

# St Joseph's Como-Oyster Bay Catholic Church – Fr. Jerzy Chrzczonowicz PP email:jerzy1junior@hotmail.com, mob.: 0411 125 357; 210 Oyster Bay Road, Como, Ph: 9528 0205.

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## WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday Vigil: 5pm  
Sunday: 8am, 9.30am

## WEEKDAY MASS TIME:

Mon. 7.00am Tues 6.00pm  
Wed. 9.00am Thurs 7.00am  
Fri 9.00 am Sat 9.00am

## HOLY HOUR: Tues.5.00pm–6.00pm

Saturday 8.00am – 9.00am

CONFESSION: 10 mins before Mass  
and Saturdays 8.00 – 8.55am

Tuesday 5.15pm – 5:45pm

BAPTISMS: at 9.30am Sunday Mass

BAPTISM Prep: Thurs. 6<sup>th</sup> June 7pm

By Appointment only

WEDDINGS: By appointment only.

ANOINTING MASS: 6<sup>th</sup> / 7<sup>th</sup> July 2019

Sat: 9am: +Michael O'Shea; Vigil 5pm: +Daniel Andreallo; Sun: 8am +Jaroslaw Koller; 9.30am Pro Populo: Mon. +Recently Deceased; Tues. Holy Souls in Purgatory; Wed: +For Relief and Deliverance of Souls in Purgatory, FOSS; Thurs: +Dr. Tan; Fri: Dantis

Dear Parishioners, simultaneously as we have been enjoying the Spirit of Easter, two of our families experienced loss of their beloved ones who went back to the Lord; Daniel (40) son of Pam and Lou Andreallo and Michael O'Shea (69). We express our heartfelt condolences with prayers for Families who mourn after their Departed.

Paschal Eucharist 2019, 19<sup>th</sup> May at St. Mary's Cathedral, 10.30am to honour those who have recently become Catholics. Refreshments and the presentation of a gift to the new Catholics will follow the Mass in the Cathedral College Hall.



## The Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney Safeguarding Office

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The Formation Retreat, Eucharistic Celebration and time of Empowerment in the presence of The Holy Eucharist.  
1. "The ENCOUNTER" The Road to Emmaus experience...

Formation Retreat (JLOW Communities) Celebrant: Most Rev Colin David Campbell Bishop Emeritus of Dunedin New Zealand. Date: Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May; Time: From 9.00am till 5.00 pm Venue: St. Joseph Parish Hall Waltz St. Rockdale Morning & Afternoon Tea Provided "Love Offering is gratefully accepted"  
2. "Eucharistic Celebration & Time of Empowerment (JLOW Communities)

Celebrant: As above Date: Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May; Time: 2.00 pm Venue: St Joseph Parish Church Walk St. Rockdale

INQUIRIES for both events  
Ida- 0424 267 500  
Helen- 0488 037 631

Jesus Light of the World Communities  
Email: [jlowcommunity@gmail.com](mailto:jlowcommunity@gmail.com) [www.jlowcom.org](http://www.jlowcom.org)

Please help Karmela with the garden cleaning work on the northern side of the church where the skip still remains for the garden weeds.  
Your help will be very much appreciated.  
Karmela – Mob. 0448 840 761

The month of May was named for the Greek goddess Maia. She was the goddess of fertility. The Romans had a similar goddess named Bona Dea. They held the festival for Bona Dea during the month of May. The Romans called the month Maius. The name changed over the years. It was first called May in the 1400s near the end of the Middle Ages.



Next Sunday is Mothers' Day. While Mother's Day initially began to promote peace and support women, over the years it has become an occasion for family reunions in Australia. It's not just about recognizing the role of mothers, though that's still there, but it's really recognizing Mother's Day as a day in which families can get together. That's becoming increasingly important because in the busy world in which we live, families don't get together as much as they used to.

Well done Tony (Welch) – it was an emotional day for you and your family. Thank you, Tony for being there for all of us.

**Our sick:** Dragica Furda, Ron Payne, May Kenny, Carmen Camilleri, Jan Gurba, Mary Carmen Borg, Norma Cook, Josefa Dabu, Josie Lay, Christine Woodard, Lonza Busuttill, Maria Suszycka, Urszula Kaminska, Thea Van Gastel, Josephine Marinilli, Joan Hagley, Edward Leighton, Steven Marinilli Emilia Huntley and all dear friends from Mildred Symons House & housebound.

World Apostolate of Fatima invites you to May Celebration in St. Mary's Cathedral on Sat. 11<sup>th</sup> of May, to Honor our Lady and intercede for peace in the World and the welfare of Australia. To commence at 11.30 with entrance with the Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima, Litany of Loreto & Act of Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary followed by Holy Mass at Noon. 0403 578 994

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Thank you Rose and Steve, Mary-Clare and Richard for their enthusiastic dedication in preparation works related to the celebration, and hospitality after, the Divine Mercy Mass and devotions on 28<sup>th</sup> April (last Sunday). Your dear children deserve special thanks

May month of Mary. Pray Holy Rosary every day.

The biggest novelty in the new document, called *Praedicate Evangelium* ["Preach the Gospel"], will be the creation of the "super dicastery" for evangelization, which will potentially be more important than the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith (CDF). The main point of the new Apostolic Constitution is that the mission of the Church is evangelization. Pope Francis will sign the new constitution on June 29, the Solemnity of Peter and Paul. (Crux)

Journey with St. Paul as you relive the Acts of the Apostles and the various letters of the New Testament. Explore Greece and Greek islands in this 14-day pilgrimage lead by Catholic Priests that features Athens, Corinth, Ephesus, Patmos, Crete, Santorini, Thessaloniki, Philippi and Meteora for an all-inclusive price of \$5990. The group departs on 1st October 2019. The fare includes Return Economy Airfares + Local Transfers in Deluxe coaches + Stay in Premium Hotels + 4 day cruise with Lunch + All Breakfast & Dinners + Catholic Priest + English speaking professional guides + Entrances as per itinerary and more. For inquiries & bookings call 03 8839 6615 or 1300 721 561 or email us [pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au](mailto:pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au).

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