

<p>We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land of the Gweagal People of the Dharawal Nation.</p>	<p><b>Sat. 7.30am</b> †Deceased Priests; <b>Vigil 5pm:</b> †Holy Souls; <b>Sun. 8am:</b> †H.S. Relief &amp; Deliverance; <b>Sun. 9.30am:</b> Pro Populo; <b>Mon.:</b> †Souls in Purgatory; <b>Tue.:</b> †Eileen Low; <b>Wed.:</b> †H.S. Relief &amp; Deliverance; <b>Thurs.:</b> †Souls in Purgatory; <b>Friday:</b> †Michael Han</p>	<p><b>Become a Catechist or a Helper.</b> Many Catholic children are in public primary and high schools. Please share with them the hope and joy that Jesus brings and become a catechist or helper. Resources and training are provided by our CCD Faith Education officers. <a href="https://ccd.sydneycatholic.org">https://ccd.sydneycatholic.org</a>. "Being a catechist is the most spiritually fulfilling thing I've ever done. I feel overjoyed when the children's faces light up as I walk into the classroom." Tony.</p>	<p>The 1983 Code of Canon Law (abbreviated 1983 CIC from its Latin title Codex Iuris Canonici), also called the Johanno-Pauline Code, is the "fundamental body of ecclesiastical laws for the Latin Church". It is the second and current comprehensive codification of canonical legislation for the Latin Church sui iuris of the Catholic Church. It was promulgated on 25 January 1983 by John Paul II and took legal effect on the First Sunday of Advent (27 November) 1983. <i>The present Code reiterates this, saying that "on Sundays and other holy days of obligation the faithful are bound to attend Mass". (Code of Canon Law, Canon 1247; the Code of Canons of the Eastern Churches, Canon 881, 1, prescribes that "the Christian faithful are bound by the obligation to participate on Sundays and feast days in the Divine Liturgy or, according to the prescriptions or legitimate customs of their own Church sui iuris, in the celebration of the divine praises".) This legislation has normally been understood as entailing a grave obligation: this is the teaching of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, (No. 2181: "Those who deliberately fail in this obligation commit a grave sin".) and it is easy to understand why if we keep in mind how vital Sunday is for the Christian life.</i> It seems that what is required involves more than being unable to celebrate Mass, or even just "missing" Mass. A grave or mortal sin involves the explicit failure to honor the obligation. In other words, an intent to depart from God and the faith community.</p>
<p><b>COVID-19 Safety Plan:</b> 1) those with flu symptoms must not enter the church; 2) register via QR code on entry or sign in; 3) sanitise hands on entry; 4) sanitise seats after each service; 5) social distancing 2m apart; 7) wear a mask; 6) vaccination advisable. Masses can be viewed on YouTube: Streaming: stjosephcomo</p>		<p><b>Confirmation Masses on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May at 11.00am and 2.00pm.</b></p>	<p>Lord, You came to share the peace that You have with the Father eternally. Yet, You said that in this world there will be wars and rumors of wars. Nations will rise against nations. However, through You, the world may be saved. O Lord, send Your spirit into the hearts of all, that the world might know true peace through Your abundant mercy. Amen.</p>
<p><b>Daily Masses:</b> 7:30am <b>Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday</b> (Saturday: Holy Hour, Confession and Mass); <b>Tuesday</b> 5:30pm: Adoration, Novena, Confession, Benediction and 6pm Mass. <b>First Friday</b> of the month: 5:30pm Holy Hour and 6pm Mass. <b>Weekend Mass times:</b> <b>Saturday:</b> Vigil 5pm <b>Sunday:</b> 8am, 9:30am and 2<sup>nd</sup> <b>Sunday</b> of the month at 3pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet with Benediction and Mass. <b>Baptisms after 9:30 Mass.</b> Marriage and Baptism inquiries please contact Parish Office. <b>Lenten Station of the Cross, Fri 6:30 pm</b></p>	<p><b>Stations of the Cross on Fridays at 6:30pm</b></p>	<p><b>First Holy Communion for this year 28<sup>th</sup> August &amp; 11<sup>th</sup> September. Mass at 11am.</b></p>	<p><b>Palm Sun:.....10 April</b>  <b>Holy Thurs:.....14 April</b>  <b>Good Fri:.....15 April</b>  <b>Holy Sat:.....16 April</b>  <b>Easter Sun:.....17 April</b></p>
<p>Google: <a href="#">Sydney Centre for Evangelisation</a></p>	<p>Friday 29 (Saturday) to 30 April. The Camino overnight walk will begin with 9pm Mass on Friday 29 April at St Jerome's, Punchbowl with Bishop Richard Umbers and conclude on Saturday 30 April with 5.30am Mass at St Michael's, Meadowbank followed by a hearty BBQ breakfast. The entire walk from start to finish will include 7 locations with 6 churches: from St Jerome's – Punchbowl, to St Felix – Bankstown, Immaculate Heart of Mary – Sefton, St Peter Chanel – Berala, St Joachim's – Lidcombe, Sydney Olympic Park and St Michael's, Meadowbank. Each location will feature a reflection on St Joseph and a short time in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Register Here - <a href="https://www.trybooking.com/BXRIT">https://www.trybooking.com/BXRIT</a> - Cost is \$15!</p>	<p>Lenten books "Come back to Me" are available in the church and digital copies below. <a href="https://www.stmaryscathedral.org.au/sysweb/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/CAS-Lenten-Companion-2022.pdf">https://www.stmaryscathedral.org.au/sysweb/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/CAS-Lenten-Companion-2022.pdf</a></p>	
<p>"Catholic SRE Learning from Home" materials: <a href="https://www.cress.org.au/learning-from-home-sre-lessons/">https://www.cress.org.au/learning-from-home-sre-lessons/</a></p>	<p>Safeguarding Refresher Training. <b>Safeguarding Refresher Training</b> (required by the Archdiocese) is now <b>due</b> for all volunteers in our Parish. Refresher Training will be held, <b>in a COVID safe manner</b>, on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2022 from 3:00pm to 4:00pm in the Church Hall. Registration via the Parish Office. 9528 0205</p>	<p>Our help is needed to support:  1. People affected by deluge in NSW and OLD  2. Refugees from Ukraine. Please contact St. Vincent de Paul Society, or Caritas Australia. Donations are tax-deductible.</p>	<p>St. Joseph was grounded in the ordinary things of human work and human relationships. With deep faith, courage and trust in God he stepped out into the future with its risks and uncertainties to carry out the plan of God. St Joseph's Feast day on 19<sup>th</sup> March.</p>
<p>St. Joseph's Como is a Community that cares for safeguarding children. Safeguarding Office at (02) 9390 5810 or <a href="mailto:safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org">safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org</a>.</p>			
<p><b>Our sick:</b> Irene Riley, Drago Mikan, Steve Smith, Barbara Moore, Jimmy Chandra, David Low, Roger Minshull, Jim Hagley, Elizabeth Kinsela, Ida Melis, Katrina Marinilli, Rita Shah, Julia Lock, Marie Lawsen, Ian Duffey, Glennise Hall, Eliette Majdandzic; Dragica Furda, May Kenny, Carmen Camilleri, Mary Carmen Borg, Norma Cook, Josefa Dabu, Josie Lay, Christine Woodard, Maria Suszycka, Urszula Kaminska, Josephine Marinilli, Steven Marinilli and all homebound and dear friends from Mildred Symons House.</p>		<p>Barbara Shales hand-knits these beautiful baby clothes and donates them to St Vincent de Paul to distribute to families in need. God bless Barbara. Tony.</p>	
		<p><b>Day of the Unborn Child, Sunday 27 March.</b> <a href="https://fb.me/e/2gekwyQ8">https://fb.me/e/2gekwyQ8</a></p>	
		<p>The Sydney Catholic Youth invites you to the launch of Sydney Catholic Youth's new strategic vision and mission pathway. The launch will be held on Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> March commencing with Mass at 5:00pm at St Joachim's Catholic Church, Lidcombe, followed by live music, dinner and the official launch in the Parish Hall. Please call by Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> March for catering purposes? <b>Web: <a href="http://www.sydneycatholic.org">www.sydneycatholic.org</a>   Email: <a href="mailto:jennifer.healey@sydneycatholic.org">jennifer.healey@sydneycatholic.org</a></b></p>	