

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

29 Banks Avenue, Daceyville NSW 2032

Tel: 02 9349 1292

Email: [angelsville@bigpond.com](mailto:angelsville@bigpond.com)

Web: [www.stmichaeldaceyville.org.au](http://www.stmichaeldaceyville.org.au)

Admin: Rev. Fr. Phan Nguyen

Secretary: Grace Guerrero (Thurs, Fri)

Parish Support: Myrna Sarmiento

Bookkeeper: Patricia Low



*"Come to worship  
Go to proclaim"*

School: St Michael's Catholic Primary School | Web: [www.stmdaceyville.catholic.edu.au](http://www.stmdaceyville.catholic.edu.au)

Tel: 02 9344 8512 | Principal: Geoffrey Carey



## **21st May, 2023**

### **Ascension Of The Lord - Year A**

#### **FIRST READING:**

**Apostles 1:1-11**

Why are you standing here looking into the sky?  
Jesus has been taken into heaven.

#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

**Ps 46:2-3, 6-9, R.v. 6**

God mounts his throne to shouts of joy :a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

#### **SECOND READING:**

**Ephesians 1:17-23**

He made Jesus to sit at his right hand in heaven.

#### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

**Mt 28:19-20**

*Alleluia, Alleluia!*

*Go and teach all people my gospel,  
I am with you always, until the end of the world.*

*Alleluia!*

#### **Gospel :**

**Matthew 28:16-20**

All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.

# St. Michael's Parish Notice

**Sick:** Joseph Haggar, Vince Buchan, Nada Vucetic, Eloise Fraser,  
David Low, Jimmy Chandra & Emasi Hivapeulli.

<b>Mass Intentions</b>	Sun	8am	†Tjan Bie Lan
	Sun	10am	<b>Emasi Hivapeulli</b> , †George Rezcallah
	Tues	7.30am	†George Rezcallah
	Wed	7.00pm	†George Rezcallah
	Thurs	7.30am	†George Rezcallah
	Fri	9.15am	†George Rezcallah

## Vale Mrs Allana Vedder

Our deepest condolences and sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Mrs Allana Vedder. Mrs Vedder was the former principal of St Michael's Daceyville from 2009 to 2019. Mrs Vedder is one of the longest serving Sydney Catholic Schools employees, dedicating 55 years to the education system. Allana Vedder has made a significant contribution to the St Michael's community during her time as Principal. A thanksgiving and celebration for the life of Allana Vedder **will be held at 11am on Tuesday 23rd May, at Mary Immaculate Catholic Church in Waverley.** Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. Amen.

## Wedding of John Pennings and Marie Chouja - 21st May, 2023

We welcome Fr Maurice Thompson to our Parish.  
Congratulations to John and Marie on their wedding this Sunday.

## Confirmation— 28th May, 2023

Thank you to Fr Phan, REC, Teachers, Anne Slattery, Catechists and Parents for your dedication and support in preparing our Candidates for this special day. Sacrament of Confirmation will be on Sunday 28th May at 11.30am. Please keep all our Candidates in your prayers.

## Hartford College

Hartford College would like to invite you to attend our next parent information evening. Come and learn about our highly desired mentoring program and our unique liberal arts curriculum, making Hartford the first of its kind in Australia. To register for our next Parent Information Evening visit our website: [hartfordcollege.nsw.edu.au](http://hartfordcollege.nsw.edu.au) or phone (02) 9184 8840. Located at 33 Banks Avenue, Daceyville NSW, 2032

## 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.*



### **Ascension of the Lord**

As Christians we are reminded in the words of the Creed, "He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God, the Father almighty, from where he will return to judge the living and the dead." Jesus went up and back into heaven, but will one day return as our conquering king. he addressed the bewildered disciples in [John 14](#), "And if I go to prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also." The Lord, by his ascension into heaven, has opened up the access to the heavenly kingdom, which Adam had shut. Christ returned to heaven to prepare us a place. Obviously, we don't know what kind of preparations he is making, but we are assured that we have a lot to look forward to.

### **The Walk with Christ.**

On the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (11th June), we are invited by Bishop Umbers to honour the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist by attending the **"Walk with Christ"** Eucharistic procession through the streets of Sydney. The walk will take place at 2:30pm from the corner of Pitt Street and Martin Place and will proceed to St Mary's Cathedral.

### **Mary Mackillop**

The Sisters of Saint Joseph have prepared an Australian Pilgrimage, "In the Footsteps of Mary MacKillop" commencing in Melbourne on 17 October, journeying through Victoria and South Australia, and ending at Mary MacKillop Place, North Sydney on 28 October 2023. 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](mailto:national.pilgrimage@mmp.org.au) .

**Jesus Light of the World Communities**  
**27 May 2023 (Saturday) 9:30 am – 4:00 pm**

**"Day of OUTPOURING"**

**Ron Maldigri**

**Speaker**

**-a Catholic Lay Evangelist in Sydney.**

**With the powerful gift of *Prophecy, Deliverance and Healing.***

**St Joseph's Parish Hall**

**Walz St, Rockdale, NSW (Parking Entry at Parker St.)**

**Booking Essential, FREE Lunch & Afternoon Tea**

**Enquiries: Helen – 0433 455 114 Ida – 0424 267 500**

**[E:jlwcommunity@gmail.com](mailto:jlwcommunity@gmail.com)**

**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 - 21st May (Ascension of the Lord)**

<b><u>Vigil:</u></b> (A) Hartanto, A Yap	(R) L Paquin, Br Robert	(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, A Suriyadi	(M) M Sarmiento

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

**Next weekend: 28th May Pentecost**

<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 Guerera , Justine	(M) Thomas W
<b><u>10am:</u></b> (A) N Jenner	(R) S Newman, <b>Volunteer</b>	(M) M Sarmiento

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

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