

# ***Saint Michael's War Memorial Catholic Church***

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*"Come to worship  
Go to proclaim"*

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**15th October, 2023**

**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Wed 18th Oct St Luke**

**(Memorial)**

**FIRST READING:**

**Isaiah 25:6-10**

The Lord will prepare a feast and will wipe away the tears from every cheek.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

**Ps 22. R. v. 6**

I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

**SECOND READING:**

**Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20**

I am able to do all things in him who strengthen me.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

**cf. Eph 1:17, 18**

*Alleluia, Alleluia*

*May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ*

*enlighten the eyes of our heart,*

*that we might see how great is the hope*

*to which we are called..*

*Alleluia.*

**GOSPEL:**

**Matthew 22:1-14**

Whomsoever you find invite to the wedding.

# St. Michael's Parish Notice

**Sick:** Joseph Haggart, Vince Buchan, Sylvia Newman, David Low,  
Jimmy Chandra & Emasi Hivapeaulu

**Mass Intentions** Sat 5pm **Gregory Chin (Birthday Blessings)**  
Sun 8am †Anna Ling & †Wong Ching Chong  
Sun 10am **Antea Belavic (Birthday blessings) & Parents (Blessings)**

## Collection w/e 1/10/23

1st Collection: \$409.05, 2nd Collection: \$310.55, Planned Giving \$1256.00

Thank You for your generous support

## Baptism

We welcome **James & Olivia Beaumont** and their family to their Baptism this weekend.

## Saint Luke

Luke, the author of the third gospel account (and the Acts of the Apostles), is symbolized by a winged ox or bull – a figure of sacrifice, service and strength. ... The ox signifies that Christians should be prepared to sacrifice themselves to follow Christ. The “Hail Mary” prayer is recorded in the Gospel of Luke. The prayer incorporates two greetings to Mary : "Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with thee." and "Blessed art thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb.". Luke is the longest of the four gospels and the longest book in the New Testament; together with Acts of the Apostles it makes up a two-volume work from the same author, called Luke–Acts. St Luke's Feast Day is the 18th October.

## Miraculous protection from Atomic bomb in Hiroshima.

During World War II, an atomic bomb was dropped on the town of Hiroshima, Japan. Everything within a mile was annihilated. The only survivors within that one mile radius were eight priests.

These eight men, like the eight that survived the Great Flood, walked away from the atomic blast and lived into old age without radiation poisoning. In the middle of the devastation, there were 8 lone survivors. -Taylor Marshall

“ Not only did they all survive with (at most) relatively minor injuries, but they all lived well past that awful day with no radiation sickness, no loss of hearing, or any other visible long term defects or maladies.. They were interviewed and examined numerous times (Fr. Schiffer, a survivor, said over 200 times) by scientists and health care people about their remarkable experience and they say “we believe that we survived because we were living the message of Fatima. We lived and prayed the rosary daily in that home.”



## 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](mailto:safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org)

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



### **All Soul's Day**

All Souls Day is a special day for many to reflect and show their love and memories for those who are no longer with us. Please join us for our annual memorial masses at our cemeteries with live music and hospitality provided after the mass.

#### **Rookwood Catholic Cemetery**

Saturday, 4th November at 10.30am  
Mary, Mother of Mercy Chapel

#### **Liverpool Cemetery**

Saturday, 28 October at 12pm  
The Reflection Chapel

#### **Kemps Creek Memorial Park**

Sunday, 5th November at 2pm  
The Pavillion

**RSVP: By 25th October 2023** *(for catering purposes only)*

### **7 Churches Pilgrimage**

The Emmanuel Community invites parishioners and families to the 7 Churches Pilgrimage on October 14 2023. Join pilgrims as they walk to significant church sites in Sydney and reflect on the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Starting at 9:00am at Mary MacKillop Place North Sydney and finishing at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Randwick. Please register to receive more information and updates:

<https://forms.gle/3bAFMmpyXmm3muN27>

### **Scams**

**Dear Parishioners,**

**There have been reports of SMS message scams targeting individuals and parishes in the Archdiocese. These scams impersonate the members of our parish, including myself, asking for urgent help and often requesting gift card purchases for those in need. Rest assured that neither I nor any member of our parish staff would ever ask for such assistance through SMS or any other unsolicited means. If you receive suspicious messages, contact us directly via phone or in person.**

### **Jesus Light of the World Community**

Prayer Gatherings: Rosary, Praise & Worship, Talk, Fellowship

#### **Speakers:**

Saturday 21 October – Ron Maldigri

Saturday 28 October – Marina George

#### **All commencing at 2:30pm**

St Joseph's Parish Hall, Walz Street, Rockdale (parking entrance via Parker Street)

**Enquiries: Helen (0433 455 114), Ida (0424 267 500)**

### **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.**



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

**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:** Wednesday, 6:00pm

**Baptisms & Weddings:** by appointment.

**Baptisms:** Sundays after the 10am Mass

**Volunteers Roster:**

**This weekend— 15th October, 2023 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

<b><u>Vigil:</u></b> (A) Hartanto, A Yap	(R) Doyle family	(M) Thomas W
<b><u>8am:</u></b> (A) Andy H	(R) G Guerrero, Justine	(M) Thomas W
<b><u>10am:</u></b> (A) N Jenner	(R) D Sarmiento, Jordan	(M) M Sarmiento

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

**Next weekend - 22nd October, 2023 29th Ordinary Sunday**

<b><u>Vigil:</u></b> (A) Hartanto, A Yap	(R) S & R Williams	(M) Thomas W
<b><u>8am:</u></b> (A) Andy H	(R) A Burke, G Guerrero	(M) Thomas W
<b><u>10am:</u></b> (A) N Jenner	(R) K Wong, <b>Volunteer</b>	(M) M Sarmiento

**Piety Stall:** (Vigil) F Wu (Sun, 8am) I Koeswanto (Sun, 10am) L Jenner

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