

Catholic Parish of Mary Immaculate, Bossley Park

Striving to be "A Loving, Caring, Christian Community"



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SUNDAY MASSES

Vigil Saturday 6:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am 10 am 6:00 pm

On the second Sunday of each month, at 11.00am, a Mass is celebrated in Tagalog, the Filipino language.

WEEKDAY MASSES Tuesday – Friday, 9am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays between 5pm and 5.30pm or after any weekday Mass or by appointment.

HOSPITAL CALL : Fairfield Parish 0439 615659

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Saturday, 4.30pm—5.30pm

BAPTISMS: By appointment. On weekends of 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month.

MARRIAGES: By appointment at least 6 months notice.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Is 62:1-5,

Responsorial Psalm:

Proclaim his marvellous deeds to all the nations.

2nd Reading: Cor 12: 4-11

Gospel : Jn 2:1-11

Next Weekend: 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

Readings: Neh 8:2-6, 8-10, Cor 12:12-30, Lk 1:1-4;4:14-21



SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME/C YEAR OF MERCY 17TH JANUARY 2016



Gospel Reading: John 2:1-11

Jesus performs his first sign at a wedding feast in Cana.

Weddings are wonderful family celebrations. We go out of our way to make the occasion festive and extraordinary. People work hard to please one another. What better image of the Kingdom of God! Not every day is a wedding celebration, but we can anticipate the Kingdom of God each day in our attentiveness to one another's needs.

If your family has attended a wedding celebration together, talk about the experience and the planning and cooperation that made the celebration memorable. Talk about how weddings and feasts are images in Scripture for the Kingdom of God. Consider how these festive occasions are images of God's tremendous love for us and examples of how we can show our love for one another. Then read together today's Gospel, John 2:1-11. Talk about Mary's attentiveness to the needs of the hosts and about Jesus' response. What could your family learn from this story? Consider ways that you might show these values in your family's daily life.

We pray for Archbishop Anthony Fisher's immediate recovery.

On the 18th - 25th January, the Parish office will remain open on Mondays & Fridays only.

Fr Sebastian Savarimuthu

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Rosters for next weekend 23rd/24th January 2016

		Vigil	8.00 am	10am	6pm
Min of the word	1st	S Cabardo	A Amores	A Jaser	E Russo
	2nd	E Borbe	A Pizzin	M Cabiling	R Yakob
	Comm	L Piccione	D Pizzin	G Andres	T Baroni
Acolytes		E Cardona	J Gerardis		
EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION		P Griffiths K Griffiths A Sterrey	C Baddock M Baddock C La Delfa G La Delfa M La Delfa N Lozina	A Sterrey B D'Costa V Zammit M Abogado A Abogado R Ranola Volunteer	J Currao E Ventura E Gubert D Demaio C Cowan
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PIETY STALL		M Norris	M Baddock	S Cabiling	T Seraglio
WELCOMERS — General		E Sadsad	N Lozina	A ElBayeh	Antioch
COUNTERS : Group 1 V Pante N Redoblado P Redoblado		MORNING TEA : After 8am— Baddock family 10 am— Jesus the Healer Prayer Group	ALTAR LINEN : T Seraglio ALTAR FLOWERS : Z Beinroth C Aranda	CHURCH CLEANING Group 3 T Seraglio A Bertovic L Tesoriero M Nesnas M Sulfaro J Portes B Green	GARDEN CARE : N Robertson J Agostino A Reid

SACRAMENT OF

1ST HOLY COMMUNION

The Parent Information evening for this sacrament will be on Tuesday, 16th February 2016 at 7.30pm.



WELCOME INTO OUR COMMUNITY OF FAITH

Navarone Michael Kuang-Cheng
Lai & Xavier William Mihos-
Byrnes who will be baptised this weekend.

Thought for the Week

8 Ways to get the Best out of Life

Never hate, Don't worry, Love simply, Expect little,

Give a lot, Always smile, Live with love,

And best of all, be with God.

~ Unknown

Baptismal Information Evening :

The baptismal information evening next month will be on Thursday, 25th February at 7pm.

Liturgical Rosters :

The liturgical rosters for Jan-March 2016 were sent thru email or mail. Please let us know if you are not available on your rostered dates. Thank you.

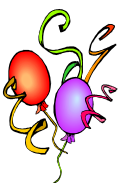
CELEBRATING COMMUNITY

We congratulate

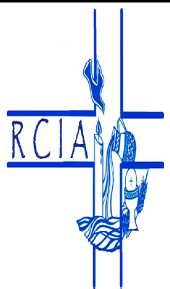
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Labis for their 65 years

Wedding Anniversary.



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Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW INTERESTED IN THE CHRISTIAN FAITH?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process where men and women at all stages of their faith can learn more about our Christian faith in a respectful and encouraging environment.

Our inquiry sessions have now been completed, however if you or someone you know is interested in learning more about our Catholic faith, please contact:

The Parish Secretary

on 02 9604 8927

or by email: admin@mipb.org.au

We pray for...

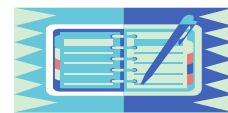
Our sick: Helen Deane, Suzanna, Marija, Marinela, Luke, Vivian, Bill Gough, Lana Stapic, Alferio, Dubravka, Ana, Daniel O'Connell, Sanja, Robert, Mate Katicic, Teodora Unsano, Vinka, Vlatko Lyubicic, MaryAnne, Lauren K, Darren, Helen Rizk, Mary Mahony (*Names will be removed from the sick list after 3 months unless Parish Office is notified otherwise.*)

Please keep in your prayers the soul of the recently deceased: Isabel Fenech, Edviges Campos, Rosanoli Leviste, Domenico Mellino, Sandra Camilleri, Illuminado Capinpin, Jose' Brito, Oscar Perabo, Josephine Gibson, Roberta Fabellano Alumios **And those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** Rosa Marando, Vincenzo Bugge, Vincenzo & Domenica Oliveri, Stan Zadro Des Gambino, Grace & Emmanuel Ellul, Felipe Rael, Carmen Galea, Joseph Schembri, Louis Borg, Ottorino Palugan, Caterina Laria, Milan Bakic, Felician Sabellano, Domenico Marando, Domenico Collet, Antonio Duardo, Taurino Angela, Luigi De Lorenzo, Cosimo DeLorenzo, Rocco Leuzzi, Concetta Papalia, Clelia Tortora, Peppino Maisano, Michael and Maria Schembri, **other deceased including:** Marcello & Fidalma Piva, Ramona Beech, Marcello Soligo, Sam Xuereb, Sime & Tomislav Bakic, Kristen Griffiths, Ivan Lozina, Charlie Craus, Conor Dinan, Felix Portes, Vincenzo Bugge, Sisto Piva, Doris Zammit, Steve, William McConnell, Pamela Fleming, Emily Novak, Alice Watson, Iolanda Calderone, Peggy Mayrhofer, Alliyah Piccione, Gerardina Vitagliani, Flery Rael, Stephen Liem, Agatha Qui, Mary, Martin & Cecily Bastic, Saverio Laria, Tom Anderson, Carlo Bonora, Eva Grancic, Gaetano & Agnes Cordina, Josephine Debono, Concetta Fedele, Antonio Matarazzo, Marcel Marie Taylor, Mario Manea, Guido Pontello, Manea-Melosso Lucia, Anthony Cardona, Maria Pisano, Marcello & Angela Seraglio, all deceased Seraglio, Mario family & Beniamino Fuser family & Holy souls in Purgatory.

May they rest in peace.



Parish Diary



Monday 18th Jan.	9.00am	Communion Service
Tuesday 19th Jan.	9.00am	Mass
Wednesday 20th Jan.	9.00am 7.30pm	Mass Choir
Thursday 21st Jan.	9.00am	Mass
Friday 22nd Jan.	9.00am 7.30pm	Mass Rosary-Disciples
Saturday 23rd Jan.	4.30pm 5.00pm 6.00pm	Adoration Reconciliation Vigil Mass
Sunday 24th Jan.	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 8am, 10am, 6pm	

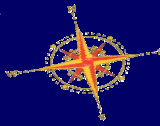
POSITION VACANT: ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY (ADYM). Fairfield Parish is inviting applications for this position which consists of being an associate of the Parish Priest, who in addition to engaging in youth apostolate, can assist him provide direction to Our Lady of the Rosary (OLR) Parish's four Youth Ministry Coordinators (YMCs) for 21 hours per week. The ADYM shares, offers advice, raises interest, coordinates and contributes to the ongoing faith-development in the youth of OLR Parish. For a copy of the Job Description or enquiries, contact the Parish Secretary: **9724 5997**, or email Fr de Stoop, the Parish Priest: pp@olrfairfield.org.au **Applications must include a Cover Letter and Resume and be sent to the Parish Priest by or on 18 January 2016.**

POSITION VACANT: COOK, FAIRFIELD PARISH PRESBYTERY. Fairfield Parish is inviting applications for the position of Cook for their presbytery. This position mostly comprises of preparing meals in the presbytery four days (12 hours in total) per week, together with basic cleaning of tablecloths, napkins, etc. Enquiries to Fr de Stoop, Parish Priest. For a copy of the Job Description or enquiries, contact the Parish Secretary: **9724 5997**, or email Fr de Stoop, the Parish Priest: pp@olrfairfield.org.au **Applications must include a Cover Letter and Resume and be sent to the Parish Priest by or on 18 January 2016.**

THE CENTRE FOR CHRISTIAN SPIRITUALITY has an upcoming faith formation event open to the public. **John Cassian 4th-5th Century monk presented by Bishop David Walker at The Centre for Christian Spirituality 14 Frances St, Randwick.** Wednesday nights: 20, 27 January & 3 February, 2016 - 7.00-8.30pm. Course Cost: \$30. Online Bookings: <http://trybooking.com/JUUK> Direct Bookings: **9398 2211** or sally@thecentre.com.au.

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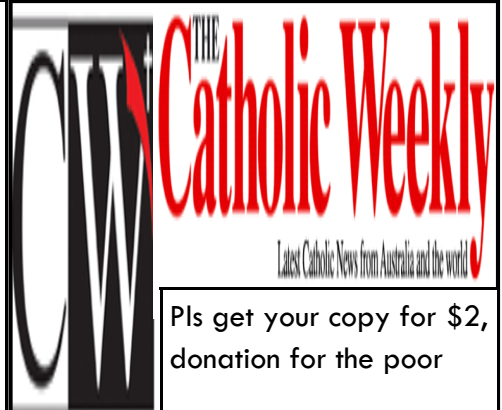


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