Father's Day

What Makes A Dad

God took the strength of a mountain, The majesty of a tree,

The warmth of a summer sun, The calm of a quiet sea,

The generous soul of nature, The comforting arm of night,

The wisdom of the ages, The power of the eagle's flight,

The joy of a morning in spring, The faith of a mustard seed,

The patience of eternity, The depth of a family need,

Then God combined these qualities,

When there was nothing more to add, He knew His masterpiece was complete,

And so, He called it ... "DAD" (Author Unknown)

A VERY HAPPY FATHER'S DAY TO YOU WONDERFUL DADS MAY THE LORD CONTINUE TO SHOWER MANY BLESSINGS UPON YOU!

Fr Terry msc



THIS WEEK



SATURDAY 4 SEPT

NO MASS

SUNDAY 5 SEPT

9:30am LIVESTREAMED MASS

YouTube:

https://youtu.be/6UYz9uDSdGI

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com/OLRKenso

MONDAY 6 SEPT

NO MASS

NO HOLY HOUR

WEDNESDAY 8 SEPT

NO MASS

THURSDAY 9 SEPT

NO MASS

FRIDAY 10 SEPT

NO MASS

SATURDAY 11 SEPT

NO MASS

SUNDAY 12 SEPT

NO MASS

We acknowledge the traditional owners who cared for this land for thousands of years and their descendants who have maintained these Spiritual connections and traditions.



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(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

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RESPONSES

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

You are just, O Lord, and your judgment is right; treat your servant in accord with your merciful love.

FIRST READING

Isaiah 35: 4-7

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Praise the Lord, my soul!

SECOND READING

James 2: 1-5

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus preached the Good News of the kingdom and healed all who were sick.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL

Mark 7: 31-37

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Like the deer that yearns for running streams, so my soul is yearning for you, my God; my soul is thirsting for God, the living God.

OREMUS

Let us Pray

SICK

Nancy Paulina Poline, 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, Frances McLaughlin, Lucienne Radzyminski, Nicole Chiaradia

BELOVED DECEASED

Josephine De Fina, Arie Broek, Ian Giess, Carmel Binns, Sue Coorey

ANNIVERSARIES

Anthea Nicholas, Paul Overton, Peter Mifsud, Fr Christopher Sheehy, Joy Simon, Marie Burke, Leo O'Sullivan, Vincent Leonard, Jane Cullen, Helen Mary Millar, John Rees, Frank Zakrzewski, Mary Patricia Breen, Marie La Brooy, Vincent McGuinness, Stephen Slunsky, Plutarco Cadornigara, Charles Munevar, Carmela & Giovanni Miceli, Maria Sidotti, Jack & Bridie Moon, Kathleen Fernandez

SUN 9:30AM

SUN 6PM

ROSTERS

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SPREAD **W** & KINDNESS

OLR KidsChurch is organising small gifts for senior citizens in our community to brighten up their day during this tough lock down.

Please donate new unisex gifts, with a card or picture made by children to brighten up their day. Preferably in a giftbag.

• Crosswords / sudoku / mindful colouring books

Some gift ideas include:

Potted plants

· Cash or Giftcards

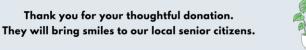
Heat pack/wheat bag

· Chocolates or other treats.

Drop off location: Front porch of OLR Parish Office 4 Roma Ave, Kensington NSW 2033

Donations are accepted during office hours by Wednesday 15 September 2021

olrkidschurch@gmail.com







Humanitarian crises unfolding in **Afghanistan and Lebanon**

As the situations in Afghanistan and Lebanon deteriorate, you can help to support families caught up in the crises. In Afghanistan, people have been

forced from their homes, with half of the population in urgent need of food, water, shelter and protection. In Lebanon, the country is running out of power, water, fuel, medicine and food. Even hospitals are facing massive fuel shortages and will soon have to turn off the lights. Please donate to Caritas Australia so that we are able to respond to crises like these and others across the world. Visit caritas.org.au/lebanon or www.caritas.org.au/afghanistan or call 1800 024 413 toll free to provide much needed support.



An Online Course for spouses in troubled marriages

If your marriage is under stress or you feel disconnected from your spouse, but don't know how to ease the pain, join us for this online course.

- * Identify your conflict triggers.
- * Learn strategies to de-escalate an argument.
- * Restore hope with practical relationship strategies.

smartloving.org/breakthrough

50% Sale for Our Lady Undoer of Knots (ends Sept 30) Use coupon code: **UndoerofKnots**





"She is the flower of the field from whom bloomed the precious lily of the valley." [St Augustine]

On the Birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary, join Sydney Catholic Youth and Life, Marriage and Family Office for an evening with Mary to pray the Rosary together on Zoom. Reflections will be led by Fr Noel Custodio. Date: Wednesday, 8 September | Time: 7:00 pm - 7:30 pm | Register here.



Langley Brian Dolphin and Violet Mary Dinh Saturday 4th September 2021

SUNDAY MASS LIVESTREAM

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the stay-athome order, Masses at OLR Parish Church have been suspended until further notice. Sunday Mass will continue to be livestreamed at 9.30am via the following channel:

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To received notification when we are LIVE for OLR Parish Mass, please subscribe to OLR Kensington Parish YouTube Channel: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCSMe2X Wh95A1pgMgQWmvCYg/featured



ACCOMPANYING CHILDREN VIDEO SERIES

The Life, Marriage and Family Team have produced a series of

videos to help parents guide their children in preparation for the sacraments of Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. The three videos, covering preparation for each of these sacraments have been uploaded to the **Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney You Tube** channel

PARISH COLLECTIONS – 28/29 AUG

\$230
\$60
\$1,030
\$350



"Remember the good ol' days..."

Join us for this month's community night where we will be combining Pixar and childhood, for a night of reminiscing, community and reflection!

Date: Thursday, 9 September Time: 7:00PM – 8:30PM

Register here in advance for this meeting.

THINK TANK – NAVIGATING TOUGH QUESTIONS

Join a community of youth leaders from parishes, movements and chaplaincies in Sydney for a **Youth Ministry THINK TANK on Monday, 27th September, 7:00pm – 8:30pm.** Join this open forum of ideas and advice among fellow youth leaders. We'll share new initiatives, troubleshoot hurdles, and brainstorm creative ideas to reach new young people in today's climate.

Learn and share:

- The importance of sharing Truth in Love
- How to be a role model towards young people
- The need to challenge young people to think critically

Register here in advance for this meeting.

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.

FREE WEBINAR:

VOLUNTARY ASSISTED DYING AND SUICIDE PREVENTION

Tuesday 21 September 2021, 6pm-7:30pm

Presented by the Institute for Ethics & Society, University of Notre Dame Australia Speaker: Dr David Albert-Jones, Director of the Anscombe Bioethics Centre, Oxford. To register, email kate.jones1@nd.edu.au (Download flyer here).



Join us on the Feast of St Padre Pio, where Fr Bernard Mary will be reflecting on this great saint – his stigmata, his suffering, his incredible life – and teaching us how we can

learn from Padre Pio for our own lives.

DON'T DO IT ALONE! The Upper Zoom is your reminder that you are not alone, and faith + ministry shouldn't be done alone.

Date: Thursday, 23 September | Time: 7:00PM - 8:30PM. Register here

ST VINCENT DE PAUL - SUPPORT FOR THE DISADVANTAGED IN LOCKDOWN

St Vincent De Paul volunteers have recently distributed 900 snack packs, 250 self-care packs and 130 hampers through a range of services including Redfern Youth Connect, Parramatta Mission Meals Plus and local support hubs.

Find out more and what support is available here.

THE CATHOLIC WEEKLY

In this week's edition:

- * Archbishop Fisher launches Afghan Refugee Appeal
- * Anatomy of a Travesty. Fr Frank Brennan's forensic analysis on the Cardinal Pell matter
- * The challenges of the Plenary: Dr NIgel Zimmerman

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