

# ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH



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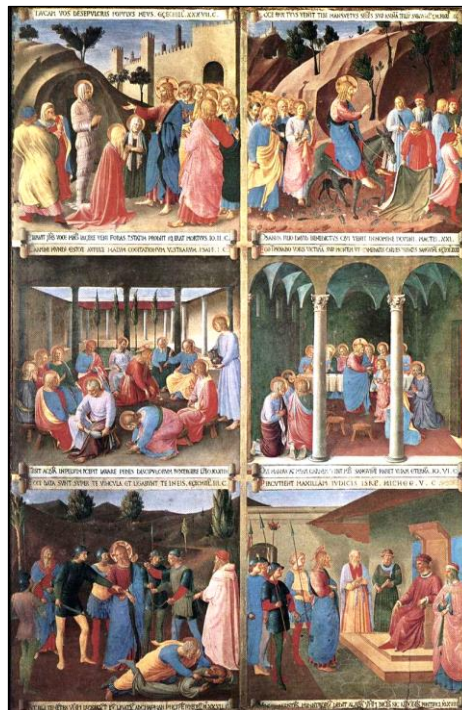
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## 14<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7<sup>th</sup> July 2019, Year C/1



ANGELICO, Fra, Paintings for the Aemadio degli Argenti (detail), 1451-52

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil: 6:00pm

Sunday: 8:30am  
10:00am

Weekday Masses:

Monday-Friday 8:00am

Saturday 8:30am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday after 8:30am Mass

### ST. JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

Mrs. Patricia Reilly – Principal

#### School Office Times

8:30 am - 4:00 pm - Monday to Friday

#### Address

94 Joseph Street  
Kingswood, NSW 2747

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Parish Office Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 9:00am - 2:00pm and Friday: 8:30am - 1:30pm

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# ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PARISH

## LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS / MASS INTENTIONS

**Entrance Antiphon:** Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of Your temple.  
Your praise, O God, like Your name, reaches the ends of the earth;  
Your right hand is filled with saving justice.

**First Reading:** Isaiah 66:10-14

**Responsorial Psalm:** Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

**Second Reading:** Galatians 6:14-18

**Gospel:** Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

### VIGIL SATURDAY

6:00pm

Fr Ignacy Smaga (Dec. Ann.)

SUNDAY 8:30am

Phillis Herbert (Dec. Ann.)

10:00am

For the Parish

Monday 8:00am 14<sup>th</sup> Week Ordinary Time

Kayla Micallef (Dec. Ann.)

Tuesday 8:00am St John of Cologne & Companions

Nicholas Tuyau (Rec. Dec.)

Wednesday 8:00am 14<sup>th</sup> Week Ordinary Time

Thursday 8.00am St Benedict

Friday 8.00am 14<sup>th</sup> Week Ordinary Time

Saturday 8.30am Mass of the Virgin Mary

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

Please contact the Parish Office or one of the Priests.  
In the case of Emergency please call the emergency number at the front of this bulletin.

### RECENTLY DECEASED:

Nicholas Tuyau

### DECEASED ANNIVERSARIES:

Fr Ignacy Smaga, Phillis Herbert, Kayla Micallef

### MASS INTENTIONS

To arrange for a Mass Intention please contact one of the Priests in person. Donations need to be cash as we are unable to process credit cards.

### BAPTISM OR MARRIAGE:

Please contact the Parish Office.

### YOUTH MASS

Our next Youth Mass will be Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm, with a time for fellowship in the Parish Hall after Mass. Please invite any young people you know.

### SACRAMENTS 2019

Confirmation – Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

Registration & 1<sup>st</sup> Session – 28<sup>th</sup> July

### POPE FRANCIS' JULY INTENTIONS

#### Universal – Justice

That those who administer justice may work with integrity and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.

**WE PRAY FOR THE SICK:** Kevin Collins, John McCahon, Kathryn Tuckwell, Carmel Kerr, Roger Stevens, Cameron Stevens, Shayla, Karen Morvan, Katalin Domotor, Barbara Thompson, Zig Barglik, Valerie Davis, Raymond Waters, Jason Isbitski, Andrew Isbitski, David Jenkins, Margaret Colville, Gill Waltisbuhl, Robert Waltisbuhl, Cecylia Tobera, Geoffrey Waltis, Ophelia Paraan.

**SICK LIST:** If you have anyone for the sick list, (Due to privacy laws) contact the Parish Office to fill in a form and update it at the end of each month to keep the names on the sick list.

PARISH AND THE DIOCESE

**SECOND COLLECTION: Envelopes: \$765**  
**Loose: \$265.40**  
**Visitor Contribution: \$80.25**

Please collect your Planned Giving Envelopes from the back of the Church.

If you would like to contribute through the envelopes, please fill in the form at the back of the Church or ring the Office.

**ST. JOSEPH'S PRAYER GROUP:**

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month at 7pm in the Parish Office. All are welcome.

Any questions please ring Jim on 0411 280 950.

**CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP**

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month in the Church from 12.30pm to 3pm. All are most welcome. Please contact Delfin on 0478 784 885 with any questions.

**BIBLE STUDY**

Every Wednesday at 10.30am. All are welcome. Please bring your Bibles with you.

**YOUTH GROUP**

Will recommence on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July Young people from Year 6 to 18 years are most welcome.

**PARISH MOVIE**

This Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm in the Parish Hall. All are welcome. Movie will be John XXIII (Pope of Peace).

**PARISH LUNCH:**

Held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month. Our next Lunch will be this Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July at Penrith Golf Club. All are most welcome.

**PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF EXIT**

There will be no exit via Joseph Street on Sundays until construction work at the school is completed. Please take care when entering or leaving via Richmond Road.

**50 YEARS OF ST JOSEPH'S PARISH**

If you have not yet filled in the Survey to assist the Parish Council with planning for our Anniversary, please do so and place forms in the box at the back of the Church.

**CHARISMATIC HEALING MASS**

2pm on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July at Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Church, St Marys. Leaflets at back of Church.

**PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION**

We collected \$435 towards assisting Pope with funds for emergency assistance to those in need. Thank you for your generosity.

**APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA COLLECTION**

Next week is Sea Sunday when the Church prays for all who live and work at sea. There will be an appeal next weekend, which provides practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. Please give generously.

**SERVING AT THE ALTAR**

Formation Day for Acolytes and Senior Servers on 3<sup>rd</sup> August from 9.30am to 2.30pm at Institute for Mission 1-5 Marion Street, Blacktown. Morning Tea and Lunch provided. RSVP by 29<sup>th</sup> July on 8838 3456 or [ingrid.vergano@parracatholic.org](mailto:ingrid.vergano@parracatholic.org)

**'COME AND SEE' EVENT**

A day of discernment for single men aged 16 years and over considering a vocation to priesthood. On Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August between 10am and 7pm at Holy Spirit Seminary, 33 Allen Street, Harris Park.

**HOUSE OF WELCOME DONATIONS**

If you would like to donate groceries for the refugees please leave them at the Parish Office. They need olive oil, tinned tomatoes, Basmati rice, flour, UHT milk, washing and dishwashing liquid, cleaning products, chick peas, tea and coffee.

**YOUNG BEREAVED SPOUSES SUPPORT GROUP**

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month from 7-9pm at 13 Buller St, North Parramatta. Cost \$5. Ring Rita on 8843 2575 or email [soloparentsservices@ccss.org.au](mailto:soloparentsservices@ccss.org.au)

**PLENARY COUNCIL DIOCESAN FORUM**

An inaugural Diocesan Forum on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July will consider the Plenary Council National Themes for Discernment and significant challenges as identified by the People of God. The forum includes participation from a broad range of diocesan leaders, ministers and representatives. Speak to your Deanery Pastoral Council Representatives, Sunny Mathew or Teresa Prior, or Priest for more information about the Forum. Please pray for fruitful conversation to bring to life ways to grow and share our faith in the Diocese.

CATHOLIC CHURCH IN THE WORLD

**POPE FRANCIS' ANGELUS ADDRESS**

**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June**

Dear brothers and sisters, good morning!

This Sunday's Gospel (Lk 9:51-62) shows a very important step in the life of Christ: the moment in which, as St. Luke writes, "[Jesus] steadfastly set His face to go to Jerusalem." Jerusalem is the final destination, where Jesus, in his last Passover, must die and rise again, and so to fulfil His mission of salvation.

From that time forth, after the steadfast decision, Jesus aims straight for the finish line, and even to the people he meets and who ask to [be allowed to] follow Him, He says clearly what are the conditions: not having a permanent abode; knowing how to detach oneself from familiar affections; not succumbing to nostalgia for the past.

Jesus also said to his disciples, charged with preceding Him on the way to Jerusalem to announce His coming, not to impose anything: if they do not find willing welcome, they are [simply] to proceed further, to move on. Jesus never imposes. Jesus is humble. Jesus extends invitations: "If you want, come." The humility of Jesus is like this: He always invites us. He does not impose.

All this makes us think. It tells us, for example, the importance, even for Jesus, of conscience: listening in his heart to the Father's voice and following it. Jesus, in his earthly life, was not, so to speak, "remote-controlled": He was the Word made flesh, the Son of God made man, and at one point he made a firm decision to go up to Jerusalem for the last time—a decision taken in His conscience, but not on His own: with the Father, in full union with Him! He decided in obedience to the Father, in profound intimate attunement to the Father's will. For this reason, then, the decision was steadfast: because it was taken together with the Father. In the Father, then, Jesus found the strength and the light for His journey.

Jesus was free. His decision was a free one. Jesus wants us Christians to be free as he is: with that

liberty, which comes from this dialogue with the Father, this dialogue

with God. Jesus wants neither selfish Christians, who follow their egos and do not speak with God, nor weak Christians, without will: "remote-controlled" Christians, incapable of creativity, who seek ever to connect with the will of another and are not free. Jesus wants us free, and this freedom—where is it found? It is to be found in the inner dialogue with God in conscience. If a Christian does not know how to talk with God, does not know how to listen to God, in his own conscience, then he is not free—he is not free.

So we also must learn to listen more to our conscience. Be careful, however: this does not mean we ought to follow our ego, do whatever interests us, whatever suits us, whatever pleases us. That is not conscience. Conscience is the interior space in which we can listen to and hear the truth, the good, the voice of God. It is the inner place of our relationship with Him, who speaks to our heart and helps us to discern, to understand the path we ought to take, and once the decision is made, to move forward, to remain faithful.

Pope Benedict XVI has given us a great example in this sense. When the Lord had made it clear, in prayer, what was the step he had to take, he followed, with a great sense of discernment and courage, his conscience, that is, the will of God that spoke to his heart—and this example of our father does much good to all of us, as an example to follow.

Our Lady, with great simplicity, listened to and meditated deep within herself upon the Word of God and what was happening to Jesus. She followed her Son with deep conviction, with steadfast hope. May Mary help us to become more and more men and women of conscience—free in our conscience, because it is in conscience that the dialogue with God is given—men and women able to hear the voice of God and follow it with decision.