

Saint Michael's War Memorial Catholic Church

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*"Come to worship
Go to proclaim"*

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5th November, 2023

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

FIRST READING:

Malachi 1:14-2:2, 8-10

You have strayed from the way, you have caused many to stumble by your teaching.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 130

In you Lord, I have found my peace.

SECOND READING:

Thesalonians 2:7-9, 13

We were eager to hand over to you not only the Good News but our lives as well.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Mt 23:9, 10

Alleluia, Alleluia

You have one Father, your Father in heaven;

You have one teacher: the Lord Jesus Christ.

Alleluia.

GOSPEL:

Matthew 23:1-12

They do not practice what they preach.

St. Michael's Parish Notice

Sick: Joseph Haggar, Vince Buchan, Sylvia Newman, David Low,
Jimmy Chandra, Emasi Hivapeaulu,

Mass Intentions Sat 5pm †Luis Fernandez Vega
Sun 8am †Yulius Koeswanto & †Betty Mata
Wed 7pm **Timothy Chin (Birthday Blessings)**
Thur 7.30am All Souls in Purgatory, †Maria Ava & †Uyeng Tiong

Terry Killalea

Our sincere sympathy and condolences to Tanya Killalea and her family, on the passing of her beloved husband Terry. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen.

First Reconciliation

Congratulations to all our Students who will be receiving their First Reconciliation on Thursday 9th November, 2023. Thank you to Fr Phan, REC, Parents and Teachers for your hard work and dedication. Please keep our students in your prayers.

November Memorial Masses:

Envelopes are now available for your Mass intentions. Please place these envelopes in the special box at the altar. Individual Mass intentions will be published in the bulletin. All November Masses will also be offered for the souls of our dearly departed friends and relatives. Names of souls will be displayed on noticeboard at the front of the Church.

Parish Finance Committee

Parishioners with financial background are cordially invited to join this committee. If you are interested, please send your details to Patricia Low - email: angelsvilleacc@gmail.com.
Thank you

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.

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.



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.***



Charitable Works Fund Appeal

The next CWF Parish Appeal will be this weekend 4th-5th November, 2023..CWF supports a range of charities and ministries. Donations are 100% tax-deductible. More information: www.ourfaithourworks.org/cwf Thank you for your support.

St Martin of Tours

Martin was conscripted against his will into the Roman army at age 15. Several years later after his baptism, Martin said he could not take part in the bloodshed, saying "I am a soldier of Christ. It is not lawful for me to fight." St. Martin is best known for having cut in two pieces his lambs wool-lined cavalryman's cloak to give half to a nearly naked beggar outside the gates of Amiens where Martin was stationed. He would probably have given the man his whole cloak but for the fact that Martin, too, was nearly naked, having already given away much of his own clothing to those in need. He founded the oldest monastery in Europe, he converted thousands of pagans, and he performed astonishing miracles which earned him the reputation of being a saint even during his life. St Martin of Tours raised three people from the dead and he brought about the reconciliation of feuding groups, both bishops and monks.

St Josaphat

Josaphat Kuncewicz was born about the year 1580 and given the name John at baptism. While being instructed as a child on the sufferings of our Saviour, his heart is said to have been wounded by an arrow from the sacred side of the Crucified. In 1618, he became archbishop of Polotzk. In this position he worked untiringly for Church reunion. He was a great friend of the poor. The foes of union decided to assassinate him. In a sermon, he himself spoke of his death as imminent. When he visited Vitebsk (now in Russia), his enemies attacked his lodging and murdered a number of his companions. He hastened toward the mob and, full of love, cried, "My children, what are you doing? If you have something against me, see, here I am." With furious cries of "Kill the papist!", they rushed upon him with gun and sword. Josaphat's body was thrown into the river but emerged, surrounded by rays of light, and was recovered. His murderers, when sentenced to death, repented their crime and became Catholics.

Safeguarding Office

The Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office was established in the Archdiocese of Sydney in November 2015. The role of the Safeguarding Office is to raise awareness regarding our collective responsibility to protect the safety, well-being and dignity of children, young people and vulnerable adults within the Archdiocese of Sydney and to respond swiftly and compassionately in circumstances in which children are harmed or at risk of being harmed.



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 - 5th November, 2023 31st Ordinary Sunday

<u>Vigil:</u> (A) Hartanto, A Yap	(R) F Hogan, M Vassallo	(M) Thomas W
<u>8am:</u> (A) Andy H	(R) G Guerrero, Volunteer	(M) Patricia L
<u>10am:</u> (A) N Jenner	(R) K Wong, Volunteer	(M) M Sarmiento

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

Next weekend— 12th November, 2023 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>Vigil:</u> (A) Hartanto, A Yap	(R) L Paquin, Br Robert	(M) Thomas W
<u>8am:</u> (A) Andy H	(R) G Guerrero, Volunteer	(M) Patricia L
<u>10am:</u> (A) N Jenner	(R) D Sarmiento, Jordan	(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!