

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY PARISH KELLYVILLE

Under the Pastoral Care of the Friars Minor Conventual

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Dear Parishioners.

When you read this message, I will be on a short period of vacation returning on Tuesday 1 October. Let us continue to pray for one another and our Parish community.

Fr. Christopher Shorrock, OFM Conv.

THE BIBLE and the VIRGIN MARY [Journey Through Scripture]: Fr. Chris is considering offering the above program (video presentation & discussion) for 6 weeks on Thursday evenings [7pm-8.30pm] from 10 October until 14th November) in the Parish Meeting Room. If your're interested in joining please contact the Parish Office here.



Please note: Monday 7 October is a public holiday. Mass is at 8am only. Please join us to celebrate the feast day of Our Lady of the Rosary in the Church on this special day.

Our Parish Weekly Devotions

Monday nights: Divine Mercy devotions with Adoration and Confessions after Mass Tuesday mornings and evenings: Novena to St. Anthony after both Masses

Thursdays: Adoration after 6.45am Mass until 9.30am Mass

Saturdays: Novena to Our Lady following 9.30am

Mass with Confessions after Mass First Fridays: Devotions after the First Friday

Evening Mass

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish Office Tel.: 9629-2595

Open 9am-4pm, Tuesday - Friday

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Parish Email: admin@olorparishkellyville.org.au

Safeguarding Face-to-face Training Opportunities The next session of face-to-face Mandatory Safeguarding Training will be held on Saturday 28 September at Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, St Marys for Modules 1-3. More training opportunities will be available throughout September and October. Please register directly for this training or for other convenient dates and locations by clicking on the training event here (https://parracatholic.org/ connect/events/?series=safeguarding-training). For information, please email here (safeguardingtraining@ parracatholic.org). All volunteers in the parish are expected to complete the above modules in order to continue volunteering. (Readers, Extra-Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, etc.)

Daylight Saving begins on 6 October Sunday, remember to put your clocks forward by one hour



FIRST RECONCILIATION REGISTRATIONS 2024

We invite all parents with children in Year 2 or above who have been baptised, to receive the sacrament of Reconciliation this year.

Register your child by filling in the form within the QR code displayed, by Monday 14 October, to reserve a

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at: sacraments@olorparishkellyville.org.au

Hand crafted olivewood biblical items for sale next weekend, 5 and 6 October. These items are hand crafted in Bethlehem the Holy Land by the Catholic families there. Any purchase will help support the catholic community in the Holy Land and improve their livelihood and support maintaining Holy sites.



Fanciscan Shrine of the Holy Innocents



Open daily from 7am to 6pm. Come and pray in quiet beauty. All welcome to visit throughout the day. To book your weekday retreat or conference, please inquire on our website here. (Franciscanfriarsaustralia.org/shrineoftheholyinnocents) (8 Greyfriar Place, Kellyville)

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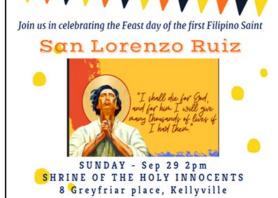
Youth Group and Young Adults

ONE EASY LINK linktr.ee/olorkellyvilleyouth for everything you need to know about OLOR Youth!

Youth Group will follow the HSC Mass on Sunday 6 October in the old hall until 8:45pm! All in Years 6-12 are welcome!

Mass, Mercy & Maccas (#MMM) for Young Adults (18-35) is on Monday 7 October and every first Monday of the month. Join us for 7pm Mass, Divine Mercy devotions and Confession, followed by fellowship at McDonald's North Kellyville!

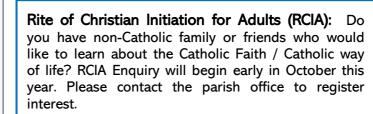
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Mass at the Timber Chapel and special blessing for Altar Servers followed fellowship, entertainment and sumptuous Filipino food in the Undercroft.Everyone welcome to bring a plate. For more information or if you wish to make a donation, please contact Ferdie on 0415 984 408 or Rowena on 0430 016 272. World Famous "Pinoy Barbque will be given away*

Join our pilgrimage to Berrima on Sunday, 13 Oct. A luxury bus will depart OLOR carpark at 7.30am and return 5pm. Please pack

some lunch and a drink. Coffee can be purchased on the way to or at the Shrine. Tickets are available from the parish office at \$40 each. Simply call the office to reserve your seat. Payment can be made over the phone.



Let's Pray for the Sick - Maria Short, Pamela Lawrence, Gail, Grant Harrison, Barbara Apa, Ariana, Callum Lee, Marie Rajanayagam, Carmen Mizzi, Rodrigo Tandingan, Eugene, Maureen, Aureen, Helen, Frankie Fernandez, Pravani, Janice Larsen, Teodora Postaski, Michelle Nickols, Andrew Lack, Prylani, Franca Masciotra, Lynette Mary Crowley, Michael Sampedro, Michael Bright, Walter Valenton and all those who are suffering illness in our community. Please write to us here, to let us know the name of someone who is ill and we will include their names on our list for Prayer.

Our Lady of the Rosary Primary

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Celebrating St. Francis of Assisi.



On Thursday, 3 October, we commemorate the death of our Holy Father, St. Francis of Assisi, called the "Transitus," which honours the Saint's entry (or transitus, meaning "transition") into glory. Come join us for a Liturgy of the Word, at 7pm.

On Friday, 4 October, celebrate HAPPY SOLEMNITY OF ST FRANCIS! Masses will be at the usual times of 6.45am, 9.30am and 7pm in the parish church. It is also the First Friday in October. Be sure to wish a friar the best on this Solemnity!

On Saturday, 5 October, we will have the blessing of pets at 11am outside the Church.

On Monday, 7 October, celebrate Solemnity of Our Lady of the Rosary. Mass is at 8am only. Please join us in the Church on this special day which is also a **Public Holiday.**

MASS INTENTIONS: 28 SEPT. - 5 OCT. 2024

Sat. 28 9.30am Intention of donor Giovanni La Rosa

Nerida, Carmela, Vincenzo Bombardiere Sun. 29 7am Giuseppe & Francesca Caruso

11am PRO POPULO Intention of donor 6pm

Mon. 30 6.45am John Debrincat

7pm Andy Zahra, Wayne Holland, Sam Bugeja

6.45am John Debrincat Tues. 1 7pm Sarah T Murray

Wed. 2 6.45am Braz Goes Ron & Gwenny Sinclair 9.30am

6.45am Intention of donor Thurs. 3 9.30am John Saliba

Transitus 7pm

6.45am John and Angelina Ferreira

Maria Giuseppa, Domenico Papandrea Deceased members of the Secular Franciscan Order

9.30am Intention of donor Sat. 5 PRO POPULO

Regular Confessions are offered on Saturdays at 10am, Mondays at 7.30pm, or by appointment.

Shrine of the Holy Innocents

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Anyone who is not against us is for us. If your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off.

John said to Jesus, 'Master, we saw a man who is not one of us casting out devils in your name; and because he was not one of us we tried to stop him.' But Jesus said, 'You must not stop him: no one who works a miracle in my name is likely to speak evil of me. Anyone who is not against us is for us.

'If anyone gives you a cup of water to drink just because you belong to Christ, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.

'But anyone who is an obstacle to bring down one of these little ones who have faith, would be better thrown into the sea with a great millstone round his neck. And if your hand should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life crippled, than to have two hands and go to hell, into the fire that cannot be put out. And if your foot should cause you to sin, cut it off; it is better for you to enter into life lame, than to have two feet and be thrown into hell. And if your eye should cause you to sin, tear it out; it is better for you to enter into the kingdom of God with one eye, than to have two eyes and be thrown into hell where their worm does not die nor their fire go out.

The Gospel of the Lord. R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

HOMILY

PROFESSION OF FAITH APOSTLES' CREED

Or the Nicene Creed may be said.

I believe in God, / the Father almighty, / Creator of heaven and earth, / and in Iesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, / who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, / born of the Virgin Mary, / suffered under Pontius Pilate, / was crucified, died and was buried; / he descended into hell; / on the third day he rose again from the dead; / he ascended into heaven, / and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; / from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. / I believe in the Holy Spirit, / the holy catholic Church, / the communion of saints, / the forgiveness of sins, / the resurrection of the body, / and life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

After the priest raises the paten with the bread and prays, and then the chalice, we respond to each prayer:

R. Blessed be God for ever.

P. Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

R. May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

P. Grant us, O merciful God, that this our offering may find acceptance with you and

that through it the wellspring of all blessing may be laid open before us. Through Christ our Lord.

R. Amen.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

P. The Lord be with you.

R. And with your spirit.

P. Lift up your hearts.

R. We lift them up to the Lord.

P. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

R. It is right and just.

PREFACE I-VIII OF THE SUNDAYS **IN ORDINARY TIME**

After the Preface, we sing or say:

All: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

THE MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

P. The mystery of faith.

All: Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set

COMMUNION RITE

P. At the Saviour's command and formed by divine teaching, we dare to say:

All: Our Father, who art in heaven . . . P. Deliver us, Lord, we pray . . .

All: For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and for ever.

P. Lord Jesus Christ, who said . . .

R. Amen.

P. The peace of the Lord be with you always. R. And with your spirit.

P. Let us offer each other the sign of peace. All exchange a sign of peace.

LAMB OF GOD

All: Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P. Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

R. Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON cf. Ps 118:49-50

Remember your word to your servant, O Lord, by which you have given me hope. This is my comfort when I am brought low.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

P. May this heavenly mystery, O Lord, restore us in mind and body, that we may be coheirs in glory with Christ, to whose suffering we are united whenever we proclaim his Death. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

THE CONCLUDING RITES

P. The Lord be with you.

R. And with your spirit.

P. May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, ₹ and the Holy Spirit.

R. Amen.

P. Go forth, the Mass is ended.

R. Thanks be to God.

BREAKING OPEN THE WORD

'THE LITTLE ONES'

You may recall from last week's passage from the Gospel of Mark that Jesus placed a child among them. The child exemplifies others who believe in Jesus and are open and receptive to learning more. In today's passage, among a series of instructions, we hear of 'these little ones who believe in me.' The instruction is a continuation of the teaching to the failing disciples about how to receive Jesus.

John, who is one of the leadership group of the Twelve, addresses Jesus as 'teacher' and asks a question that reveals his own misunderstanding. Having seen someone casting out demons in Jesus' name, he says 'we tried to stop him, because he was not following us.' Jesus responds to refocus them to him. Their proclamation of the good news is not about gaining followers of the Twelve but inviting followers of Jesus. In this context the further instruction of not putting stumbling blocks in front of 'the little ones who believe' makes more

The language that follows seems strange to us, yet the negatives are graphically pointing to the real goal of entering the fullness of life in the kingdom of God. This is the reward for all who might offer even a cup of water to one in need. As we reflect on the readings today, take time to think who 'the little ones who believe' are among us. How do we see our role in encouraging others to join us as disciples and servants of Jesus, and acting in his

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OUR SUNDAY CELEBRATION

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME / B

29 SEPTEMBER 2024

OPEN TO THE SPIRIT'S WORKINGS! The Spirit of God is present and active in the world. Wherever we see good we know that God's Spirit is at work. The Spirit works in surprising ways. It is sometimes through the least important member of a community that the Spirit speaks. May bigotry and prejudice never blind us to the workings of God in our Church and in our world.

INTRODUCTORY RITES

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Dan 3:31, 29, 30, 43, 42

All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgement, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy.

GREETING

P. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

P. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

R. And with your spirit.

PENITENTIAL ACT

P. Brethren (brothers and sisters), let us acknowledge our sins, and so prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries. All: I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, (striking the breast) through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

P. May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.

R. Amen.

V. Lord, have mercy.

R. Lord, have mercy.

V. Christ, have mercy.

R. Christ, have mercy. V. Lord, have mercy.

R. Lord, have mercy.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, / and on earth peace to people of good will. / We praise you, / we bless you, / we adore you, / we glorify you, / we give you thanks for your great glory, / Lord God, heavenly King, / O God, almighty Father. / Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, / Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, /

you take away the sins of the world, / have mercy on us; / you take away the sins of the world, / receive our prayer; / you are seated at the right hand of the Father, / have mercy on us. / For you alone are the Holy One, / you alone are the Lord, / you alone are the Most High, / Jesus Christ, / with the Holy Spirit, / in the glory of God the Father. / Amen.

P. O God, who manifest your almighty power above all by pardoning and showing mercy, bestow, we pray, your grace abundantly upon us and make those hastening to attain your promises heirs to the treasures of heaven. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. R. Amen.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

Num 11:25-29

A reading from the book of Numbers. Are you jealous on my account? Who decrees that all people may prophesy?

The Lord came down in the Cloud. He spoke with Moses, but took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders. When the spirit came on them they prophesied, but not again.

Two men had stayed back in the camp; one was called Eldad and the other Medad. The spirit came down on them; though they had not gone to the Tent, their names were enrolled among the rest. These began to prophesy in the camp. The young man ran to tell this to Moses, 'Look,' he said, 'Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp.' Then said Joshua the son of Nun, who had served Moses from his youth, 'My Lord Moses, stop them!' Moses answered him, 'Are you jealous on my account? If only the whole people of the Lord were prophets, and the Lord gave his Spirit to them all!'

The word of the Lord. R. Thanks be to God.

RESP PSALM Ps 18:8, 10, 12-14. R. v. 9

R. The precepts of the Lord give joy to the

1. The law of the Lord is perfect, / it revives the soul. / The rule of the Lord is to be trusted, / it gives wisdom to the simple. R.



- 2. The fear of the Lord is holy, / abiding for ever. / The decrees of the Lord are truth / and all of them just. R.
- 3. So in them your servant finds instruction; / great reward is in their keeping. / But who can detect all his errors? / From hidden faults acquit me. R.
- 4. From presumption restrain your servant / and let it not rule me. / Then shall I be blameless, / clean from grave sin. R.

SECOND READING James 5:1-6

A reading from the letter of St James. Your wealth is rotting.

An answer for the rich. Start crying, weep for the miseries that are coming to you. Your wealth is all rotting, your clothes are all eaten up by moths. All your gold and your silver are corroding away, and the same corrosion will be your own sentence, and eat into your body. It was a burning fire that you stored up as your treasure for the last days. Labourers mowed your fields, and you cheated them listen to the wages that you kept back, calling out; realise that the cries of the reapers have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. On earth you have had a life of comfort and luxury; in the time of slaughter you went on eating to your heart's content. It was you who condemned the innocent and killed them; they offered you no resistance.

cf. In 17:17

The word of the Lord.

R. Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Your word, O Lord, is truth:

make us holy in the truth. Alleluia!

Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48 P. The Lord be with you.

GOSPEL

R. And with your spirit.

P. A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

R. Glory to you, O Lord.