

<p>We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land of the Gweagal People of the Dharawal Nation.</p>	<p>Mass Intentions (23rd April – 29th April) Sat. 7.30am Souls in Purgatory; Vigil 5pm †Dr Ten; Sun. 8am †Jaro Kollar; 9.30am: Pro Populo, 3pm †Jorge Timoteo; Mon: †For Deceased & Living O'Connor Family; Tue: †Holy Souls in Purgatory; Wed: †Holy Souls; Thurs: O'Connor Family; Fri: Dantis</p>	<p><i>"They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old: Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning, We will remember them."</i> Lest We Forget.</p>	<p>"Mystagogy," derives from the Greek words meaning "to lead through the mysteries." Traditionally, mystagogy extends throughout the Easter season until the feast of Pentecost. This is a period of accompaniment for new Catholics as they discover what it means to fully participate in the sacramental mysteries of the Church. The newly baptized are called "neophytes," from the Greek word meaning "new plant" because the faith has been newly planted in them.</p>
<p>COVID-19 Safety Plan: 1) those with flu symptoms must not enter the church; 2) sanitise hands on entry; 3) sanitise seats after each service; 4) social distancing 1.5m apart; 5) masks optional; 6) vaccination advisable.</p> <p>Masses can be viewed on YouTube: Streaming: stjosephcomo</p>		<p>The "Ode of Remembrance" is an ode taken from Laurence Binyon's poem, "For the Fallen", which was first published in <i>The Times</i> in September 1914. The poet wrote <i>For the Fallen</i>, which has seven stanzas, while sitting on the cliffs between Pentire Point and The Rumps in north Cornwall, UK. A stone plaque was erected at the spot in 2001 to commemorate the fact. The plaque bears the inscription: <i>For the Fallen Composed on these cliffs 1914.</i></p>	<p>The kerygma is the joyful announcement that Jesus Christ is a living Person to be encountered, who through his Resurrection has defeated sin and death". The term κήρυγμα (kerygma) is a Greek word meaning "proclamation." The Greek word κηρύσσω (<i>kerysso</i>) means "herald," or one who proclaims. And thus, the kerygma is what is proclaimed. As the Apostles began the work of preaching and proclaiming Christ, they proclaimed a message that was rather basic and simple. More extended teaching or instruction would come later, after baptism. But the initial proclamation of Christ was simple and to the point.</p>
<p>Daily Masses: 7:30am Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday (Saturday: Holy Hour, Confession and Mass); Tuesday 5:30pm: Adoration, Novena, Confession, Benediction and 6pm Mass. First Friday of the month: 5:30pm Holy Hour and 6pm Mass.</p> <p>Weekend Mass times: Saturday: Vigil 5pm Sunday: 8am, 9:30am and 2nd Sunday of the month at 3pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet with Benediction and Mass. Baptisms after 9:30 Mass.</p> <p>Marriage and Baptism inquiries please contact Parish Office.</p>	<p>Coming together on 1st May at 11am (BYO lunch and music will be provided in the hall).</p>	 <p>Our sincere condolences to Rosa, Stephen and Family on the passing of your father, Jorge Timoteo. May He Rest in Peace.</p>	<p>Become a Catechist. Resources and training are provided by our CCD Faith Education. https://ccd.sydneycatholic.org "Being a catechist is the most spiritually fulfilling thing I've ever done." Tony.</p>
<p>Google: Sydney Centre for Evangelisation</p>	<p><i>Thank you, Lord for 41 years of priesthood.</i></p>	<p>Last CWF appeal for this financial year will be held on Sunday 8th May 2022. Donations over \$2 are 100% tax-deductible. Special envelopes will be distributed on that weekend. Your generous support will be appreciated.</p>	<p>God's timing is always perfect. He knows everything we need, so I must have needed a little kindness in my life and ministry. He powerfully used your act of kindness, so thank you for everything that you have done in particular at this time of Easter celebration. My prayer is that the Lord will bless you for your kindness and prayers so I can continue my ministry as a response to the vocation bestowed upon me by the Lord. God bless you all. Fr Jerzy</p>
<p>"Catholic SRE Learning from Home" materials: https://www.cress.org.au/learning-from-home-sre-lessons/</p>	<p>Main Causes of War: Economic Gain, Territorial Gain, Religion, Nationalism, Revenge, Civil War, Revolutionary War, Defensive War.</p>	<p>Please return all Project Compassion boxes / envelopes as soon as possible. Thank you for your substantial, generous contributions to Charities across the world.</p>	<p>Could you please help clean the wax from the church carpet, pews and kneelers?</p>
<p>St. Joseph's Como is a <i>Community that cares for safeguarding children.</i> Safeguarding Office at (02) 9390 5810 or safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org.</p>	<p>Neighbours Without Borders is a Palms program assisting to embrace diversity, build on strengths and nurture harmonious community growth. This four-day residential training course draws on 60 years of preparing people for cross cultural engagement. Where: Mt Carmel Retreat Centre, 247 St Andrews Rd, Varroville, NSW. Cost: \$450 per person including meals, accommodation and course activities. A cost for attending individual days or sessions can also be negotiated. Find out more about the course, contact Robert on 02 9560 5333 or 0422 472 567 or visit our website: palms.org.au</p>	<p>Synod Sunday will be held on 1 May 2022. A video will be provided for screening at Masses and for parish websites highlighting the significance of the Synod of Bishops and asking the faithful to continue to pray for the fruitful outcome of the Synod.</p>	<p>Family Spirit seeks all types of carers, from long term or short-term to part-time/ weekend respite carers. Becoming a Family Spirit foster carer can make a significant and positive difference in a child's life. For more information, please call our team on 13 18 19 or visit familyspirit.org Jason Oldridge CEO, Family Spirit CatholicCare Sydney, 2c West St LEWISHAM, NSW 2049</p>
<p>Our sick: 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>			