

## GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC PARISH

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### THIS IS GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

### OUR PARISH FEAST DAY

Anniversary of the Original Dedication of our Church building which took place on the Fourth Sunday of Easter in 1998.

### AND THIS IS MOTHERS DAY



### OUR MOTHERS.

We thank God for the good mothers we have been given. We thank God for all the good mothers in our parish community. We pray for the eternal joy of Heaven for the deceased mothers from our families. We thank you good mothers present with us in this Mass and we pray for you and all that you long for.

### MASS TIMES FOR THE LORD'S DAY

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

### WEEKDAY MASS IN THIS FOURTH WEEK OF THE EASTER SEASON

**MONDAY** 8 a.m. **TUESDAY** 7 p.m. **WEDNESDAY** 9 a.m.  
**THURSDAY** 7 p.m. **FRIDAY** (plus some of our School children) 9 a.m.

**RECONCILIATION** (*Confession & Forgiveness*). Our priest is available in the Reconciliation Rooms here Tuesdays and Thursdays from **6.30 p.m. to 6.55 p.m.** and on Saturdays from **4 p.m. to 5 p.m.**

**FR. MIKE SCHMITZ TO ADDRESS THE SYDNEY CHURCH** alive online on **Saturday 28 May 10 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.** This presenter of the 'Bible in a Year' podcast will speak as part of the 'Go Make Disciples' evangelisation effort. We can register to listen at [www.gomakedisciples.org.au/cas-events](http://www.gomakedisciples.org.au/cas-events)

**THE SYDNEY CHARITABLE WORKS FUND (CWF)** supports *the Aboriginal Catholic Ministry*, also *CatholicCare* (programs in Ageing, Disability, Children & Youth, Employment, Marriage & Family), *University Chaplaincies*, *Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD)* supporting Catechists in State schools, *Ephpheta Centre* for hearing impaired, and *the two Sydney Seminaries* for the formation of future priests **The Charitable Works Fund Appeal will be held at Masses in Sydney Parishes this weekend.** Our Parish, like all Sydney parishes has a quota to meet. Ours is **\$1,700.** Thanks u.

**A PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING** this Monday 9<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m.

**CONFIRMATION PREPARATION GROUPS** begin this Wednesday and Thursday at **7.30 p.m.** in the Church. Each youngster with a parent (and bringing a folder) needs to attend **every one** of the four meetings. Bishop Brady will celebrate Confirmations in **2 Masses** on Sat. **June 4<sup>th</sup>.**

**A PARISH COUNCIL MEETING** is proposed for Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May at 7.40 p.m.

**ADULT BAPTISMS OR ADULTS BECOMING CATHOLICS** take place after a group preparation called the **Catechumenate** or the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**. **If an adult in our district is interested in being Baptized or anyone already Christened in another Church is interested in becoming a Catholic**, please contact our Office or our priest. We intend to begin this preparation of adults in meetings involving Parish members and Brother Pat on **Sunday June 12<sup>th</sup> 6.45 p.m**