### **NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER** 16 June 2019

The Most Holy Trinity

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### St Monica's

#### Readers

6.30pm - HYPA-R

7.30am - A. Dunbar M. McMahon

9.30am - N. Brailey M. Manea

5.30pm - L. Battersby

#### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

6.30pm - R. Larven

7.30am - M. Fenech A. Edwards

9.30am - Z. Culican F. Yates 5.30pm - A. Aquilina T. Scopelliti

### **Acolytes / Senior Server**

6.30pm — L. Azzopardi

7.30am - A. Moloney

9.30am - A. Brailey 5.30pm - P. Delahay

### **Junior Ministers**

6.30pm— S. Vella J. Azzopardi

9.30am - W. Attard S. Higgins

5.30pm - A. Kuriakose

### **Data Projector**

6.30pm — HYPA-R

7.30am - C. Thompson

9.30am - L. Culican 5.30pm— Choir members

#### **Children's Liturgy**

6.30pm - KA Kendall C. Pirotta

9.30am - L. O'Donohoe

### Choir

6.30pm— HYPA-R

9.30am - N. D'Mello & Choir

5.30pm— Couples for Christ

## Altar Preparation J. Shanahan

Cleaners N. Godsell M. Azzopardi Counters

09 June— C. Barber, F. Pausanos, J. Pausanos

16 June - B. Riley B. Riley M. Stone

### **WEEKDAY ROSTER**

### Monday 10 June 2019

Reader - F Crew EMoHC-

Wednesday 12 June 2019

Reader - A. Molonev

EMoHC - M. McMahon Friday 14 June 2019

Reader - D. Bowles

EMoHC - M. Ryan

## St Gregory's

Saturday 15 June 2019

Reader - Frank

EMoHC— Margaret Sunday 16 June 2019

Readers

8.00am - P. Humphrey C. Smiroldo N. Fienberg

Altar Server Frank

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** 

**Altar Preparation** 

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#### Pentecost Sunday Year C 9 June 2019

ST JOHN OF GOD CHAPEL

NORTH RICHMOND NSW

PO Box 274, RICHMOND

ST MONICA'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

177 Grose Vale Road

### **ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:**

The spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world and that which contains all things understands what is said, alleluia.

ST MONICA'S CHURCH

ST GREGORY'S CHURCH

5 Old Bells Line of Rd

KURRAJONG NSW

RICHMOND NSW

Cnr Windsor & Bourke Sts

### FIRST READING: ACTS 2:1-11

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak different languages.

RESPONSORIAL PS: PSALM 103:1, 24, 29-31, 34 Lord send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

**SECOND READING: ROMANS 8:8-17** 

Everyone moved by the Spirit is a son of God.

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia! Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: JOHN 14:15-16, 23-26

The Holy Spirit will teach you everything.

#### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.

### REFLECTIONS ON THE READING...

On Pentecost day the apostles spoke a new language. What was this new language? It was the language of peace rather than of war; the language of cooperation rather than of competition; the language of forgiveness rather of vengeance; the language of hope rather than of despair; the language of tolerance rather than of bigotry; the language of friendship rather than of hostility; the language of unity rather



than of division; the language of love rather than of hate. Through the gift of the Spirit, people of different languages learned to profess one faith, to the praise and glory of God. This is the real miracle of Pentecost, and it is a miracle

### Reflection - Pentecost...

As a baptized and listening people, drenched with word and water, we come to this culminating feast of the Easter season. This is too large an event, too big a mystery for Luke to describe with precision, so he gropes for comparisons. Unsettling, surging power and possibility are "like" a wind and "like" fire that fill the household of those who have gathered to await the Spirit whom Jesus has promised. The coming of the Spirit shakes the foundations of the household and, as Acts describe it, there is unleashed a new and unimaginable future for the men and women in it. In his Apostolic Letter, The Spirit and the Bride, commemorating the fortieth anniversary of Vatican II's Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy, John Paul II wrote that: "The Church's teaching must be able to 'dare.' Pentecost is an event that does exactly that. It is not just the "birthday of the Church"; it is the birth of "being Church," of daring to live the life of Christ into which we are born by baptism and in the power of his Spirit. Pentecost sweeps up the dead bones of that first little Jerusalem community so that it comes alive, stands up, and goes forward to the ends of the earth with the good news of the risen Christ. Something is in the air that takes this community beyond complacency and despair, something that will keep blowing through every community of believers. The Spirit is not a gift to the proud achievers, then or now, but to those who pray, who wait obediently on the promise of the Father announced

by Jesus, and who have discovered the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus in their own frailty and aridity. For the contemporary church and society, there is still a great need to be able to hear what the other is saying and to communicate in a language that can be understood. Bishops need to listen to what their people are saying and avoid "church-speak" when they reply to them; the different generations need to make an effort to learn something of each other's language if they are to support one another; governments need honesty rather than the coded language of political subterfuge; and the media needs to speak without hysteria, cheap sensationalism, and costly untruths.

From With Burning Hearts by Verna A. Holyhead

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### Weekly Envelopes...

As the financial year draws to a close, we would like to thank all who support the clergy including the retired with the first collection & the second collection with 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.

Surname:		Name:	Name:	
Address:		P	Post Code:	
Phone No:	(H)	(W)	(M)	

In June there will be a series of workshops for those interested in taking on a new ministry. Even if you are not sure if that is what you would like to do, please come along to learn more about the specific ministries and then make your decisions as to your involvement. If you are already involved in one of the ministries why not come along and have a refresher course. There is a description of the various workshops in the Ministry Minutes No 2 published this weekend. The time and dates for each workshop are therein. Be sure to pick up your green copy. To assist with numbers PLEASE ADD YOU NAME TO THE SHEET IN THE FOYER and indicate in which ministry you are interested. For further information contact Mary McGuiness 0438 796 791 or Ann Moloney 0409 123 004.









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

New Planned Giving Envelopes are available today please pick up from the church foyer. Please note: Some parishioner's planned giving envelope numbers have changed.

**Reaching out to the Homeless:** If you have any spare new socks, scarves, beanies, jumpers or warm clothing to be distributed to the homeless, please leave in the Church foyer. We will pass them on to those in need. Thank you.

Parish Finance Statement (Audited) FY 2017-18 are on the notice board for your perusal.

First Eucharist Enrolment forms for the Sacrament of First Eucharist are available at ALL Parish Vigil/Sunday Masses until Enrolment Ceremonies at Vigil/Sunday Masses on weekend 29/30 June. Please note: Enrolment forms will not be available from the

Parish Office during the week.

CYP LIFTED Retreat 2019: CYP invites young adults aged 18 - 35 to attend the annual LIFTED Retreat from July 5-7 at the Benedict XVI Retreat Centre, Grose Vale You can expect great guest speakers, stimulating discussions, adoration, daily Mass, Reconciliation, soul stirring music & delicious food. The theme is inspired by Pope Francis – 'Dare to be Different' To Register https://parracatholic.org/cvp-lifted-retreat/

### **PARISH DIARY DATES**

- Sunday 9 June St Gregory's Morning Tea following 8am Mass. Please stay for a cuppa & bring a plate to share. All welcome.
- Monday 10 June The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church.
- Tuesday 11 June Saint Barnabas.
- Thursday 13 June Saint Anthony of Padua.
- Weekend 22/23 June Vinnie's Winter Appeal.

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Congratulations to our Confirmation Candidates. A special word of thanks to Parents, Facilitators & especially our Sacramental Co-ordinator Mary Pirovic for preparing the young people for this significant time in their faith journey. ddddddddddddddddddd

Bishop's Good Shepherds Catholic Foundation Appeal -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

### **Grant Eternal Rest to the** recently deceased

Peggy Roberts (nee McMahon) Sam Camilleri Aidan Peart Maria Azzopardi Tony Vella Sam Cassar Beryl Kabriel Joseph Camilleri

### ... and those we remember at this time.

Ronald Clark, Kathy Spyridakos, John Saliba, Lorenza Saliba, Jerry Camenzuli, Josephine Camenzuli, Ronald Clark, Mary & Felix Aquilina, Peter Galluzzo, Margaret Miller, David Buttigieg, Joseph Baldacchino, Carmel Le Feuvre, Joan Cox, Kevin Farley, Jeffrey Refalo, Charlie Cauchi, Charlie Refalo, Veronica Eves, John Larven. Lillian Caulfield, Mary & Bill Haber

# The Day of Pentecost

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Acts 2:4 (NIV) Based on Acts 2:1-21





SOUND OTHER HOLY SPIRIT HEAR FILLED WIND FIRE TONGUES AMAZED	SPEAK	LANGUAGE	PENTECOST	HEAVEN	BLOWING
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We welcome the newly Baptised..

Evie Azzopardi

...to our Christian family

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Nynette Muscat Annette Camilleri

### **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

Bryan & Cecilia Dwyer (40 years)

### **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

#### **HYPA-R NEWS...**

- Saturday, 15 June will be the HYPA-R Youth Mass at 6:00pm followed by supper (please bring a plate to share) and fun family activities in the Old Church - all welcome.
- Friday, 21 June will be the Spiritual & Games Night (for kids aged 10 years to 15 years). This is held in the Old Church from 7pm till 9pm. There will be a light supper & fun games, so get your folks to drop you off as it will be fun.



Michelangelo. The master of sculpture and painting, not a saint but the privileged representative of the creative potential given life of the Catholic Faith. The Church professes that beauty is a route of access to God, and through humanity's creative artistry we glimpse the power and glory of the Lord. This will be presented by DVD & followed by a group discussion over a cup of tea/coffee. Time: 6:30pm till 8pm in the Old Church.. Come and join us - All welcome.

Monday 1 July, join us in Exploring your Faith...this will be an evening with Bishop Robert Baron exploring

### **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 30 August 2019, 9.00am at St Monica's. Or by arrangement with the priests.

### Baptism

By appointment only. St Monica's: 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays at 11.00am. St Gregory's: 1<sup>st</sup> 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** 

1 Hughes Ave Hobartville

### **Body of Christ Prayer Group** Wednesday 7-8.30pm pray for vocations. All welcome

Sunday 9.30am

Children's Liturgy

Saturday 6.30pm

St Monica's:

#### **Youth Group Social Circle of Friends**

Parish Meeting Room: Meet every 3rd Saturday of the month after 1st Monday of the month 6.30pm HYPA Mass. 9.30am

### **HYPA-R Holy Hour**

Meet every 1st Friday of the month 6:30pm-7:30pm praying for youth followed by pizzas.