

All Hallows' Five Dock



1st Sunday of Lent | Year B | Sunday 21st February 2021

Parish Mission

We, the people of this place,
live and celebrate a love of faith.

We share this faith in a
spirit of service,
that creates a sense of
God's presence among us.

All Hallows' Parish

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A Message from Fr Joseph

On Ash Wednesday we started the Lenten Season. It is a wonderful time for spiritual renewal, to prepare ourselves to celebrate the Paschal Mysteries. Jesus gives us examples of how to speak to Our Father, fast and practise charity.

What are the benefits of prayer, charity and fasting?

Fasting is good for the soul and body. It keeps us disciplined, especially with regard to our sensual needs and the temptations of the flesh. It frees us from sin and keeps us pure in our relationship with God and others. It provides the disposition for prayer and helps us to feel God's presence throughout the day as we recall His love and mercy for us through Christ's passion of the cross. By contemplating on the Lord's suffering and uniting ours with His, we can better

identify with those who suffer through illness or injustice. This moves us to compassion and generosity. Fasting and prayer help us to listen to the Word of God.

Fasting is therefore the soul of prayer and the answer to our authentic life in Christ. It shows our sincerity in asking for what we want from the Lord.

I invite you to join me in fasting on bread and water or tea during the Fridays of Lent to pray for the New Evangelization of our parish. I WISH YOU ALL A VERY FRUITFUL Lenten Season!

Yours in Faith -

Fr. Joseph PP
0412 085 189

Sacramental Life

Holy Mass:

Saturday - 8am & 5.30pm Vigil

Sunday - 8.30am
- 10am
- 6pm

Monday - Friday - 8am

The Holy Rosary is prayed after every morning Mass for the Parish community. All are welcome.

Reconciliation:

Before or after any Mass.
Or any time by appointment.

Sick Calls:

Any time - day/night.

Exposition:

Every Wednesday after 8am Mass.

Baptisms:

Saturdays or Sundays. Baptism is the Sacrament on which our faith is founded and which grafts us as a living member onto Christ and His Church.

Weddings- contact Deacon or Father.

This Week:

Sunday 21:

First Sunday of Lent
Youth Lenten Group // 5pm - Parish Hall

Monday 22:

Chair of St Peter

Tuesday 23:

St Polycarp
Lenten Groups // 7.30pm
Parish Hall or Unit 14, 24 Halley St. Five Dock

Wednesday 24:

Lenten Group // 10:30am - Parish Hall

Thursday 25:

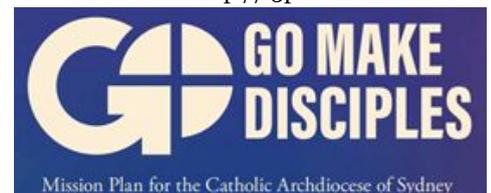
Lenten Groups // 7:30pm
Parish Hall or 53 Ingham Ave. Five Dock

Friday 26:

Stations of the Cross // 7pm

Sunday 28:

Second Sunday of Lent
Youth Lenten Group // 5pm - Parish Hall



All Hallows' Lenten Groups



This is a good way to prepare for Easter, journeying through Scripture and guided by Catholic educators and leaders, who will inspire you with the beautiful art works and life-changing message. Enter more fully into the sessions with saints quotes, reflection questions and practical tips. The program also has daily reflections on the Gospel for each day of Lent. You will want to revisit this beautiful study again and again.

The following groups are available every week during Lent for you to join:

- HI 9G8 5 M** - 7:30 pm from 16 Feb - 23 Mar. - Parish Hall - Leader: Denise Pettenon
- HI 9G8 5 M!** 7:30 pm from 16 Feb - 23 Mar. - Unit 14/ 24 Halley St - Leader: Sr Ruth
- K 98 B9G8 5 M!** 10:30 am from 17 Feb -24 Mar. - Parish Hall - Leader: Maria Natoli
- H<I F G8 5 M** - 7:30 pm from 18 Feb - 25 Mar. - Parish Hall - Leader: Sandy Lynch
- H<I F G8 5 M** - 7:30 pm from 18 Feb - 25 Mar. - 53 Ingham Ave - Leader: George Favotto
- G5 HI F 8 5 M** - 3pm from 20 Feb - 27 Mar. - Parish Hall - Leader: Ann Kerley
- GI B8 5 M!** 5pm from 21 Feb - 28 Mar. - Parish Hall - **Mci h** ; **fci d'@UXYf**: Beatrice Loquet

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Generation Awakening

As Lent begins, let prayer, fasting and almsgiving help us to shift the focus from ourselves to Jesus and others. Join the Youth Group, Generation Awakening, Lenten group on Sundays at 5pm before the 6pm mass in the Parish Hall and be encouraged together as we journey through this season. Pope Francis focuses on the verse **"Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem"** **fMt &\$.% L** for 2021 Lent. During this time let us all renew our faith, hope and love.

Tip for this week: Say a prayer with one of your family members each night of the week, as a stretch, you can add a Hail Mary after your prayer.



Catholic Women's League

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Invite you to come and enjoy

MORNING TEA and BINGO



In the Parish Hall

Friday 26 February
At 10am

Admission: \$6.00 which includes Bingo and morning tea

Prize Money



World Day of Prayer 2021

World Day of
Prayer 2021



Pray for
Vanuatu

5 March 2021
10am

**Abbotsford
Presbyterian
Church**

(443 Great North Road)

COVID-19 Update

Places of worship are now allowed to have one person per two square-metres with no maximum cap from last Friday, 12th February 2021. Masks are no longer compulsory but are still recommended.

Up to 300 people can attend funerals and weddings, providing a two square metre rule is observed.

Please continue to register your attendance as you enter the church using the QR Code or the paper forms provided in the church foyer.



Please remember in your Prayers:

Sick:
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Do you know of anyone who is sick and in need of prayer? Please send their name in an email to the Parish Office and we will add their name in here.

Recently Deceased:

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Modesto Dal Molin,
Concetta De Cataldo,
Natalina Denaro

For the Souls of the Faithful Departed:

Eternal rest grant unto them , O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May all the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen.



Parish Notices



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Please note that going forward; if you donate by credit card on our website it will not count towards your end of year donation tax receipt. Website donations by credit card are not counted as planned giving. If you would like to make a regular credit card donation which will count towards your tax receipt, please contact the parish office and we can arrange that for you.

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Our Parish has pastoral responsibility for four Nursing Home Bayswater Gardens, Parkview, Carina and Chiswick any private residences to visit and administer Holy Communion. We rely on volunteers to assist with this Ministry and are always looking for caring and reliable parishioners - even if you can only spare 1 hour a week. Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to participate.

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This year's theme is "Ó Á [!^+Ä This Lent, join others who want to end poverty and injustice in our world. You can donate online at www.lent.caritas.org.au/donate or weekly using the envelope packs or fill a money box. These can be found in the church foyer.



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Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with crimes are the police. If you, or anyone you know, have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding Office at 93905810 or safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org.



You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police. Safeguarding resources are available in the presbytery. Enquiries: parishallhallows@gmail.com

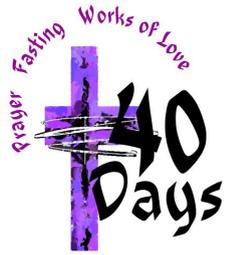
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Thank you to all those volunteers who have signed up for Scripture Teaching in our Public Schools. We have many students to Evangelise. If you can assist in teaching, we have all the information that you need. The best to speak to our Parish Catechist's.



Lent - A time of Growth and Renewal

At 7pm every Friday, during Lent, we will celebrate Stations of the Cross and Penitential Adoration with the 2nd Rite of Reconciliation and Holy Communion.



Sunday, 21st March is Penitential Sunday. The 2nd Rite of Reconciliation will be held before all Masses this weekend.

Year of Saint Joseph

For our families, for evangelisation in our Parish. Every Wednesday at 8.00am Holy Mass in honour of St. Joseph, praying for our parish families.



2021 Sacramental Program

Sacramental Preparation



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Parent Information Night - Wednesday, 28th April, 2021 - 7pm

4 week preparation course - Details of session times given at Information Night.

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Parent Information Night - Wednesday, 21st July, 2021 - 7pm

4 week preparation course - Details of session times given at Information Night.

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Parent Information Night - Wednesday, 15th September, 2021 - 7pm

4 week preparation course - Details of session times given at Information Night.

Children's Corner

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