



OUR LADY OF FATIMA, KINGSGROVE

Opening to the challenge of renewal

Living out the Eucharist & Gospel of Jesus Christ

Fostering communal compassion and service

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 3 July 2022

MASS TIMES

Monday: Closed
Tuesday: 9:15am
Wednesday: 9:15am
Thursday: 9.15am
Friday: 12noon

Saturday: 9.15am & Vigil

5.00pm

Sunday: 8:30am 10am &

5.00pm

Weekend Masses, Saturday, 5:00 pm vigil; Sunday, 8:30am, 10:00am and 5:00pm. 2 square metre rule had been scrapped. No booking for all these masses.

Rosary at 8:45am, Tuesday to Thursday and Saturday

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Friday:11.00am -12noon **Baptisms:** Every 1st and 3rd

Sunday of each month.
(Please call Parish Office)

Weddings: By Appointment (Please call Parish Office)



REFLECTION

If we look deeply into today's Gospel, the focus seems to be on peace as a key to healing, and our acceptance of peace as a way of knowing the nearness of the kingdom of God. In fact, to get his message across, Luke asserts twice that the kingdom of God is very near to you! Paul reiterates the same theme to the Galatians. In your being healed, you will become altogether a new creationpeace and mercy to all! This peace though is a peace that does not ignore the marks of Jesus' crucifixion. It is a peace that embraces the cross, that does not shy away from those times in our lives when our commitment to following the rule of love is put to the test. It is then that we will know the grace of this peace. God's love will not be withheld, says the psalmist. The prophet Isaiah too portrays this so beautifully in the images of peace flowing like a river, and the suckling infant consoled at the mother's breast. So, might we be comforted this week in the lap of our God, carried by peace, nourished by peace, becoming peace for our world.

God 's Word Daily Reflections Year C

HOLY FATHER'S APPEAL 2022

Our thanks go to all who opened their hearts and gave generously to the **Holy Father's Appeal.** Through your gift, you have given hope to those in most need of our compassion. If you missed our appeal weekend, it is not too late to give. There are still envelopes at the foyer or phone the Development and Fundraising Office, **1800 753 959** and speak to one of their friendly staff. Thank you.

Planned Giving Envelopes Financial Year 2022/2023

The new sets of Planned Giving envelopes are now available for collection in the foyer. Please ensure that you check your name with corresponding address and you pick the correct one. If you are not a member of the Planned Giving, please call Parish Office to join. The tax deduction is 30%.

Instead of envelopes, you could opt for periodic deduction using your credit card or do direct deposit to our CBA bank account 100000143; BSB 062 784.

Receipts for your contributions for this financial year will be available on the 3rd week of July. We would like to thank you for your ongoing generous support to our Parish.

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The English RCIA program will commence in August 2022. This program is offered to those who have never been baptised and seeking to become members of the Catholic Church. It is also for those already baptised in other denominations and who desire to become Catholic.

The Cantonese speaking RCIA group will commence in end of June.

If you know of anyone who is interested and/or who wants to find out more about the program, please contact the coordinators below by 31st of July 2022.

Leslie Phua: 0430 383 684 email: lesphua@tpg.com.au Mary Leung: 0413 533 011 email: maryleung22@gmail.com

PRAYER FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE

Holy and Gracious God

We pray for the people of Ukraine and the people of Russia; for their countries and their leaders.

We pray for all those who are afraid; that your everlasting arms hold them in this time of great fear.

We pray for all those who have the power over life and death; that they will choose for all people life, and life in all its fullness.

We pray for those who choose war; that they will remember that you direct your people to turn our swords into ploughshares and seek for peace.

We pray for leaders on the world stage; that they are inspired by the wisdom and courage of Christ.

Above all, Lord, today we pray for peace for Ukraine.

And we ask this in the name of your blessed Son.

Lord have mercy. Amen

Support Caritas Ukraine Appeal

As millions of people are likely to be displaced due to Russia's invasion, your support is more important than ever for the people of Ukraine.

Donate generously to the Caritas Ukraine Appeal:

https://www.caritas.org.au/donate/ukraine-appeal/

Prayer for Priests

Lord, they carry the troubles of others, yet like all people, they know loneliness and temptation. Keep them close to the friendship of your love. They Baptise us, absolve us, teach us, pray for us, care for us. Do we ever pray for them? Bless all our priests especially Father Casey, Father Stephen and all Archbishops, Bishops and Religious to whom we owe so much. **Amen.**

Donations to orphanage in Kenya

Neil and I want to say a huge THANK YOU to everyone who has so generously donated to the orphanage in Western Kenya. The Christian couple who have taken in these 22 orphans have been very courageous responding to God's call. The parish has given them altogether \$1,500 to assist in keeping the kids safe and educated, which is amazing! If anyone else would like to donate, you are very welcome via https://gofund.me/f6b59ef1 or contact us at theamariaormer-od@gmail.com or 9150 9713 for details.

Neil and Thea Ormerod



Our Parish Finance and Works Committee will be starting on a project to refurbish our Clune Centre. We are seeking quotes from painters, tradesmen to fix windows, ventilation and suppliers of chairs.

If interested, please call the Parish office,

GROWING IN FAITH Scriptural readings and Saints for this week

July 2022

4 Mon

Saint Elizabeth of Portugal

Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Mt 9:18-26 (383)

5 Tue

Saint Anthony Maria Zaccaria, Priest

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Mt 9:32-38 (384)

6 Wed

Saint Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Mt 10:1-7 (385)

7 Thu

Blessed Peter To Rot

Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Mt 10:7-15 (386)

3 Fri

Hos 14:2-10/Mt 10:16-23 (387)

9 Sat

Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs; BVM

Is 6:1-8/Mt 10:24-33 (388)

10 SUN FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dt 30:10-14/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37 (105) Pss III



Please join us to celebrate the first year death anniversary of **Margaret McCafferty**, Saturday, 16th July 2022, 11:00am here at Our Lady of Fatima Chruch Kingsgrove.

REST IN PEACE

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time First Reading Is 66:10-14 A reading from the prophet Isaiah

I will send toward Jerusalem peace like a river.

Rejoice, Jerusalem, be glad for her, all you who love her! Rejoice, rejoice for her, all you who mourned her!

That you may be suckled, filled, from her consoling breast, that you may savour with delight her glorious breasts.

For thus says the Lord: Now towards her I send flowing peace, like a river, and like a stream in spate the glory of the nations.

At her breast will her nurslings be carried and fondled in her lap.
Like a son comforted by his mother will I comfort you.
And by Jerusalem you will be comforted.

At the sight your heart will rejoice, and your bones flourish like the grass. To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 65:1-7. 16. 20. R. v.1 (R.) Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

- Cry out with joy to God all the earth,
 O sing to the glory of his name.
 O render him glorious praise.
 Say to God: 'How tremendous your deeds! (R.)
- 'Before you all the earth shall bow; shall sing to you, sing to your name!' Come and see the works of God, tremendous his deeds among men. (R.)
- 3. He turned the sea into dry land, they passed through the river dry-shod. Let our joy then be in him; he rules for ever by his might. (R.)
- Come and hear, all who fear God.
 I will tell what he did for my soul.
 Blessed be God who did not reject my prayer nor withhold his love from me. (R.)

Second Reading Gal 6:14-18 A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians

The marks I carry on my body are those of Jesus Christ.

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not matter if a person is circumcised or not; what matters is for him to become an altogether new creature. Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who form the Israel of God.

I want no more trouble from anybody after this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, my brothers. Amen.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Col 3:15. 16 **Alleluia, alleluia!**

May the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, and the fullness of his message live within you. **Alleluia!**

GOSPEL Lk 10:1-12. 17-20

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Your peace will rest upon him.

The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns and places he himself was to visit. He said to them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest. Start off now. but remember, I am sending you out like lambs among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no sandals. Salute no one on the road. Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will come back to you. Stay in the same house, taking what food and drink they have to offer, for the labourer deserves his wages; do not move from house to house. Whenever you go into a town where they make you welcome, eat what is set before you. Cure those in it who are sick, and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to you." But whenever you enter a town and they do not make you welcome, go out into its streets and say, "We wipe off the very dust of your town that clings to our feet, and leave it with you. Yet be sure of this: the kingdom of God is very near." I tell you, that on that day it will not go as hard with Sodom as with that town.'



Vinnies Winter Appeal

Its a cold winter and we are calling on you again to assist the neediest in our community. Our winter appeal will be

held at all masses over the week-end July 23/24. A web donation page has also been set up specifically for our Appeal. Below is the link to the donation page or you can use the QR code. Many thanks for your ongoing support. https://my.fundraise.vinniesnsw.org.au/fundraise-your-way/winter-appeal-4

Thank you. Bernie Deady





PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Parishioners living in retirement: Bambina Canosa, Peg Denny, Millie Cerny, Colin Chandler, Merle Kenna, Jane Gallo, Patricia North, Noelene Bennett, Enid Taylor;

Nancy Dawson; Frances English, Shirley Farrell, Anthony (Tony) Redford, Anne Sheerin, Caterina Ancona, and Justina De Bellis, Patricia Gray. (Should you want to know the place of their retirement homes, please call Parish Office 9150 9665).

Parishioners/friends who are Sick:

Peter & Patricia Matt, Nicole Hraiki, Jasmin Ghasan, George Chayeb, Pat McGuirk, Thelma Gribocck, Therese Mitry, Bill Taylor, Reynald Agbuya, Jason & Etienne Eid, Sarina Raffaele, Jun Letran, Avelia Calugay, Diane Salem, Philip Maguire, Kamala Reddy, Maximino Ilaya, Maria (Thi Quyen) Lee, Samar & Carlos Munoz, Aileen Munoz, Michael Neville, Peter Carter, Priscilla Watson, Aidan Ravaillion, Steven Holman, Dhiren Boidya, Leonardo Pagano, Kevin Ryan, Nelly Vanzyl, Paolo & Rhea Primavera, Loretta Visser, Frank Crimi, Tom De Michele, Rosemary Theodoris, Angelo Taranto, James Crilto, Alida Banks, Peter Nair, Angela Braga, Grazia Passeretti, Antonietta Roberto, Stephen Doyle, Josie Wenko, Renae Corban, Amanda Teer, Raigan Kerr.

Please pray for our Recently Deceased:

(Please update us of their status)

Jim Sackett, Clementina Belinna, David Druce, Carmel (Charlie) Xuereb, Milra Pernar, Maria Mazzucco, David Vella, Ramon L. Hizon, Janelle Harrington, So Ho, Renato Valencia.

Anniversaries: Peter Fang, Hernando Saclayan, Clarita Naumanen, Godofredo Inso, Saturnino Inso, Miquel Inso, George Inso.

Starting this month of May, list of parishioners whose death anniversaries occur during the month will be included in Bulletin once at the beginning of each month and will be offered masses.

Also For: For deceased Vincent Camuglia, Martinus Rusdy Setiawan, Catalina Mitchell, Geoffrey Lo, Juanito Gener, and prayers and intentions requested through the OLF Kingsgrove Intercessory Prayer Group, and all the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

Please note: For mass requests to be put in Bulletin, please drop them in the Petitions Box, in the office, call or send email on or before 12:00 noon on Thursdays.



Like most churches, since November 2021, we have a device where you can give your donation using your credit card by a tap on the **Quest**

Donation Point Tap. There will be 2 at church entrance and foyer. It has a set amount of \$5.00. Should you wish to give \$10, tap twice and so on if you want to donate more. Please note that donations made through these are not tax deductible. It will not show your name or envelope numbers on our bank statement. The donation will automatically go into our Parish account. Your tap donation will show as "OLF Parish Kingsgrove" in your credit card statement. This is a secure, cashless donation point used by most Parishes as recommended by the Archdiocese. For tax deductible donations, please continue using your envelopes, direct deposits and online credit cards where you can indicate your name and Planned Giving Envelope number. Thank you for your ongoing support.

ROSTERS 9 & 10 July

	5:00pm	8.30am
Reader:	Deadys	E Russo
Commentator:	Deadys	N Ormerod
Acolyte:	Alyssa	Jeremy
10:00am		5:00pm
Reader:	R Lansdown	Youth
Commentator:	N Kevic	

Michael



Acolyte:

"Safeguarding in our Parish

Anthony

It is my responsibility and your responsibility!

Most of the members of our Children's
Liturgy, Children's choir, Sacramental
Programme educators, Youth Ministry,

Acolyte or Minister of Holy Communion, Senior Altar Server, Reader, Warden or counters undertook Safeguarding training in 2019. If you are new to these Ministries and have not attended a parish Safeguarding Induction Training session, please register for an on-line training course at https://goo.gl/

forms/wSkRi3ZO6PzkRfbo1.

The Safeguarding Office of our Archdiocese has decided that a 3 yearly **Refresher Training** is required for members of these ministries, i.e. those trained in 2019 or earlier.

Unfortunately, due to current COVID-19 concerns the Safeguarding Office has decided to present all training for the first six months of 2022 either online or via zoom.

Volunteers can register for the new Refresher Training **on line** via this link https://forms.gle/XuQFsRsvq3BYtXqT9 (which is a different link from the other online training

registrations). Just a reminder that volunteers only need to complete the Refresher Training if they have completed the Induction Training prior to 2020.

A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with crimes are the police. If you, or anyone you know, have been abused, please contact the police.

Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at (02) 9390 5810 or safeguarding_equiies@sydneycatholic.org. You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.



PRAYERS for our Parish:

As a caring community, we reach out in love and prayers to our brothers and sisters in **Beaumont & Bennett Streets** praying for their needs and intentions.

You are welcome to join The Living Water Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group every Monday, 6:30pm in the McGinley Room, upstairs in the Clune Centre.

BAPTISM PREPARATION NIGHT:

Wednesday 8:00pm, 6th July 2022 RSVP 4th July 2022

Coordinators: Tom & Tina Coorey 9150 6016; Mob 0423 854 633