

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

Today's Readings

ISAIAH 50:40-7 *I did not cover my face against insult and I know I will not be ashamed.*

PHILIPPIANS 2:6-11 *He humbled himself to become like us and God raised him on high.*

MARK 14:1-15:47 *The passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM-

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION-

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory! Christ became obedient for us even to death, dying on the cross. Therefore God raised him on high and gave him a name above all other names. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

UNIVERSAL PRAYER-

Lord hear us, Lord hear our prayer

Counting Roster -2023

24.3.24-Elliott Team

31.3.24- Barclay Team

Altar Society- 2023

24.3.24- Fsadni Team

31.3.24-Gaynor Team

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.

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



www.stpatsutherland.org.au New Parish Website

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.

PALM SUNDAY 24 MARCH 2024

Please check Church noticeboard for upcoming events.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER SERVICES 2024

HOLY THURSDAY:

28 March,

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7.00pm

Night Prayer 8.45pm with Adoration until 9.00pm

GOOD FRIDAY:

29 March

Stations of the Cross 10.00am

Celebration of the Lord's Passion 3.00pm

HOLY SATURDAY:

30 March,

Morning Prayer 9.00am

EASTER SERVICES:

Saturday 30 March

8.00pm

Vigil Mass of the Resurrection

EASTER SUNDAY MASSES:

Sunday 31 March

8.00am & 10.00am

St Patrick's Catholic Primary School Centenary Celebrations.

CELEBRATING
100
—YEARS

This year, St Patrick's Catholic Primary School turns 100. In 1924, the Sisters of Mercy travelled daily from Cronulla to the first school site in Robertson St Sutherland. As we begin preparations to celebrate this momentous occasion in our school's history, we would love to find out more about past students, families and teachers including photos and anecdotes of their time at St

Patrick's. If you went to or taught at St Patrick's or know someone who did, please complete the form by clicking on the QR Code below. You can also email us directly at stpatriks100years2024@gmail.com



THE
**SUTHERLAND SHIRE
7 CHURCHES
PILGRIMAGE**


"COULD YOU NOT STAY AND KEEP WATCH WITH ME." MATTHEW 26:40

YOU ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 7 CHURCHES PILGRIMAGE. AN ANCIENT DEVOTION WHERE CHRISTIANS VISIT SEVEN CHURCHES TO MEDITATE ON THE EVENTS LEADING TO THE LORD'S PASSION.

When: Holy Thursday, 28th of March 2024
Time: 9pm-11:30pm. (After Mass of the Lord's Supper)

Sutherland Shire 7 Churches

1. Holy Family Menai.
2. St John Bosco Engadine.
3. St Joseph's Como/Oyster Bay.
4. St Patrick's Sutherland.
5. St Catherine Laboure, Gympie.
6. Our Lady Star of the Sea, Miranda.
7. St Aloysius, Cronulla.



Holy Family Catholic Church, Menai.

COFFEE & TEA SET—15 APRIL 2024
PAINT N SIP— 10.30AM—numbers are needed \$50 per head.
BYO lunch— Please call Lyn 9521 6446 or 0406685140.

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.

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.

'LUMEN GENTIUM (Light of the Nations) Discussion 20.3.24 Today we found Section 6.3 of 'The Light from the Southern Cross' warns against the 'strict confidentiality' rule maintained in dioceses and stifled the laity's voice. Julian informs us that work on a new inclusive template for parish websites across Sydney is currently under way to enhance communication. Let's keep this in our prayers. Wednesdays 9.45am at the presbytery. ALL WELCOME!'



St Patrick's College, Sutherland Year 7, 2026

Enrolments are open - please visit spcsutherland.syd.catholic.edu.au to submit an online application or request an Application for Enrolment form. Applications due 5th April, 2024.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR THE SICK: Vince Maroney, Maria De Fatima Silva, Matilda Angraini, Barry Dalton, Olivia Drivas, Maria Ferraiollo, Jane Williams, Percie Anne Smith, Mila Laverick, Lilly Dregghorn, 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, Carol Drew, Ron Strauss, Patti Gore. All the residents in Nagle Apartments. All the residents in Bupa. All residents in the Palms.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Grant Rugless, Erlindo Mina, Eddie Kearns, Rita Karam Maureen Fraser

ANNIVERSARY: Anis Menezes, Peter Rendell, Anthony Esler, Maria Dodd, Rosabella Mina, Delvio Memerin, Alfred Gauci

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 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 & 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