

All Hallows' Five Dock



12th Sunday in Ordinary Time | Year B | Sunday 20th June

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.

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A Message from Fr Danny

Our Stormy Journey

Archbishop Fisher called me urgently last week and explained the storms which our parish has been experiencing over recent years. Certainly the parish has suffered more than most.

In the Gospel, the disciples were on board with Jesus Himself. This did not prevent the storm breaking which threatened to drown them. Storms are a part of life. If we take our suffering with trust and humility, they purify us and draw us closer to God more quickly than perhaps anything else.

Jesus was on the boat. The storm broke and the disciples were panicking, but Jesus was on the boat. "Quiet now! Be calm!".

Jesus' words for the storm were also for the disciples and are for us today. For those who love God, all things work out for the good. Faith is what we are called to in these testing times.

I was very much enjoying working with the homeless. I was at the Matt Talbot Hostel when the Archbishop rang. However I am very happy to be here now with you. Fr Richard Ddumba, a very fine priest ordained only 3 years, will join us soon. He spent time at the seminary while I was Rector, so I know him well. He was born in Uganda. Please pray for Fr Richard and me, and lets pray to God for some smoother times to come!

Yours in faith,
Fr Danny.



Sacramental Life

Holy Mass:

Saturday: 9am & 5.30pm Vigil

Sunday: 8.30am, 10am and 5pm

Monday - Friday: 8am

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

Reconciliation:

Saturday:
9:30am-10am / 4:45pm - 5:15pm
Or any time by appointment.

Sick Calls:

Any time - day/night.

Baptisms:

Saturdays or Sundays.

Weddings:

Contact Deacon or Father.

This Week:

Sunday 20:

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Youth Group // 4pm - Parish Hall

Monday 21:

Saint Aloysius Gonzaga

Tuesday 22:

Saints John Fisher and Thomas More

Wednesday 23:

Saint Paulinus of Nola
Holy Hour // 3pm - Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Thursday 24:

The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

Sunday 27:

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Youth Group // 4pm - Parish Hall



New Assistant priest Fr Richard Ddumba to join All Hallows in July

Fr Richard, I hope, will join us at the end of July. He is presently assistant priest at St John the Baptist, Bonnyrigg, a very large and busy parish in the south west of Sydney. Fr Richard went to the seminary here in Sydney and back in Uganda where he was born. He was ordained 4 years ago, serving as a priest for one year at Kampala and three years at St John the Baptist. I'm sure the All Hallows community will make him feel welcome when he arrives.

Fr Danny Meagher
Administrator



Please remember in your Prayers:

Sick:

Norman Merlino
Christine Bailey
Tom Graham
Tony Michael

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:

Magda Ghali
Patrick Heffernan
Maria Iolanda Scenna
Vincenzo Maiurana
Carmine Mascitelli
Maria Magosso
Vittorio Marotta
Tania Ward
Stefano Lipari
Anna Schiro
Aquilino Dal Cin

All Hallows Primary School

The Sacrament of Penance

Thank you to the many parishioners who prayed for or participated in the children receiving their First Reconciliation on Saturday 5 June. A special thank you to the Parish Sacramental team for their work in coordinating the groups, preparation and liturgy on the day. I would also like to thank Fr Michael McLean (Drummoyn), Fr Phillip Zadro (Haberfield) and Fr Tom Stevens (Mortlake) who were present to confer the sacrament.

Mrs Helen Elliott
Principal

Generation Awakening - Teen Youth Group



Did you hear? It's only one more month till our Y-Factor July Camp!! Full registrations are still open but closes in 2 weeks on the 21st of June. This is an event not to be missed, so register now at <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing?eid=746555&>.

Generation Awakening is on holiday break, there will be no youth group until Term 3 begins.

Religious Education

The Disciples' Pathway

At our recent Staff Development Day, staff focussed on developing authentic learning and assessment tasks to promote students' deeper understanding and engagement with all content areas. One of the ways that we do this in Religious Education at All Hallows has been through the adoption of a program written by a current and a previous teacher from our community entitled the "Disciples' Pathway". One of the creators, Ms Juliana Hunt, introduced new staff to this method this week, detailing how to help students engage with Bible passages as a literary text and how to break open the word of God in a way that connects the stories they encounter in Scripture to their own experiences.



Brigid Vieira
Religious Education Coordinator

Family and Faith

Refugee Week and the Lampedusa Cross

A carpenter by the name of Francesco Tuccio from the island of Lampedusa, Italy, makes crosses from the timber of wrecked boats that were carrying refugees. He gives these crosses to refugees to give them hope for a better future as they have suffered so much. St Joseph, too, was a carpenter. He fled with Mary and baby Jesus to Egypt as "the angel of the Lord" came to him in a dream warning that King Herod was "planning to search for the child to destroy him". The Holy family were refugees! 2021 is the year of St Joseph and this week is Refugee Week. Let us pray for the refugee seeking safety and for the asylum seeker who seeks justice. As Francesco Tuccio says "The right to live a dignified life should not be a luxury for few people, but a right for all". *St Joseph, Holy Refugee, Pray for us.*

Marisa Squadrito
Family Educator



Anniversaries:

Frances Capizzi

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



Planned Giving Envelopes

Offering Envelopes



The 2021/2022 planned giving envelopes are now available to be picked up in the gathering space. Please use the new purple envelopes from the 1st July 2021. If anyone is interested in joining the planned giving program, please contact the parish office.

Catholic Mission: India COVID-19 Appeal

The aid agency, Catholic Mission, has launched an urgent appeal to provide immediate help for vulnerable communities devastated by COVID-19 in India. Well over 300,000 people have died from the illness in India and hospitals have been struggling to cope. Through donating to Catholic Mission, you will be playing a key role in supporting the valuable work of mission hospitals in the country. Donate using the above QR code or online via the Catholic Mission website here:



<https://www.catholicmission.org.au/donate/your-donation?id=covid-19-india>.



Supporting our Parish You can support our Parish financially by accessing the BPoint Secure Payment Service on the Parish website or you can use the QR Code printed here. For contributions to the First Collection, please select *Pastoral Revenue* from the drop down menu. For Planned Giving contributions, please select

Planned Giving from the drop down menu and include your name and your Planned Giving Number (if known). You can also contribute using the Tap and Go devices in the Gathering Space at the entrance to the church.

Safeguarding our Parish

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. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.



Catholic Women's League



Ladies, you are welcome to join members and special guest, Fr. Greg Morgan, CWL Chaplain, at the CWL meeting on

Monday 21 June

in the Parish Hall commencing with morning tea at 10a.m

Baptisms

We welcome

Jacob Cardin Keast
Lachlan Cardin Keast

who are being baptised into the parish community of All Hallows this weekend.



Bingo and Morning tea



Please join us for Bingo and Morning tea on

Friday 25 June

In the Parish Hall
Commencing at 10am
All welcome

Catholic Women's League

Congratulations to Week 10
Silver Circle winners:

1st No. 42 K. Weymark

2nd No. 35 C. Mylott

WE HAVE A
WINNER

Children's Corner



Wordsearch

Try to find these words:

lake	waves	calm
boat	disciples	stopped
asleep	faith	woke
afraid	followed	sink

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I R O L E K A H E R A J W
W A T L G R D I L W T O R
Y I S E L P I C S I D F B
X D T I J O N G A E R N P
M F O S N T W Q V S M Z E
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First Reading	Responsorial Psalm	Second Reading
<p>Jb 38:1. 8-11 A reading from the book of Job <i>Here I have set the boundaries of the sea.</i> From the heart of the 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.</p>	<p>(R.) Give thanks to the Lord, His love is everlasting.</p> <p>1. 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. (R.)</p> <p>2. 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. (R.)</p> <p>3. 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. (R.)</p> <p>4. 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. (R.)</p>	<p>2 Cor 5:14-17 A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians <i>All things are made new.</i> 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 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.</p>
<p>Next Week's Readings</p>		<p>Gospel Acclamation</p>
<p>13th Sunday in Ordinary Time 1st Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24 2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7.9.13-15 Gospel: Mark 5:21-24. 35-43</p>		<p>Alleluia, alleluia! A great prophet has appeared among us; God has visited his people. Alleluia!</p>

Gospel

Mk 4:35-41
A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark
Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.
With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion, asleep. They woke him and said to him, 'Master, do you not care? We are going down!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. Then he said to them, 'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith?' They were filled with awe and said to one another, 'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.'



Reflection by Michael Tate

Every element of the universe, even the most destructive, is listening for the voice of Our Lord, "Quiet, be still." In this Gospel story, the waters of chaos respond to the voice of the Lord of all creation, allowing Jesus to accompany his disciples to the other side of the Sea of Galilee.

We all know of times when chaos storms into our life, when we feel we are being swamped whether from outside or from some part of our own personality. Some part of our life is facing death. We may cry out to Jesus "Don't you care?". He will come to accompany us but always to "the other side". Our Lord does not indulge the fantasy of "turning back the clock". We have to keep rowing in a new direction. There is no nostalgic return to the old situation. We may well feel displaced, disoriented, but Our Lord is our companion in the unfamiliar situation we have reached.

We could take a moment to pray for Our Lord to help us in all life-threatening situations, especially in the final transit through the wrenching chaos of death. May we hear him rebuke the Prince of Darkness and Death: "Quiet, be still" as he accompanies us to the other side, to the promised land of Heaven.