

NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER
26 May 2019
6th Sunday of Easter
Year C
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St Monica's

Readers
6.30pm— C. Galea A. Copland
7.30am— T. Galino J. Robinson
9.30am— K. Petersen M. Mizzi
5.30pm— C. Salkeld
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
6.30pm— J. McCarter J. Muscat
7.30am— A. Burnett H. Robinson
9.30am— L. Ryan L. Vella
5.30pm— D. D'Mello

Acolytes / Senior Server
6.30pm— W. Bennett
7.30am— A. Moloney
9.30am— D. Ryan
5.30pm— D. Murphy

Junior Ministers
6.30pm— C. Galea I. Galea
7.30am—
9.30am— G. Attard A. Portelli
5.30pm— P. Murphy A. Kuriakose

Data Projector
6.30pm— M. Breden
7.30am— C. Thompson
9.30am— M. Saliba
5.30pm— T. Tomasella
Children's Liturgy
6.30pm— L. Ducksbury
9.30am— C. Saliba

Choir
6.30pm— J. Lewis L. Ryan
9.30am—
5.30pm—
Altar Preparation S. Murphy C. Murphy
Cleaners K. Murphy M. Bingley
Counters
19 May— F. Crew T. Misdom M. Want
26 May— L. Conway J. Hawkins D. Bowles

WEEKDAY ROSTER
Monday 20 May 2019
Reader — F. Crew
EMoHC—
Wednesday 22 May 2019
Reader — A. Moloney
EMoHC— M. McMahon
Friday 24 May 2019
Reader — D. Bowles
EMoHC— M. Ryan

★★ ✝ ★★
St Gregory's
Saturday 25 May 2019
Reader— Peter
EMoHC— Frank
Sunday 26 May 2019
Readers
8.00am— M. Ryan A. Drew S. O'Rourke
Altar Server Jackie
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
8.00am— M. Ryan
Altar Preparation
Cleaners K. Hodgson



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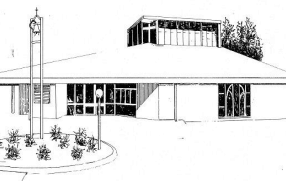
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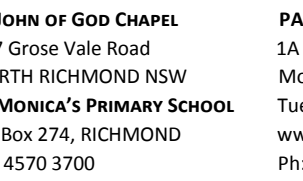
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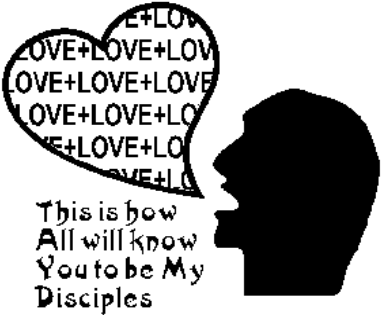
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Fifth Sunday of Easter — Year C 19 May 2019

<p>ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: O sing a new song to the Lord, for he has worked wonders; in the sight of the nations he has shown his deliverance, alleluia.</p> <p>FIRST READING: ACTS 14:21-27 <i>They assembled the church and gave an account of all that God had done with them.</i></p> <p>RESPONSORIAL PS: PSALM 144:8-13 I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.</p> <p>SECOND READING: REVELATION 21:1-5 <i>He will wipe away all the tears from their eyes.</i></p> <p>GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! I give you a new commandment: love one another as I have loved you. Alleluia!</p> <p>GOSPEL: JOHN 13:31-35 <i>I give you a new commandment: love one another.</i></p>	<p>COMMUNION ANTIPHON: I am the true vine and you are the branches, says the Lord. Whoever remains in me, and I in him, bears fruit in plenty, alleluia.</p> <p>REFLECTIONS ON THE READING... It's easy to love at a distance, but not so easy to love at close quarters. It's easier to give a few pounds to relieve famine in Africa than to relieve the loneliness of someone living next door. It's easy to love people who are far away, but not always easy to love those who are close at hand. Yet, these are the people Christ asks us to love. We must begin by loving the people near us. That is where our love must start. But, of course, it doesn't have to end there. And it shouldn't.</p> 
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Consecration of the New Catholic Church Richmond...
On the 4th inst. The ceremony of consecrating the Catholic Church, at Richmond, lately completed, was performed by the very Rev. J.J. Therry, Archpriest, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Hallinan, pastor of the Parish. His Grace the Archbishop being unavoidably prevented from attending, as originally intended, delegated Fr Therry to the sacred office. After the imposing ceremony had been performed, as prescribed in the Roman ritual, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass was offered up, the Rev. Dr. Hallinan being celebrant. Fr Therry then ascended the altar and delivered a long and impressive discourse, taking his text from St. Luke, vii. Chap. Previous to the sermon being delivered the pastor read a statement of the receipts and expenditure connected with the erection of the building, from which it appears a little over 500 pounds was the total cost of its erection, and that a debt of 128 pounds then remained on the building. The rev. gentleman having made the very handsome donation of 100 pounds, it remained for the congregation to subscribe the balance of 28 pounds. A collection was made in the church at the conclusion of the sermon, and, we are happy to hear, the receipts exceeded, by a few pounds, the required amount. Amongst the numerous and respectable assemblage present we noticed members of other denominations, and several Catholic families from Windsor, Pitt Town, Wilberforce and the surrounding district. It is a small but neat brick building, shingled, and capable of accommodating 150 persons. It is built on a very beautiful site, at the entrance to Richmond from Windsor, commanding a full view of the picturesque village of Richmond, and the many farmsteads surrounding, with the far famed Douglas Hill and the Blue Mountains in the distance. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered up in this Church on the last Sunday of each month at 9 o'clock. Windsor May 9th

(From The Freemans Journal 11 May 1859.)

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Weekly Envelopes...

As the financial year draws to a close, we would like to thank all who support the on-going maintenance of the Parish through the weekly envelopes and monthly credit card giving. Your support is greatly appreciated. We would like to invite others to be contributors. Perhaps you are new to the parish or have recently joined the workforce. All are invited to consider how you might contribute.

Please notify the office of any change of address.

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St Monica's Primary School is having an
Open Morning for Prospective NEW Families to the school community

Wednesday May 29 from 9.30am to 10.30am.

Wednesday June 5 from 9.30am to 10.30am.

Giving you the opportunity to tour our school and meet the Principal and K-2 Co-ordinator.
Please phone the school to register your interest in attending on 4588 5405.

Please note that during the **winter months** the Vigil Mass at St. Monica's church **beginning from the 1st weekend in June until the last weekend in September will be at 6pm.**

Used Stamps If you can support the Missions with your used postage stamps it would be greatly appreciated.



Ministry Minutes: All parishioners are invited to take a copy of this new publication, printed on green paper. Copies are available in the Church foyer. This will give one and all an update on the development of the Renewal of Ministries happening within our Parish.

Body of Christ Prayer Group: When: Wednesday evening at 7pm - 8pm. Where: 1 Hughes Ave, Hobartville. All welcome.

No Kids Choir on Sunday 2 June, will resume in July.

First Eucharist Enrolment forms for the Sacrament of First Eucharist will be available at ALL Parish Vigil/Sunday Masses from weekend 25/26 May until Enrolment Ceremonies at Vigil/Sunday Masses on weekend 29/30 June.

Catholic Youth Parramatta are excited to host At The Well event, bringing young women together from across the Diocese for conversation on topics in the hearts of young women today. Friday 24 June, 7pm to 10pm. Event location TBA. Registration is free, but essential via <https://parracatholic.org/the-well/>

PARISH DIARY DATES

- Friday 24 May **Our Lady, Help of Christians.**
- Friday 31 May **Mass with Anointing of the Sick** 9am at St Monica's. All welcome.
- Monday 3 June **Circle of Friends** will meet following morning Mass in the Meeting Room. All welcome.
- Tuesday 4 June **Confirmation Ceremonies.**
- Friday 7 June **Confirmation Ceremonies.**

Bishop's Good Shepherds Catholic Foundation Appeal – 1 and 2 June When God calls, will you help them answer? The Holy Spirit Seminary in Harris Park is training 15 young men to be true shepherds of Christ's flock & future priests for the Diocese of Parramatta. Your gift to Parramatta Catholic Foundation will support our seminarians to prepare for the priesthood & a life of community service. **Please give generously via the Bishop's Good Shepherds Appeal envelopes or online at yourcatholicfoundation.org.au/appeal**

Walking with Refugees and People Seeking Protection
PRESENT A Pentecost retreat day.
Rest and Inspiration for the journey.
Join Bishop Vincent as we reflect and share.
Saturday 8 June - 9:00am - 4.00pm
Mount Schoenstatt Fairlight Rd Mulgoa
Registration essential. Call or email; 8838 3460
email lmckeogh@parracatholic.org

Grant Eternal Rest to the recently deceased

Sam Camilleri
Aidan Peart
Maria Azzopardi
Tony Vella
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Beryl Kabriel
Joseph Camilleri
Ruby Korn

... and those we remember at this time.

Lillian Caulfield,
Mary & Bill Haber, Margaret Toner,
Veronica Eves, Edith Armstrong,
Salvina Camilleri, Josephine Vella,
Maria & Domenico Scopelliti, Eucharist
Sultana, Peter Galluzzo, Joseph Vella,
Mary Moloney, Maryann Galea &
family, Ned McMahon, Bill McMahon,
Michael John McMahon, Joseph
Baldacchino, Lyl Binns & family



We welcome the newly Baptised...

Madeleine Bowen

...to our Christian family.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

To all those celebrating this week



WE PRAYERFULLY REMEMBER THE SICK

Melissa Colless,
Marlon Apap, Fr Jessie Balorio,
Jeff Steven, Josephine Cutajar,
Tye Angland, Frank Grima,
William Grima, Frank Cauchi,
Stephen Avery,
Pauline Azzopardi,
Dale Wasley, Carmen Sultana

Jesus Loves Us All

"By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another." John 13:35 (NIV)

Based on John 13:31-35



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Evangelii Gaudium (The Joy of the Gospel)

"Thanks to our bodies, God has joined us so closely to the world around us that we can feel the desertification of the soil almost as a physical ailment, and the extinction of a species as a painful disfigurement. Let us not leave in our wake a swath of destruction and death which will affect our own lives and those of future generations."
- Par. 213 from *Evangelii Gaudium*, Pope Francis.

Monday 3 June, join us in Exploring your Faith...

normally this will be an evening with Bishop Robert

Baron but this month we are going to learn about the Miracle and Message of Our Lady of Guadalupe. This will be presented by DVD & followed by a group discussion over a cup of tea/coffee.

Time: 6:30pm til 8pm in the Old Church.

Come and join us - All welcome

PARISH MASS TIMES

St Monica's
Saturday: 6.30pm
Sunday: 7.30am, 9.30am, 5.30pm
Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 9.00am
St Gregory's
Saturday: 9.00am
Sunday: 8.00am
St John of God
Tuesday: 4.00pm
Saturday: 6.00pm Vigil Mass

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation
St Monica's:
Saturday 5.30pm - 6pm.
St Gregory's:
Saturday after 9.00am Mass.

Anointing of the Sick
Friday 31 May 2019, 9.00am
at St Monica's.
Or by arrangement with the priests.

Baptism

By appointment only.
St Monica's: 2nd & 4th Sundays at 11.00am.
St Gregory's: 1st Sunday at 11:00am
Booking & Preparation are essential.
Marriage
Strictly by appointment. A minimum of 6 months notice is required.
All enquiries please email admin@parishofrichmond.org.au

PARISH COUNCIL
MEETING
11 June
2019 at 7pm.

Meeting Minutes
available on
notice boards in
church foyers.

REGULAR PARISH ACTIVITIES

Rosary
St Monica's: 8.40am
before weekday Mass.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
St Monica's: Wednesday
after 9.00am Mass to
pray for vocations.

Choir Practice
St Monica's:
45 minutes before each
Mass
NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

Body of Christ Prayer Group Wednesday 7-8pm
1 Hughes Ave Hobartville

Children's Liturgy
St Monica's:
Saturday 6.30pm
Sunday 9.30am

Circle of Friends
Parish Meeting Room:
1st Monday of the month
9.30am

Youth Group Social
Meet every 3rd Saturday of the month after 6.30pm HYPA Mass.
HYPA-R Holy Hour
Meet every 1st Friday of the month 6:30pm-7:30pm praying for youth followed by pizzas.