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**4th February, 2018 - Year B**

**5th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME**



## **ALL HALLOWS' PARISH CHURCH**

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### **Sacramental Life**

#### **Eucharist:**

Saturday - 9.00am & 5.30pm Vigil

Sunday - 8.30am

Sunday - 10am Children's Liturgy

Sunday - 6.00pm Youth Mass

Monday - 9.00am

Tues - Wed - 8.00am

Thurs - Fri - 9.00am

Lauds (morning prayer) is prayed 20 minutes before morning mass daily.  
All Welcome.

**Reconciliation:** Saturday  
9.30 - 10am & 4.45 - 5.15pm

**Anointing:**  
First Friday of the month at 9am mass. (except January).

**Sick Calls:** Any time - day/night.

**Funeral Masses:**  
In co-operation with Funeral Directors.

**Exposition:**  
Third Thursday of every month after Mass.

*Dear Parishioners,*

#### **1. Serving the Lord Well**

*In the Gospel Reading, Jesus comes to Peter's house and he finds that Peter's mother-in-law is sick. And finding her sick, Jesus heals her. It is a familiar story about Jesus, who heals all kinds of diseases and infirmities.*



*But then look what happens. The whole town hears of her healing and rushes all their sick to Peter's house. The Gospel says that by the evening the whole city was gathered at the door of Peter's house (Mark 1:33)! Now, all of a sudden, Jesus seems to have become a one-man hospital. The Gospel says that Jesus healed very many of them.*

*If the whole city is at the door of Peter's house by the evening, then Jesus must have been healing well into the night. The Gospel says that Jesus left the house well before day and went into a secluded place to pray.\* He was so besieged by those who wanted healing that he couldn't pray in the house.*

*When his absence was finally detected, his disciples went looking for him. "Hey," they say when they find him, "Everybody is looking for you!" They seem to think that his urgent-care clinic should be open at all hours.*

*Now, of course, it is a good work to heal the sick. And, of course, those who love the sick are right to want them healed.*

*And yet how absurd it is to suppose that prayer should take second-place to work, no matter what the work is! And how sadly and understandably absurd it is to suppose that the mission of Jesus is to be a "Doctor Without Borders."*

*And so maybe it isn't hard to figure out what Jesus was praying about in the early morning in the countryside.*

*Each healing Jesus does is a good thing. But good things can actually get in the way of serving God well. To serve God well, a person has to do not just any good things that others want him to do. He has to do those good things that God has called him to do. It may take prayer to figure out which good things to turn down.*

*Jesus' disciples feel that Jesus needs to hurry back to Peter's village to keep practicing medicine. What Jesus tells them, after his prayer, is that he is leaving Peter's village to continue his ministry—not of medicine but of preaching in other towns. Preaching is the purpose for which he came.*

*What is needed to serve God well, then, is not endless good things that other people want from you. What is needed for the Lord's service is prayer first. And after that comes fidelity to just those few good things that fulfill that particular purpose to which the Lord has called you.*

## 2. Ash Wednesday

This year Ash Wednesday falls on the 14th February. Mass will be celebrated at 7am, 9.15am with the school children and 7pm.



## 3. Lenten Group

As Lent is beginning in a few weeks time, it is a wonderful time to think about strengthening our faith as we lead up to Easter.

If you would like to be part of a group please see the sign up sheets in the gathering space. Group will need to commence the week starting **11th February to work with the Lenten program.**

## 4. Children's Liturgy at All Hallows Parish

Every Sunday of the school term, one of our parishioners runs our Children's Liturgy in our church foyer. This is a simple yet important mission carried out by individuals who love their faith and want to live it out by serving our youngest parishioners. It is a pleasure for those of us involved in this ministry and we would love for some new members of our community to come on board and be involved in this form of service. It requires very little time outside of church attendance, and is a very rewarding way to live out one's faith. If you think you could help out by running one of these sessions every so often, or would simply like to ask a question about this ministry, please contact Annalicia Latham on 0403636367 or at [alatham@rosebank.nsw.edu.au](mailto:alatham@rosebank.nsw.edu.au) for further information.

## 5. Parish Centenary

In January 2019, we will celebrate the parish's centenary.



One aspect of the celebrations will be a parish history, which will be titled 'An Australian All Hallows'.

We would appreciate everyone looking in their draws and cupboards for old photos of baptisms/confirmations, parish events, memorabilia, newsletters etc. Materials lent to the parish will be carefully kept and returned ASAP. We are interested especially in photos relating to the periods when Monsignor Peoples and Father Kelly were the Parish Priests, and also the Presentation Sisters conducted the school. Any photos of the original church & school would be wonderful.

Our researcher, Damian Gleeson, is keen to interview older parishioners, especially

amongst the Italian community and also from Australian-Irish families.

## 6. Catechist Recruitment Mass

The annual Catechist Mass will be held on Sunday 18th February. At this Mass we are looking at recruiting Catechist to visit our state schools at Five Dock, Russell Lea and Abbotsford once a week for scripture lessons. More information will be available in next weeks bulletin.

## 7. Volunteers needed

We are in need for people to volunteer in the different ministries here at All Hallows. At this stage we are very desperate for Ministers to visit the local nursing homes. We have minimised these visits to fortnightly as our volunteers are decreasing in numbers. If you could spare an hour on either a Thursday or Friday, once a month it would be greatly appreciated to relieve some pressure on our volunteers.

Thanks you to those that responded to visiting our new nursing home at Bayswater Garden.

The parish has many ministries that require Volunteers for it to run smoothly. At this stage we are looking for people to help with Children's Liturgy, (Sunday 10am Mass during school terms) Catechist at our local state schools (1 hour either Tuesdays or Thursdays) and nursing home visits (on a monthly roster Thursday or Friday mornings).

Please have a look at our Church involvement sheet in the gathering space, to see the many different ministries we have here at All Hallows'. Lets make 2018 a year for volunteering to our parish community.

Please contact the parish office if you would like any further information.

## 8. Italian Prayer Group

The Italian Prayer Group will recommence this Tuesday 6th February at 1pm in the church.

## 9. Altar Servers

Any children who celebrated first communion last year that would like to be trained for Altar Servers please contact the parish office and training will be organised.

## 10. Opening School Mass

We will celebrate Mass with the children of All Hallows' on Friday 16th at the 9am, where we will celebrate this year of learning and school community.

God Bless.  
Fr Greg



### **PRAYER GROUP**

The next meeting of our regular fortnightly meeting will be on Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30 pm in Parish Unit 14, 24 Halley Street.

If you are interested you may contact Sister Ruth on 9713 5751 or email [ruth.e.odwyer@bigpond.com](mailto:ruth.e.odwyer@bigpond.com)

### **Five Dock All Saints Netball Club**



#### **Are you interested in playing netball for Five Dock All Saints?**

Netball is a great way to experience sport, learn new skills and play in a team.

The 2018 netball season will commence on April 7 with games played on Saturday mornings at Cintra Park Concord.

Girls as young as 5-7 can commence in the Mini Magpies program, which is a great introduction to the game of netball. Girls who turn 8 years and over next year can enrol in our junior teams. We welcome players of all ages.

#### **All registrations must now be completed online.**

Instructions to be posted on the FDAS website. Please also consult the FAQ's prior to registration.

First round of Registrations close on Feb 18<sup>th</sup>. Please register asap to guarantee a place in one of our teams as they fill fast!

For more information contact Andrew Russell FDAS Senior Registrar (13yrs – Open) [amrus-sell@bigpond.com](mailto:amrus-sell@bigpond.com) or Darryl Stuart FDAS Junior Registrar (5yrs – 12yrs) [darryl.stuart@hotmail.com](mailto:darryl.stuart@hotmail.com) or visit

FDAS (Five Dock All Saints) Netball club website [www.fivedockallsaints.org.au](http://www.fivedockallsaints.org.au).

## **GENERATION AWAKENING**

### **ALL HALLOWS' YOUTH MINISTRY - GENERATION AWAKENING**

#### **Restarting 4th February**

If you are between the ages of 10-18, the Parish of All Hallows' Five Dock invites you to join its Youth Ministry,

'Generation Awakening' (GA).

Meetings will run every Sunday beginning at 5.00pm in the back of the presbytery, followed by 6pm Youth Mass.

For any enquiries mail [genawakening@gmail.com](mailto:genawakening@gmail.com)

### **WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED**

***In your love and concern, please pray for:-***

#### **Recently Deceased:**

Melissa Unwin, Nina Sorrenti, , Caterina Megna



#### **Anniversaries:**

Mario Perez, Dino Priori, Lawrence Ullio, Victor Fahardo, Mary Arapa, , Gus Calvi

#### **Also for:**

Adriana Dardano, Kathleen & Paul Korch

#### **For the following ill members of our community:-**

Mia Spalina, John Vincent, Sarah Galleghan, Ryan Family, Eileen Misukowis, Kylie Lane, Mario Tripodi, Judith Tetley, John Vincent, Rosa Maria Santos, Belinda Briggs, Anna Pezzuto, Marie Mylott, Antonietta Ciaglia, Robert Kerley, Mark Bridgett, Maria Iolanda Scenna, Jeni Steele, Caterina Scarfo, Mary Davies, Mary Pulis, Giuseppe Princi, Joyce Kelly, Tom Fonti, Natalina Denaro, Marcello Cheles, Brian Gallagher, Crochetta Valenti, Vanessa Lane

(Names will remain on list for 1 month unless notified.)



### **GET YOUR COPY OF THE CATHOLIC WEEKLY**

- Solo voyage: Andrew Brazier will embark on a 15,000km solo trip to raise awareness and \$100,000 for the Indigenous Literacy Foundation.
- The #MeToo problem: Policing sexual desire
- Crossroads Walkers: Youth walk for life
- Australia Day honours: Sister Sheelah Frances Mogan
- Movie Review: I, Tonya
- Fun with Faith kids page - Pg23

**ONLY \$2.00 AVAILABLE FROM THE STAND**

### **Kid's Corner**

**Q:** What type of jam cannot be eaten?

**A:** Traffic Jam!



## THE JOURNEY CATHOLIC RADIO PROGRAM

This week on the Journey, the first Sunday of Advent, Fr Richard Healy reflects on the Gospel of Matthew and encourages us to be alert and on guard!

Walking the Walk, with Sam Clear talks about Facing the Darkness, Sr Hilda shares her Wisdom from The Abbey, and reminds us to Call Him God (repeat), and Fr Dave Callaghan in his God spot, The Call encourages with his words of My Sheep, Listen To My Voice (repeat). Our music this week is at the top of our game, put it all together and you have an inspiring show about faith, hope, love and life.



Go to [www.jcr.org.au](http://www.jcr.org.au) or [www.itunes.jcr.org.au](http://www.itunes.jcr.org.au) where you can listen anytime and subscribe to weekly shows by email.

### Lenten Program

**When:** Tuesday evenings (6:30pm – 8pm) 20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> February, 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> March

Light refreshments served from 6:00pm

**Where:** The Grail Centre, 22 McHatton Street, North Sydney

**RSVP:** By Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February to

[grailsydney@ozemail.com.au](mailto:grailsydney@ozemail.com.au) or 02 9955 3053

**Contribution:** \$8 per session or what you can afford. \$30 for the series.

*The Grail Centre, 22 McHatton Street, North Sydney*

*Ph: 02 9955 3053*

*[www.grailaustralia.org.au](http://www.grailaustralia.org.au)*

### Catholic Men's Fellowship - Scripture Journalling.

*Meets in gathering space of the church.*

*Monday 12th and 26th February from 7.30-9.30pm*

*All men welcome, including light refreshments and fellowship.*

*Please call Norm for further details 9712 2589*

### AGED CARE EXPO

Saturday 17th February 2018 10am - 3pm

**The Village by Scalabrini, 5 Mary St, Drummoyne**

Join us for an informative and enjoyable day that will help reduce the stress when navigating the complex aged care systems

Admission is free However you will need to register by calling 1800 722 522

### 24Hrs for the Lord - Request for participation of church/school groups.

On the 9-10 March, the third annual "24Hrs for the Lord" will take place at MSSC. On offer in conjunction with this is a Retreat Weekend for Young Adults (9 to 11 March). It is possible to also stay over for the 24Hrs, with accommodation and all meals included for just \$90 (Flyer

attached) The 24hrs for the Lord event has been well attended over the last couple of years, it gives people a unique opportunity to be with the Lord in adoration. The Shrine is the perfect place to find peace in the company of Our Lord and His Mother, particularly in the dark hours of the late evening and early morning.

### 9-11 February, 2018 - Retreat for Women

**Theme:** "IT IS WHEN I AM WEAK THAT I AM STRONG" (2 COR. 12: 10)

Enjoy a time of prayer and reflection as we approach the season of Lent. Experience the love of God and our Blessed Mother at the Schoenstatt Shrine in this Fr. Kentenich Year. (15.9.2017 – 15.9.2018)

**Where:** Mount Schoenstatt Spirituality Centre, 230 Fairlight Road, Mulgoa 2745

**When:** 7pm 9 February – 4pm 11 February 2018

**Cost:** \$150 Shared rooms - Deposit \$50, Saturday \only \$40 (includes lunch)

**Bookings:** [info@schoenstatt.org.au](mailto:info@schoenstatt.org.au) or Phone: 4773 8338 by 5 February

### 25th February, 2018 - Lenten Retreat Afternoon for Families of all ages and constellations

2pm: Talk for Adults: JOY in SUFFERING including Testimonies (Children's Programme and Baby sitting) 3pm: Prayer, Adoration, Confession and Benediction 4pm: Afternoon Tea

**Where:** Mount Schoenstatt Spirituality Centre, 230 Fairlight Road, Mulgoa 2745

**Cost:** Free

**Contact:** Sr M Julie Brcar - 0408 738 334 or [juliebrcar@gmail.com](mailto:juliebrcar@gmail.com)

### 9-10 March, 2018 - "24Hrs for the Lord" a time of Adoration and Reflection

**Theme:** "Do not be afraid Mary for you have found favour with God". Luke 1:30

**When:** From Friday 9th March beginning with Holy Mass at 6pm and finishing Saturday 10th March with Holy Mass at 5pm

Come and spend some time with Our Lord and His Mother in the Schoenstatt Shrine.

Reconciliation will be available at times through out the 24Hrs. Tea and Coffee available.

**Where:** Mount Schoenstatt Spirituality Centre, 230 Fairlight Road, Mulgoa 2745

**Cost:** To come to the Shrine: Free. To have accommodation and meals provided for the 24Hrs - Cost is \$90

**Bookings:** Bookings: [info@schoenstatt.org.au](mailto:info@schoenstatt.org.au) or Phone: 4773 8338

# POPE'S COLUMN

## GENERAL AUDIENCE : On the Liturgy of the Word

‘We know that the Lord’s Word is an indispensable aid not to get lost’

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The Holy Father’s Catechesis

Dear Brothers and Sisters, good morning!

We continue today with the catecheses on the Mass. After having reflected on the rites of introduction of the Mass, we now consider the Liturgy of the Word, which is a constitutive part because, in fact, we gather to listen to what God has done and still intends to do for us. It’s an experience that happens “directly” and not by having heard, because “when Sacred Scripture is read in Church, God Himself speaks to His people and Christ, present in the Word, proclaims the Gospel” (Ordinamento Generale del Messale Romano, 29; Cf. Constitution Sacrosanctum Concilium, 7; 33). And how often, while the Word of God is read, one comments: “Look at him . . . , look at her . . . , look at the hat she is wearing: It’s ridiculous . . . “And they begin to make comments. Isn’t that true? Should comments be made while the Word of God is being read? [They respond: “No!]. No, because if you gossip with people you don’t listen to the Word of God. When the Word of God is read in the Bible — the First Reading, the Second, the Responsorial Psalm and the Gospel — we must listen, open our heart, because it’s God Himself who is speaking to us, and we must not think of other things or talk about other things. Understood? . . . I will explain to you what happens in this Liturgy of the Word.

The pages of the Bible cease to be a writing to become living word pronounced by God. It’s God that, through the person that reads, speaks to us and questions us, who listen with faith. The Spirit “who has spoken through the prophets” (Creed) and has inspired the sacred authors, acts so that “that the Word of God truly operates in hearts what He makes resound in ears” (Lectionary, Introd., 9). However, to listen to the Word of God it’s necessary to have an open heart to receive the word in the heart. God speaks and we listen to Him, to then put into practice what we have heard. It’s very important to listen. Sometimes, perhaps, we don’t understand well because there are some Readings that are a bit difficult. However, God speaks the same to us in another way. [It’s necessary to be] in silence and to listen to the Word of God. Don’t forget this. At Mass, when the Readings begin, we listen to the Word of God.

We need to listen to Him! It is, in fact, a question of life, as the incisive expression well reminds that “man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God” (Matthew 4:4) — the life that the Word of God gives us. In this connection, we speak of the Liturgy of the Word as the “table” that the Lord prepares to feed our spiritual life. That of the Liturgy is an abundant table, which draws widely from the treasures of the Bible (Cf. SC , 51) be it of the Old or of the New Testament, because in them the Church proclaims the one and the same mystery of Christ (Cf. Lectionary, Introd., 5). We think of the richness of the biblical Readings offered by three Sunday cycles that, in the light of the Synoptic Gospels, accompany us in the course of the Liturgical Year: a great richness. I wish to recall here the importance of the Responsorial Psalm, whose function is to foster meditation on all that was heard in the Reading that preceded it. It’s good that the Psalm is enhanced with the song, at least in the refrain (Cf. OGMR, 61; Lectionary, Introd., 19-22).

The liturgical proclamation of the same Readings, with the songs deduced from Sacred Scripture, expresses and fosters ecclesial communion, accompanying the path of each and all. One understands, therefore, why subjective choices, such as the omission of Readings or their substitution with non-biblical texts, are prohibited. I’ve heard that some, if there is news, read the newspaper, because it’s the news of the day. No! The Word of God is the Word of God! We can read the newspaper later, but there, the Word of God is read. It’s the Lord who speaks to us. To substitute that Word with other things, impoverishes and compromises the dialogue between God and His people in prayer. On the contrary, [required is] the dignity of the pulpit and the use of the Lectionary,[1] the availability of good readers and psalmists. However, it’s necessary to find good readers! – those that are able to read, not those that read [mangling the words] and nothing is understood. It’s so – good readers <are needed>. They must prepare themselves and try before the Mass to read well. And this creates a receptive atmosphere of silence [2].

We know that the Lord’s word is an indispensable aid not to get lost, as the Psalmist well recognizes that, addressing the Lord, confesses: “Thy word is a lamp for my feet and a light to my path” (Psalm 119:105). How can we face our earthly pilgrimage, with its toils and trials, without being regularly fed and illumined by the Word of God that resounds in the Liturgy?

It’s certainly not enough to listen with the ears, without receiving in the heart the seed of the divine Word, enabling it to bear fruit. Let us remember the parable of the sower and the different results according to the different types of soil (Cf. Mark 4:14-20). The action of the Spirit, which renders the response effective, is in need of hearts that allow themselves to be worked and cultivated, so that what is heard at Mass passes in daily life, in keeping with the Apostle James’ admonition: “Be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves” (James 1:22). The Word of God makes a path within us. We hear it with the ears and it passes to the heart. It doesn’t stay in the ears; it must go to the heart, and from the heart it passes to the hands, to good works. This is the course that the Word of God follows: from the ears to the heart to the hands. Let us learn these things. Thank you!



## THE GRAIL CENTRE

We're excited to announce a brand new series of reflection mornings for 2018!

Starting on 13 February - The Grail will be looking at **6 pioneering women of faith** via the book **Women of Vision**, which tells the story of 16 of the founders of the International Grail movement.

Their stories challenge us to consider what it means to be people of faith today and what it is we might be called to do in our own time of great change.

The reflection mornings will be held at The Grail Centre, 22 McHatten Street, North Sydney, on **Tuesdays from 10 am to 12 noon**.

Please see the flyer on notice board for a more detailed program.

For more information or to register your interest, please contact:

Tricia Gemmell at [pgemmell@tpg.com.au](mailto:pgemmell@tpg.com.au); or The Grail Centre on 9955 3053



Would you like to sing, or learn to sing, Gregorian Chant? **The Gregorian Schola of Sydney** resumes rehearsals at **6pm on Thursdays at St Bede's Pyrmont** (not far from Star City) from February 8. Come along and join us. We need you. Bring your friends also. "Gregorian Chant (is) specially suited to the Roman Liturgy .. (and) should be given pride of place in liturgical services" (Vatican II SC 116). It is not hard to learn and you have the satisfaction of acquiring a new skill.

Please contact Marie Therese Levey rsj  
[Marie.levey@sosj.org.au](mailto:Marie.levey@sosj.org.au) Tel 02 8741 2341

## LENT PROGRAM

"Walk with me" this Lent, through a guided silent retreat given by the Verbum Dei Missionaries:

Sunday 11th February 9.30am - 3pm.

It will be held at Mt Carmel Retreat Centre, Varroville and cost \$30. Please BYO lunch as no food will be provided. For more information contact Kylie 0403453620

## We are looking for office volunteers!

2018 is shaping to be a busy year for Palms Australia as we recruit and begin to prepare lay mission volunteers to meet the many requests for assistance from our overseas partners. We are searching for office volunteers to help support our 2018 & 2019 recruitment drive, and hope you can help us.

As the volume of communities requesting Palms Australia's assistance grows, support from office volunteers has never been more valuable. Last year, you supported us in our search for amazing individuals who were willing and able to join us as part time office volunteers at our Petersham office. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Roger on 02 9560 5333.

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## **CatholicCare's Parenting Hub**

With the school holidays in full swing, CatholicCare's parenting hub provides useful articles with tips to help you manage the ups and downs. Simply visit [catholiccare.org](http://catholiccare.org) and look for the Parenting Hub icon. Our parenting counsellors are also available 7 days a week by calling Parent Line NSW on 1300 1300 52.

For more information, contact our friendly CCareline team on 13 18 19.

## **Positions Vacant**

### **Director of Care Services, Rosary Village Aged Care.**

Permanent full-time position. Yennora-based.  
For further information please contact Anthony Spata at REACH Human Resources, on 0402 210 055. Applications close 14 February 2018.

The Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney has provided brochures on

### **"Thinking About Becoming Catholic?"**

Please feel free to pass this brochure onto anybody you know that may be thinking about becoming a Catholic. Brochures available in gathering space.

## **Feast Day of St Bakhita**

Sydney Catholics are warmly invited to join the Archbishop of Sydney,  
Most Rev Anthony Fisher OP, at  
**St Mary's Cathedral at 5.30pm on 8 February**  
to celebrate the Feast Day of St Bakhita.

St Bakhita is the patron saint of South Sudan and Human Trafficking.

The Archbishop will also launch the Archdiocese's Anti-Slavery Taskforce, its strategy and initiatives in respect to supply chains, education and wider community engagement, all directed toward the eradication of modern-slavery and human trafficking.

The announcement of the taskforce and its initiatives follows the Archbishop's evidence before the NSW Legislative Council inquiry into human trafficking last year and calls from Pope Francis for increased efforts to end human trafficking and slavery-proof supply chains.

## **St Patricks Social Club**

Church Hill (City) for single seniors  
(including widows and widowers)  
meet monthly on 2nd Sunday at 1.45pm  
Enq: after 6.30pm 9953 4909 or 9858 2094

## WHAT'S ON IN OUR PARISH?

### Catholic Women's League Five Dock

3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of month 10am

in Church Gathering Space

For more information please contact

Enza Ferraro on 9712 2598

### Inner Wheel Club - Balmain Group

1st Tuesday of month 6.30pm - 9pm

at Five Dock RSL Club

### St Vincent de Paul Society

Meetings held each 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month at 6.00pm in the meeting room connected to the garage.

Contact Gerry Modini on 0418 966 247

### Italian Prayer Group

Tuesday - 1pm in the Church

Messa Italiana ogni ultimo martedì del mese

Enquiries: M. Mureddu 9712 2394

### Choir Practice

All welcome to choir practice in the Church

7.30pm every Monday.

Ring Maria on 9705 1101

### Italian Choir Group

Tuesday -12.30 pm in the Church

### Italian Prayer Group - Thursday

In Chiesa, ogni settimana dopo la messa delle nove (9).

Ogni terzo Giovedì del mese l'intenzione è per il Gruppo di Preghiera di Riparazione Eucaristica.

Per informazioni: Lucia 9713 1800

Siete tutti benvenuti!

All welcome!

Sunday 4th February 2018 - 5th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

READINGS: Job 7:1-4, 6-7; 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23; Mk 1:29-39

SATURDAY 5.30pm	SUNDAY 8.30am	SUNDAY 10am	SUNDAY 6.00pm Youth Mass
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#### READERS

L. Gatto D. Pettenon R. Pollifrone G. Picone	D. Triulcio N. Giunta A. Messina J. Mylott	Intro/1st: D. Squadrito 2nd/PF: M. Hutton	Intro/PF: Angelique L 1st & Psalm: Linda L 2nd: Chris M
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#### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

G. Bonaddio J. Bonaddio B. Pratelli A. Pollifrone M. Tomasello D. Tomasello K. McInerney	M. Hinds N. Vuchich MJ. Megna L. La Cava M. Megna I. Bova R. Compantangelo	E. Ferraro M. Hadjidakis M. Pignone C. Petrucco N. Ancona N. Valeo B. Pinto	David H Aaron Z Alex K
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#### ALTAR SERVERS

Group 2	Group 1	Group 4	Group 1
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**HOME VISITS:** M. Hinds, N. Vuchich, L. Peruzzi

**NURSING HOMES:**

**Parkview:** 15 Feb - Giulia & Claudette

**Russell Lea:** 16 Feb - Robyn & Don

**BayswaterGarden:** Feb - Lorraine & Michelle

**COUNTERS:** Group 5

**TRANSPORT:** Maria, Robyn, Miranda, Tony

**ALTAR SOCIETY:** Rosy, Maria, Cris, Nowell, Simone, Rosetta

**PIETY STALL:** Vicky C, Eleanor C, Franca, Lorraine

**CHILDRENS LITURGY:** Annalicia



#### NEXT WEEK-

Sunday 11th February 2018 - 6th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

READINGS: Lev 13:1-2, 44-46; 1 Cor 10:31-11:1; Mk 1:40-45

SATURDAY 5.30pm	SUNDAY 8.30am	SUNDAY 10am	SUNDAY 6.00pm Youth Mass
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#### READERS

M. Natoli F. Speranza/C. Gatto B. Gallagher G. Sutera	M. Coleman J. Maynard L. La Cava J. Pappalardo	Intro/1st: B. Pinto 2nd/PF: M. Angelatos	Intro/PF: Nina R 1st & Psalm: Isabella P 2nd: Lorenzo P
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A. Fabro V. Moschella T. Coghlan C. Tramonte L. Speranza S. Mangano R. Glover	M. Chesworth E. Chesworth P. Moschella J. Livolsi M. Coleman G. Favotto C. Mylott	D. scelzi L. Scelzi M. Hutton L. Moliterno F. Mercuri A. Roberts M. Pignone	Connie A Adriano P Maria Z
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#### ALTAR SERVERS

Group 3	Group 2	Group 5	Group 2
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**HOME VISITS:** J. Livolsi, M. Chesworth, P. Moschella

**NURSING HOMES:**

**Parkview:** 15 Feb - Giulia & Claudette

**Russell Lea:** 16 Feb - Robyn & Don

**BayswaterGarden:** Feb - Lorraine & Michelle

**COUNTERS:** Group 6

**TRANSPORT:** Theresa, Nives, Tony

**ALTAR SOCIETY:** Bernadette, Linda, Sharon, Tina, Connie

**PIETY STALL:** Eleanor C, Franca,

**CHILDRENS LITURGY:** Michelle P

