



# OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY, DOUBLEVIEW PARISH

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## SPREAD THE WORD

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### OFFICE HOURS

Tues - Friday: 9.30am to 12.00pm  
Phone: 9446 2055

### MASS TIMES

Monday-Friday 9am  
Saturday 8am (Convent)  
6pm  
Sunday 8am, 10am  
5:30pm

### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesday 8am

### RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 8.30-8.50  
Saturday 5.00-5.45pm

### First Sunday of Advent



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### PARISH SCHOOL

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

### THE SEASON OF ADVENT

Advent has a twofold character, for it is a time of preparation for the Solemnities of Christmas, in which the First Coming of the Son of God to humanity is remembered, and likewise a time when, by remembrance of this, minds and hearts are led to look forward to Christ's Second Coming at the end of time.



### Youth Mass at Our Lady of the Rosary

Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> December  
6pm Vigil Mass

The main celebrant will be  
**The Most Rev. Vincent Long,  
Bishop of Parramatta**

Followed by a dinner celebration  
for all attending families

**Join us in welcoming 200 young  
adults from Parramatta**



### CHRISTMAS SUNDOWNER Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December

**Starting at 4:45** with a blessing  
of the Rosary Garden to celebrate  
the completion of stage II.

Bring your own drinks and salads -  
Sausages and buns will be provided.

### WHAT'S ON

December 2: Choir Practice - 7.30pm  
3: Rosarians Mass and  
afternoon tea - 1.15pm  
4: Inter-church service - 7pm  
6: Parkland Villas Mass - 3pm  
7: Australian Catholic Youth  
Festival Mass - 6pm  
13: Whole School Mass - 9am

## A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

Jesus said to his disciples: 'As it was in Noah's day, so will it be when the Son of Man comes. For in those days before the Flood people were eating, drinking, taking wives, taking husbands, right up to the day Noah went into the ark, and they suspected nothing till the Flood came and swept all away. It will be like this when the Son of Man comes. Then of two men in the fields one is taken, one left; of two women at the millstone grinding, one is taken, one left.

'So stay awake, because you do not know the day when your master is coming. You may be quite sure of this that if the householder had known at what time of the night the burglar would come, he would have stayed awake and would not have allowed anyone to break through the wall of his house. Therefore, you too must stand ready because the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.'

## COMMENTARY ON THE GOSPEL

The gospel text is a short excerpt from the lengthy discourse of Jesus that Matthew places before the story of Jesus' passion and death. The context of Jesus' imminent confrontation with the powers of darkness gives depth and substance to his words. It gives us an early clue that the Christmas festival cannot be celebrated independently of the Passover to come. The birth of Jesus will take place under the shadow of the cross that will ultimately transform betrayal and death into the glory of new life.



## **THE BIRTH OF JESUS AND CHRISTMAS**

**Thursdays 5 - 19 December  
7.30pm til 8.30pm, (Online).**

This user-friendly online course looks at the origins and 'developments' of celebrating Christmas throughout the world while always returning to 'reason for the season' – the birth of Jesus. CEWA Ongoing Renewal: this course has been approved for Knowledge. Cost: \$15  
Presenter: Rev. Dr Charles Waddell. **Further info** or to register, visit <http://cfe.org.au/courses-and-events/>, email [cfe@perthcatholic.org.au](mailto:cfe@perthcatholic.org.au), or call 9241 5221.



**St Vincent de Paul Society**

*good works*

## **Christmas Cards:**

Delightful Christmas cards, created by young children, will be the only cards available from the Society this year. These simple designs give a child's perspective of this significant time in the Church's calendar and highlight the real meaning of Christmas.

A **Limited number** of these special cards will be available in the church porch for a gold coin donation from the weekend of **23/24 November** until sold out.

## **Christmas Hampers:**

Baskets/bags will be available for **Christmas Hamper** donations after all masses this weekend and 7<sup>th</sup>/ 8<sup>th</sup> December, to be returned 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> December **to the Parish Church**. We are grateful for all donations no matter how large or small. **Thank you.**



## **ROSARY CARE**

### **Do You Need Help?**

Brochure available on notice board.  
Phone: Catherine – 0410 019 556

 Mercedes College

ASPIRE EXCEL LEAD

Early in 2020, Mercedes College will commence interviewing Year 4 & Year 5 students who are due to start Year 7 in 2022 & 2023 respectively. If you are considering enrolling your daughter and have not yet requested a Prospectus, please contact Mrs Julie Lamb on 9323 1340 as soon as possible.

For those families who haven't considered Mercedes College as financially viable, you are welcome to make an appointment to speak with the Principal. Enquiries are also welcome for places in 2020 and 2021. For more information please refer to the College website – [www.mercedes.wa.edu.au](http://www.mercedes.wa.edu.au)



This weekend we welcome  
***Lincoln and Ronan Rodgers***  
into our faith community

**INTER-CHURCH SERVICE**

Our Parish is hosting the Christmas Inter-Church Service this year. Please join the other Christian Communities on **Wednesday 4 December at 7 pm** to pray for World Peace & Christian Unity. Refreshments will be served in the Rosary Community Centre after the Service.



For further information phone  
Margaret - 0418 865 313

**TUESDAY NIGHT'S 'ROSARY WALK'**  
**FOR MEN.**

**Every Tuesday night at 8pm**, the men of the parish are invited to pray the Rosary together whilst walking the Church grounds.

102 years ago, Our Lady appeared at Fatima and asked us all to pray the Rosary for the world and for conversions. Choose something different this Advent season and do what your Mother tells you! She will change our lives.

Please be on time - it takes less than half an hour. Wives - please read this notice to your husbands.

For further information contact Marty MacFarlane 0417395904 or Fr Chinh.



**Choir Practice**

for the Christmas Eve Vigil Mass —  
**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> December**  
**at 7.30pm**

**ROSARIANS MASS**  
**& AFTERNOON TEA**

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December**

**1pm for 1:15 start.**

You are warmly invited to the Rosarians' Christmas Mass and afternoon tea at St Catherine's Convent on **3<sup>rd</sup> December**. Mass will commence at 1:15 pm, followed by afternoon tea with the Sisters. Come along and enjoy the company of friends, old and new.

**ADVENT WITH MOTHERS PRAYERS**

Come and join us to prepare for the Christmas Season.

The next meeting is on  
**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December.**

We will attend the Rosarians' Mass and afternoon tea in the convent.

Then **10<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> December** we are back in the Parish centre.

We will use "The Way " booklet. (10 copies still available at \$3.50 ea).

Contact Dorothy 0478 397 934.

**COUNTERS**

Counters, your new roster is available on the table at the back of the church. Thank you for your continued support of this important ministry.

**REVERENDFUN**



**Well that explains it...You've been studying from the King James Bond Version.**

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# WELCOME

We extend a very warm welcome to visitors and new parishioners to our Parish. Please introduce yourself to Fr Peter or Fr Chinh after Mass.

If you are joining our Parish, please complete a Parishioner Information Form available on the table in the church foyer.

## CHRISTMAS TIMETABLE

### Reconciliation:

*Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> December:*

5:00 pm - 5:45 pm

### Mass:

#### *Christmas Eve:*

Family Mass: 6:00 pm

Christmas Carols: 8:30 pm

Vigil Mass: 9:00 pm

#### *Christmas Day:*

8:00 am & 10:00 am

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Barbara Antonetti, Clint Arnold, Gail Boisvert, John Bourke, Justin & Katrina Boylan, Leith Bowman, Lesley Brown, Fr Kevin Condon, Karl Emirick OP, Terry Hopson, Jim Kenny, Fr Peter Kobakina OP, Noelene le Couteur, Rosemary Ledger, Edmund Lo, Andrea Lonsdale, Benjamin Lopez, Leo McHugh, Rossco Malm, Sophie Martin, Fr Bernie Maxwell OP, Melanie Pavlinovic, Henry Porter, Mary Pusey, Anthony Samy, Peter Scales, Teresa Sheehan, Felicity Spiller, Anne Tan, Julie-Anne Taylor, Greg Titterton, Luke Vuleta, Di Watts, Carmel Wall, Hauxley Wood

*You are invited to have the names of your friends and family added to our Parish Sick List, but please ensure that you have that person's permission to do so.*

## RECENTLY DECEASED

Barry Gird

## TO BE REMEMBERED

Rocco Bax, John Bryan, Dario Colotti, Bernie Doyle, Gerard Drew, Phyllis Ferguson, John Loreck, Susanna & Elliott Gornati, Theresa E McNamara, Margaret Sheahan, Margaret Sims, John Usnic  
*May they rest in peace*

<b>Roster</b>	<b>First Sunday of Advent 30 November / 1 December</b>	<b>Second Sunday of Advent 7/8 December</b>
<b>Proclaimers:</b> Saturday 6 pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am	Liz Crowe & Ray Teakle Miriam Peachey Sr Myrtle & Colleen Harland	Youth Mike Berry Therese Johnston & Dorothy Johnston
<b>Acolytes:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8 am Sunday 10 am	Laurie Smith Allan Dwyer Pat Kirwan & John Mordini	ACYF John Mordini Gordon Kendall & Pat Kirwan
<b>EMoHC:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10am	Teresa & Bern Willett, Tony Wong Peta Berry, Paul Slyth Cathy Bostock, John Hayes	ACYF Peta Berry, Elizabeth Re, Kaye Shervington Claudette De Silva
<b>Altar Servers</b> Saturday 6pm: Sunday 8am Sunday 10am:	Oliver Levi Hannah & Zara	Oliver Levi Hannah & Zara
<b>Power Point:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10 am	Sr Imelda Margaret Lobo Susanne Whyte	Sr Imelda Doris Zambonetti Simon Wong
<b>Music:</b> Saturday 6pm Sunday 8am Sunday 10 am	Carmel Charlton Giuliano Vinci Choir	Andy Sambuaga Anne Eddy Choir
<b>Counters:</b>	(1) Johnston Family	(2) Brian Arculus & Terry McNamara
<b>Altar Society:</b>	(5) Nettie Byrne, Mary Slyth (6 December)	(6) Maureen Byrne, Mel Wade (13 December)
<b>Pilgrim Statue:</b>	Shirley & Eddy Fernandez	Margaret Lobo
<b>Children's Liturgy:</b>	Monica & Amy	Carli & Amy