

MINISTRY ROSTER - NOVEMBER

Please see the roster for the month of November
If you have any concerns or cannot attend your rostered day, please see Fr Bernie or call 9369 9328.

4 - 5 November (Week 1)				
Ministry	6pm Vigil	8.30am	10.00am	6.00pm
Altar Serving	Barry Blake	Anthony Spratt	Celina Seeto	-
Proclaimer of Word	Margaret Blake	Sally Crane	Genevieve Roberts	Elizabeth Rosa
Eucharist Minister	Cameron Ward	Fran Laura Neeson	Laura Neeson Jackie Durkin	Katy Smith
Hospitality	Clare Cinhvu	Phyllis Spratt Margaret Duncan	Jackie Durkin Eddie Seeto	Kathy Reilly
11 - 12 November (Week 2)				
Ministry	6pm Vigil	8.30am	10.00am	6.00pm
Altar Serving	Barry Blake	Anthony Spratt	Celina Seeto Christian Abruzzese	-
Proclaimer of Word	Margaret Blake	Bernadette O'Connor	Bianca Abruzzese	Katy Smith
Eucharist Minister	Vincent Conroy	Gaye Zammit Michelle Byrne	Dominic Abruzzese Eddie Seeto	Mandy Petherbridge
Hospitality	Warren	Phyllis Spratt Michelle Byrne	Laura Neeson Eddie Seeto	Kathy Reilly
18 - 19 November (Week 3)				
Ministry	6pm Vigil	8.30am	10.00am	6.00pm
Altar Serving	Barry Blake	Anthony Spratt	Celina Seeto Christian Abruzzese	-
Proclaimer of Word	Margaret Blake	Trisha Brookes	Annabella Abruzzese	Sally Crane
Eucharist Minister	Barry Anderson	Kevin Brookes Margaret Kelly	Tony Abruzzese Alison Abruzzese	Joy Pertile
Hospitality	Clare Cinhvu	Margaret Duncan Grainne Tierney-Reed	Jackie Durkin Eddie Seeto	Kathy Reilly
25 - 26 November (Week 4)				
Ministry	6pm Vigil	8.30am	10.00am	6.00pm
Altar Serving	Barry Blake	Anthony Spratt	Celina Seeto	-
Proclaimer of Word	Margaret Blake	Rory Reed	Des Durkin	Mary McCafferty
Eucharist Minister	Cameron Ward	Fran Laura Neeson	Genevieve Roberts Gisella Musumeci	Elizabeth Rosa
Hospitality	Warren	Phyllis Spratt Margaret Duncan	Laura Neeson Eddie Seeto	Kathy Reilly

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Waverley Parish will be a sign of God's love for all people by being a welcoming and caring community which embraces the Gospel of Jesus in the spirit of St. Francis and St. Clare of Assisi.

We acknowledge the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which we stand. We walk on a land once occupied by the Gadigal people of the Eora nation. May we continue to love and respect the land as they have.

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Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

4 - 5 November 2017

GOSPEL: JOHN 10:11-16

'I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Forsake me not, O Lord, my God;
be not far from me!
Make haste and come to my help,
O Lord, my strong salvation!

FIRST READING: MALACHI 1:14 - 2:2. 8-10

Israel's unworthy priests are blamed; for not listening to God they mislead the people

I am a great King, says the Lord of hosts, and my name is revered among the nations. And now, O priests, this command is for you. If you will not listen, if you will not lay it to heart to give glory to my name, says the Lord of hosts, then I will send the curse on you and I will curse your blessings; indeed I have already cursed them, because you do not lay it to heart.

But you have turned aside from the way; you have caused many to stumble by your instruction; you have corrupted the covenant of Levi, says the Lord of hosts, and so I make you despised and abased before all the people, inasmuch as you have not kept my ways but have shown partiality in your instruction. Have we not all one father? Has not one God created us? Why then are we faithless to one another, profaning the covenant of our ancestors?

The Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 131

O Lord, my heart is not proud
nor haughty my eyes.
I have not gone after things too great
nor marvels beyond me.

Truly I have set my soul
in silence and peace.

A weaned child on its mother's breast,
even so is my soul.

O Israel, hope in the Lord
both now and for ever.

FOR 8:30AM & 10AM SUNDAY MASS

In you, Lord, I have found my peace.



SECOND READING: ROMANS 12:3-13

A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans
For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think, but to think with sober judgement, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. For as in one body we have many members, and not all the members have the same function, so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in teaching; the exhorter, in exhortation; the giver, in generosity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honour. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
You have one Father, your Father in heaven;
you have one teacher: the Lord Jesus Christ.
Alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

You will show me the path of life,
the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.

WEEKDAY READINGS

Mon 6 Nov	Romans 11:29-36	Luke 14:12-14
Tues 7 Nov	Romans 12:5-16	Luke 14:15-24
Wed 8 Nov	Romans 13:8-10	Luke 14:25-33
Thu 9 Nov	Ezekiel 47:1-2. 8-9. 12	John 2:13-22
Fri 10 Nov	Romans 15:14-21	Luke 16:1-8
Sat 11 Nov	Romans 16:3-9. 16. 22-27	Luke 16:9-15

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

Wisdom 6:12-16	Ps 62:2-8
1 Thessalonians 4:13-18	Matthew 25:1-13

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ST CHARLES BORROMEO

The name of Charles Borromeo is associated with reform. He lived during the time of the Protestant Reformation, and had a hand in the reform of the whole Church during the final years of the Council of Trent.

Although he belonged to the Milanese nobility and was related to the powerful Medici family, Charles desired to devote himself to the Church. In 1559, when his uncle, Cardinal de Medici was elected Pope Pius IV, he made Charles cardinal-deacon and administrator of the Archdiocese of Milan. At the time Charles was still a layman and a young student. Because of his intellectual qualities Charles was entrusted with several important offices connected with the Vatican, and later appointed secretary of state with responsibility for the papal states. The untimely death of his elder brother brought Charles to a definite decision to be ordained a priest, despite his relatives' insistence that he marry. Soon after being ordained a priest at age 25, Borromeo was consecrated bishop of Milan.

Working behind the scenes, Saint Charles deserves the credit for keeping the Council of Trent in session when at several points it was on the verge of breaking up. Borromeo encouraged the pope to renew the Council in 1562, after it had been suspended for 10 years. He took upon himself the task of the entire correspondence during the final phase. Because of his work at the Council, Borromeo was unable to take up residence in Milan until the Council concluded.

Eventually, Borromeo was allowed to devote his time to the Archdiocese of Milan, where the religious and moral picture was far from bright. The reform needed in every phase of Catholic life among both clergy and laity was initiated at a provincial council of all the bishops under him. Specific regulations were drawn up for bishops and other clergy: If the people were to be converted to a better life, Borromeo had to be the first to give a good example and renew their apostolic spirit.

Charles took the initiative in giving a good example. He allotted most of his income to charity, forbade himself all luxury, and imposed severe penances upon himself. He sacrificed wealth, high honours, esteem, and influence to become poor. During the plague and famine of 1576, Borromeo tried to feed 60,000 to 70,000 people daily. To do this he borrowed large sums of money that required years to repay. Whereas the civil authorities fled at the height of the plague, he stayed in the city, where he ministered to the sick and the dying, helping those in want. Work and the heavy burdens of his high office began to affect Archbishop Borromeo's health, leading to his death at the age of 46.

A PRAYER BY ST CHARLES BORROMEO

Almighty God,
you have generously made known to human beings
the mysteries of your life
through Jesus Christ your Son in the Holy Spirit.

Enlighten my mind to know these mysteries
which your Church treasures and teaches.
Move my heart to love them
and my will to live in accord with them.
Give me the ability to teach this Faith to others
without pride,
without ostentation,
and without personal gain.

Let me realize that I am simply your instrument
for bringing others to the knowledge
of the wonderful things you have done
for all your creatures.
Help me to be faithful to this task that you have entrusted to me.
Amen.



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.

Amen.

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.
On the third day he rose again from the dead,
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand
of God the Father almighty,
From there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.

Amen.

Mass Times

Monday - Friday: 9:15am

Saturday: 9:15am, 9:45 - 10:15am
Reconciliation & 6pm Vigil

Sunday: 8:30am, 10am & 6pm

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LET US PRAY FOR...

Those who are sick: Nicola Jarman, Margaret Jones, Teresa Wong, Terry Dodds, Damian Johnson, Lorraine Ladd-Hudson, Maria Alves, Joanne Macrae, Audrey Moran, Catherine Davis, Sr Francis Murphy osc, William Beaudoin, Denis Lindsay, Albert Miu, Jett Jarvis, Grazia Mafodda, Ana Letec, Helene Beazley, Wayne Townson, Dick See, Jessica Amelia, Behan Kahler, Kathleen Schlink, Bob Lloyd, Archbishop Anthony Fisher, Stan Vesper, Rosa Maria Santos, Maria Kiely, Ann Thomas (Fr Bernie's Mum), Gary Shipton, Kim Roper, Br Stan Cusack, Joan Roberts, Hernan Enrique Caceres, Veronica Chavez, Maria Sol Montel, Veronica Rodriguez, Luz Alejandra Bringas, Carolina Silvia Brizuela Perez, Rodolfo Martin Arruabarrena, Joan Dunsmore, Patricia Byrne, James Town, Alex Georgeandis, James Elliott,

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Allan Smith, Patricia Beaves, Quintana Family, Kathleen Synnoit, Antonio Guerreiro, Domenico Mazza & Family, Salvatore Gabriele & Family, Concettina (Connie) Trefilo,

Those recently deceased: Sr Mary Francis (Molly) Daly, Liliana Alessi, Kathleen Elliott

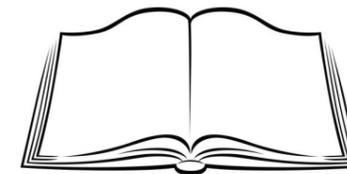
NEWS AND NOTICES

LOURDES DAY MASS 2017

The Order of Malta NSW invites you to the Lourdes Day Mass on Saturday 2 December at 10:00am at St Mary's Cathedral, Sydney. This Mass is for the sick and fragile in our community.

THE BOOK OF REMEBERANCE

This will be available from this weekend, 28 October 2017. Write the names of your beloved dead into the Book of Remembrance and, during November, the priests will offer Mass for the names nominated on each day. Please PRINT NAMES one name per line.



CEMETERY MASS FOR DECEASED

The Botany Cemetery Mass for the deceased will be celebrated in the South Chapel, Eastern Suburbs Memorial Gardens & Crematorium, Botany, on Saturday, 11 November 2017 at 11 am.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

To keep the costs down for purchasing envelopes, we have had to reallocate some envelope numbers. The current series of planned giving envelopes finished last weekend. The next series starts This weekend, 5 November. Please collect your next series of envelopes promptly at the back of the Church. Please make sure, from this Sunday, 5 November you ONLY use your new envelopes to avoid complications with taxation receipts. Thank you for your support

POSITIONS VACANT

Sacramental Coordinator, Our Lady of Fatima Parish, Kingsgrove. Permanent part time position working 20 hours per week. For info visit www.catholicjobsonline.com.au or contact Anthony Spata on 0402 210 055. Applications close 15 Nov.

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