

St Joseph's Como-Oyster Bay Catholic Church

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Please pray for the sick: Archbishop Anthony Fisher, friends from the Chesalon Home and housebound

INTENTIONS: Sat 9am +Dorothy & Kenneth Nagel **5 pm Vigil** Pro Populo, **Sunday 8am** + William Thomas Dwyer **10am** +May Elsmore **Mon:** +Olga Dwyer **Tues:** Holy Souls, **Wed:** +John Dwyer **Thurs:** +Dorothy & Kenneth Nagel **Fri:** Keith Cook.

WEEKEND MASS TIMES: **Weekend** for the married couples: 24-26 June Mt Carmel Retreat Centre, Varroville, NSW Bookings on 02 42833435 or www.wvme.org.au orwsharpe@bigpond.com.net.au

Sat. Vigil: 5 pm
Sunday: 8 am, 10 am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:
Mon 7.30am Tues 7.30pm Wed 9am
Thurs 6.30am Fri 9.00am Sat 9.00am

HOLY HOUR: Saturday 9:30 - 10:30am

RECONCILIATION: 10 mins before Mass & Sat from 9:30 - 10:30am

BAPTISMS: at 10am Mass (every Sun.)

BAPTISMAL PROG. next 2nd June, 7pm

WEDDINGS: By appointment

ANOINTING MASS: next: July 2nd and 3rd

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP, DIVINE MERCY Tues. 6.30 - 7:30pm

PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM: 100% tax deductible contribution. Please join.

LEGION OF MARY Friday 9:30am

Vocation: www.vocationcentre.ord.au

Bible Study Wednesday 7:30 - 8:30pm

Silent retreat for men on discernment and the priesthood. The retreat will be on **24 – 26 June** at Mt Shoenstatt, Mulgoa. To enquire: www.vocationcentre.org.au.

Thank you for supporting the mission of our church: Last Sunday: 1st \$619.30, 2nd \$ 329, Envelope collection \$ 1129,

City Silence is a weekly Holy Hour for young adults (aged 18-35) at St Mary's Cathedral every Tuesday evening from 6:30-7:30pm (excluding January). City Silence includes times of silence, reflection, scripture, and song; confessions are generally available.

Anne McMaster, to whom we are grateful for the Corpus Christi procession books, has accepted a position of the parish secretary. Anne will be available in the office on Thursdays. We wish her a wonderful ministry. Thank you to Anne and her husband Albert for being already very much involved in the Parish life.

Our Parish Corpus Christi Procession turned out to be a tremendous manifestation of our faith with over 50 parishioners younger and older, with Fr Bob, former pastor leading the first part of the Event holding the monstrance with the Blessed Sacrament, processing through the front gardens of the church. Then we continued along the pathways, stairs and gardens of our Primary School, recently enriched with the modern style of the Stations of the Cross. With the sounds of the traditional Eucharistic hymns resounding from the portable PA system entrusted into Marianne and Michael's hands, keeping in mind what St. Augustine said that "he who sings, prays twice". The procession proceeded past the classrooms back to the church for the Benediction. Mark, the photographer, accompanied us, taking dozens of shots to feature our Corpus Christi Procession on the pages of the Catholic Weekly this weekend. I believe, even so many photos taken cannot fully capture the depth of prayerful and dignify ambiance of the Celebration as such. Thank you for being part of the Procession this year. Ad Maiorem Dei Gloriam.

3D Movie Invite. The Sydney Archdiocese is hosting screenings of the new movie **'St Peter's and the Papal Basilicas of Rome 3D'** at the Dendy Theatre Circular Quay on **20 June at 1pm and 3pm.** Tickets available in advance at \$10 each by phoning **1800 753 959.**

Cloud Of Unknowing.
Presented by Bishop David Walker at The Centre for Christian Spirituality, 14 Frances St, Randwick. Dates: **Wednesday nights 8, 15, 22, 29 June 7.00 - 8.30pm.** Course Cost: \$40. For Direct Bookings: Sally: 9398 2211

Our Vinnies Conference members, kindly say "Thank you" for our great generosity in supporting the Winter Appeal this weekend.



An electronic piano will be permanently placed in our church so our youth can start playing music at the Masses.



Soon we will be hosting some youth from St. Patrick's College following Pope Francis Pilot Award program. The aim of it is to encourage young people to be engaged with the local Catholic Church by providing them an opportunity to be visible and active in various ministries (catechist's aid, music ministry, welcoming, readers, etc.) The Program is based on three goals for Catholic Youth Ministry developed by the Australian Catholic Bishop Conference: 1st To foster the total personal and spiritual growth of each young person; 2nd To draw young people into responsible participation in the life and mission of the Catholic community; 3rd To empower the young to live as disciples of Jesus Christ in today's world.

Rome Pilgrimage
Canonisation of Blessed Mother Teresa of Kolkata
30th Aug – 6th Sept 2016
Pilgrimage is being led by Father Terry Bell at a cost of \$1,990 per person twin share plus airfares. Tour includes canonisation of Mother Teresa, special Thanksgiving Mass with Pope Francis, Holy Doors pilgrimage, visit to Sistine Chapel, Holy Stairs and more. Visit www.romepilgrimages.com for more details

Rosters 5 June: Linen: Maggie Cranney **Cleaning:** Irene Riley, Robyn Crowe, Ross Winter **Readers:** Geraldine Diamond, Terry O'Hara: Ian Robinson, Peter Robinson; Morning Tea Rosemary Plowman, Ollie Smith **Communion:** Rose-Marie Hoekstra, Jennifer Kratz; Tony Reed, Cheryl Reed; Rita Zuman, Fiorella Bosustow **Homebound:** Marguerite Kelly, Margaret Lewis, Michele Ziegler, Linda Gillies **Chesalon Mass 11am 1st June** Halina Prociuk

Rosters 12 June: Linen: Julie O'Hara **Cleaning:** Karen Mosley, Bev Mellor **Readers:** Rose Marie Hoekstra, Jennifer Kratz; Marguarite Kelly, Les Salisbury; Karen Moseley, Sharon Moore-Lambert **Communion:** Irene Anthony, Chris Anthony; Kathy Cattanach, Madeline Salway; Anne McMaster, Linda Gillies **Homebound:** Deanne Buckham, Fiorella Bosustow, Anne McMaster, Kathy Moroney **Chesalon 8th June** Rose Marie Hoekstra