

BEARING THE FRUITS OF LOVE

If only the heart was right, we could give so much more.

Lord, open our hearts when they are closed.
Soften them when they are hard.

Warm them when they are cold.
Brighten them when they are dark.

Fill them when they are empty.
Calm them when they are troubled.

Cleanse them when they are tarnished.
Heal them when they are wounded.

Mend them when they are broken.

So that we, your disciples may bear the fruits of love.

Amen.

Fr Terry msc



THIS WEEK



SATURDAY 30 OCT

6:00pm Mass

SUNDAY 31 OCT

9:30am Mass

3:30pm Indonesian Community Mass

6:00pm Mass

MONDAY 1 NOV - ALL SAINTS

9:00am Mass

6:00pm Adoration

TUESDAY 2 NOV – ALL SOULS

9:00am Mass

7:00pm Indonesian Community Mass

WEDNESDAY 3 NOV

9:00am Mass

THURSDAY 4 NOV

6:00pm Mass

FRIDAY 5 NOV

9:00am Mass

SATURDAY 6 NOV

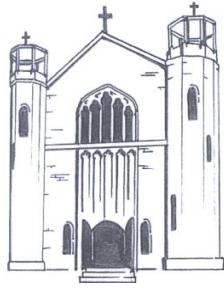
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SUNDAY 7 NOV

9:30am Mass

3:30pm Indonesian Community Mass

6:00pm Mass



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PARISH PRIEST

Fr Terry Bowman msc

PARISH SECRETARY

Maria Caetano

(9:30am - 3:30pm Monday to Friday)

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 4.00pm 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

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OLSH COLLEGE PRINCIPAL

Brigid Taylor - 9662 4088

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Sr Pauline Richards – 0419 482 408

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RESPONSES

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Forsake me not, O Lord, my God;
Be not far from me!
Make haste and come to my help,
O Lord, my strong salvation!

FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 6: 2-6

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

I love you, Lord, my strength.

SECOND READING

Hebrews 7: 23-28

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 12: 28-34

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

You will show me the path of life,
the fullness of joy in your presence,
O Lord.

OREMUS

Let us Pray

SICK

Margaret McShane, David Lai,
Hon. Deirdre Grusovin, Evelyn Marquez,
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., Olga Nasser, Lynne Chaundhuri

PARISHIONERS IN RESIDENTIAL CARE/HOMEBOUND

Frank Mifsud, Sayde Harb, Margaret Stocker,
Malcolm MacDonald, Nella Custorella, Rose Kelter,
Jill Rees, John Borg, Gwen Smith, Laura Leonard,
Maria Pockaj, Sebastiano Gentile,
Lucienne Radzaminski, Nicole Chiaradia

BELOVED DECEASED

Suwito Sutjadi, Patricia Ann Hession, Gloria Laquian
(*Linda Irhia's mum*), David Wilkinson

ANNIVERSARIES

Gladys Bowman, Idalina Rodrigues, Thereza Rodrigues,
Alfredo Pengue, Carlo Pengue, Lucia Del Vecchio,
Emidio Del Vecchio, Renato Assini, Filippo Assini,
Ana Niel, Walter "Wal" Grusovin, Frank Higgins,
Pasquale Iovannella, Paul David Corcoran,
Fr John Shallvey msc, Sr Margaret Rita Ellis,
John Henry Rees, Joseph Patane, Kevin O'Callaghan,
Giuseppe Calanni, Frank Pockaj, Simone Armstrong,
Pierre Langy

ROSTERS

30/31 OCT	SAT 6PM	SUN 9:30AM	SUN 6PM
Acolyte	Handojo Widjaja	Gus Alimhamzah	John Allen
Readers	Sr Pauline Richards Br Paul Rogers	Nani Widarto Ana Corpuz	Isabel Reyes Patricia Reyes
E. Ministers		Thomas Chia Trish Veness	
KidsChurch	NO KIDSCHURCH		
Comm to Sick	Thomas Chia, Trish Veness		
6/7 NOV	SAT 6PM	SUN 9:30AM	SUN 6PM
Acolyte	Danny Tjahjadi	Yosep Rizal	Gus Alimhamzah
Readers	Sr Helen Hearn Br Rory Higgins	Roy Rigotti Jeff Kildea	Bella Siauwidjaja Lena Hermawan
E. Ministers		Robyn Kildea Margaret Rigotti	
KidsChurch	NO KIDSCHURCH		
Comm to Sick	Robyn Kildea, Margaret Rigotti		

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS – MONDAY NOVEMBER 1

Family Reunion: Adoration 6-7pm

We gather with the Saints and Holy Souls in adoration of the Lord who invites us to eternal life. This is our heavenly family, the ones who have gone before us and are ready to encourage us in our own journey of holiness. Reconciliation available.

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE



NOVEMBER
THE MONTH OF ALL SOULS

The Month of November is a time of special remembrance of those who have died. We invite you to write in our Book of Remembrance, the names of your deceased family and friends that you wish to remember. We will pray for them during the month of November. Offerings can be placed in the collection baskets, dropped off at the Parish Office or given to Fr Terry.

COMMUNITY FUNDRAISING DINNER

Unfortunately, due to the Covid-19 outbreak, we had to postpone the **Community Fundraising Dinner**. With restrictions being eased, we've been busy securing an alternative date and would like to update you all that **Saturday 26th February** will be the revised date for the dinner, which will still be held at Sky Phoenix CBD.

We understand that some guests may not be able to attend the dinner for various reasons and we are happy to provide a refund for the ticket (*less booking charges*). Please email olrkensoparishfundraising@gmail.com to let us know that you cannot come and to request a refund.

"OPEN HALL" MORNING TEA

We would like to invite all our parishioners to an **"Open Hall" Morning Tea** to view the completed Hall works and also to reconnect with each other. The morning tea is planned to be held on **Sunday 5th December** after the 9.30am Family Mass. We will provide updates closer to the date as well to ensure that we are abiding by the NSW Govt Health rules.

Once again, thank you to everyone for your support for the Jubilee Hall Renovation works.

JOIN THE FRIENDS OF EILEEN O'CONNOR ASSOCIATION

Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP is inviting Sydney Catholics to support the cause for canonisation of Servant of God, Eileen O'Connor by signing up as a member of the Friends of Eileen O'Connor Association. Association members will receive a commemorative gift to coincide with the centenary year of her death and updates on her pathway to canonisation. Eileen is best remembered for her pioneering work in co-founding Our Lady's Nurses for the Poor, an organisation committed to caring for the sick poor in their own homes, which still continues today. Membership is available online [here](#).



WELCOME BACK!

Dear parishioners, we are so pleased to welcome you back for Masses at OLR Kensington Parish.

As we have now reached 80% vaccination rates the following update from Sydney Chancery applies:

- **Daily Mass at 9am** Monday, Wednesday and Friday, **6pm** Thursday (No Mass Tuesday, Fr Terry's day off).
- **Weekend Masses for Saturday Vigil (6pm), Sunday (9.30am and 6pm).**
- **Live streaming** will continue for 9.30am Mass until further notice. **YouTube:** <https://youtu.be/AJwiF0Uw4gl>.

Please also note the following:

- Church is still subject to **1 person per 4 square meters**. Under this rule, the max capacity for each mass is **125 people**. As Sunday 9.30am mass is generally well attended, **booking is required for those who want to attend the Sunday 9.30am Mass via:** <https://www.trybooking.com/BVAGE> (*provision will be made for regular parishioners who may not have access to internet*). **No booking is currently required for Sat Vigil or Sunday 6pm** – but attendance will be monitored and subject to change for booking in the future if required.
- **Mask is required to be worn**, except when reading or presiding
- **No congregational singing**
- Please use **hand sanitiser** as you enter the church
- **One collection** will take place during mass
- Attendees must **check-in using the Service NSW App** or using written record.
- Please **help to sanitize the pew/area** where you seat after the mass. Supplies will be provided.

PLANNED GIVING

Planned Giving Envelope Boxes are available for collection from the church foyer.

PARISH COLLECTIONS – 23/24 OCT

First Collection	\$110
Second Collection	\$230
Envelope Collection	\$1,270
CWF	\$650
General Donations	\$590

ARCHBISHOP'S AFGHAN REFUGEE APPEAL

This appeal is continuing to raise desperately needed funds and commit the Archdiocesan resources across education, health and welfare to support Afghan families and individuals fleeing their homeland in the wake of the Taliban takeover of Afghanistan. Donations can be made online here:

<https://www.ourfaithourworks.org/ara/>

ADORATION NIGHT

Holy Souls in Purgatory
Saturday, 6th November, 7PM - 10PM
FOR ALL YOUTH, YOUNG ADULTS & FAMILIES

Join Sydney Catholic Youth for our FIRST Adoration Night since Sydney's Lockdown at St Joachim's Catholic Church, Lidcombe. During the month of the Holy Souls, we invite you to spend time praying for the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

The evening will include Adoration, Confession, prayer, reflection and a talk by Fr Daniele Russo on the importance of praying for the dead.

REGISTER HERE



NOTE: Due to COVID-19 restrictions, only 199 people will be permitted in the Church at one time. Masks are mandatory indoors and communal singing is not permitted. Sydney Catholic Youth will ensure strict hygiene measures are in place and we ask that you please keep the 1.5m physical distance from others. We ask that if you are feeling unwell and/or have mild flu symptoms, you do not attend the event

A MESSAGE FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF SYDNEY

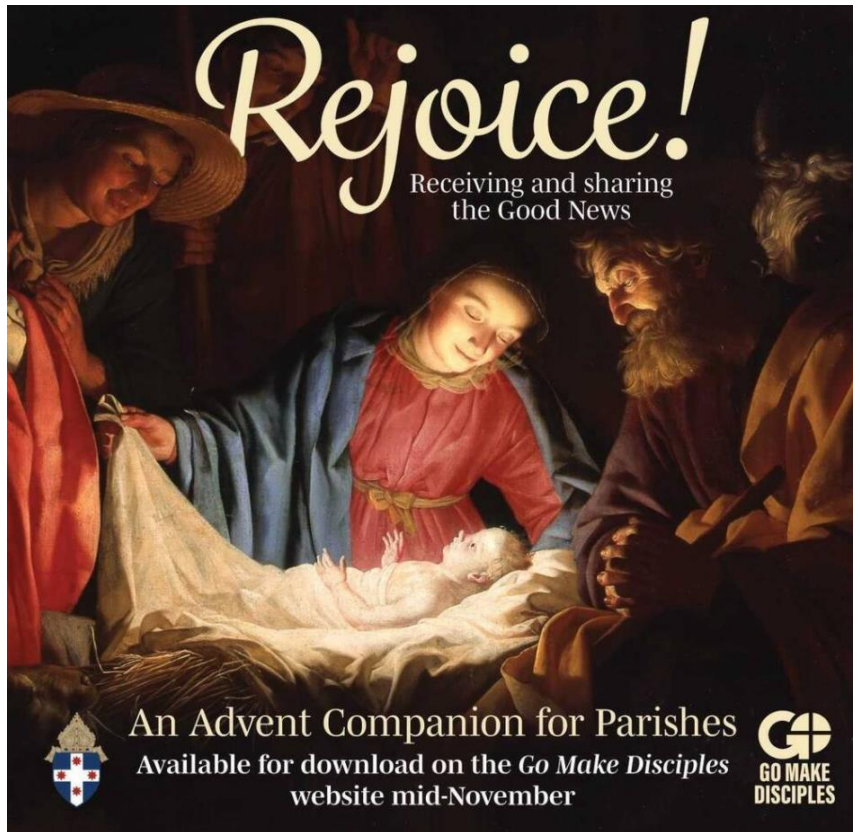
Abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with a crime are the police.

If you or anyone you know have been abused, please contact the police.

Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at 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.



POSITION VACANT

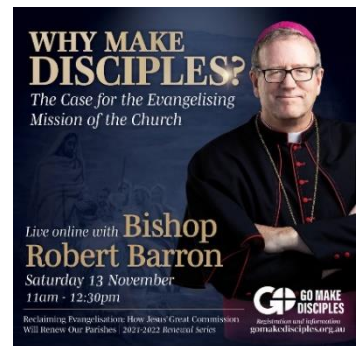
St Joseph's Aged Care Facility Kensington

Casual Hospitality Staff required for kitchen duties Wednesday and Friday mornings (7:30am-1:30pm) and for kitchen and/or cleaning duties on varying shifts as required. Please contact Sharlen on 0403 696 731.

BISHOP ROBERT BARRON: "WHY MAKE DISCIPLES?"

Live Online, Saturday 13 Nov, 11am – 12:30pm

You are invited to attend Bishop Robert Barron's live online address to the faithful of Sydney as he launches our renewal series, Reclaiming Evangelisation: How Jesus' Great Commission Will Renew Our Parishes. During this first talk of the series, Bishop Barron will be speaking on the topic 'Why Make Disciples? The Case for the Evangelising Mission of the Church'.



Register at gomakedisciples.org.au | Enquiries: parishrenewal@sydneycatholic.org

THE CATHOLIC WEEKLY

Pick up your copy for \$2 after Mass. In this week's edition:

- * Archbishop Fisher's plea to NSW MPs on anti-slavery laws
- * Barron Down Under: Registrations open for landmark online talk
- * Kristina Keneally: Faith's no barrier to politics
- * Hayden Ramsay: The new normal? The challenges in working from home permanently