

*The Catholic Weekly is back....
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What's in it this week....

- Johathan Roumie opens up on 'The Chosen'
 - Guy Sebastian's surprise visit
 - Brothers in Arms
 - Manchester City's virtue signalling
- Movie Review: Eurovision Song Contest: The story of Fire Saga
- Monica Doumit: Double standards and life.

Today's Readings

Isaiah 55:10-11 *The rain makes the earth fruitful.*

Romans 8:18-23 *All creation is waiting for the revelation of the children of God.*

Matthew 13:1-23 *A sower went out to sow*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM –The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION – Alleluia, alleluia! The seed is the word of God, Christ is the sower; all who come

ACOLYTE AND READER ROSTERS ARE NOW
AVAILABLE IN THE SACRISTY.

COUNTING AND CLEANING IS STILL ON HOLD AT
THIS STAGE.

HARD OF HEARING? Our Church has been equipped with a Powered Audio Induction Loop system for hearing aid wearers (T-Loop) - To obtain effective use of the loop sit in the main body of the church avoiding the very edge seats, turn hearing aid to T & adjust the volume to suit



W.A.W.W. new Parish Website– www.stpatssutherland.org.au



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DUE TO COVID-19, LIMITED NUMBERS PERMITTED, PLEASE CHECKOUT WEBSITE FOR FURTHER DETAILS.



St Patrick's Parish acknowledges and honours the Gweagal People of the Dharawal Nation as the original custodians of this land



St Patrick's Sutherland is a Parish that strives to safeguard children at all times.



Fifteenth Sunday Year A 12 July, 2020

Perhaps during our life's journey the word of God has fallen in all the places mentioned in the parable of the sower. By being attentive to Jesus in our daily lives, we will gradually find that his words will sink deep into our hearts. We will then become people who have heard the word and allowed the seed to grow and yield fruit.

Creation Set Free

Here is Jesus telling another story about nature, in this case about soil good enough to bear a crop. Is he just a keen observer of the farmers of his time? No.

Throughout the Gospels there is a harmony between Jesus and the natural creation of a profound kind.

But St Paul intuited that link at a profound level in the case of the Risen Lord. This led him to make the most amazing claim that:

'The creation itself would be set free from its slavery to decay in order to share the freedom associated with the glory of the children of God.'

We, and the whole cosmos, share the legacy of a common destiny brought about by the powerful victory of Christ over the final instance of decay, destruction and every type of death.

We could pause a moment to pray with the angels as we do at every Mass:

'Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.'

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Parish Bulletins.

As of next week, we will be able to print bulletins. However, due to Covid-19, if you take one, please take it home with you, do not leave it in the church as nobody else is allowed to touch it.

Thank you

The Parish Piety Stall
Due to the current Covid-19 issues, the
Piety Stall will not be open until further
notice.
Thank you Sylvia



Liturgy Live streaming

Mass
Saturday 5pm
Sunday 8am



Livestream can be accessed at bit.ly/saintpatslive or simply by
searching Saint Pats Sutherland on YouTube. Become a sub-
scriber to the parish channel to get updates of upcoming livestreams.

MASS REGISTRATION

As restrictions have now eased, St Patrick's
Parish is allowed 100 people to celebrate Mass:
Pre-booking is still required.
**Everyone must pre-register for Saturday
5pm and Sunday Masses.**

Please call the office between 9am & 3pm
Tuesday - Friday.

Thanks for your patience and your
understanding.

POST MASS SANITISING:

*As we all have the opportunity to return and cel-
ebrate Mass together (allowing for limited num-
bers), after each Mass (both daily and week-
ends), all seats must be wiped down. As parish-
ioners we all have a responsibility to help keep
our beautiful church clean and safe.*

*If anyone can lend 10 mins after Mass and help
out with wiping down seats, door handles etc,
please do. Gloves and cleaner is provided by
the parish, all we ask is 10 mins of your time.
**Please make sure you sign the cleaning sheet
in the Sacristy. Thank you***

2020/2021 Planned giving envelopes are now avail-
able from this weekend.

2019/2020 Planned giving tax receipts are now
available from the table at the entrance to the
Church.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAM

Sacrament of Reconciliation. We have finalised our
preparation program for the Sacrament of Reconcili-
ation. Parents of children who were enrolled and
participated at the beginning of the year, you should
have received an email with information.

If you have any concerns or worries, please email
Jennie at admin@stpatsutherland.com.au and I will
get back to you as soon as possible.

Please note that the Sacrament of Confirmation for
our parish is still on hold due to Covid 19.

We are hoping that in Term 4 we will prepare for
and celebrate First Holy Communion.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR THE SICK: Josh Denton, Bernard Cassidy, Kristy Bugeja, Arnold Lemerie, Elaine Kelly, Karl Paszkiewicz, Elizabeth Pember-
ton, Gwen Power, Arnanoud Lemerie, Solange La Douce Jean Fabien, Steve Smith, Lloyd Handley, Bruce Kent, Marie Owen, Bernard Cassidy, Anne Cassidy, Grace & Rafael
Monserrat, Lena Mallet, Brendan Lynch, Martine Benoit, Norma Miller, Pat Bathurst, Lucy Gault, Ron Monro, Lorraine Davies, Robert Bishop, Bill Burke, Barry Bradburn,
John Bonadio, Marie Cameron, Patricia Holbrook, Maria & Luigi Altavilla, Marlene Visage, Anne Cook, Valerie O'Brien, Leonie Coleman, Bill Nicholls, Maureen Fraser,
Carol Drew, Bill Morris, Ron Strauss, Patti & Kevin Gore. All the residents in Nagle Apartments. All the residents in Bupa.

RECENTLY DECEASED: **Margaret Warham**, Laura Cardenas

ANNIVERSARY: **Helen Warham**, Patricia Mills, Aurora Sanchez, Leonardo Chumpitaz

DECEASED MEMBERS & FRIENDS: Camara & Gomes Families, Joan Quinn, Frank Townsend, David Hoffman, Mona McGovern, Veri Laarakkers, Helen Warham, Da-
vid Dee, Dorothy Lynch, Reg Benson, Gabrielle Scarra, Dec'd PBVM Sisters, Robertson Family, Claude Press, John Press, Peter Rendell, Barry Scott, Margaret Stokes, Paul
Fraser, Karen Westnidge, McMullen & Brown Families, Philip Struthers, Jim Walsh, Shirley Dent, Thomas O'Brien, Menezes & Minshull Families, Tyran Sharman, Gregory
& Eileen Dodd, Sr Mary Julian, Larkin Family, Mullins Family, Fr. L. Cruikshank, members of McNamara, Torrington, Preston, Dent, Barrett, Mahoney, Lollback, Mason &
O'Leary families, Terry McNamara, Griggs, Nunan, Farrell families, Jack Ethers, Mrs Hills, Mr & Mrs English, Aunt Nora and Aunt Thelma, Irene Mason, Monica & John
Robinson, Don Barrett. Miller family & friends, Holy Souls in Purgatory