secretary: Colleen Kirk Mon-Thurs: 8.30am-4.30pm Admin [Volunteers]: Denise Jay & Judith Myers Friday: 9.00am-3.30pm Other Volunteer Roles AV Preparation: Bob Smith, Tilly Timp, Peter McLean, Greg McBride Bursar: Ros Van Lierop Caretakers: Ron Begg, Tom Brown & John Malicki Gardeners: Trevor & Joyce Byrne & Victor Camilleri							
Children's Liturgy & Sacramental Prog Coordinator Margaret Eadie 4325 7817	Ala Wednes Thurs 9 43	ts' Coordinator in Corne day 9am-1pm .30am-1.30pm 325 1042 ccd@acs.net.au	Love Your Enemy Transformed by the power of the resurrection, we are capable of				
YOUTH MINISTRY Leader [Comb Terrigal/Kinc/Gos/WW] COORDINATOR Matthew French 0411 792 587 SENIORS' MINISTRY	Christian Brothers' Community Frederick Street, East Gosford Br Peter Hester cfc [Community Leader]		inprecedented good works. We can live without retaliation; we can render good for evil. We can be prodigal in our generosity toward others; we can relinquish any rights of proprietorship that we might enjoy. We can live with others with- out unfairly judging them. We can be like God, boundless in our forgiveness. Dianne Bergant CSA : liturgyhelp.com.au				
Leader Barbara McCarthy 4322 0250	Br Do Br Vi	enis Cusack cfc nce Duggan cfc od Shoebridge cfc	£2:2: £2:2:3: £2:2:3: £2:2:3: £2:2:3: 2nd: 1 Cor 15:45-49; Gospel: Lk 6;27-38				
	Cheryl Walsh	4325 1159	GROUP MEETINGS	BIBLE STUDY GROUPS - Lectio Divina: Mondays @ 9.30am twice mthly. See Bulletin. Wednesdays @ 10-11.15am @ Jordan Room.			
Mr T St Edward's College: Mr M St Peter's College, Tuggerah:	St Peter's College, Tuggerah:			RCIA - Tuesdays @ 7.30pm, Admin Centre Contact Ian on 4363 1039. menALIVE - Next: 5/3, 7.30pm commencing with Mass. 1st Tuesday monthly. CANCER PRAYERS - Last Thursday Monthly, 2pm at the Jordan Room. GRIEF & LOSS, PRAYER AND SUPPORT - 1st Thurs mthly, 2pm in the Jordan Room			
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STANDARD WEEKDA Rosary 20 mins before or aft Monday Tuesday	Y MASSES er the Mass 9.00am 9.00am	Korean Mass [Enq: Peter 040950812	2nd Sunday Monthly 12noon Mthly:6.00pm 23]	Located on Cha Mon to T CHAPLET OF DI 3pm each Friday	BLESSED SACRAI pel Lane @ the A hurs 8.30 to 3.30p VINE MERCY and after the week petual Help Nove	dmin Centre m/Fri 9-3.30pm kday Masses	
Wednesday Thursday	11.30am 9.00am	-	EN'S LITURGY sea Sun of school Term.	Last Wednesday I		12noon	
Friday Saturday	12noon 9.00am		IN OUR CHURCH Blessed Sacrament]	Services in Age	d Care Centres MASS	COMMUNION SERV.	
Saturday:- Adoration 8am: Rosary: 9.30am. CANCELLED UFN Wednesday: 7am, Christian		Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday	8.30am-9am 8.30am-9am 11am-11.30am 8.30am-9am	St Andrews [Presb], E/Gosford Orana, Pt Clare Evergreen Life Care, West Gosford	3.30pm As Advertised 2pm, 4th Tues Mthly 3.30pm, 4th Tues	3.30pm, Wednesday twice monthly.2pm, 2nd Tues Mthly3.30pm, 2nd Tues	
Brothers' Monastery, Frederick St, East Gosford		Friday Saturday	12.30pm-3.30pm 8.00am		Mthly By Appointment	Monthly.	
WEEKEND MASSES		RECONCILIATION ~ 1ST RITE		Please contact the Parish Secretary for enquiries.			
Gosford Vigil Mass 5.00pm Sunday 7.30am, 9am & 6.00pm Somersby [30 Lutana Road]		Gosford: Mon-Thurs: During Adoration Times 1st Friday Only: 11.30am prior to Mass		Baptisms: Contact Office Bookings Req'd 2019: Mar 3, 24 & 31; April 7 & 28. May 5 & 19. June 2, 16 & 30. July 7 & 21. Aug 4 & 18; Sept 8, 15 & 29. Sacramental Programme 2019			
Vigil Mass 6.30pm Spencer [Wiseman's Ferry Rd] Lst Sunday Mthly		Friday12.30-1pm During AdorationSaturday8.30am & 4.30pmSunday7.00 am & 5.30pmSomersby - Saturday7.30pm		Confirmation:Sun June 2, 9am [Mass] & 11.30am1st ReconciliationWed Aug 28 @ 7.00pm1st EucharistSaturday Nov 23, 6pm @ Gos & Smsby Sunday Nov 24, 9am & dedicated 11am Mass & 6pm			



3.30pm. Located at the



JOIN US FOR OUR SATURDAY MORNING COFFEE SHOP at the Jordan Room, following the 9am Mass. All profits to Charities

FRIDAY CRAFT GROUP

Each week of school term, 10am-12noon at the Music Room, St Pat's Victoria St campus. Please come along!



IN NEED OF A PRIEST IN AN EMERGENCY OUT-OF-HOURS? SIMPLY CALL OUR OFFICE ON 4325 1042, FOR A DIVERSION TO A PRIEST.

YOUR LOVED ONE, OR YOU, IS ILL AND PERHAPS DYING? Remember, it is never too early to call your priest, and if the worst should happen... please remember your first point of contact to make arrangements should be with your priest or the Parish Office.

CAN YOU SHARE YOUR FAITH WITH OUR CHILDREN? Please become a Catechist, or join the Children's Liturgy team. Just call the Parish Office on 4325 1042.

DIVINE RETREAT CENTRE, SOMERSBY One Day Retreat Feb 24. Divine Mercy Friday March 1, 5.30-8.30. Lenten Retreat Feb 16-17. Night Vigil: Mar 16, 8pm. 160 Hensons Rd. E: drcsydney@gmail.com M: 0468 486 782

IN YOUR PARISH THIS WEEK				
Monday 25/2	9.30am	SCREENING OF THE DVD 'ST BARBARA' convert and martyr of the early Church, at the Jordan Room. A Cuppa is provided. All welcome.		
Tuesday 26/2	7.30pm	RCIA MEETING at the Admin Centre		
Wednesday 27/2	10-11.15am	MORNING BIBLE STUDY GROUP meets at the Jordan Room. Open to all.		
Thursday 28/2	2pm	CANCER PRAYER'S offered to anyone whose life has been impacted by a Cancer diagnosis—simply join us at the Jordan Room at 2pm.		
Friday 1/3	12noon	FIRST FRIDAY MASS WITH BLESSING OF THE SICK		



WELCOME FR RAUL GOMEZ SDS : YEAR OF TRUST!

Fr Raul will be our homilist at all Masses this weekend which will focus solely on St Patrick's Parish's Year of Trust, and we thank him for his spiritual guidance and enrichment. We have had the pleasure of having both Fr Raul, and his cohort, Fr Tom,

who both hail from the American Salvatorian province, with us for a few days already and it has been a delight.

MOVIES WITH MEANING TONIGHT- SATURDAY FEB 23, 7PM 'GOD'S NOT DEAD 2'

If you happen to be at the Vigil Mass this evening, why not join us for the screening of 'God's Not Dead 2', and a BYO pot luck dinner. Just come along!

> HAVE YOU CHECKED OUT OUR NEW WEBSITE YET?? www.bbatholic.org.au/gosford

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE **@ ST PATRICK'S THIS FRIDAY!**

This year St Patrick's has been chosen to host the women's World Day of Prayer, an annual service shared by our local Churches, on Friday March 1 at 10am in our church, with morning tea at the Jordan Room following the service .

Please come along and support your parish's involvement ... and yes ... men are more than welcome! If you would like to be involved in helping please call Robyn Nevin on 0403 052 229. For catering purposes could you please note your name on the attendance sheet available at the foyer.



BAPTISM PRESENTATIONS We welcome today the families of the following children who are being presented to us, their Faith Family, preparatory to their upcoming baptisms

Welcome

Emily Jane Beaver Reyes, Beau James Cleveland, & Seth William Rawson

SR MARGARET SCULLY RSC will be in our parish again Saturday March 2 and if anyone would like an appointment to meet her for spiritual healing please contact the Catholic Charismatic Renewal Centre at Rozelle on 9810 2499.

CHANGE TO SPENCER MASS TIME NOW 1ST SUNDAY MONTHLY @ 4PM: **EFFECTIVE MARCH 3, 2019**

This decision was made in conjunction with the people at Spencer and to allow Father Greg to preside over all Masses in the parish on any one weekend.

LENT 2019 COMMENCES ON WEDNESDAY MARCH 6 Lenten Programmes on Offer!

If you would like to join a home Lenten group using the Diocese of Wollongong's **Trust** programme please place your name on the list available at the foyer to meet on a Monday evening, 7.30pm commencing March 4 at the McCrae's home, East Gosford. Alternatively, we will be distributing the Diocese of Broken Bay's Lectio Divina booklets providing you with prayers, readings and reflections for each week of Lent, on the weekend of March 2/3. If you would like to run this in a group format, a leader's DVD would be provided.

PROJECT COMPASSION BOXES & ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE FOYER THIS WEEKEND!

NEW CONFIRMATION DATE!

Parents please note that our Confirmation date has been moved to Sunday June 2, two sessions: 9am during the Mass, and at 11.30am. Please find a new Sacramental Programme at the foyer today.

HIGH SCHOOL ENROLMENT INFORMATION

As both St Edward's & St Joseph's colleges are taking Year 7 enrolments now, parents requiring Father's signature on the reference form are asked to see him after the Mass they are attending for a brief chat.

ONE MORE LADY REQUIRED TO VISIT THE SICK & ELDERLY @ EVERGREEN LIFE CENTRE, WEST GOSFORD

Yes, we have one lovely lady who has volunteered to take on this role, and but we looking for another who'd like to spend some time visiting at the Evergreen aged care facility at West Gosford. The time frame would suit yourself but regulation paperwork would need to be completed. Enq: Barb on 4322 0250 or Eunice on 0438 272 141.

CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME COMMENCES TUES MARCH 19

If you know someone who has been away from the Church, perhaps has been asking you questions about the Church today, or someone you know who is wanting to feel at home in their Church again, please let them know our Catholics Returning Home programme will be starting soon. Flyers are available at the foyer today to take and perhaps leave in some pertinent places, this may be the answer to someone's prayers.. Eng: Neil Murphy on 4325 0416.

************************* \bigstar **EXCITING THINGS ARE AFOOT AT ST PATRICK'S PARISH!** \bigstar \bigstar \bigstar So, what's happening? \bigstar ☆ A redesigned 4-page weekly Bulletin commencing next weekend! There's big plans in the pipeline for a bigger, colourful, and eye-catching ☆ \bigstar Bulletin ... it's an exciting move to the future! ☆ ☆ A new youth group 'Proclaim' for kids in Years 7 to 12 commencing ☆ ☆ Sunday March 3. Youth coord, Matt French, will be speaking ☆ \bigstar at all Masses this weekend, but you can also contact him on 0411 792 587. \bigstar ☆ Bi-Monthly Adult Ed Evenings with dynamic speakers, ☆ ☆ followed by a meal, commencing in March ☆ More info coming soon! ☆ And that's just to start ... we're sure there'll be more! \bigstar $\frac{1}{2}$

AN UPDATE FROM FR GREG

Well, our new security cameras have been installed, and we are hopeful that this will deter vandals in the future, which I am sure parishioners would be as happy about as I am. It was a costly exercise but worthwhile in the long run. We thank the very generous parishioners who contributed towards the repair of the air conditioner in the bus. We had paid for a temporary fix and will now be able to proceed at the first convenient opportunity.

THANK YOU EDYTA!

Due to finding employment, Edyta is no longer volunteering at our Parish Office and we thank her sincerely for her time and commitment to the role for over 12 months now. Good luck in your new job Edyta!

THANK YOU FOR THE SHELVES! We thank Ken Ferguson for the donation of a timber bookcase, and Tom Brown for the metal shelves to be used for storage.



YOUTH EVENTS @ ST PATS

PINT SIZED PADDIES For Kids Yr 5 to Yr 8

Next: Friday March 8, 7pm at the hall. Enq: Mel on 0434 251 481

AFTERMATH [18-35]

JOIN US FOR DINNER! We meet on the last Sunday of the month for dinner @ The Elanora after the 6pm Mass. So see you TONIGHT! Sunday February 24! Enq: saltrop@gmail.com STARTING SOON: SUNDAY 3RD MARCH 7PM

PROCLAIM

Gosford Catholic Youth Group

7PM SUNDAYS | HIGH SCHOOL (YRS 7-12) | ST PATRICKS CHURCH FELLOWSHIP | PIZZA & DRINKS | GAMES | DANK MEMES

Please Your Pravers

Recently Deceased: Frank Rozmanec, Dorothea Campbell, Valda McLaughlin.

Anniversaries: John Hiep, Mary & Paul Bigeni, Joe Sanfilippo, Concetta De Martino, Anythony O'Malley Jones, Gilberto Dal Busco, Michael Angelo & Mary Jane Buhagiar.

Remembrances: Caterina Erbeni, Youkhana David, Mr & Mrs Nicolas Toma, Ronald Freeman, Friquet Family, Celestino Abina, Grace McNeany, Lloyd Woods, Michael Kokegei.

In your love and concern, please pray for the seriously ill members of our community: Kath Ryan, John Burg, Peter & Lena O'Donovan, Tina Learwood, Allan Francis, Brian Loo, Bev Meehan, Michael Graham, Glenn Mills, Frank McGuinness, Mrs Polak, Angela Cunningham, Simon Low, Christopher Graham.

to discuss your job!

Enquiries: 4325 1042

ST PATRICK'S MEMORIAL WALL : COLUMBARIUM

Many are not aware that this parish has the facility with its Memorial Wall to be the resting place for loved ones, or yourself if you are planning into the distant future, right here within the embrace of the parish.

We recently extended the facility and niches are now available at \$750 each, plus the cost of the plaque at the time of placement. Payment may be made at monthly intervals if preferred. If you are interested and would like to know more, please contact the Parish Office.

MISSALS AVAILABLE AT THE PARISH OFFICE St Paul's Daily Missals: \$60. Sunday Missals: \$40.

YOUR ROSTER ~ March 3, 2019 ~ 8TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C St Francis of Audio Acolytes Lectors Commentator **Eucharistic Ministers Altar Servers** Assisi Somersby B Sharp A Fernandes, R Lee, V Camilleri, Harry Cockerton, Alvita Johan J Fernandes Jan Commentator VIGIL Fernandes, A Fernandes Fernandes Blanch T Cook, E Third S Giddings T Timp & Intercessions Nai Herford P O'Neill G Price Eunice P McCrae, J McHugh, Glad 7.30AM A Pont R Begg Dal Busco A Neale, G Price, L Price Williams 1st Reader P Cho K Quinn Chris A Dillon, Amanda Dillon, Tina Dennis, H Farris, Joanne Comensoli Greg P McLean I O'Neill M Holland, H Hussein, M Hus-Scott Shedden, Paget 9.00am McBride 2nd Reader Lincoln Gottardo sein, P Hussein Jane Azzopardi S Pearson 1 Russell S Angulo, R Gomez, Kevin M Pratt, L Rowe, Eucharistic V De Toffol, A Stitt R Surdich O'Donnell J Russell, A Sands, T Sands Ministers Joe 6.00PM Joey Stitt Nina Lentini Tropiano Maria Lentini ALTAR SOCIETY PARISH BUS HOSPITAL Altar Servers ALTAR LINEN CHILDREN'S COUNTERS Ebony Azzopardi March 4 Group 2 LAUNDERING Eunice Dal Busco LITURGY TO 9AM MASS VISITATION Ken Murray, Ron Begg, Kerry McGrath Hazel Walsh Driver: John Moriarty Robyn McBride. Bianca Gooley, Mabel Kan Theresa Giddings Flowers March 11 Group 4 Helper: Suzanne Collect: March 4 Jo Puah Gary Smith, Margie Gunnul-Ros Moriarty Jane Azzopardi **Return:** Simpkins Mar 8 son, Diana Addis, Lyn Beglin Know someone facing an unplanned pregnancy? They don't need to do it alone. Diamond offers FREE counselling, support, programs and material assistance iamong Call now for an appointment - 4339 7099 **BRYAN J REID FUNERAL SERVICES** Be pampered at La Bonita for * Organic Facials * Hydrafacials * Manicures * a Banila 100% Australian Owned & Family Operated Pedicures * Waxing Freecall 1800 032 225 Head Office: 4341 5000 * Make-up * Spray Tanning Serving all the Central Coast, Sydney Sponsoring St Pat's Planned Mention this ad to get 10% OFF any service. Facebook.com/labonitacentralcoast Giving Envelope Programme and Newcastle areas. 'Palm Court' Shop 16/172-176 The Entrance Road, Erina. 4365 5995 Ph:4302 0899 accounting services PO Box 4350, EAST GOSFORD NSW 2250 *Business Services *Taxation *Superannuation BOUTIOUE X *Audit *Consulting *Mortgages **REAL ESTATE CENTRAL COAST** C DENTAL FREE Initial consultation—Call 4302 0899 Has the keys to buying and **OPEN 7 DAYS** selling with First class Services Come and meet our staff with a wealth of experience: Open until 8pm Tues & Thurs Ken Howes: Principal/FCA/Registered Company Auditor 30 years local ownership Michael Glendenning: Business Service Manager Call Madeline Medicare CDBS Bulk Billed Jeremy Boys: Accountant 5% Seniors Card Discount 0410 654 494 Michelle Haydon: Client Services Manager. A East Gosford Kariong https://www.facebook.com/Howes Accounting/ madeline@boutique-realestate.com.au 36-40 Victoria Street 02 4323 1933 11 M 11 Mitchell Drive 02 4340 2022 Email: admin@howas.com.au boutique-realestate.com.au www.vcdental.com.au COMMERCIAL PREMISES **NEED A PAINTER? BRICK & BLOCK** ... RELAX **AVAILABLE FOR LEASE Call Joe Fatone** LAYER NOW! 0405 020 988 MARK BENNETT Ground Floor, Contempo Painting Services WE SERVE THE NERVOUS 58 Victoria St, East Gosford **30 Years' Experience** Specialising in Residential ERINA FAMILY DENTAL Two Car Spaces **Residential Specialist** Interior and Exterior **Generous floor space** 4367 5066 Colour matching and advising Suitable for a Medical 72 Karalta Road Erina Give me a call High pressure cleaning Practice/Offices/ [before the turn off to Erina Fair] on 0410 057 197 No job too big or small Beauticians etc. Parking available on site. All work guaranteed