

Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, Fairfield

Archdiocese of Sydney Est. 1946

18 Vine Street, Fairfield NSW 2165
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Our Lady of the Rosary Fairfield



MISSION STATEMENT

We are a believing community in the Catholic Tradition, whose heart is Jesus Christ, celebrated in the Eucharist. Our catholicity is lived through the diverse nature of our community which is open and welcoming to all. Daily we are open to the Holy Spirit who speaks to us through the Gospel, enabling us to experience personal and social transformation

PARISH INFORMATION

Dean/Parish Priest: Very Rev Fr Michael de Stoop
Assistant Priest: Rev Fr Josh Miechels
Assistant Priest: Rev Fr Bhaskar Mendam MSFS
Seminarian: Adrian Simmons
Seminarian: Peter Khuong
Parish Secretary: Rosalia Nauqe
PARISH OFFICE: 2 Weston Street
Fairfield NSW 2165
Email: admin@olrfairfield.org.au
Phone: (02) 9724 5997

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday: 9am-12pm, 1-4pm

CATECHIST COORDINATOR:

Heather Watt: Contact Parish Office

LITURGICAL COORDINATOR

Manolo Patacsil: 0466 263 419

SAFEGUARDING OFFICERS

Lessie Pahimulin and Margaret Lim:
Contact the Parish Office

SUNDAY MASS

in English (Vigil): 6:00pm (Sat)
in Polish: 7:30am
in English: 9:00am, 10:30am
in Vietnamese: 4:30pm
in English: 6:00pm

WEEKDAY MASS

Mon to Fri: 9:15 am
Saturday: 8:30 am
Tuesday: 7:00 pm

RECONCILIATION

After Mass Mon to Sat
5-6 pm every Sat

ADORATION

Tue-Thu 7-9am

MONTHLY MASS TIMES

1st Friday: 9:15 am Mass and Devotions
6:00 pm Holy Hour (Vietnamese)
7:00 pm Mass & Anointing
1st Sat: 8:30 am Mass and Holy Hour
4th Sat: Anointing of the Sick Mass 9 am
1st Sunday: 1:30 pm Mass in Burmese
Novena Mass: 1st Wednesday 6:30pm
Daily Rosary before and after Mass, Mon - Sat

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS

First Sunday of the Month. First part of the Baptism Ceremony takes place during the 10:30am Mass and continues after the Mass. A Baptism preparation class is required prior to Baptism. Baptism Enrolment form need to be submitted to the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

After every weekday Mass, Saturday 9am and 5pm or by appointment.

MARRIAGES By appointment – six months notice required and undergo Marriage Preparation Course. Check with Parish Secretary for more information

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

First Friday of the month during 7pm Mass and last Saturday of the month during 8.30am Mass. For emergencies, you can call the priest on duty on Ph: 0439 615 659

SCHOOLS

OLR PRIMARY SCHOOL

20 Vine Street, Fairfield Tel: (02) 9727 9064

Principal: Jackie Vella

info@olrfairfield.catholic.edu.au

PATRICIAN BROTHERS' COLLEGE

Boys Year 7-12 Tel: (02) 9728 4488

Principal: Mr. Peter Wade info@pbcfairfield.catholic.edu.au

Monastery: (02) 97241247

MARY MACKILLOP CATHOLIC COLLEGE

Girls Year 7-12 Tel: (02) 9725 4322 Principal: Ms. Gilda Pussich

info@mmwakeley.catholic.edu.au

SCECS OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

Ph: (02) 9568 8218 Website: www.scecs.nsw.edu.au

Mary Mackillop Hall 20 Vine Street, Fairfield NSW 2165

PARISH GROUPS

Divine Mercy Novena:	Every Saturday at 7:20 pm
Charismatic - Spanish:	Every Saturday 11am
Children's Liturgy:	2nd Sun of the Month 9am c/o Irene Taylor
Our Lady of Perpetual Help:	Wed 6:30 pm c/o Norberto Sia
St. Vincent de Paul:	1st Thurs of the month 6:30pm c/o Marcel
Holy Communion for the Sick & Elderly:	Antoinette 0412015469
Catholic Women's League:	4th Thur of the month, 12:30 pm Sandra
Legion of Mary:	Every Sunday Junior group at 10:30am. Adult at 4pm c/o Josephine 0447 438 302

A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney

Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with a crime 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.

This Parish pays respect to the Cadigal People of the Eora Nation, the traditional custodians of this land.

PENTECOST SUNDAY

YEAR C 09 June, 2019:



First Reading Acts 2:1-11

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles
They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak different languages.

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech. Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia,

Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the part of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome, Jews and proselytes alike – Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God

Responsorial Psalm Ps 103:1. 24. 29-31. 34. R. v.30

(R.) Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

Second Reading Rom 8:8-17

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans
Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God.

People who are interested only in unspiritual things can never be pleasing to God. Your interests, however, are not in the unspiritual, but in the spiritual, since the Spirit of God has made his home in you. In fact, unless you possessed the Spirit of Christ you would not belong to him. Though your body may be dead it is because of sin, but if Christ is in you then your spirit is life itself because you have been justified; and if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, then he who raised Jesus from the dead will give life to your own mortal bodies through his Spirit living in you. So then, my brothers, there is no necessity for us to obey our unspiritual selves or to live unspiritual lives. If you do live in that way, you are doomed to die; but if by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body you will live. Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God. The spirit you received is not the spirit of slaves bringing fear into your lives again; it is the spirit of sons, and it makes us cry out, 'Abba, Father!' The Spirit himself and our spirit bear united witness that we are children of God. And if we are children we are heirs as well: heirs of God and coheirs with Christ, sharing his sufferings so as to share his glory.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit; fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Alleluia!

Gospel Jn 20:19-23

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

As the Father sent me, so I send you: Receive the Holy Spirit.

In the evening of the first day of the week, the doors were closed in the room where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews. Jesus came and stood among them. He said to them, 'Peace be with you,' and showed them his hands and his side. The disciples were filled with joy when they saw the Lord, and he said to them again, 'Peace be with you. 'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you.' After saying this he breathed on them and said: 'Receive the Holy Spirit. For those whose sins you forgive, they are forgiven; for those whose sins you retain, they are retained.'

WE REMEMBER AND PRAY FOR:

Recently Deceased: Sarah Bogdanich-Yvonne Hinds, Irene Zerausckek,

Anniversary of Death: Annie Gonsalves, Luigi Mirarchi, Giovanni Severini, Domenico Mazzone, Silvestro Climich, Vittorio Bogna, Maria Bogdanich, Elsa Perco, Rijina Yousif, Alan James Doel, Giuseppe Occhiuto,

In Loving Memory of: Madalena Dang Thi Lien, Catalina Pham Thi Gioi, Pham Thi Ngu, Pulqueria Luis & Jose Luis Mota, Sabah Sadig, Paul & Pina Axisa, Joseph Murdaca, Mary Patrick, Virisine Racumu, Caetan Fernandes, Lynette Herbert, Alfred Zammit, Fatima Cham, Maria Luisa Cubelo, Sr. Concezione D'Amico, Giuseppe Gagliano, Karmenu & Vincenzo Cianta, Charlie Camilleri, Cecilia Anh Thi Nguyen, Isabel Tuyet Thi Dang, Vincenza & Vincenzo, Domenico, Stefano, Carmela Cagliostro, Concetizione & Concetto D'Amico, Graziella Ninna D'Amico, Gianni D'Amico, Paul Pace, Georgina Bugeja, Maria Faccin, Karmenu, Vincenza Ciantar, John & Marjorie Windred, Sam Musolino, Sr Concezione & Giuseppe D'Amico, Giuseppe Gagliano, Annunziata D'Amico, Domenico Marzano, Carmen & Anthony Spiteri, Charlie Camilleni, Joseph & Carmen Camilleni, Joseph Busuttill, Mary Rose Price, Emmanuel, John & and all Holy Souls in Purgatory.

Sick & Infirm: Lucy Bugeja, Mary Nguyen, Maria Pham, Carmel Windred, Baby Hayden.

Special Intention: Levi Daws & family.

Mass Intentions: Fr Josh

6	Mr Fortunato Sadio
7	Steve Lawrence
8	Charlie Camilleri
9	Aidan Cianta
10	Giuseppe Gagliano
11	Sr Concezione and Giuseppe D'Amico
12	Annunziata and Concetto D'Amico
13	Alan James Doel
14	Steve Lawrence

St Anthony of Padua Feast Day

Date: Thursday June 13th

Schedule

- **Adoration: 7:30 am**
- **Rosary: 8:00 am**
- **Mass & Blessing of Bread: 9:15 am**

If you would like to donate money for bread, you can give it to Antonina or Rosa at the Parish Office. They will organise someone to buy the bread for blessing on the day.



Parish Priest Message:

Planned Giving Programme

The Planned Giving Program is a means by which parishioners can plan in advance the way they contribute towards the Church Building Fund. If you have registered for the Planned Giving Program, the new envelopes for the 2019-2020 financial year will be ready in the next two weeks and tax receipts for 1 July 2018 – 1 July 2019 will be ready upon request. Please inform Parish Office if you would like a copy.

If you have not registered for the Planned Giving Program, I invite you on behalf of OLR Parish to register by virtue of the following benefits:

1. The Planned Giving Program assists the Parish to undertake repairs and maintenance and any refurbishments in respond to pastoral needs. Currently, the Parish is in the process of refurbishing the Children's Liturgy Room and the Youth Room with a new floor, cupboards, an audio-visual system, tables and chairs. The Parish Meeting Room will also be refurbished with a new floor and cupboards. Additionally, the Confessional will be refurbished in response to the Archbishop's decree which requires a separate door for penitents to the door the priest opens to enter the Confessional; and

2. The envelopes received for every Sunday enables you to plan what you give in advance. Additionally, by placing your donations on the collection plate in these envelopes affords you the opportunity to offer an amount in privacy; and

3. In the 2019-2020 financial year, the tax deductibility will increase from 25% to 30%. To obtain this benefit, the new Registration Form for the Planned Giving Program (which is included in each new box of envelopes) needs to be filled in and returned to the Parish Office either in person, by mail, or as a scanned attachment in an email to: admin@olrfairfield.org.au

Annual Leave

I will be on annual leave from 10 June to 20 June 2019.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2019

First Holy Communion will take place on June 22 at the 6pm Vigil Mass and June 23 at the 10:30am Mass

A reminder for the remaining dates that you have to attend:

- Session 3 – 15 or 16 June 4:30pm
- Retreat Day – 21 June (Friday) 9am – 3pm
- Sacrament of (First) Holy Communion: 22 June (Saturday) 6pm and 10:30am 23 June (Sunday)

Traffic Accident on Vine Street.

On 4 May Valerie & Russell were crossing, Vine Street after the 6pm Mass and they were hit by a van that ran through the red light. Valerie is still in Liverpool Hospital to this day. If anyone saw the accident or heard the driver say anything, please contact Fairfield Hospital and let them know.

Thank you for your help. Valerie & Russell

30%



School News:



Our Lady of the Rosary School is now accepting enrolment applications for Kindergarten 2020.

Please collect enrolment applications from the school office now and inform neighbours, parishioners and friends of the enrolment period.

Parents wishing to enrol their children need to be aware of the enrolment criteria and that children applying for Kindergarten next year need to turn 5 years of age before July.

Waiting list applications are also being received for Years 1-6 2020 for vacancies which may arise.

Linda Katsibras

Assistant Principal

To Parishioners of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish,

May the good Lord be praised for the beautiful souls you are.

Our group the Australians friends of the poor are grateful for the hospitality, cooperation and the generosity of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish Fairfield for the sale of the icons to support needy seminarians in Cebu, Philippines plus donations received, a total of \$4450.00.

Our heartfelt thanks and may the good Lord reward you all with the blessings your heart desires.

Our humble prayers with you all.

Fr John Iacono

SACRED HEART OF JESUS PRAYER NIGHT

We invite everyone to come celebrate the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in Prayer.

Date: Friday 28th June

Time: 6:30-8:30pm

Location: Church

(18 Vine Street, Fairfield)



6:30-7:00pm Sacred Heart Chaplet and Prayers

7:00-7:30pm Mass

7:30-8:30pm Adoration

CHARITY BAKE SALE

Come and support the Mercy Project in fundraising money for poor parish communities in Sudan, by buying some baked goods!

Date: Sunday 23rd June

Time: After 7:30am, 9am and 10:30am masses

Location: Outside Church





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Our Lady of the Rosary Parish invites you all to:

SEE AND BELIEVE

Movie night and Spiritual talk by
Seminararian Adrian Simmons

Dinner and Snacks included

Friday 14th June

6:30pm at Harrington (Parish) Hall

