



## MARY MOTHER OF THE CHURCH PARISH

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**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: TO BE A LIGHT UNTO THE WORLD**

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Office Hours: Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9:00am - 3:00pm

**Acknowledgement of Country** : We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians, Elders and communities and the spirit that binds us in our dreams and aspirations on Dharawal country. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation.

## 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

22nd & 23rd June 2024

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

#### Entrance Antiphon

The Lord is the strength of his people, a saving refuge for the one he has anointed. Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage, and govern them for ever.

#### FIRST READING

A reading from the book of Job (38:1, 8-11)

*(Here I have set the boundaries of the sea).*

From the heart of tempest the Lord gave Job his answer. He said:

Who pent up the sea behind closed doors when it leapt tumultuous out of the womb, when I wrapped it in a robe of mist and made black clouds its swaddling bands; when I marked the bounds it was not to cross and made it fast with a bolted gate? Come thus far, I said, and no farther: here your proud waves shall break.

The Word of the Lord.

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps 106)

**All: Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.**

**Reader:** Some sailed to the sea in ships to trade on the mighty waters. These men

have seen the Lord's deeds, the wonders he does in the deep.

**All: Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.**

**Reader:** For he spoke; he summoned the gale, tossing the waves of the sea up to heaven and back into the deep; their soul melted away in their distress.

**All: Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.**

**Reader:** Then they cried to the Lord in their need and he rescued them from their distress. He stilled the storm to a whisper: all the waves of the sea were hushed.

**All: Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.**

**Reader:** They rejoiced because of the calm and he led them to the haven they desired. Let them thank the Lord for his love, the wonders he does for men.

**All: Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.**

#### SECOND READING

A reading from the second letter of Paul to the Corinthians (5:14-17)

*(All things are made new).*

The love of Christ overwhelms us when we reflect that if one man has died for all, then all men should be dead; and the reason he died for all was so that living men should live no longer for

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themselves, but for him who died and was raised to life for them.

From now onwards, therefore, we do not judge anyone by the standards of the flesh. Even if we did once know Christ in the flesh, that is not how we know him now. And for anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old creation has gone, and now the new one is here.

The Word of the Lord.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

### **Alleluia, Alleluia!**

A great prophet has appeared among us;  
God has visited his people.

### **Alleluia!**

**GOSPEL:** Mark (4:35-41)

*(Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him).*

## Communion Antiphon

The eyes of all look to you, Lord, and you give them their food in due season.

**READINGS FOR THE 13TH SUNDAY - YEAR B :**  
**29th & 30th June 2024**  
**Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15;**  
**Mk 5:21-43**

## WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday: 6:00 pm.** (Vigil Mass)

**Sunday : 8:00 am & 10:00 am.**

### Weekday Masses :

**Mon- Fridays at 9:00 am**

**Saturday : 8.30am**

### RECONCILIATION:

**Saturday :** 5:15pm – 5:45pm

**Every Wednesday : NOVENA to our Mother Mary,**  
6:30pm Rosary followed by Novena Prayers

**Bible Study :** Fortnightly on Sundays at 2.30pm  
in the Logos Centre.

**Sunday School :** Every Sundays during 10am Mass  
in the Logos Centre. (during the School Term)

**BAPTISMS are open. Every 2nd & 4th Saturdays of the Month.**

**For Baptism Preparation** please contact **Maria D'souza** through email :  
**maria197114@gmail.com** **OR**  
**contact the Parish Office.**

## **Altar Servers Training**

Altar serving is an important ministry at Mary Mother of the Church. A training session for Altar Servers will be held on **Sunday, June 30th, at 11:30 a.m.** After the training, new servers will be paired with experienced servers on the roster to help them build confidence and understand their role better. All young people interested in serving as altar servers are encouraged to attend.

## **2024 Significant Marriage Anniversaries Mass :**

If you are celebrating 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 or over 60 years of marriage this year, we invite you to the celebration of Significant Marriage Anniversaries, to be celebrated with Bishop Brian Mascord on **Sunday 25 August 2024 at 2pm at the St Francis Xavier Cathedral, Wollongong.** Mass will be followed by light refreshments in the Xavier Centre Conference Room. Please register online at <https://dow.sh/MA2024> or contact Helen Bennett at the Office of the Bishop at 4222 2403, or via email [helen.bennett@dow.org.au](mailto:helen.bennett@dow.org.au) by no later than Monday, 29 July 2024.

## St Vincent De Paul Society Winter Appeal

The Macquarie Fields St Vincent De Paul Members invite you to help local struggling families again this Winter. High inflation and large cost of living increases, due to rises in the cost of rent, food, energy bills and petrol have affected us all, but it has affected the marginalised in our community more acutely.

Please give to this appeal and help us provide support for those in our community who need it the most. We assist residents living in Macquarie Fields, Glenfield and Edmondson Park areas.

**Our parish will be holding the special collection on the weekend of 6th & 7th July 2024. Please come prepared & donate generously. Thank You!**

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## Deceased Name Inscribed In The Memorial Garden Plaque

If you wish to have your beloved deceased family member's names to be inscribed in the Memorial Garden plaque of our parish, please email the names to the parish office by **30th June 2024**. A donation of \$300 for each name required. A Special Mass in memory of those departed faithful will be offered by the parish priest every year in the month of November. We will proceed with the plaque only if we get enough names. Thank You.

## Planned Giving

Our heartfelt gratitude for your extraordinary commitment and generosity as a giver of our church. We appreciate for your ongoing support through the second collection the main source of income for our Parish. Your planned gift not only support our ongoing ministries and projects but also serves as an inspiration to others who may be considering similar contributions.

**Planned Giving Envelopes for the new financial year are now available for collection after mass.** Receipts for the current year will be available early July. If you would like to be part of Planned Giving or have any questions contact Jim Fogarty or the Parish Office.

**Notice :** Please note that from Tuesday, July 16th, to Thursday, July 18th, **Morning Mass will be at 8:30 AM** instead of 9:00 am. Fr. Bosco will be attending the Clergy-in-Service Conference in Campbelltown on these days.

## MULTICULTURAL DAY RAFFLE

Trying to think of a way to support our parish? Collect a book of raffle tickets to sell to family and friends.

**1st Prize : \$300**

**2nd Prize : \$150**

**3rd Prize : \$50**

**Plus Consolation Prizes**

**Ticket price : \$2/ticket**

**Draw : 8th September 2024**

All proceedings will go towards parish projects. Thank you for your support.

Please see Lina for your book.

## Sacrament of 1st Reconciliation & Holy Communion 2024

- To enrol, your child must be in year 3 or above.
- Enrolments will commence on 24th June and close on 22nd of July.

(Application Forms are available in the Church Foyer)

Dates are at this stage planned for the following:  
For any further information about our parish sacramental process, please email or contact the parish office.

### 1st Reconciliation:

#### **Briefing for parents:**

Tuesday 23rd of July at 7pm

**Lessons :** 28th July - 25th August  
on Sundays at 11:30am

Rehearsal: Sunday 25th September at 11:30am

#### **1st Reconciliation :**

Friday, 30th August 2024 commencing at 5pm

### 1st Holy Communion:

#### **Briefing for parents :**

Tuesday 15th October at 7pm

**Lessons :** 20th October - 17th November  
on Sundays at 11:30am.

**Reconciliation :** Friday, 22nd November 2024 commencing at 5pm

**First Holy Communion : Saturday/23rd November 2024 (TBA)**

### Notice from Varroville Parish:

**The Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel 14 July 2024**  
**Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, Varroville**

Our Annual Feast Day Celebrations will commence with a novena of Masses dedicated to Our Lady of Mount Carmel. We will offer our Novena of Masses from Friday 5 July till Saturday 13 July at 7.30pm on every weekday. Weekend Mass times will remain unchanged.

On Sunday 14 July we will have Mass at 10am in our parish church followed by a multicultural fiesta including lunch and an outdoor concert.

### **A vocation view :**

"Why are you terrified? Why are you lacking in faith?" If God is calling you, don't let fear stop you. (Mark 4:35-41)  
If you want to talk about your vocation, please contact the diocesan vocations director, Fr Duane Fernandez at [vocations@dow.org.au](mailto:vocations@dow.org.au)

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## Thanksgiving & Special Intention Mass offered for:

**Birthday :** Milan Constant / Michelle Guanzon

**Thanksgiving :** Beatrice & Krzystof /

**Special Intentions:** Kaushi

**This week masses have been offered for the Sick and Special needs of :**

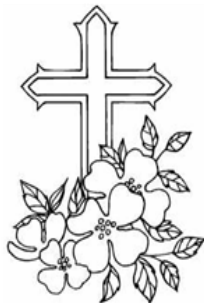


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| * Dr Lydia de Jesus        | * Eva Silang                    |
| * Dr Joycelyn de Jesus     | * Carole Dimayuga               |
| * Leslie Reich             | * Selda Dimayuga                |
| * Jaypee Masangkay         | * Nancie                        |
| * Aida Dayao               | * Mason Dulalia                 |
| * Nelia Ambat              | * Jun & Charo Doctors           |
| * Vivian Martin            | * Catherine Nguyen              |
| * Lucinda Rose             | * Resty Perez                   |
| * Christine                | * Susan Biag                    |
| * Marie-ange Suggun        | * Annie Beardley                |
| * Maria Vu                 | * Lysiane                       |
| * Sue Aston                | * Feliciana Matildo             |
| * Vlado Kutle              | * Jake Valte                    |
| * Wally Skoczylas          | * Andrea Tuazon                 |
| * Luis Vincente Marcelo    | * Baby Isabelle                 |
| * Carla Geronimo           | * Catherine, Elizabeth & Monica |
| * Hania Stoklosa           | * Daniela Vladislavic           |
| * Ricardo San Juan         | * Mabel Artuz                   |
| * Alan & Margaret Raisbeck | * Monique Yongching             |
| * Aleyna Meryam Lacin      | * Mary Brennan                  |

**THIS WEEK MASSES HAVE BEEN OFFERED FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS & DEATH ANNIVERSARIES OF :**



- † Rene Scholl
- † Sebastian Francis D'Souza
- † Denis Joseph
- † Elaine Layton
- † Epifanio, Doroteo, Corazon, Guadalupe, Antonio, Anthony
- † Poldo, Auring, Tibang, Lina
- † Joseph Le
- † Anton Le
- † Therssamma Devasia
- † Devasia & Davis Families
- † Aleksander Zdzieborsk
- † Bayani Manuel
- † Judith Calman
- † All souls in Purgatory



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**SVD Prayer :** *"May the darkness of sin and night of unbelief vanish before the light of the Word and the spirit of grace, and may the heart of Jesus live in the hearts of all. Amen"* **Saint Arnold Janssen**

## Gloria

*Glory to God in the highest,  
and on earth peace to people of good will.  
We praise You, We bless You,  
We adore you, We glorify You,  
We give you thanks for your great glory.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
O God, almighty Father.  
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;  
You take away the sins of the world, receive our  
prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the  
Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the  
holy one, You alone are the Lord, You alone are most  
high Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory  
of God the Father. Amen.*

## The Apostles' Creed

*I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, (all bow)  
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius  
Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried;  
He descended into hell; on the third day he rose  
again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is  
seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;  
from there He will come to judge the living and the  
dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic  
Church, the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of  
sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting.  
Amen.*