

# ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH KINGSWOOD

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“ST. JOSEPH'S IS A CHRIST CENTRED  
COMMUNITY COMMITTED TO  
REACHING OUT IN FAITH, HOPE AND  
LOVE.”

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The office is open Tues & Thur.  
9:00am—2:00pm  
Friday 8:30am—1:30pm



**31ST SUNDAY IN ORD. TIME**

**YEAR B**

**3/4 NOVEMBER 2012**

**SUNDAY MASSES:** Saturday Vigil—6:00pm  
Sunday—8:30am & 10:00am  
Polish Mass every Saturday—4:00pm

**WEEKDAY MASSES:** Monday, Tuesday & Thursday—8:00am  
Wednesday—9.30am  
Saturday—8:25am

**COMMUNION SERVICE:** Friday - 8.00am

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:** Saturday after morning Mass

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Every 1st Saturday—8:25am Mass

**BAPTISM:** Please contact the Presbytery

## **A YEAR OF GRACE**

**Gracious God,**

**You have blessed this ancient land with many gifts, especially its people.**

**We thank you for the Year of Grace, a time to start afresh from Christ.**

**You invite us to contemplate the face of Jesus your Son, that we may experience a  
new wave of grace, and that the light of Christ  
may burn more brightly in our lives.**

**Attune our hearts and minds to the presence of your Holy Spirit, that our Church  
may be transformed, our relationships be healed,  
and our nation grow in compassion and justice.**

**With the intercession of St Mary MacKillop,  
who showed us new ways of living the Gospel,  
we make our prayer through Christ our Lord.**

**Amen.**

**Mary, help of Christians, pray for us.**

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**  
**I love you Lord, my strength.**



The Rosary statue will be at the home of  
 Alex & Ofelia Paraan.....4th November 2012  
 Noeline Cruzado.....11th November 2012

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK: George Churchward, Gary Collier, Aaron Rhodes, Tony & Angelina Bogdanovic, Jonathon Ansell, Adell Matloob, Shakib Yousif, Kathy Carberry, Kathy Hogarth, Bertha Wetton, John McCahon, Marija Paponja, Mary D'Vaz, Kathryn Knighton, Joan Fleming, Joan Evans, Corrie Noort, Karen Morvan, Kevin Collins, Katie Domotor, John McLintock, Jeanette Rogers, Elaine Neal, Ken & Pat Fleming, Barbara Thompson, Judy Spence, Allan Tuckwell, Michael Holstein, Charles Timmins, John Ashford, Gisela Drobiszewski, Sienna Ongoongo, Brian Woodward, John Lynch, Allan Gardener, Faye Noonan, Josephine & Frances Zammit.

SICK LIST: If you have anyone for the sick list, (due to privacy laws) contact the Parish Office to fill in a form.

RECENTLY DECEASED:

DECEASED ANNIVERSARY :

CENTACARE COUNSELLING FOR CHILDREN RING 9630 7788

WEEKLY ENVELOPES:: Banked \$ 995.00

PRAYER MINISTRY: After weekend Mass there will be an opportunity to be prayed over by those appointed to the Prayer Ministry. Please advise an Acolyte or a Senior Server before Mass. if you require prayers.

RCIA— For information please ring Parish Office.

RCIC—If you know of any children aged 6-14 who are committed to going to Mass each week and are ready for baptism, please Leave your name and number at the Parish Office.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**  
 Monthly Meeting this Thursday, 8th November after 8am Mass. All welcome.

**INVITATION TO  
 ST. JOSEPH'S PRIMARY  
 SCHOOL**  
 Parishioners are invited to attend the **Blessing of the Multipurpose Area and Learning Space** on Thursday 8th November at 10:00am at the School. Light refreshments will be served.

NEXT ANOINTING MASS: 1st DECEMBER 2012

USED STAMPS: Please bring your used stamps and leave in the box at back of the Church.

They are sold to help the missionaries.

Parish library will be open after all weekend Masses.



BECOME A JUNIOR ALTAR SERVER: If your child has made their First Holy Communion and would like to be a Junior Altar Server, please contact Eileen Farrell 4721 2662.

**PARISH CELL GROUPS**

**Times and Venues**

- A) **1st & 3rd Tuesday at 1:30pm  
 Parish Office Building**
- B) **2nd & 4th Wednesday at 10:00am  
 Libermann Room**
- C) **2nd & 4th Thursday at 7:00pm  
 2/40 Single Road, South Penrith**

**Any enquiries please ring Maria during office hours.**



**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S  
 LEAGUE: MELBOURNE CUP  
 DAY BINGO**

Margaret's home,  
 34 Sandringham Ave, 6th November  
 commencing at 11.00am. \$5.00  
 entry includes light lunch.

Come along and have fun  
 wearing your crazy hat or frilly  
 bonnet.



S.K.Y  
St Joseph's Kingswood Youth  
Group  
**Every Wednesday**  
**(except during school holidays)**  
**3-5pm**  
**12yrs-17yrs**  
**Games, talks, social nights**  
**Youth Ministry—UTURN**  
**Enq: Maria Loveridge**  
**Parish Office.**

THE 2013 COLUMBAN CALENDARS are now on sale and cost \$9.00. The sales of the calendar have each year provided important funding for the work of the Columban Missionaries.

ALSO

CHRISTMAS CARDS are now available. Pack of 10 cards cost \$6.00 and both can be purchased at the St Vincent de Paul Pious Stall

CATHOLIC BIOETHICS—Living our everyday life with Christ in mind—presented by Bishop Anthony Fisher OP, 1-5 Marion St Blacktown, Mondays, 12 & 19th Nov 7pm—9pm. Booking essential. Donation. mh@instituteformission.com.au or 9831 4911.

COMPUTER VOLUNTEER: We need people to run the Computer for Hymns at the 6:00pm and 10:00am Weekend Masses. Please ring Hala if you can help on 4736 6100.



CHRISTMAS CHOIR: If you are interested in joining a choir to sing at 9:00pm Mass Christmas Eve. Please phone Shirley Corcoran on 4731 6324.

**YEAR OF GRACE**  
*Information and  
resources available at:*  
***www.parrayearofgrace.org.au***

**YEAR OF GRACE AND LIFE IN THE SPIRIT:** 6 sessions 2.30pm-4.30pm Sunday November 4 to December 9, don Bosco Centre 10-12 Mamre Rd St. Marys (upper room). For more information Ph. Col 4754 4625 or Chris 0 4 2 7 3 2 7 4 7 1. Email: dojbm@bigpond.com

**WORLD YOUTH RIO 2013 Information nights** Thur 8th Nov at 7.30pm at St. Patrick's Parish, Blacktown and Wed 14th Nov at St Thomas Aquinas Parish, Springwood at 7.30pm.

**ADVENT GROUPS:** Our Advent Program will begin the week prior to 1st Sunday of Advent; the week starting Sunday 25th November and run for 4 weeks. You are most welcome to attend the Cell Groups for Advent (see times and venues from Bulletin), or if you would like to form a Group in your home and have friends to join you, please let the Office know. Books are available for \$2.50 each.

**DIOCESAN WORKS FUND** will be held next weekend 10/11 November. If you require a receipt for donations over \$2.00, please write your name and address clearly on the envelope and tick the appropriate box. Our quota for this appeal is \$2,410.00.

Please give generously.

Thank you.

### **Discover OLMC Parramatta in November:**

Our Lady of Mercy College Parramatta would like to invite you to visit the College and see Mercy values in action at our final Open Morning Tour for this year on Monday 12th Nov. The College is now enrolling for 2014 and there are limited vacancies for 2013. Visit [www.olmc.nsw.edu.au](http://www.olmc.nsw.edu.au) or phone 8838 1263 to reserve your place or obtain further information

## PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

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Our sincere thanks to those who contribute in this way. Those not already receiving the envelopes, who would like to help the Parish in this way, please fill in this form and place in the collection baskets.

**NAME:**.....

**ADDRESS:**.....

**TELEPHONE NUMBER:**.....

Readings: Deut 6:2-6; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28-34

Following proclamation of the Privacy Act 1988 at the end of 2001, a privacy policy has been developed in accordance with Diocesan norms and has been approved by the Parish Priest. A copy is available from the Parish Office.