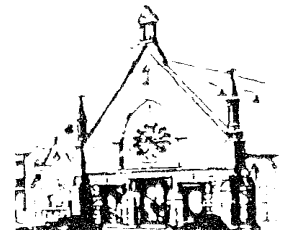




ST. BEDE'S AND ST. JAMES'



Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time –Year B Sunday 18th November 2018

St James' Church.

2 Woolley Street, Glebe

Weekday Masses

Wednesday & Friday: 9am

Sat: 8.30am

Sunday Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday: 9.30am

(Tongan Choir: 4th Sunday)

Children's Liturgy

1st Sunday of the month (St. James)

Confession (Reconciliation)

Saturday at 4pm (St. James)

Baptisms

2nd Sunday of the month at
12.15pm. Bookings required.

St Bede's Church

43 Pymont Street, Pymont

Sunday Mass Times

8am and 11am

Baptisms

3rd Sunday of the month at
12.00 noon. Bookings required.

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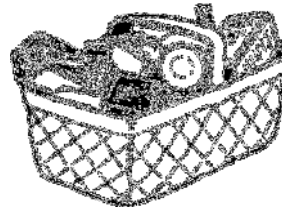
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St Vincent de Paul Society

good works



Parishioners of St James' and St Bede's are invited to prepare Christmas Hampers for needy households in our local area. Numbered cards with a family profile – varying from single people to families with children – are available for collection in the foyer today. You are invited to take a card and prepare a hamper for a specific household. Two or three parishioners may wish to cooperate and prepare a hamper for one large family.

The following suggestions may help you to put your hamper together:

- Hampers should be made up in one sturdy cardboard box; please help yourself to those provided in the foyer
- Your hamper should not be too heavy for one person to lift comfortably and carry (up several stairs in many cases)
- Do not include any perishables or chocolates. The hampers are stored in a room which is not air-conditioned
- Food items such as tinned fruit/veggies are appreciated
- Festive treats are also well received eg fruitcake, chips, sweets, shortbread, soft drink.
- Please do not include cigarettes or alcohol

Please return your clearly numbered hamper to either St Bede's or St James' by Sunday 9 **December 2018.**

60th Anniversary of Ordination Fr Denis Hallinan

Father Denis Hallinan will be celebrating the 9:30am Mass at St James next week, 25th November 2018.

There will be a morning tea after the 9:30am mass to celebrate the **60th anniversary** of Father Denis' ordination.

All parishioners and visitors are welcome.

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THE EPIPHANY PILGRIMAGE: THE JOURNEY OF THE MAGI

Are you looking for a different way to start the 2019 new year? Maybe to meet some new people, get fit and conclude the Christmas season on a spiritual high? The Epiphany Pilgrimage is a not-for-profit, 7 day, 110 km Catholic pilgrimage through the Blue Mountains which coincides with the Feast of the Epiphany. The pilgrimage begins at Emu Plains on 2 January, 2019 and finishes at Bell on 8 January, 2019.

Registrations for the full pilgrimage close 9 December with day walk registrations available on the day. For further information and to register see www.epiphanypilgrimage.org or for general information and current news see <https://www.facebook.com/epiphanypilgrimage/>.

ADVENT WOMEN'S RETREAT AT NOTRE DAME SYDNEY

On Saturday December 8 from 9am to 4:30pm, all women are invited to spend a day around the theme "My spirit rejoices in God my saviour." There will be Mass, Adoration, opportunities for Confession and three inspiring talks. Morning tea and lunch will be provided. The retreat is taking place at the Broadway Campus of the University of Notre Dame Australia. It is free, but registration is essential: 02 8204 4189 or online: www.trybooking.com/YRQW.

FOOTSTEPS OF ST. PAUL - PILGRIMAGE TO GREECE.

Journey with St. Paul as you relive the Acts of the Apostles and his letters from the New Testament following his footsteps on a 14-day pilgrimage to Greece departing on 14 of May, 2019. This pilgrimage features the saint's missionary through Athens, Corinth, Ephesus, Patmos, Crete, Santorini, Hosios Loukas, Thessaloniki, Philippi, Meteora for an all-inclusive price of \$5990. This all-inclusive fare includes a 3 Night Cruise with all meals + Stay Premium Hotels + All Breakfasts & Dinners + Return Airfares + Local Transfers+ Priests. For inquiries & bookings call 03 8839 6615 or email pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au.

A CHORAL CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION CONCERT

On Friday 14 December, St Mary's Cathedral will celebrate this special time of year with carols and an overwhelming feeling of Christmas joy for the annual, and much anticipated *A Choral Christmas Celebration* concert. There will be two performances at 11am & 7pm with tickets starting at \$20. Visit www.cathedralchoir.sydney/acc for more information.

SYDNEY CATHOLIC MEN'S MINISTRY NETWORK MEETING

Calling all Men! We all need the supportive brotherhood of other good men. Come and find out more about men's ministry in the Sydney archdiocese. Find out how you can start or join a local men's group in your area with support from us. Hosted by Bishop Richard Umbers, speakers include Tristan Ross, former lieutenant in the army and Ben Galea from Young Men of God. **Friday November 23**, 6.30pm Mass, 7.30pm Dinner, 8.30pm Presentations. St. Paul of the Cross Parish, 532 New Canterbury Rd, Dulwich Hill. **Register:** www.trybooking.com/431767 **More Info:** christopher.gordon@sydneycatholic.org

PRAY FOR THE PLENARY COUNCIL

Across Australia, Catholics are gathering to pray, talk and listen to one another about our experiences of faith and the Church. Many parishes within the Archdiocese have commenced their journey towards the Plenary Council 2020, sharing and reflecting on the future of the Catholic church in Australia. Please continue to pray for the community of the Sydney Archdiocese that we will respond well to the call of the Holy Spirit, by engaging in the preparatory phase of the Plenary with open and humble hearts, listening to what the Spirit is saying to each one of us as we share our experiences of faith towards the preparation of the agenda of the Plenary Council. The Plenary Council Prayer: <http://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/pray/>
Want to know more or on how to become involved, please contact 9390 5147 or email plenarycouncil@sydneycatholic.org

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST: THE CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF SYDNEY

Applications are invited for the opportunity to undertake the role of Property Officer, part of the Chancery Team located at the Polding Centre, Sydney. For further information, the advertisement for this role can be viewed at <https://catholicjobsonline.com.au/jobs/property-officer-sydney/>

Welcome to the Christian Community



ALIVIA HO-SU KIM
daughter of Min-Ku Kim & Su-Hyun Park.

FRIDA-ROSE SAHYOUN
daughter of Benjamin & Andrea Sahyoun,
sister to Harper-Lee & Frankie May

AUDREY TOGHER,
daughter of William Togher & Eimear McParland.

Baptised at St Bede's Pyrmont



 **Save the Date—Sunday 9th December 2018** 
at 2.30pm for the
St James and St Bede Parish Christmas Party

Readers for next Sunday, 25th November 2018

	St. James'	St. Bede's	St. James'	St. Bede's
	5pm	8am	9:30am	11am
First Reader	Alday Family	Tony Greene	Politoni Family	Robert Pak
Second Reader	Alday Family	Dominic Maunsell	Politoni Family	Sr Mary Leahy

Please pray for the sick:

James Price, Terrie Iglesias, Joh Lockhart, Dr Ron Morstyn, Karen Ingui, Guido Gianni, Peter Spillane, Mia Hoad, Audrey Tate, Elizabeth Fletcher, Neave Mackey, Patricia O'Leary, Gillian Ellis, John & June Ebert, Debbie Julius, Fran Campisi, Irene Malin, Fr. Michael Walsh, Bp Geoffrey Robinson, Kate Mara, Leslee Hoad-Mara, Lee Tillam, Kay White, family members, parishioners, friends.

Please pray for the deceased:

Jack Williams, Tran Thi Duc, James Fitzpatrick, Noel Prosser, Brian Hickey, Noreen Hayes, Anthony Creighton, Allan White, Georgia Hoad, Hazel O'Connor, Sam Tinman, Maria Lo, Sean & Pat Flanagan, Frank & Melina Galluzo, O'Connor family members & all the faithful departed Parishioners.

If you would like to add names to the "pray for the sick" or "pray for the deceased" lists, please contact the office. Please note that any names added for an anniversary to the pray for the deceased will remain for 4 weeks.



St Cecilia was a Roman martyr from the 3rd century, but little is known other than legend. A popular story from the 5th century describes Cecilia as a young Christian patrician who married a pagan named Valerian. Both he and his brother were baptised, but soon after were arrested and martyred. Cecilia buried them, and was then herself arrested.

When she refused to make a sacrifice to the Roman Gods, she was sentenced to death. Later, her house was dedicated as a church by Pope Urban. She became a popular patron of musicians due to a story from her wedding; as the music played, Cecilia sang in her heart to the Lord, "May my heart remain unsullied, so that I be not confounded."

When Jesus returns, God will send his angels to gather his chosen ones.

Write down the names of some people for the angels to gather.

FIND THE SECRET ANSWER

Help the angel find the hidden answer to this question "Who will know when the time is right for Jesus to return?" In the puzzle below, cross out any letter that appears four or more times. Then unscramble the remaining letters to complete the verse below.



B	M	G	S	N	D	V	K	P	Y	Z
J	W	Q	I	H	Z	O	S	W	E	V
P	C	T	B	V	Q	G	X	M	P	I
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L	U	O	K	S	J	B	K	C	D	R
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L	O	C	S	B	I	P	L	J	D	P
Z	U	Y	L	H	N	G	Q	A	W	K

ONLY _____ **KNOWS.**



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

COLLECT

Grant us, we pray, O Lord our God, the constant gladness of being devoted to you, for it is full and lasting happiness to serve with constancy the author of all that is good. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

FIRST READING

Daniel 12:1-3

'At that time Michael will stand up, the great prince who mounts guard over your people. There is going to be a time of great distress, unparalleled since nations first came into existence. When that time comes, your own people will be spared, all those whose names are found written in the Book. Of those who lie sleeping in the dust of the earth many will awake, some to everlasting life, some to shame and everlasting disgrace. The learned will shine as brightly as the vault of heaven, and those who have instructed many in virtue, as bright as stars for all eternity.'

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Keep me safe, O God: you are my hope.

SECOND READING

Hebrews 10:11-14, 18

All the priests stand at their duties every day, offering over and over again the same sacrifices which are quite incapable of taking sins away. Christ, on the other hand, has offered one single sacrifice for sins, and then taken his place for ever, at the right hand of God, where he is now waiting until his enemies are made into a footstool for him. By virtue of that one single offering, he has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is sanctifying. When all sins have been forgiven, there can be no more sin offerings.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Be watchful, and pray constantly, that you may be worthy to stand before the Son of Man. Alleluia!

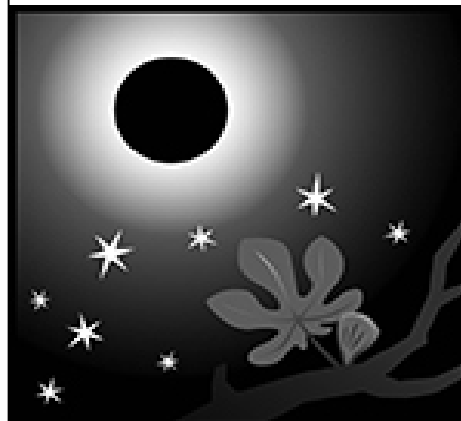
GOSPEL

Mark 13:24-32

Jesus said to his disciples: 'In those days, after the time of distress, the sun will be darkened, the moon will lose its brightness, the stars will come falling from heaven and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory; then too he will send the angels to gather his chosen from the four winds, from the ends of the world to the ends of heaven.

'Take the fig tree as a parable: as soon as its twigs grow supple and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. So with you, when you see these things happening: know that he is near, at the very gates. I tell you solemnly, before this generation has passed away all these things will have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

'But as for that day or hour, nobody knows it, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son; no one but the Father.'



NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven & earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Grant, O Lord, we pray, that what we offer in the sight of your majesty may obtain for us the grace of being devoted to you and gain us the prize of everlasting happiness.

Through Christ our Lord.

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION:

When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your death, O Lord, until you come again.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

We have partaken of the gifts of this sacred mystery, humbly imploring, O Lord, that what your Son commanded us to do in memory of him may bring us growth in charity. Through Christ our Lord.