



Weekly Bulletin

Mary, Queen of the Family Parish

St. Michael's Church - 58 Orwell Street, South Blacktown. & St. Patrick's Church - 51-59 Allawah Street, Blacktown.

We acknowledge the Darug people, the traditional custodians on whose land we worship

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT ~ YEAR B

18TH FEBRUARY 2024

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Mary Queen of the Family (MQOF) parish strives to live as a faithful and committed Catholic community, continuing to deepen in understanding the Sacred Tradition and Sacred Scripture of the Catholic Church and to grow as missionary disciples of Jesus Christ, evangelising and responding to the needs of the family in the Blacktown community and beyond.

LITURGY TIMES

Weekday Masses

St Michael's: 8am Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri
7.30pm Wed only

St Patrick's: 9am Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Sat and
7.30pm Fri only.

Sunday Masses

5.30pm Sat Vigil (St Patrick's)
7.00am Sun (St Patrick's)
8.00am Sun (St Michael's)
9.30am Sun (St Michael's)
10.00am Sun (St Patrick's)
11.00am 4th Sun - Filipino Mass (St Michael's)
2:00pm - Sudanese Mass (St Patrick's)
1.00pm - Syro-Malabar Mass (St Michael's)
5.30pm Sun (St Patrick's)
6.00pm Sun (St Michael's)

RECONCILIATION

St Michael's: Wed 6:30pm-7:20pm

St Patrick's: Fri 6:30pm-7:20pm &
Sat 9:30am-10:30am

HOLY HOUR

St Michael's: Wed 6:30pm-7:30pm

St Patrick's: Fri 6:30pm-7:30pm

Baptisms, Marriages, Funerals & Anointing of the Sick
by appointment.

Spirituality of Lenten Fast

Our Gospel narrates to us that Jesus prayed and fasted for forty days in the desert before He began His public ministry.

Fasting has become ambiguous in our time that many would no longer understand what fasting is all about. It would now simply mean not to eat. But what about those people who have nothing to eat, are they also fasting? Then, fasting could mean hunger, starvation and malnutrition imposed by severe poverty on millions of people around the world. If this is fasting, then, it is inhumane and humiliating kind of fasting.

Others may take fasting synonymous with diet. They reduce food intake to maintain their figure or weight. It may have vital reason for health, it could be a good fasting.

There are also religious adaptations on fasting. People may fast as an expression of regret for the past sins. Others may fast to gain strength of self control over inordinate passions or may fast as an imitation of Jesus' own 40 day fasting in the wilderness.

Yet, Jesus is teaching us the best fasting that we could ever have. This is spiritual fasting of the heart. This is abstaining from sin. So, Jesus said, how can you fast when the Bridegroom is still with you, when the Bridegroom is taken away, it is time for you to fast. When Christ is with us, we live in grace and in His love, we do not have to fast. But when Christ is taken away because of hypocrisy and sin, we need to fast. It is sin that separates us from Jesus. Sin is what we need to abstain from, we have to starve our hypocrisy, pride, greed, selfishness, anger, jealousy and all forms of evil inclinations.

We must leave sin behind in order that we may be able to come back to God and live in His presence.

Fr. Evergisto Bernaldez

Parish Directory

St. Michael's Church - 58 Orwell Street, South Blacktown &
St. Patrick's Church - 51-59 Allawah Street Blacktown.

Parish Office: At St. Patrick's Church. Office Hours: Mon-Fri: 9am-4pm
Telephone: 02 9622 1125 A/H: 02 8705 0830.
Website: www.mqofblacktown.org.au Email: admin@mqofblacktown.org.au

Parish Team:

Parish Priest: Fr. Regie Lavilla, MSP.

Assistant Priests: Fr. Ever Bernaldez, MSP & Fr. Andrew Rooney

Deacon: Rev. John Cinya.

Finance Officer: Sarah Canete-Damole Email: accounts@mqofblacktown.org.au

Secretaries: Ann Hart (Wed-Fri) & Gerald "Ged" Oblea (Mon & Tues)

Email: admin@mqofblacktown.org.au

Sacramental Coordinator: Gerald "Ged" Oblea. Mobile: 0422 724 008

Email: sacraments@mqofblacktown.org.au

Catechist Coordinator: Sandra Baker

Parish Pastoral Council: Chair: Cecil Fernandes; Asst Chair: Joshua Carr Secretary: Savita Surendra
Members: Beato Pudadera, Ekhlash Ambili, Erica Luiz, Harlane Petersen, Helena Vea, Sidney Lazum,
Fr. Regie Lavilla, Fr. Andrew Rooney, Fr. Ever Bernaldez, Rev. John Cinya.

Parish Schools:

St Michael's Primary:

P : 8869 6200 <https://www.stmichaelsblacktown.catholic.edu.au>

St Patrick's Primary:

P : 8869 6000 <https://www.stpatsblacktown.catholic.edu.au>

Nagle College:

P : 8887 4507 <https://www.nagleblacktown.catholic.edu.au>

Patrician Brothers College:

P : 8811 0300 <https://www.patsblacktown.nsw.edu.au>

Catholic Early Learning Centre (St Michael's) :

P : 8814 8406 <https://www.ceclblacktownst.catholic.edu.au>

Nursing Homes:

Opal Nursing Home (37 Kildare Rd, Blacktown NSW 2148) P : 9852 9600

Mulluana Retirement Village (61 Bungarribee Rd, Blacktown NSW 2148) P : 8822 2100

Catholic Healthcare St Hedwig Village Blacktown (140 Reservoir Rd, Blacktown 2148) P: 8822 9920

OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

FORMED - PARISH FORMATION RESOURCE



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TO
MARY, QUEEN OF THE FAMILY
PARISH, BLACKTOWN

We are a welcoming parish... you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected by the Catholic Community of Mary, Queen of the Family. If you are not an active member of this Community, consider partaking in what we have to offer. We serve the Community through outreach, education, social activities, sacramental preparation, youth and comfort to the sick and mourning. In addition to our spiritual and outreach organisations, perchance you have an interest in joining one of our many liturgical ministries such as: Minister of Holy Communion, Reader/Commentator, Welcomer, Collectors, Minister of DVP/Power Point, Catechists etc.

Volunteers are formally registered by filling out a *Join a Ministry* form that is then entered into the parish data system (*information supplied remains confidential*). These forms are available from the parish office or in the church foyer, or for further information call the Parish Office on 9622 1125. ~ *The Parish Team*



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Mary Queen of the Family ~ Parish Mission...

- * Grow as missionary disciples of Jesus Christ.
- * Deepen our understanding of the Sacred Tradition & Scriptures of the Catholic Church.
- * Strive to live as a faithful & committed Catholic community.
- * Evangelise and respond to the needs of the family in the Blacktown community and beyond.



Objectives To Meet Our Mission at Mary Queen Of The Family Parish...

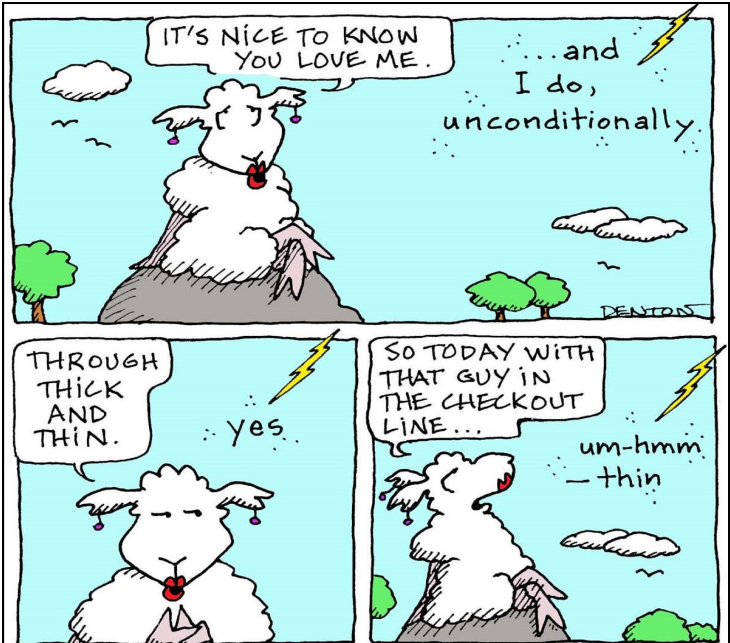
WORSHIP ~ Practice the right forms of Worship.

WORD ~ Increase the Biblical literacy in the Parish.

WALL ~ Building our community.



SUNDAY FLOCK



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"I will recall the covenant I have made between me and you and all living beings."

Sheepish Question:

How do I respond to God's loving promise of salvation?

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT ~ YEAR B

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: PSALM 90:15-16

When he calls on me, I will answer him; I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days.

FIRST READING: GENESIS 9:8-15

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: PS 24:4-9. R. SEE V.10

R ~ Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

SECOND READING: 1 PETER 3:18-22

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Matthew 4:4

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory! No one lives on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

GOSPEL: Mark 1:12-15

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the wilderness and he remained there for forty days, and was tempted by Satan. He was with the wild beasts, and the angels looked after him. After John had been arrested, Jesus went into Galilee. There he proclaimed the Good News from God. 'The time has come' he said 'and the kingdom of God is close at hand. Repent, and believe the Good News.'

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: Matthew 4:4

One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

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ELEMENTS OF THE CATHOLIC MASS

Episode 22: The Book of Gospels

SUMMARY

The Church teaches that the proclamation of the Gospel is the high point of the Liturgy of the Word, the first part of Mass. The Gospel is so significant that the Church has a special book that contains just those words. The Book of Gospels, the repository for the Word of Christ, is another symbol of the Lord present to the church. Since it is his own word, the proclamation of the Gospel is honoured with a kiss and candles and incense as if it were Christ himself.

This is why the Book of Gospels is carried in procession. It precedes those who by virtue of Holy Orders are more closely conformed to Christ. This is also why the Book is placed flat on the altar, which is another symbol of Christ. The altar receives the Word of Christ as it receives his Body.

The proclamation of the Gospel during Mass is always the Deacon's responsibility, a ministerial role. It is a role that differs from the preaching of the homily.

As the Gospel is proclaimed, let us also honor it by receiving it in our hearts, allowing it to take root and to bear fruit in our lives.

The Roman Missal

The reading of the Gospel constitutes the high point of the Liturgy of the Word. The Liturgy itself teaches the great reverence that is to be shown to this reading by setting it off from the other readings with special marks of honour, by the fact of which minister is appointed to proclaim it and by the blessing or prayer with which he prepares himself.

General Instruction, n^o. 60

IN THE TRADITION

"But how can they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how can they believe in him of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone to preach? And how can people preach unless they are sent? As it is written, 'How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!'"

Revelation 10:14-15

THE TEACHING OF THE CHURCH

"The Gospels are the heart of all Scriptures 'because they are our principal source for the life and teaching of the Incarnate Word, our Saviour.'"

Catechism of the Catholic Church, n^o. 125

IN THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

All Bless your faithful, we pray, O Lord, with a blessing that endures for ever, and keep them faithful to the Gospel of your Only Begotten Son, so that they may always desire and at last attain that glory whose beauty he showed in his own Body, to the amazement of his Apostles.

Prayer over the People, Second Sunday of Lent

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FEAST DAYS



Thursday 22 February—The Chair of St. Peter.

Peter is considered the foundation of the Christian Church, which is now a symbol that his Chair represents. In honour of his service to the Church, a day of the Feast was celebrated, right from the earliest days of Christianity.

DAILY READINGS

Monday 19th Feb: Leviticus 19:1-2. 11-18 ; Matthew 25:31-46.

Tuesday 20th Feb: Isaiah 55:10-11 ; Matthew 6:7-15 .

Wednesday 21st Feb: Jon 3:1-10 ; Lk 11:29-32.

Thursday 22nd Feb: 1 Peter 5:1-4 ; Matthew 16:13-19 .

Friday 23rd Feb: Ezekiel 18:21-28 ; Matthew 5:20-26 .

Saturday 24th Feb: Deuteronomy 26:16-19 ; Matthew 5:43-48 .

Sunday 25th Feb: Genesis 22:1-2. 9-13. 15-18 ; Romans 8:31-34 ; Mark 9:2-10.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN OUR COMMUNITY

RECENTLY DECEASED

Nina Carmen Gatt

DEATH ANNIVERSARY

Elsie Lobo

IN MEMORIUM

Rosellina Ryan, , Raymond Hall, Nicanor Pascual, Rex Scott, Harilyn Macabulos Nalapo, Librada Paule Macabulos, Fausta Gutierrez Paule, Joe Aquilina, Meilak Family, Terry Laming, Luzvisminda, Isidro Jr.

SICK

Trevor Anthony, Peter Delange, Cristina King, Edna Canete, Jonathan Nucup, Meghan De Vos, Mila Alforque, Christel Gonzalez, Faustina Sandot, Barbara Greany, Angela Radacic, Michael Flanjack.

Names submitted to Parish for the sick list will be published for 4 weeks at a time.

Mass intentions can be requested online by following the link below:

<https://www.mqofblacktown.org/mass-intention-or-offering-request>

THE SACRAMENTS & MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

SACRAMENT OF INITIATION



Parents wishing to have their children baptised are to contact the parish office prior to attending a Baptism workshop. The next workshop will on Saturday 2nd March 2024 - St. Patrick's Church.

For more information please logon to our website:
<https://mqofblacktown.org.au/sacraments/#baptism>

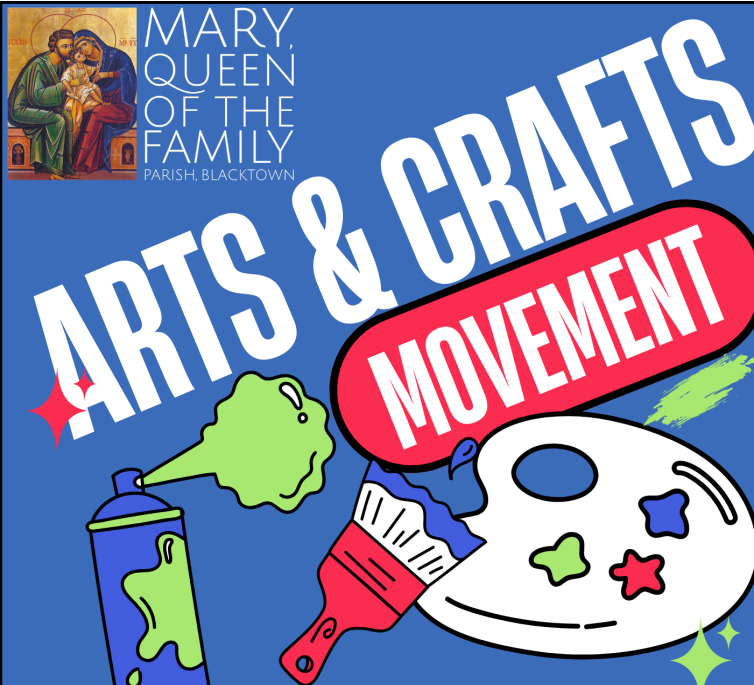
With joyful hearts, we welcome our newly Baptised to our parish community:
Jairus Caros & Roman Pennington

SACRAMENTAL PROCESS AT THE PARISH

Registrations for Sacramental processes NOW OPEN!
 Follow the below link for more information about our sacramental process: <https://mqofblacktown.org.au/sacraments/>
 If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact our sacramental coordinator on the details below:
 Gerald "Ged" Oblea (Sacramental Coordinator)
 Mary Queen of the Family Parish Blacktown.
 Email: sacraments@mqofblacktown.org.au
 Ph: 02 9622 1125 – option 4 Mobile: 0422 724 008



ARTS & CRAFTS MOVEMENT



The Arts & Crafts activities will include: Learning sewing embroidery stitches, Show & Tell of works, Sewing, Crocheting, Knitting, and Embroidery. Other activities are Pattern Making, Sewing, Pot Making. Please, note all sessions are free. Materials are provided or you may bring your own materials.

**EVERY
FRIDAY**

AT 10:00AM-12:00PM
 CARDINAL CLANCEY ROOM - ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH
 51 - 59 ALLAWAH STREET BLACKTOWN

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: NOEMI ROMERO - 0475 798 770

PASTORAL CARE FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Our clergy and pastoral care ministers bring the sacraments of Eucharist, reconciliation, and anointing of the sick to members who are unable to participate because of illness or aging. For more information and to arrange receiving of the sacraments, please contact the Parish Office on 9622 1125 or after office hours number 02 8705 0830.



PARISH GROUPS

BIBLE STUDY GROUP



Contact: Richard Desa, richarddesa@bigpond.com
Meeting Time and Venue: Every Thursday, 7:30pm at Sid Mosley Centre St. Michael's Church.

HOLY FAMILY FELLOWSHIP PRAYER GROUP

Contact: Charles Hyson, 0412 631 602, www.holyfamilyfellowship.com
Meeting Time and Venue: Every 2nd Saturday 6:30pm-9:30pm at Sid Mosley Centre, St Michael's Church.

JOSEPHITE COMPANIONS



Contact: Antoinette Mangion, 0414 735 943
Meeting Time and Venue: Every 3rd Monday of the month, 10:00 am at Cardinal Clancy room, St Patrick's Church

LEGION OF MARY ST MICHAEL'S



Contact: Noemi Romero, 0475 798 770 (for statue bookings)
Meeting Time and Venue: Every Thursday, 1:00pm – 2:30pm at Sid Mosley Centre, St Michael's Church.

LEGION OF MARY ST PATRICK'S



Contact: Doris Zammit, 0419 274 002 (for statue bookings)
Meeting Time and Venue: Every Monday, 6:30pm at Cardinal Clancy room, St Patrick's Church.

MARIAN MOVEMENT OF PRIESTS



Contact: Max Rosario, 0490 137 533
Meeting Time and Venue: Monday 9:30am-10:30am at Sid Mosley Centre, St Michael's Church. All are welcome!

MQOF SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP



Contact: Jude Besterwitsch, 0435 588 309
Meeting Time and Venue: 2nd Sunday of every month, 12pm–2pm at Cardinal Clancy room, St Patrick's Church

ROSARY GROUP



Contact: Diane Zerafa, 0403 554 566
Meeting Time and Venue: Every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday after the 8am Mass, at St Michael's church.

CATECHIST MINISTRY



Contact: Sandra Baker
admin@mqofblacktown.org.au
 For More Information please contact our the parish office.

TEHILLAH COMMUNITY



Contact: Ash & Rozario Fernando , 0416 861 976 or 0412 195 916
Meeting Time and Venue: Every 2nd & 4th Saturday (school term) between 2pm - 4pm at the Cardinal Clancy Room, St Patrick's Church.

TRUE LIFE IN GOD PRAYER GROUP



Contact: Diane Zerafa, 0403 554 566
Meeting Time and Venue: 3.00pm every second Saturday of the month at Sid Mosley Centre St Michael's Church

YOUTH MINISTRY



Contact: Parish Office
admin@mqofblacktown.org.au
 For More Information please contact our Youth Minister through the parish office.

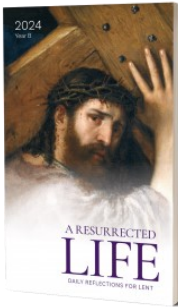
PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Stations of the Cross will be held on Fridays during Lent at St Patrick's Church at 6:30pm followed by Mass at 7:30pm All are encouraged to attend!

LENT REFLECTION RESOURCE - A RESURRECTED LIFE



Available from the Piety Store for \$7.00 each 2024 Lent Resource, A Resurrected Life.

A Resurrected Life will invite you to believe in the extraordinary hope that the Gospel bears — a hope grounded in a God who transfigures our wounds, which become fountains of healing and life for those around us and for the world.

CARITAS ~ PROJECT COMPASSION



This year, Project Compassion brings you the stories of three



resilient women from three different corners of the world. They are facing vastly different challenges, but are all united by one dream: to create a better tomorrow for all future generations.



Meet Ronita from the Philippines. Ronita is a mother of two young boys living in a slum in Quezon City. She went back to school to finish her education so that she could earn income to support her children.

Meet Leaia from Samoa. Not having access to a reliable source of clean water was very difficult for Leaia and her family. But, with the support of Caritas Australia, a water tank was installed at their home, improving their health and living conditions.

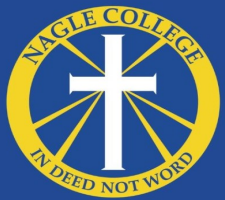
Meet Memory from Malawi. Memory, the eldest daughter from a rural Malawian family, trained to become a carpenter and is now a trailblazer for future generations of women in her village.



Throughout Project Compassion, you will get to know the stories of Ronita, Leaia and Memory. Journey with them as they forge a path to a brighter future for all generations.

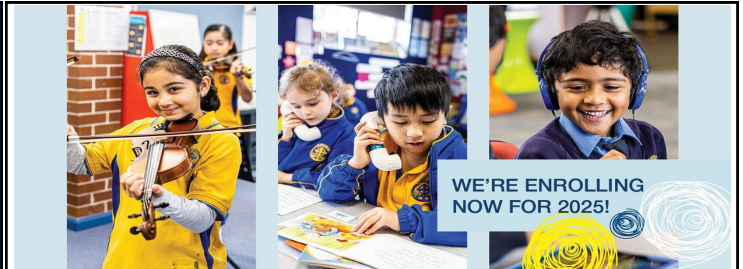
Please donate to Project Compassion. You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your parish, by visiting caritas.org.au/project-compassion or by calling 1800 024 413.

OUR PARISH CATHOLIC SCHOOLS OPEN DAYS & ENROLMENT DETAILS



NAGLE COLLEGE
OPEN DAY
Where Dreams Take Flight
20 FEBRUARY 2024
9:30AM - 2:30PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:
p | 02 8887 4500 w | nagleblacktown.catholic.edu.au



WE'RE ENROLLING NOW FOR 2025!



At St Michael's, we provide an education that is meaningful, relevant and innovative. With a wide range of opportunities including academic, extracurricular and sporting activities such as Strings and Drama, we have lots on offer! We're enrolling now for 2025 and invite registrations now. Learn more here: <http://www.stmichaelsblacktown.catholic.edu.au/.../Tours...>



PATRICIAN BROTHERS' COLLEGE
OPEN DAY
TUESDAY 5 MARCH 2024
ENROL NOW FOR 2025

Join us at our Open Evening to witness how we empower students for academic success and personal growth.

SESSION ONE 4:00PM -5:30PM
SESSION TWO 5:30PM -7:00PM

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Contact the College Office on 8811 0300 for more information.
100 FLUSHCOMBE ROAD, BLACKTOWN



WE'RE ENROLLING NOW FOR 2025!



At St Patrick's, we are a welcoming and inclusive school community where we foster a lifelong passion for learning. With a range of creative arts, sports and social justice activities, our school has so much to offer! We're enrolling now for 2025 and invite registrations now. Learn more here: <http://www.stpatsblacktown.catholic.edu.au/.../Tours->

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

YOUNG ADULTS FAITH FORMATION

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Join Monica Doumit to discuss **HOW TO SPEAK ABOUT 'HOT TOPICS' IN THE PUBLIC SPHERE** followed by fun, fellowship and pizza



For adults 18-35 **SUN 3RD MARCH 7:00-8:30**
The Hustle Unit 4
4-6 Purdy St Minchinbury **Suggested donation: \$5**

SYDNEY CATHOLIC SINGLES

Sydney Catholic Singles meetup group

ALL AGES WELCOME!



Please scan QR code to join the group or search 'Sydney Catholic Singles' on Meetup.com

MQOF SOCIAL JUSTICE GROUP



Mary's Pantry will be putting up Lenten Giving Trees from W/E 17th & 18th February. Your donations will go to help those who are doing it tough in our community and beyond. Thank you for your generosity.

Thank you for continuing to support the MQOF Social Justice Group 10 cents bottle collection.

Please come and join us for a cuppa and a chat at Mary's Café we are open every Wednesday after the 9am Mass in the Cardinal Clancy Room.

All are welcome!!



CHURCH MAINTENANCE UPDATE

St Patrick's Church – Raise the Roof Project



We have received a couple of quotes and waiting for 2 more quotes from roofers recommended by the Diocese, and then we will meet with the Head of the Property section of the Diocese to finalise the roof and ceiling refurbishment of our St Patrick's church. We have also received the cash settlement from Catholic Church Insurance, which amount augment our roof and ceiling repair funding, (inclusive of donation), to \$198,585.00

We are thankful to CCI, our donors and to those who are still considering... only your continued support can make the roof of the House of God refurbished!

St Michael's Church – Maintenance Projects

We are waiting from a volunteer architect the design and costing of our Sanctuary lightings. Once available we will post it here – if you are in the position to help financially, please talk to one of our priests or call the office on 02 9622 1125. All donations are welcome!

HOW TO DONATE: Scan the QR code to donate or logon to the following link (<https://www.mqofblacktown.org/make-a-donation-or-payment>) Please type in the description field what you are making the donation towards. E.g. Roof

If you wish to make a donation through another method of giving please do not hesitate to contact the Parish Office on 9622 1125.



PLEASE CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING

You can also support the parish by using our **Tap & Go Machine**. The machine is set at \$10, to donate more than \$10 simply tap your credit card as many times as you like. It also accepts Apple Pay, Google Pay and Pay Wave. All contributions go to the maintenance and development of the Parish as does the second collection at weekend Masses.



Planned Giving (Direct Debit or Credit Card) is also an option if you wish to do cashless donation to the parish, forms are available in the foyer and on our parish website or contact the parish office on 9622 1125.

Setting up a one-time or recurring donation/Planned Giving is quick and easy. Just go to: www.mqofblacktown.org.au/donations.

You can also send your offerings/donations thru bank transfer:

FIRST COLLECTION: For the Diocesan Clergy

Account Name: Diocesan Clergy
Bank: CBA BSB: 067 950 Account Number: 0000 4265
Reference: 6004 - Donor's Name

SECOND COLLECTION: For the Parish

Account Name: Blacktown Catholic Church
Bank: CBA BSB: 067 950 Account Number: 0000 0677
Reference: 6004 ~ Donor's name

If you encounter any issues signing up, please email Sarah at accounts@mqofblacktown.org.au. Thank you so much for your continued support our parish. We are grateful!

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2024

World Day of Prayer 2024

Palestine



Date & Time: 1st MARCH 2024
10:00am

Location: ST MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
58 ORWELL STREET BLACKTOWN

Contact person: MARY QUEEN OF THE FAMILY
PARISH OFFICE 9622 1125

The World Day of Prayer is an international ecumenical Christian laywomen's initiative. It is run under the motto "Informed Prayer and Prayerful Action," and is celebrated annually in over 170 countries on the first Friday in March.

Join us at St. Michael's Church on Friday 1st March 2024 from 10.00am

All Welcome To Attend!

OPEN DAY - OUR LADY OF MERCY COLLEGE



OLMC PARRAMATTA OPEN DAY

Sunday, 3 March | 9.00am - 3.00pm

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Mitchell High School Host Families Needed

Mitchell High School will be hosting Japanese students from 22nd - 26th March 2024.

Share your lifestyle & home whilst experiencing another culture.

- Students attend school on weekdays and enjoy family life with you on the weekend
- Japanese language is not necessary.
- Students just fit in with your family routines - eat your food, they need their own bed but can share a room.
- Families are paid \$50 per night per student

If you can assist in hosting a student or would like more information, please contact.....

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*will need school results appropriate to completing the course.

For further information contact:
Mark @ 0417 181 228.



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We'd love to hear from you!
business.ablechoice@gmail.com



Contact : 0288097084**

*We can help you with information to meet NDIA, Aged Care, ATO and our Company Policy standards.
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