

MARY MAGDALENE DINNER

CHANGE OF DATE "Archdiocesan Women's Taskforce Dinner" Due to COVID considerations the Mary Magdalene dinner will now be held **on Friday 3rd September**, still 6.30pm at the Southern Cross Club, Woden. Your ticket remains valid for Fri 3rd September. If you require a refund, no problem, contact elisabeth_doherty@hotmail.com or ring 0432 608 310. Limited tickets still available. Three course meal \$65. Bookings essential at <http://bit.ly/MaryMagdaleneDinner>

Save the Date for our annual Movie Night
Friday 24th September 2021



Dear friends of HOME in Queanbeyan, Unfortunately we were not able to go ahead with last years fundraiser movie night, so we are really looking forward to this years event. Please save the date and more details will come as they are known.

PG Envelopes— we have previously asked parishioners if they wanted to continue with their PG envelopes. If you would still like to continue giving via envelopes unfortunately we do not have any spare boxes available, alternatively you can place your donation in an envelope and write your name and current PG number on it. You could still change over to electronic giving if you prefer, via credit card or direct debit. Forms and more information are available from the parish office. Thank you Lorraine

Marriage Enrichment program called The Marriage Course

Online via Zoom. Upcoming dates on the Archdiocesan website soon. The next course begins Tuesday 3rd August. More information about The Marriage Course can be found here: <https://cgatholic.org.au/marriagefamily/the-marriage-course/>

NEW HEATERS

We are looking at purchasing two new heaters for the church transepts. The one that is currently installed will be moved into the garage. If you would like to donate forwards the purchase, please call the parish office. Thank you.

REVELATION ITSELF

In His goodness and wisdom God chose to reveal Himself and to make known to us the hidden purpose of His will by which through Christ, the Word made flesh, man might in the Holy Spirit have access to the Father and come to share in the divine nature. By this revelation then, the deepest truth about God and the salvation of man shines out for our sake in Christ, who is both the mediator and the fullness of all revelation. Planning to make known the way of heavenly salvation, He went further and from the start manifested Himself to our first parents. Then after their fall, His promise of redemption aroused in them the hope of being saved and from that time on He ceaselessly kept the human race in His care, to give eternal life to those who perseveringly do good in search of salvation. Then, after speaking in many and varied ways through the prophets, "now at last in these days God has spoken to us in His Son". For He sent His Son, the eternal Word, who enlightens all men, so that He might dwell among men and tell them of the innermost being of God. For this reason Jesus perfected revelation by fulfilling it through his whole work of making Himself present and manifesting Himself: through His words and deeds, but especially through His death and glorious resurrection from the dead and final sending of the Spirit of truth. Moreover, He confirmed with divine testimony what revelation proclaimed, that God is with us to free us from the darkness of sin and death, and to raise us up to life eternal.



St Gregory's Parish Faith Community

47 Lowe St, Queanbeyan NSW

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St Raphael's (main church), St Gregory's (no weekend services), and St Patrick's Michelago.

10th & 11th July 2021

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B

VISION: Our Parish is a vibrant community inviting everyone to encounter Christ.

MISSION: To go and make disciples, to be a servant to each other and to be a people who reach out to those in need. We are guided by the LIFE of Jesus; sustained by the LOVE of God; and inspired by the LIGHT of the Holy Spirit.



God chose to reveal himself to us

What does that say to you?

By divine revelation, God wishes to make known to YOU and communicate to YOU who he is, and what his desire is for YOU especially concerning YOUR salvation.

Sacred Tradition and Sacred Scripture are bound closely together and communicate with the other. For both of them flowing out from the same divine well-spring come together in some fashion to form You and move YOU towards him the creator.



THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Saturday

5.30pm Vigil Mass
4.30pm Reconciliation

Sunday

9.00am Mass Morning tea and Little Sparks Children's Liturgy fortnightly: Resumes 18 July
5.30pm Mass

Monday

No Mass

Tuesday

5.30pm Mass
Office Open 9-3.30pm

Wednesday

12.00 Mass

Thursday

7am Mass
Office Open 9-3.30pm

Friday

12noon Mass
11.00-11.55 Exposition & Adoration
Office Open 9-3.30pm

Baptisms

St Raphael's Church only
3rd & 4th Sundays .10:30am

Marriages By appointment

Michelago 2nd Saturday of the month 5.30pm & 6pm during Day Light Saving's time

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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

Entrance Antiphon

As for me, in justice I shall behold your face;
I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.

First Reading

Am 7:12-15

A reading from the prophet Amos

Go, prophesy to my people.

Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, said to Amos, 'Go away, seer; get back to the land of Judah; earn your bread there, do your prophesying there. We want no more prophesying in Bethel; this is the royal sanctuary, the national temple.' 'I was no prophet, neither did I belong to any of the brotherhoods of prophets.' Amos replied to Amaziah, 'I was a shepherd, and looked after sycamores: but it was the Lord who took me from herding the flock, and the Lord who said, "Go, prophesy to my people Israel."'

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Lord, show us your mercy and love,
and grant us your salvation.

L. I will hear what the Lord God has to say,
a voice that speaks of peace,
peace for his people.
His help is near for those who fear him
and his glory will dwell in our land. (R.)

R. Mercy and faithfulness have met;
justice and peace have embraced.
Faithfulness shall spring from the earth
and justice look down from heaven. (R.)

ALL. The Lord will make us prosper
and our earth shall yield its fruit.
Justice shall march before him
and peace shall follow his steps. (R.)

Second Reading

Eph 1:3-10

Before the world was made, God chose us.

Blessed be God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with all the spiritual blessings of heaven in Christ. Before the world was made, he chose us, chose us in Christ, to be holy and spotless, and to live through love in his presence, determined that we should become his adopted sons, through Jesus Christ for his own kind purposes, to make us praise the glory of his grace, his free gift to us in the Beloved in whom, through his blood, we gain our freedom, the forgiveness of our sins. Such is the richness of the grace which he has showered on us in all wisdom and insight. He has let us know the mystery of his purpose, the hidden plan he so kindly made in Christ from the beginning to act upon when the times

had run their course to the end: that he would bring everything together under Christ, as head, everything in the heavens and everything on earth.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ
enlighten the eyes of our hearts
that we might see how great is the hope
to which we are called.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Mk 6:7-13

He called the Twelve, and began to send them out.

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs giving them authority over the unclean spirits. And he instructed them to take nothing for the journey except a staff – no bread, no haversack, no coppers for their purses. They were to wear sandals, but, he added, 'Do not take a spare tunic.' And he said to them, 'If you enter a house anywhere, stay there until you leave the district. And if any place does not welcome you and people refuse to listen to you, as you walk away shake off the dust from under your feet as a sign to them.' So they set off to preach repentance; and they cast out many devils, and anointed many sick people with oil and cured them.

Communion Antiphon

The sparrow finds a home,
and the swallow a nest for her young:
by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.
Blessed are they who dwell in your house,
for ever singing your praise.

© liturgy help



Message from Pope Francis.

Prayer is not a magic wand or a way to ask God to be at one's service.
It is instead a humble dialogue with God to grow spiritually and discover his will for the world.

Please pray for our sick :

Phillip Roy Anderson
Carmelo Bautista
Florence Bowell
Lina Christian
John Church
Elaine Cliff
Emmanuel Corpuz
Juliet and Rommel Estabillo
Sue Etheridge
Helen Fraser
David Goldsmith
John Griffiths
Corazon Guemo
Victoria Holland
Mary Ian McAdam
Anthony McGlynn
Gywen McIntyre
Anne McTernan
Regina Paredes
Hayden Paterson
Trishy Mary Rankin
Nathan Reynolds
Tony Sealey
Jack Sealey
Elisabeth Smyth
Rosario B Surmielida
Madeleine Thrift
Ljubica Vricic
John Warner

It would be appreciated if you could advise the Parish Office when someone no longer needs to be on our sick list.

May they rest in peace:

Gwendolyn McCauley
Mick Edwards
Amy Thompson
Richard Cairns
Andre Sterck
Fr Brian Maher
Carmel Brown
Yvonne Cuschieri
Mavis Crouch
Marie Whittaker
Margaret Matthews (Temora)
Pauline Clement
Peter Stapleton
Bill Maidment
Patricia Phelps
Janelle Lasker

Anniversary of Death:

Jennifer Mifsud (1yr)
Raewyn Bastion (1yr)
Brendan Lawrie (1yr)
Nell Milton
Maria Sant
Marge Lawler
Betty Wells

Baptism:

John Hill-Gray

NURSING HOME SERVICES

HERITAGE - 1st Wednesday of month 11am (Mass) Fr Kevin
GEORGE FORBES - 1st Wednesday of month 10am (Mass) Fr Troy
- 3rd Wednesday of month 10am (Comm. Service) Volunteers
WARRIGAL - 3rd Wednesday of month 10.30am (Mass) Fr Kevin

PARISH NEWS

Confirmation 2021: for Year 6 children (or above). This sacrament will be celebrated in September. Parents will be notified to register their child. Please call the parish office if you have any questions regarding this sacrament.

Next Women's Breakfast will be on Saturday 24th July at 8.30am at Suppeto Café at Old Jerrabomberra shops. Place your name and contact details on the list at the Events Table if you would like to attend.



PARISH MEETINGS	MEETING SCHEDULE
Parish Pastoral Council	1st Tuesday of Mth
Parish Finance Council	Quarterly
Bereavement Team	4th Thurs 1pm All invited
Friendship Group: A social gathering for men and women.	Mondays 10-12noon Parish Meeting Rm Lowe St. All welcome.
Prayer Group: An opportunity to explore the gospels.	Wednesdays 1.30-3pm Lowe St, Parish Meeting Room. All welcome.
Cancer Support Group	1st Wed 12.30pm Ph 0419694796 Louise for inquiries.

Rosters for Liturgical ministers will be prepared soon for August and September. A list of names will be on the events table of volunteers who are already on the rosters, if I have left you off the last rosters or you would like to volunteer for another ministry please confirm, edit or add your name on the list. Thank you for your support. Lorraine

Please be aware that school resumes this week Tuesday 13th July and parking in the school grounds is prohibited during school hours.

SVDP NEWS— Thank you for your donations of quality bric-a-brac to the Queanbeyan Vinnies shop. Last weekend a person needed a special kind of pin for their jacket. When a friend walked into the Vinnies shop to find out if there was an item suitable, it was a God moment when Jo handed them a pin that was perfect in colour, type and size that had been donated only ten minutes earlier. The recipient of the pin felt truly blessed when they received it. Vinnies also received a small donation for the pin which will go towards helping others in need. At the moment Qbn Vinnies is asking for donations such as toilet paper, shampoo, dishwashing and clothes washing detergents, deodorants, toothpaste and toothbrushes. Also warm jackets, beanies, gloves & scarves are still needed. Donations can be left in the church in tubs in the side alcoves or at the parish office.

Congratulations to Fala & Urima Faatamala who celebrate their 35th Wedding anniversary on Monday.

Wishing you many more years of happiness and God Bless you.

