



# OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY, DOUBLEVIEW PARISH

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## SPREAD THE WORD

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### OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday-Friday  
9.30am to 12.30pm

### MASS TIMES

Monday-Friday 9am  
Saturday 8am (Convent)  
6pm  
Sunday 8am & 10am

### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesday 8am

### RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 8.30-8.50  
Saturday 5.00-5.45pm

**Fifth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time  
Year B  
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### PARISH SCHOOL

Holy Rosary Primary  
Ph: 9203 4500  
Principal: Mark de Kluyster

### FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Our lives these days are governed by many calendars — the school or university calendar, the sporting calendar and the calendar of the seasons, to name but a few. The liturgical calendar — the Church's annual cycle of seasons and celebrations — has plenty of competition. This part of Ordinary Time may struggle to stay on our radar. Not only is it sandwiched between the seasons of Christmas and Lent, but it is prone to being overshadowed by the summer holidays and the resumption of the school and working year.

To add to the challenge, today's combination of readings is rather awkward. Before we get to the appealing text of the gospel we listen to a lament from Job, pray a cheerful psalm, and hear some self-justifying bluster from Paul. In the circumstances what may strike us most is the commanding figure of Jesus, preaching and healing with impressive authority. Mark would be happy for us to see the power of God at work in this itinerant preacher.

### ROSARY CARE CARE AND ASSISTANCE

(Brochure available on notice board)  
Phone: Doris – 0428 441 566  
or Catherine – 0410 019 556

### LET'S CELEBRATE!

Don't forget to let us know if you are celebrating a special occasion — we want to share your joy! Send an email with the details, or better still a photo, to the priory office.

### Thank You!

We are very grateful to Mark, the Principal of Holy Rosary School, and school secretary, Michelle, for printing our weekly newsletter. We hope parishioners enjoy the new colourful **"SPREAD THE WORD"**

### WHAT'S ON

February 3: Wine & Cheese - after 6pm Mass  
6: Mothers Prayers - 1.30  
8: Class Mass - 9am  
13: Mothers Prayers - 1.30  
14: Ash Wednesday - 9am & 7pm  
(School Mass)  
March 11 Blessing of Priory & Parish  
Centre - 11 am  
17 Sacrament Registration 6pm  
18 Sacrament Reg. - 8 & 10 am

## A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MARK

On leaving the synagogue, Jesus went with James and John straight to the house of Simon and Andrew. Now Simon's mother-in-law had gone to bed with fever, and they told him about her straightaway. He went to her, took her by the hand and helped her up. And the fever left her and she began to wait on them.

That evening, after sunset, they brought to him all who were sick and those who were possessed by devils. The whole town came crowding round the door, and he cured many who were suffering from diseases of one kind or another; he also cast out many devils, but he would not allow them to speak, because they knew who he was.

In the morning, long before dawn, he got up and left the house, and went off to a lonely place and prayed there. Simon and his companions set out in search of him, and when they found him they said, 'Everybody is looking for you.' He answered, 'Let us go elsewhere, to the neighbouring country towns, so that I can preach there too, because that is why I came.' And he went all through Galilee, preaching in the synagogues and casting out devils.

## COMMENTARY ON THE GOSPEL

Mark's Jesus is constantly on the move. Again and again Mark makes reference to time and place to convey the dynamism of Jesus' mission. That's the case in today's gospel passage; the succession of times and places communicates an unmistakable sense of urgency.

It's still the sabbath when Jesus leaves the synagogue and goes to Simon Peter's house. There he cures Simon's mother-in-law. Then as evening falls he exercises his healing power on behalf of the locals who have respectfully waited until the sabbath is over before bringing the sick and possessed to him.

Even the time Jesus spends in solitary prayer before dawn is but a short interlude before he must head off again to preach and heal "all through Galilee". Every episode in this first chapter of Mark exemplifies Jesus' campaign opener: "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news".



## KEEP THIS DATE FREE!

Our new priory and parish centre will be officially opened and blessed by Fr Anthony Walsh OP after the 10am Mass on **March 11**, followed by morning tea. Please bring a plate to share.

## 2018 Sacramental Program

**This Parish family based program covers the sacraments of Confirmation, First Eucharist and Reconciliation.**

### REGISTRATION

Saturday 17 March 6pm  
Sunday 18 March 8am & 10am

### CONFIRMATION

**Parent/Student talk** (Fr Greg Donovan)  
Wednesday 2 May 7pm

### **Commitment Masses:**

Saturday 5 May 6pm or  
Sunday 6 May 10am

### **Parent/Student Workshop:**

Wednesday 16 May 5pm or 6.30pm

**Confirmation** 26 May 6pm  
(Bishop Sproxtton)

### FIRST EUCHARIST

**Parent/Student talk** (Fr Greg Donovan)  
Wednesday 1 August 7pm

### **Commitment Masses:**

Saturday 4 August 6pm or  
Sunday 5 August 10am

### **Parent/Student Workshop:**

Wednesday 8 August 5pm or 6.30pm

### **First Eucharist**

Saturday 18 August 6pm or  
Sunday 19 August 10am

### RECONCILIATION:

**Parent/Student talk** (Fr Greg Donovan)  
Wednesday 10 October 7pm

### **Commitment Masses:**

Saturday 13 October 6pm or  
Sunday 14 October 10am

### **Parent/Student Workshop:**

Wednesday 17 October 5pm or 6.30pm

### **Reconciliation:**

27 October 5pm

For further information contact  
Kaye Shervington on 0411 123 441

## SPECIAL FEAST DAYS

### **5 February: SAINT AGATHA**

St. Agatha, also known as Agatha of Sicily, is one of the most highly venerated virgin martyrs of the Catholic Church. It is believed that she was born around 231 in either Catania or Palermo, Sicily to a rich and noble family.

From her very early years, the notably beautiful Agatha dedicated her life to God. She became a consecrated virgin, a state in life where young women choose to remain celibate and give themselves wholly to Jesus and the Church in a life of prayer and service.

When persistent proposals from a high ranking diplomate, Quintanus, were consistently spurned by Agatha, he had her sent to prison and tortured. She died in the year 251.

### **6 February: SAINT PAUL MIKI AND COMPANIONS**

A group of twenty-six young Japanese, mostly laypeople, were crucified at Nagasaki, Japan in 1597. Paul Miki was a Jesuit scholastic and remembered as a notable preacher who inspired the local Church in his own time and in the centuries that followed to be strong in faith during persecution and isolation.

### **10 February: SAINT SCHOLASTICA**

Saint Scholastica was born in Norcia (Italy) about 480 and died near Monte Cassino in the 540s. Like Saint Benedict, her brother and by tradition her twin, she dedicated herself to God through the monastic life. She is remembered for her part in establishing Benedictine monasticism.



### **EXPLORING QUESTIONS OF LIFE, FAITH & MEANING**

Term 1 courses start in February. There are a range of topics and times as well as varying course lengths at different venues. There are also on-line courses.

Brochures are available on the table in the church foyer. For more information phone 9241 5221 or go to the website - [www.cfe.org.au](http://www.cfe.org.au)

## MOTHERS PRAYERS

### LENT 2018

We are excited to meet this Lent in the new Rosary Parish Centre.

We will reflect on the Lenten readings using a programme from the Diocese of Wollongong called "Surrender". Books are available at cost of \$10.

Meetings each Tuesday in Lent start at 1.30pm and finish at 3.00pm. We welcome any parishioners to join us for any of our meetings in Lent.

We will start the year on 6<sup>th</sup> February with an introductory meeting then the first Lent Meeting on 13<sup>th</sup> February.

Enquiries: Dorothy Phone 9341 4405 or email [dorothydotjohnston@gmail.com](mailto:dorothydotjohnston@gmail.com)

Thank you

Dorothy Johnston  
For Mothers Prayers

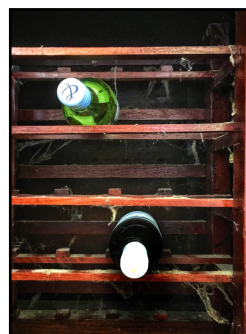
## SATURDAY & SUNDAY PARISH FUNCTIONS

We are planning to have regular get-togethers in our new parish centre.

Tea, coffee & biscuits will be served after the **8am** Mass on the **3rd** Sunday of each month and after the **10am** Mass on the **4th** Sunday.

Wine & cheese evenings will be held after the Saturday **6pm** Mass prior to the **1st** Sunday of each month.

Father Peter sees these functions as an opportunity for all of us to get to know each other better.



However, with regard to the wine and cheese option, as you can see, the cellar is in need of 'supplies'! If you would like to donate a bottle or two to the cellar it would be most appreciated !

**FIFTH SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME**

**Entrance Antiphon**

O come, let us worship God  
and bow low before the God who made us,  
for he is the Lord our God.

**First reading:** Job 7:1-4, 6-7  
*(I am filled with sorrow all day long.)*

**Responsorial Psalm**

Praise the Lord who heals the broken-hearted.

**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23  
*(Punishment will come to me if I do not preach the Gospel.)*

**Gospel Acclamation:**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
He bore our sickness,  
and endured our suffering.  
Alleluia!

**Gospel:** Mark 1:29-39  
*(He cured many who suffered from diseases of one kind or another)*



This weekend we welcome  
**Alex Guirguis, Lyn Marafioti**  
and  
**Halle, Lilian & Samuel Farrugia**  
into our faith community.

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Barbara Antonetti, Aiden Blechynden,  
Justin & Katrina Boylan, Andrew Brown,  
Kerry Capelli, Fr Kevin Condon, Kit Doran,  
Karel Ganadhi, Megan Garner,  
Barbara Hickey, Terry Hopson,  
Barry Johnston, Jim Kenny, Rosemary Ledger,  
Rossco Malm, Ray Marinko, Sophie Martin,  
Fr. Bernie Maxwell OP, Joan Meade,  
Henry Porter, Alice Ralph, Anthony Samy,  
Lisa Skrolys, Anne Tan, Julie-Anne Taylor,  
Greg Titterton, Di Watts, Jenny Zorich

**TO BE REMEMBERED**

Betty Bowen, Weronika Capko, Walter Eyre,  
Joan Johnston, Christopher Markey,  
Gian Carlo Morisco,  
Januaría & Petronila Pereira,  
Fr Steven Tarrant OP, Dominic Tassone,  
Florence Woulfe, Jack Woulfe  
**May they rest in peace.**

**RECENTLY DECEASED**

**Ana Malekin**  
May she rest in peace.

<b>Roster</b>	<b>5th Sunday in Ordinary Time 3 / 4 February</b>	<b>6th Sunday in Ordinary Time 10 / 11 February</b>
<b>Readers</b> Saturday 6 pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am	<b>Liz Crowe &amp; Ray Teakle</b> <b>Laraine Penberthy &amp; Miriam Peachey</b> <b>Sr Myrtle &amp; Terese Johnston</b>	<b>Sonia Thomas &amp; Tony Curry</b> <b>Damien Giumelli &amp; Mike Berry</b> <b>Anne-Laure &amp; Colleen Harland</b>
<b>Acolytes:</b> Saturday 6 pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am	<b>Gordon Kendall</b> <b>Kevin Susai</b> <b>Pat Kirwan &amp; John Mordini</b>	<b>Pat Kirwan</b> <b>Laurie Smith</b> <b>Gordon Kendall &amp; Joseph Wong</b>
<b>EMoHCs:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am	<b>Libby Dimmer, Glenda Gotts, Tony Wong</b> <b>Ann Bucat, Elizabeth Re, Elizabeth Susai</b> <b>Cathy Bostock, Kaye Shervington</b>	<b>Libby Dimmer, Lina Vinci, Tony Wong</b> <b>Ann Bucat, Elizabeth Re, Paul Slyth</b> <b>Claudette De Silva, John Hayes</b>
<b>Power Point:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10 am	<b>Nicole Drinkwater</b> <b>Margaret Lobo</b> <b>Susanne Whyte</b>	<b>Sr Imelda</b> <b>Doris Zambonetti</b> <b>Simon Wong</b>
<b>Music:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10 am	<b>Carmel Charlton</b> <b>Lexi Wilkinson</b> <b>Choir</b>	<b>Andy Sambuaga</b> <b>Lexi Wilkinson</b> <b>Choir</b>
<b>Counters:</b>	<b>(4) John Astone, Br Noel, Les Norrish</b>	<b>(5) Dan Byrne, Eddie Fernandez, John Hartigan</b>
<b>Altar Society:</b>	<b>(2) Kelly Tahan, Doris &amp; Lucy Zambonetti</b> <b>(9 February)</b>	<b>(3) Trish Burns, Helen Murray, Julie Prior</b> <b>(16 February)</b>
<b>Pilgrim Statue:</b>	<b>Philomena Delima</b>	<b>Maureen &amp; Dan Byrne</b>
<b>Children's Liturgy:</b>	<b>Monica</b>	<b>Jayne</b>