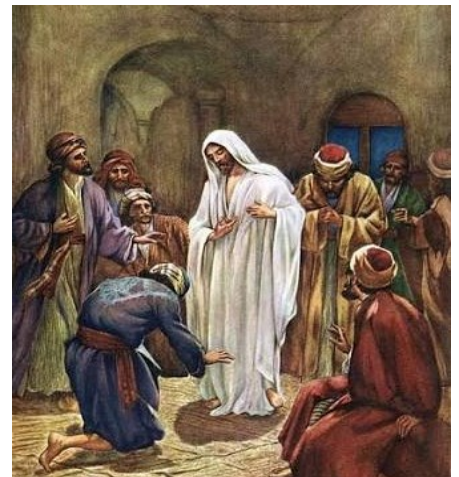




## THIS WEEK



### SATURDAY 17 APR

6:00pm Mass

### SUNDAY 18 APR

9:30am Mass + Kids Church, Morn/Tea

11:00am Baptisms

3:30pm Indonesian Community Mass

6:00pm Mass

### MONDAY 19 APR

9:00am Mass

6:00pm Adoration + Reconciliation

### WEDNESDAY 21 APR

9:00am Mass

### THURSDAY 22 APR

10:30am Funeral - Jean Newton

6:00pm Mass

### FRIDAY 23 APR

9:00am Mass

### SATURDAY 24 APR

6:00pm Mass

### SUNDAY 25 APR

9:30am Mass + Kids Church, Morn/Tea

3:30pm Indonesian Community Mass

6:00pm Mass

## CHRIST OUR SAVIOUR

An article in National Geographic several years ago provided a penetrating picture of God's love. After a forest fire in Yellowstone National Park, forest rangers began their trek up a mountain to assess the damage.

One ranger found a bird literally petrified in ashes, perched on the ground at the base of a tree. Somewhat sickened by the eerie sight, he knocked over the bird with a stick.

When he struck it, three tiny chicks scurried from under their dead mother's wings. The protective mother, keenly aware of impending disaster, had carried her offspring to the base of the tree and had gathered them under her wings. She could have flown to safety but had refused to abandon her babies.

When the blaze arrived and the heat scorched her small body, the mother had remained steadfast. Because she had been willing to die, those under the cover of her wings would live.

Likewise Christ gave his life to save us.  
(Source unknown)

Fr Terry



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### PARISH PRIEST

**Fr Terry Bowman msc**

#### PARISH SECRETARY

Maria Caetano

(9:30am - 3:30pm Mon to Fri)

#### MASS TIMES

Sat 6pm (Vigil),

Sun 9:30am (Family), 6pm

Mon, Wed, Fri - 9am, Thurs 6pm

Indonesian Mass Sun 3:30pm

#### RECONCILIATION

Mon 9:30am or by appointment

#### ROSARY

First Saturday at 4pm in the church

#### INDONESIAN COMMUNITY

Fr Petrus Suroto msc - 0450 625 757

#### BAPTISMS

First Sunday - 11am, bookings required

#### WEDDINGS

By Appointment

#### SACRAMENTS

Contact parish office

#### OLR PRIMARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Marie Nilon - 9663 3346

#### OLSH COLLEGE PRINCIPAL

Brigid Taylor - 9662 4088

#### JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

Roy Rigotti - 9313 8334

John Hill - 9663 3222

Sr Pauline Richards - 0419 482 408

Nani Widarto - 0411 850 350

## RESPONSES

### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

### FIRST READING

Acts 3: 13-15, 17-19

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Lord, let your face shine on us.

### SECOND READING

1 John 2: 1-5

### ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Lord Jesus, make your word plain to us; make our hearts burn with love when you speak. Alleluia!

### GOSPEL

Luke 24: 35-48

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Christ has to suffer and on the third day rise from the dead; In his name repentance and remission of sins must be preached to all the nations, alleluia.

## OREMUS

*Let us Pray*

### SICK

Tom Regan, Maria & Ivan Zic, Grace Veronica, Salvatore Messina, Sr Margaret McKay rscj, Amina Chahrouk, Elisabetta Nesci, Umberto Vaccarella, Xavier Stratton, Rose Alessio, Joanna & family, David Lai, Gavin Robertson, Chris (Cindy's husband), Manuel Mouco, Eva (Nicole's mum), Paul Galea, A.L., Plutarco Cadornigara, Olga Nasser, Lynne Chaundhuri

### PARISHIONERS IN RESIDENTIAL CARE/HOMEBOUND

Margaret Stocker, Malcolm MacDonald, Nella Custorella, Rose Kelter, Jill Rees, John Borg, Gwen Smith, Laura Leonard, Maria Pockaj, Sebastiano Gentile, Frances McLaughlin, Lucienne Radzyminski, Nicole Chiaradia

### BELOVED DECEASED

Cardinal Edward Cassidy, Colleen Leslie Hutchinson, Kathleen Margaret Downey, Jean Patricia Newton, Br James Mahon FSC, Pat Franklin, Susan Zebic (*mother of Elizabeth Grace*)

### ANNIVERSARIES

Joachim Yap, Anna Chan, Mary Kong, Daniel G McCaughan, Agnes Smith, Glen Kilmurray, Robyn Greenwell, Desleigh Carlton, Anthony O'Donnell, Danny Sullivan, Terry McGuinness


## PARISH ROSTER

17/18 Apr	Sat 6:00pm	Sun 9:30am	Sun 6:00pm
<b>Acolytes</b>	John Ryan	Gus Alimhamzah	John Allen
<b>Readers</b>	Francine Pirola Byron Pirola	Nani Widarto Scott Murcutt	Bella Siauwidjaja Lena Hermawan
<b>Euch Ministers</b>	Alice Mouco Jan Nicholas	Thomas Chia Dewi Suryani	Patricia Reyes Michael Reyes
<b>KidsChurch</b>	Holley & Lily		
<b>Comm to sick</b>	Thomas Chia		
24/25 Apr	Sat 6:00pm	Sun 9:30pm	Sun 6:00pm
<b>Acolytes</b>	John Allen	Roel Castillo	Danny Tjahjadi
<b>Readers</b>	Sr Diana Hayes Br Rory Higgins	Toni McGuinness Rob McGuinness	Isabel Reyes Patricia Reyes
<b>Euch Ministers</b>	Shilla Azalea Connie Barone	Trish Veness Cathy Castillo	Marieann Duncan Michael Reyes
<b>KidsChurch</b>	Sherly & Mary Ellen		
<b>Comm to sick</b>	Trish Veness	Cathy Castillo	

### PARISH COLLECTIONS - 10/11 APRIL 2021


1st Collection \$529    2nd Collection \$668    Envelope \$535    CWF \$600

**You are invited...**



**HOLY HOUR**

Join us for Adoration this coming  
**Monday, 19th April 6pm-7pm**  
 Fr Terry will be available for  
 Reconciliation (*call in for a few minutes  
 or stay the whole hour*)



We welcome into our faith community by  
 Baptism this Sunday:

**James Isaac Lukman**  
**Grace Michiko Santoso**  
**Parker Bose**

Please keep them and their families in your prayers.

**GENERAL UPDATE**

We'd like to announce that the first stage of works for Jubilee Hall are expected to start mid June and take approximately four weeks. This will involve the demolition and build of a new kitchen as well as new flooring.

As mentioned earlier this year, the Parish was successful in receiving a grant from the NSW Government last year to part fund these renovations. As a community, the Parish (along with OLR Primary School and other Jubilee Hall users) we will also need to raise \$30,000 to help fund the renovations.


You are invited to join our first fundraising event on Saturday, 19 June - "Help restore the Hall: Jubilee Hall Fundraising Dinner". It'll also be a wonderful opportunity to come together as a community and enjoy good company, food and drink.

Please mark this in your diaries and more information will come.

Also, if you're interested in sponsoring or donating raffle prizes, please contact Lily on 0450 733 577.

**FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY**

You are invited to join the parish rosary group in the church on **Saturday 1st May at 4:00pm to pray the rosary.** If you would like to join in, please private message Sarina through the Parish WhatsApp Group or contact the Parish Office. All welcomed.



**VOLUNTEERS – ACT OF KINDNESS**

OLR Parishioners gave very generously to the Appeal for Refugees. The food is now piled up at the Parish Office and needs to be transported to JRS Foodbank in Parramatta, anytime between 9am and 4pm Mon to Thurs. If you're able to assist, please contact Maria at the Parish Office.

**BELOVED 2021 WOMEN'S RETREAT**  
**12 June 2021 | 8.30am - 8.30pm | St Finbar's Catholic Church Glenbrook | Cost \$60 per person**

A wonderful opportunity for women to participate in a retreat day in a Catholic setting. If you have had the desire to attend a retreat on your heart, then you might seriously consider this one.

A retreat filled with peace, prayerfulness, adoration, Mass, Reconciliation, inspiring guest speakers and praise and worship.



Places are limited.  
 To register visit:  
<https://forms.gle/KkBaTavm1qkYYCzm8>.  
 All enquires to:  
[beloved2021info@gmail.com](mailto:beloved2021info@gmail.com).

**MAXIMUS PRESENTS**



**BE A MAN**

AN ONLINE COURSE ON  
**MASCULINE THEOLOGY**  
 FROM 7:30-9PM

<b>SESSION 01</b> HOW TO SPEAK ABOUT MASCULINITY 21 APRIL 2021	<b>SESSION 02</b> WHAT IS BEING SAID ABOUT MASCULINITY 05 MAY 2021	<b>SESSION 03</b> MASCULINITY AND CHRISTIANITY 15 MAY 2021
<b>SESSION 04</b> DIGGING DOWN - WHO IS A MAN? 26 MAY 2021		<b>SESSION 05</b> MANHOOD AND THEOLOGY 09 JUNE 2021

Facilitated by **FR PAUL CHANDLER**

Register at [sydneycatholic.org/beaman](http://sydneycatholic.org/beaman)

**6 DAY RETREAT 23-29 APRIL 2021 "BECOME LIKE WATER" FR JOHN ARMSTRONG**

Cost: \$870 (Prayer Weekend 23-25 April: \$290) St. Mary's Towers Retreat Centre, Douglas Park. Download the Form from our Website: <http://towersretreat.org.au> or RSVP Ph:4630-0233 or Email [contact@towersretreat.org.au](mailto:contact@towersretreat.org.au).

## EX-STUDENTS REUNION: ST BRIGIDINE'S COLLEGE, RANDWICK


The reunion will be held on **Sunday**, May 2 at 1.30pm in the old hall near the Quadrangle at the College. Afternoon tea and lots of chat make this a great time to renew old friendships and bring back memories. Please pass this invitation to any former students you may know.

To book (for catering purposes), please contact Dianne Mullin on 0499 325 823 or email to [diannemullin@bigpond.com](mailto:diannemullin@bigpond.com).

## SOCIAL JUSTICE SURVEY

The Justice and Peace Office is an agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney which promotes, justice, peace ecology and development according to the social teaching of the Catholic Church. To better undertake our work, which includes supporting parish social justice groups to engage in charitable and social justice works, we would like to find out what issues are of most concern to the people in our parishes.

If you could take a few minutes to fill out the survey at this link, we would appreciate it: <https://forms.gle/ButTM6mZMmpTkCoD9>.  
If you have any questions please email: [jpointo@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:jpointo@sydneycatholic.org)



**40 HOURS for  
Vocations**  
23 - 25 APRIL 2021



During our 40 Hours of Eucharistic Adoration for Vocations, we need YOUR prayers to help young men and women answer God's call to a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life!

Bring your family, friends, and someone who needs your invitation to discover their vocation.

Will you spend an hour with Jesus?

**SIGN UP** for an hour of adoration at  
[VOCATIONCENTRE.ORG.AU](http://VOCATIONCENTRE.ORG.AU)

Location:  
St Joachim Catholic Church  
2 Mills Street, Lidcombe NSW 2141

SCAN ME FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO SIGN UP

## SYDNEY MALE CHOIR "THE AWAKENING" CONCERT

First Concert for 14 months

Sunday 2 May 2021 at 2pm at St Brigid's Catholic Church Coogee

Tickets are \$20 and available from [www.sydneychoir.com](http://www.sydneychoir.com) or at the door on the day.



## THE 2021 ARCHDIOCESAN MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE, OF LIFE & LOVE

Saturday 14 August commencing at 10am and then Thursday evenings 19, 26 August & 02 September 2021. To Book Online - <https://www.trybooking.com/BMTLF>. For further information, please contact - The Life, Marriage and Family team on (02) 9307 8480 or e-mail [steven.buhagiar@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:steven.buhagiar@sydneycatholic.org).

## CAN YOU PICTURE YOURSELF BEING A FOSTER CARER?

Family Spirit needs your help to find part-time, short-term or long-term carers for children and young people of all ages. To find out more, you are invited to our online information sessions on **Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> March at 6.30 – 7.30pm** and **Wednesday 28 April at 12.30 – 1.30pm**. To book call **Family Spirit 13 18 19** [connect@familyspirit.org](mailto:connect@familyspirit.org) 8am - 6pm Monday – Friday.

## 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 [safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org) or 9390 5810. 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.