



GOOD SHEPHERD PARISH

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MASS TIMES FOR THE LORD'S DAY

SATURDAY 5.30 P.M. SUNDAY 8 A.M. 10 A.M. 5.30 P.M.

FIRST READING. This book is a long parable, agonizing over the problem of evil in the world, especially in the sufferings of relatively innocent people.

SECOND READING. In this letter Paul reflects on and defends his life as an Apostle; he was not one of the 12 Apostles. He did not know Jesus personally before the Resurrection. It was the Risen Christ who lovingly called Him.

WEEKDAY MASSES THIS WEEK: Monday (*St. Aloysius Gonzaga*) 8 a.m.
Tuesday (*Sts. John Fisher and Thomas More*) 7 p.m. Wednesday 9 a.m.
Thursday (*The Nativity of St. John the Baptist*) 7 p.m. Friday 9 a.m.

RECONCILIATION: *Confession and Forgiveness.* Our priest is available in the Reconciliation Rooms on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6.30 to 6.55 p.m. (before 7 p.m. Mass) and Saturdays 4 to 5 p.m., or at other times by appointment.

CHILDREN RECEIVING RECONCILIATION. 100 children of our parish made their **first confession** on this Saturday. We pray now that more of our adults will appreciate and benefit from this Sacrament of Christ's mercy.

ON TABLES AT EXIT DOORS OF OUR CHURCH there are copies of 'GO MAKE DISCIPLES': the plan for the renewal of our Sydney Catholic Church.

OUR FINANCE COMMITTEE meets this Wed. 23rd 7.30 p.m. in the Office: Brother Pat, Daniela Jajou, Mark Gates, Marque Kane, Kamal Kamalanesan. Please let Bro. Pat know if this is not convenient for you.

OUR PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL will meet on Tuesday week 29th June in the Meeting Room at 7.40 p.m. (after the 7 p.m. Mass)

PARISH ENVELOPES. 30% tax-deductibility is available now and will be for next financial year for all the donations made through these envelopes. The envelopes can help us to remember to give a certain amount each week. They also help the Parish to have a fairly consistent income each weekend. We are most grateful to those parishioners who currently use the envelopes. **Our new sets are in the foyer now in the alphabetical order of our surnames.**

If you wish to begin using the envelopes **please fill in the back of a (WELCOME) card in the foyer;** hand it to our priest or at the Parish Office **Receipts** for donations to these envelopes, Charitable Works Fund, Project Compassion, Priests' Retirement Fund will be given on request after June 30th.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR SYDNEY NEWSPAPER – THE CATHOLIC WEEKLY.

PLEASE SEE OUR FOYER NOTICE BOARD FOR ITEMS LIKE THESE

JESUIT REFUGEE SERVICE APPEAL: Foodbank Donations to Liverpool

LIFE MARRIAGE AND FAMILY BULLETIN

RETREAT DAY AT FAIRFIELD or BEVERLY HILLS – "COME, FOLLOW ME"

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC PLENARY COUNCIL UPDATE

LOVE AND TRUTH RETREAT FOR MARRIED COUPLES

CATHOLICARE FOSTER CARE ARRANGEMENTS (called FAMILY SPIRIT) explained in an online program this Wednesday 23rd: See our noticeboard.

NEW PARISH HELPERS ARE STILL NEEDED, PLEASE. as we re-start our rosters. Many thanks to new volunteers. Groups cleaning the Church are enlarged and rostered no more than once a month, However, it would be good firstly: if we could have even more volunteers for cleaning the Church Friday night or Saturday morning. Also needed are Servers, Readers, and Ministers of Holy Communion.

Gradually volunteers are coming in, thank God. Still hoping for more. *I am willing to help in Good Shepherd Parish by joining the roster of*

CLEANERS: NAME

READERS NAME

SERVERS NAME

PHONE EMAIL