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 etc.

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

Todays Readings

Gn-2:7: 3:1-7

The Lord creates Man & the garden of Eden.

Rom-5:12-19

Jesus has atoned for Adam's sin.

Mt 4:-11

Jesus fasted for forty days and nights.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM-

Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION-

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory! No one lives on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

UNIVERSAL PRAYER-

Grace our lives, O Holy Spirit.

Counting Roster -2023

18.2.24-Elliott Team 25.2.24-Barclay Team 3.3.24-Morris Team

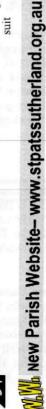
Altar Society-2023

18.2.24- Elliott Team 25.2.24

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3.3.24- Farris Team

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





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.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT 18 February 2024

Mercy Night

Please join us on Thursday, 14 March @7.00pm for a special evening of Adoration, Reconciliation, beautiful music and guided prayer led by the Emmanuel Community. Everyone is welcome!

Where: St Patrick's Church

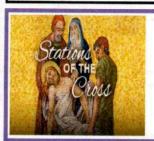
Ann Woodhouse. Faith Formation Coordinator WEEKDAY PROGRAM: Mon 9am-Communion Service Mass: Tues-Sat- 9.00am

SUNDAY MASS TIMES: Sat Vigil 5pm Sun 8am & 10am CONFESSIONS: Saturdays 4pm - 4.45pm or by appoint-

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Mon Closed.



The Parish Piety Stall will be closed on 17/18 February, 24/25 February and the 2/3 March.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS **Every Friday during** Lent 7pm All Welcome

WRAP WITH LOVE- 2024-

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

COFFEE & TEA SET- 19 Feb

Lunch at Woolooware Golf Club. Meet at 11am. For bookings Marie Williams 95217406

Bible Study

During Lent the we will be joining the Lenten Program. After Easter we will resume our discussion on 1 Corinthians.

LUMEN GENTIUM (Light of the Nations) Our next meeting will be 27th February '24 at 9.45am at the presbytery. ALL WELCOME!

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.

YOU ARE WARMLY INVITED TO JOIN OUR PARISH LENTEN GROUP AS WE JOURNEY TOGETHER THROUGH THIS HOLY SEASON, 6.00PM - 7.00PM **EVERY THURSDAY FROM 15** FEBRUARY TO THE 21 MARCH INCLUSIVE. GOD BLESS. ANN WOODHOUSE FAITH FORMATION COORDINATOR Where: The Presbertary - Red brick building, opposite the church entrance.

PROJECT COMPASSION

This year, Project Compassion brings you the stories of three resilient women: Ronita from the Philippines. Leaia from Samoa and Memory from Malawi. While from three different corners of the world and facing vastly different challenges, they are all united by one dream: to create a better world for all future generations. Please donate to Project Compassion. Envelopes available at the entrance to the Church.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR THE SICK: Matilda Anggraini, Barry Dalton, Olivia Davis, Maria Ferraiollo, Jane Williams, Erlindo Mina, Percie Anne Smith, Mila Laverick, Lilly Dreghorn, Fr Greg Beath, Neville Evans, John Woodward, Patrick Lynch, Dale Butler, Stuart Gordon, Catherine Bishop, Judith Fraser, Maria Kramer, Clifford Atkinson, Linda Dalton, Thiago Mazza Almeida, Graham Lamberti, Elizabeth Kinsella, Eileen Kenny, Ted Cramsie, Joanne Dideta, Steve Smith, Anne Cassidy, Bill Burke, John Bonadio, Marie Cameron, Maureen Fraser, Carol Drew, Ron Strauss, Patti Gore. All the residents in Nagle Apartments. All the residents in Bupa. All residents in the Palms.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Frank McGill, Marjorie Farrell

ANNIVERSARY: Milan Curis, Catherine Kidd Seymour, Maria Culo, Irena Molinari, Alfred Gauci, Ginette & Laval Bosquet, Humbert Grech DECEASED MEMBERS & FRIENDS: Jan Wilkins, Agustina Wisnu, Julio Gomes & Family, Elvira Pombo, Manuel Camara & Family, Maria Dodd, Biber Family, Roger Minshull, Gwen Power, Molly McFarlane, Kevin Gore, Bill Morris, Joan Quinn, Frank Townsend, David Hofffman, 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 & Colin 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, Thelma Murray, Holy Souls in Purgatory