

Saint Michael's War Memorial Catholic Church

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*"Come to worship
Go to proclaim"*

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21st March, 2021

5th Sunday of Lent - Year B

Thur 25th March - Annunciation of the Lord

Stations of the Cross: Fridays during Lent at 7pm

FIRST READING:

Jeremiah 31:31-34

The days are coming when I will make a new covenant with Israel and I will forgive their iniquity.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 50:3-4, 12-15, R.v.12

Create a clean heart in me, O God

SECOND READING:

Hebrews 5:7-9

He learnt to obey and become for all the source of eternal salvation.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

JN 12:26

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

If you serve me, follow me, says the Lord;

and where I am, my servant will also be.

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

GOSPEL:

John 12:20-30

If a grain of wheat falls on the ground and dies, it yields a rich harvest.

St. Michael's Parish Notice

Sick: Amanda & Stephano Guidone, Joe, Steve Delgado-Reves, Anita Ruiz & Blanca Jose Vargas Family, Joseph Hagggar, Vince Buchan, Nada Vucetic.

Special Intention: Sun 8am Fernandino De Gouveia
Tue 7:30am Fernandino De Gouveia

Rosary

Rosary is said before morning Mass at 7.05am on Tuesday and Thursdays.

COVID-19 update

The NSW Government has announced a further easing of COVID-19 restrictions on churches, which are in place this weekend. Singing is now allowed in places of worship, as long as masks are worn and a one person per four square metre rule is observed. If no congregational singing takes place, places of worship are allowed to have one person per two-square-metres with no maximum cap.

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

The COVID Safe Plan for Places of Worship strongly encourages electronic collection of worshippers' names and contact details. Many parishes are doing this by online registration for Masses rather than a QR code and can continue doing so. Parishes may keep paper records and then transfer this data across into an electronic format. Record keeping is compulsory.

Sanitizing Church

Please could you take a wet wipe located at back of Church and wipe your seat and back of chair when you enter the Church. Bins located at back of Church.

COVID-19 Safety Plan

Our Covid-19 Safety Plan (copy available in Church) states :

1. All must be aware of content of Safety Plan.
2. Those with Flu symptoms must not enter the Church.
3. Sanitizing hands and registration strict requirement in order to come inside the Church.
4. Congregational singing with masks ONLY.
5. Required sanitization of the seats before and after mass.
6. Holy Communion on hand. Keep 2 square meters when receiving communion.
7. Social distancing .
8. Strict prohibition of gatherings after the mass, in the foyer or outside the door of Church.

Collection w/e 14/3/21

1st Collection: \$402.90, 2nd Collection: \$195.00

Planned Giving \$265.00

Thank You for your generous support.

Daylight Saving Ends: Sun 4th April, 2021

Clocks are put back at 2am on Sun, 4th April, 2021



The Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney Safeguarding Office

Child sexual abuse is a crime. If you, or anyone you know, have been abused, please contact the police. Or contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial integrity office at (02) 9390-5810 or safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org

***Please observe silence in God's house.
Please turn your mobile off or put it on silent.***



Palm Sunday (28th March)

Any Palm or Olive Branch donations would be greatly appreciated. Please bring to the Parish Office by Fri, 26th March. **Thank You.**

Lenten Reconciliation Times:

Sat 20th March 11am –12noon.

Wed 24th March 6:30pm—7pm

Holy Thursday 1st April 8pm-8:30pm (after Mass)

Good Friday 2nd April 11am—12noon and 4pm–5pm.

Holy Week Program:

Palm Sunday Mass (27th March) as usual-

Saturday 5pm Vigil.

Sunday 8am & 10am

Holy Thursday (1st April):

No Mass in the morning.

7pm - Mass of the Lord's Supper.

Good Friday (2nd April):

10am - Stations of the Cross

***3pm - Celebration of the Passion of the Lord.**

Holy Land Appeal collection at the 3pm service

Easter Saturday (3rd April):

6:30pm - Easter Vigil Mass.

Easter Sunday (4th April):

8am & 10am

Towards the end of [Lent](#) you may notice purple cloths draped over the crucifixes, statues, and saint images. This reminds us in a visual way that our faith in all its glory is made possible only through the work of Christ in his suffering and death on the cross. When we cover or remove these holy and sacred images we are reminded of all that Christ has won for us. The tradition is often practiced during the last two weeks before Easter, starting on Passion Sunday (now called the fifth Sunday of Lent) and ending on Good Friday. This time period is known on the old liturgical calendar as *Passiontide*. Even though this period is no longer officially called by this name, the tradition is still practiced. In a dramatic unveiling, the holy images are again revealed for the Easter Vigil to mark the end of the penitential season. The joy of the Easter season and the hope of the Resurrection.



**OPEN
DAY**

Wednesday 24 March

3.00pm–6.30pm

Principal's address at 4.00pm and 5.30pm

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boys for Year 7, 2023**

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BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

Please visit this [link](#) to book your place.

Mass Times: **Saturday Vigil:** 5:00pm
 Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am
 Weekday: **Monday:**
 Tuesday: 7:30am
 Wednesday: 6:00pm
 Thursday: 7:30am
 Friday: 9:15am

2nd & 4th Saturday: 9:30am (Southern Cross Hostel)

Reconciliation

Wednesday: 5:15pm – 5:45pm

Saturday: 4:15pm – 4:45pm



Contact The Presbytery

Parish Office Hours: Thurs & Fri 9:00am to 2:30pm

Holy Hour: Wednesday, 5:00pm

Baptisms & Weddings: by appointment.

Baptisms: Sundays after the 10am Mass

Volunteers Roster:

This weekend - 21st March

Vigil: (A) Hartanto, A Yap (R) G Guerrero, M Vassallo (C) (M) Thomas W

8am: (A) G Diab, Andy H (R) A Burke, T Trujillo (C) (M) Thomas W

10am: (A) N Jenner (R) S Newman, C Findlay (C) (M) M Sarmiento

Piety Stall: (Vigil) C Lan Kam (Sun, 8am) I Koeswanto (Sun, 10am) L Jenner

This weekend - 28th March Palm Sunday

Vigil: (A) Hartanto, A Yap (R) F Hogan, J Paquin (C) (M) Thomas W

8am: (A) G Diab, Andy H (R) T Trujillo, A Burke (C) (M) Thomas W

10am: (A) N Jenner (R) D Sarmiento, Jordan (C) (M) M Sarmiento

Piety Stall: (Vigil) C Lan Kam (Sun, 8am) J Busutil (Sun, 10am) L Jenner

Passion : Vigil G Guerrero (N), **8am** A Burke (N) **10am** C Findlay (N)
 L Paquin (Crowd), G Guerrero (Crowd) S Newman (Crowd)

Responsorial Psalm will be sung. Verses will be said.

Parishioners wishing to apply for any of the Ministries, please contact the Parish Office.
 Thank you!