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15th May, 2022

5th Sunday of Easter - Year C

Rostered Readers will not be needed at 5pm Vigil as it is a School Mass. Thank you for your support

FIRST READING:

They assembled the Church and gave an account of all that God had done with them.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

Ps. 144:8-13. R. cf.v.1

Apocalypse 21:1-5

Jn 13:34

Apostles 14:21-27

SECOND READING:

He will wipe away all the tears from their eyes.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, Alleluia

I give you a new commandment:

love one another as I have loved you.

Alleluia.

GOSPEL: John 13:31-35

I give you a new commandment; love one another.

St. Michael's Parish Notice

Sick: Joe, Steve Delgado-Reves, Anita Ruiz & Blanca Jose Vargas Family,

Joseph Haggar, Vince Buchan, Nada Vucetic, Eloise Fraser,

David Low & Jimmy Chandra

Mass Intentions: Saturday 5pm: † Thomas Walter Marshall & †Irene Eller

Sunday 8am: † Joaquin Delgado-Reves

Sunday 10am: † Sabina Gelches

Welcome

We welcome Fr Rego, Fr Peter Guy and Fr John Nguyen to our Parish. During the month of May, there will be not be any Holy Hour on Wednesday. Wednesday Mass will be at 7pm. There will be not be any mass on Friday 3rd June.

Petition—Voluntary Assisted Dying Bill

Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP has warned NSW MPs that the rights of faith-based medical and aged care providers will be seriously threatened, unless amendments are made to euthanasia laws set to be passed by the State's Upper House. "Voluntary assisted dying" is one step closer to becoming law in New South Wales after a Second Reading vote in the Legislative Council on 11 May passed 20-17. After the upper house debates amendments to the Voluntary Assisted Dying Bill next Wednesday, NSW will become the final state to fall to euthanasia in Australia. Dr Brendan Long our CEO has been working closely with the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney to sponsor this paper petition in order to overturn the Voluntary Assisted Dying Bill 2021. The petition needs to be signed with the name of person and address of the person (who need to be over the age of 18). These paper petitions will be available at the Church Foyer. Please sign petition against a voluntary euthanasia bill.

Collection w/e 8/5/22

1st Collection: \$429.75, 2nd Collection: \$326.25, Planned Giving \$245.00 Thank You for your generous support.

Our Lady of Fatima

The Sydney Archdiocese Committee, of the World Apostolate of Fatima invite you to our May Celebration in St. Mary's Cathedral on Saturday May, 14th Honouring our Lady and intercede for peace in the World and the welfare of Australia. To commence at 11.30am with entrance procession (inside the Cathedral) with the Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima (with the Immaculate Heart) Rosary, Litany of Loreto & Act of Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary followed by Holy Mass at Noon. We look forward to you joining us in Prayer, especially for this recent outbreak in Ukraine. Further enquiries please contact us on - 0403578994.

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.



NEW TAP DONATION MACHINE:

There is a new tap donation machine in the church foyer. You can choose the amount you wish to donate. All donations are halved between 1st and 2nd collections. Thank you for your continued financial support of our Parish. May God bless you.



Mary Mackillop

The Sisters of Saint Joseph have prepared an Australian Pilgrimage, "In the Footsteps of Mary MacKillop" commencing in Melbourne on 18 October, journeying through Victoria and South Australia, and ending at Mary MacKillop Place, North Sydney on 29 October 2022. During the pilgrimage we visit many places associated with Mary MacKillop's life and ministry.

For further information about itinerary and application forms, please contact Annie Bond RSJ on 89124818 or go to national.pilgrimage@mmp.org.au.

CWF MAY Parish Appeal

On behalf of this parish, we sincerely thank you for supporting the Charitable Works Fund (CWF) May Appeal. Through your generous gift, we are able to continue in our mission to provide care for the most vulnerable in our community through our CWF agencies and ministries. For more information, please visit www.ourfaithourworks.org/cwf.

Electronic Donations

If anyone wishes to donate electronically, please click on the QR code and you will be directed to our donation page on our website. THANK YOU for your generous support. It is very much appreciated.





On May 13, we celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, looking to the Blessed Mother for peace and comfort in times of uncertainty. According to tradition, on May 13, 1917, the Virgin Mary appeared to three shepherd children, Lúcia dos Santos, Francisco Marto, and Jacinta Marto, near Fatima, Portugal. The children saw her five more times in the months that followed, and she asked them to pray the Rosary daily and give devotion to her Immaculate Heart. May Our Lady of Fatima offer you peace, hope, and protection through times of suffering and uncertainty.

Mass Times: Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am

Weekday: Monday:

Tuesday: 7:30amWednesday: 7:00pmThursday: 7:30amFriday: 9:15am

On Public Holiday Monday, Tuesday or Thursday: 9:15am

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

Reconciliation

Wednesday: 6:15pm – 6:45pm **Saturday:** 4:15pm – 4:45pm

Contact The Presbytery

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

Holy Hour: There will be not be any Holy Hour during the month of May.

Baptisms & Weddings: by appointment.

Baptisms: Sundays after the 10am Mass

This weekend - 15th May

<u>Vigil:</u> (A) Hartanto, A Yap (R) School Mass (M) Thom-

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8am:(A) Andy H(R) A Burke, Justine(M) Thomas W10am:(A) N Jenner(R) M Lam, Volunteer(M) M Sarmiento

Next weekend - 22nd May

Vigil:(A) Hartanto, A Yap(R) L & J Paquin(M) Thomas W8am:(A) Andy H(R) Jacinta, A Burke(M) Thomas W10am:(A) N Jenner(R) K Wong & B Wong(M) M Sarmiento

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

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