

CHURCH GARDENS

The gardening group meets on the second & fourth Fridays of each month between 8am & 10.30am
 At present the gardens are growing faster than can be maintained.
 The gardening group is desperately seeking more people who can assist with either mowing , watering , sweeping, or weeding ect.
 If you can spare 2 hours per fortnight or any time when we meet to assist in maintaining the church gardens this would make a difference to the appearance of the Church gardens & surrounds. As always, any assistance is appreciated. Please bring a water bottle & glove. All equipment supplied Pls contact Kevin Redman 0402856114 for more details

Today's Readings

2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16—*That is the Holy man of God, let him remain there.*
Romans 3-4, 8-11—*Having been buried with him through baptism, we shall walk in a new life.*
Matthew 10:37-42—*Anyone who does not accept his cross is not worthy of me. Anyone who welcomes you, welcomes me.*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM – For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION – Alleluia, Alleluia! You're a chosen race , a royal priesthood, a holy people. Praise God who called you out of darkness and into his marvellous light. Alleluia!

UNIVERSAL PRAYER – Christ, our life, hear our prayer.

Counting Roster –2023

2.7.23-Barclay Team
 9.7.23-Morris Team
 16.7.23– Can any teams cover please

Altar Society– 2023

2.7.23-Farris Team
 9.7.23-Mockett Team
 16.7.23-Elliott Team

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



New Parish Website – www.stpatssutherland.org.au



ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

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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.



Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
2 July 2023

Jesus said to his apostles:
 "Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me. Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it" (Matt 10:37-39).

TEMPORARY PARISH OFFICE NUMBER

Please note due to upgrades to the Parish office phone system we have a temporary number for now.

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Dear Parishioners, as you are all aware the Marion Chapel is under renovation and due for completion next week.

With the completion taking place next week from 7am each morning there will be no Adoration next week due to the repairs and noise this will create. Mass will be as normal at 9am.

Further to this the builders will be installing scaffolding on the main Altar to investigate the best way to remove the glass roof and repair it. This will cause minimal disruption and Mass will be able to continue.

Many thanks for your patience at this time.

Dear Parishioners, many of you have asked what to bring to Fr Dans celebration, there will be sandwiches and wraps provided, however you are welcome to bring a plate to share i.e. slices savoury or sweet that do not need heating. Finger food and sweets are very welcome.

In regards for a gift for Fr Dan there will be a special collection bucket at this weekends Mass and next weekend.

Fr Dan will be away with World Youth Day for 4 weeks visiting some very sacred places and this will be used to purchase something meaningful for him while he is travelling.

Regards Kaylene and Ann

WEEKDAY PROGRAM: Mon 9am-Communion Service
Mass: Tues-Fri - 9.00am
SUNDAY MASS TIMES: Sat Vigil 5pm Sun 8am & 10am
CONFESSIONS: Saturdays 4pm - 4.45pm or by appointment
PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Mon Closed.
Tues-Friday 9.00am - 3.00pm

PIETY STALL

The Parish Piety Stall is open every Saturday at the 5.00 pm Mass and on Sundays for both the 8.00am and 10.00 am Masses. Lovely gifts available.

WRAP WITH LOVE- 2023-

We meet at the Presbytery on the first Thursday of the month from 11.30am to 1.30pm. Please join us for knitting squares. Bring a sandwich for lunch. All welcome.

3 July 2023 - Lunch at Lidcombe Catholic Club. Meet at Sutherland Station, Stand A at 10am. M92 bus departs at 10.18am to Lidcombe Station. Please contact Marie B 0425 380 873 or Veronica 9528 9163 or 0409 812 475

Getting to know our Catechists

My name is Julie Fallon and I have been involved as a Catechist helper for approximately six years. I have had some nice friends involved for many years, however it wasn't until Yvonne asked me to assist her that I felt the PUSH I needed. I love Wednesdays at Loftus Primary School; that special 30 minutes with the children. The class mix is interesting and I feel the pupils' enthusiasm. They're like sponges soaking the Good News of our beloved Lord. This involvement has also rekindled openness to my faith. After each class, I have a spring in my step and look forward to the next week. Thank you for the PUSH!

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR THE SICK: Imelda Logue, Mila Laverick, Neville Evans, John Woodward, Patrick Lynch, Dale Butler, Stuart Gordon, Catherine Bishop, Judith Fraser, Maria Kramer, Fr Lawrie Beath, Sue Cassidy, Clifford Atkinson, Linda Dalton, Thiago Mazza Almeida, Graham Lamberti, Elizabeth Kinsella, Eileen Kenny, Ted Cramsie, Joanne Dideta, Eileen Talbot, Solange La Douce Jean Fabien, Steve Smith, Lloyd Handley, Bruce Kent, Anne Cassidy, Lena Mallet, Martine Benoit, Norma Miller, Bill Burke, John Bonadio, Marie Cameron, Maria & Luigi Altavilla, Maureen Fraser, Carol Drew, Ron Strauss, Patti Gore. All the residents in Nagle Apartments. All the residents in Bupa. All residents in Lark Ellen. All residents in the Palms.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Molito Tanael, Phia Daywon, Martin Murphy, Joao Pombo, Ray Pollock, John Fsadni

ANNIVERSARY: Elio Filippetto, Julio Gomes & Family, Elvira Pombo, Manuel Fernandes Camara, Maria Rosa Jardim, Peter & Colin Cardwell, Margaret Warham

DECEASED MEMBERS & FRIENDS: Maria Dodd, Biber Family, Roger Minshull, Gwen Power, Molly McFarlane, Kevin Gore, Bill Morris, Joan Quinn, Frank Townsend, David Hoffman, Menezes & Minshull Families, Mona McGovern, Veri Laarakkers, Helen Warham, David Dee, Dorothy Lynch, Reg Benson, Pat Bathurst, Gabrielle Scarra, All 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, 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

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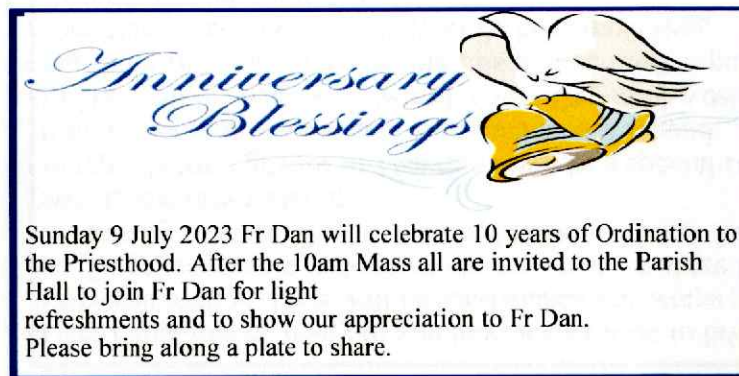
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A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney: Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with crimes are the police. If you, or anyone you know, have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at (02) 9390 5810 or safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org. You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.

2023/2024 Planned Giving envelopes are ready and located at the back of the Church, please look for your name.

2022/2024- Tax receipts will be available from the same place from the 8/7/23.



Sunday 9 July 2023 Fr Dan will celebrate 10 years of Ordination to the Priesthood. After the 10am Mass all are invited to the Parish Hall to join Fr Dan for light refreshments and to show our appreciation to Fr Dan. Please bring along a plate to share.

LUMEN GENTIUM (Light of the Nations)

Discussion of Nos 60 - 65 guided us to contemplate Mary's unique position as our mother in the order of grace. No 61 tells us: 'Predestined from eternity by that decree of divine providence which determined the incarnation of the Word to be the Mother of God, the Blessed Virgin was on this earth the Virgin Mother of the Redeemer, and above all others and in a singular way the generous associate and humble handmaid of the Lord.' A most inspiring session. Wednesdays 9.45am at the presbytery. All welcome. Text provided.

Bible Study Currently Chapter 13

*My word will not return to me unfulfilled,
it will accomplish my purpose. (Is 55:11)*
Come join us as we discuss **The Acts of the Apostles**,
currently Chapter 12
6 pm Thursday evening for an hour at the Presbytery.