



Our Lady of Victories Horsley Park

Under the Pastoral Care of the Congregation of St Michael the Archangel
Celebrating Community



Our Lady Of Victories
Catholic Parish
1788 The Horsley Drive, Horsley Park

Our Lady Queen of Peace
215 Western Road, Kemps Creek

We pay our respects and acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land. May we walk gently and respectfully upon the land.

Parish Priest
Fr Dominik Karnas CSMA

Assistant Priest
Fr Marek Okarma CSMA

Pastoral Associate / Parish
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Mary Farrell

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Mass Times
Horsley Park:
Mon-Fri: 8.30am Rosary,
9.00am Morning Mass
Saturday: 6.00pm
Sunday: 8.00am, 10.00am, 6.00pm

Reconciliation:
Mon - Fri: 8.30am-8.50am
Saturday 5.15pm-5.45pm
At other times by appointment.

Enquiries regarding other Sacraments:
Please ring during office hours.

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Principal: Mrs Julie Straub

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06 November 2022

THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C

The death of a loved one is very hard to accept. As Christians, though, we believe that physical death is not the end - we believe in the resurrection. Just as Jesus died and rose from the dead, so we too will rise again. This is a certainty of faith that gives meaning to life. Death is not the end of the story. Our Christian faith is marked by the joy and hope that ultimately resting in God will bring. We express this firm faith as we gather around the table of our Risen Lord.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Let my prayer come into your presence.
Incline your ear to my cry for help, O Lord.

FIRST READING: 2 Maccabees 7 : 1-2, 9-14
The king of the world will receive us into life eternal at the resurrection.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Psalm 16 : 1, 5-6, 8, 15

RESPONSE: Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full.

SECOND READING: 2 Thessalonians 2 : 16 - 3 : 5
May the Lord strengthen you in everything good that you do or say.

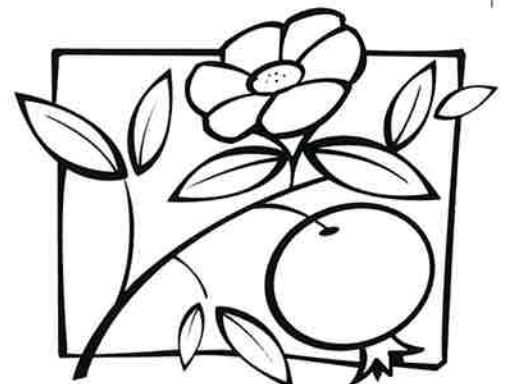
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia! Alleluia!
Jesus Christ is the firstborn of the dead;
glory and kingship be his for ever and ever.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Luke 20 : 27-38
He is not a God of the dead but of the living.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.
Fresh and green are the pastures
where he gives me response,
near restful waters he leads me.



They are the children of the resurrection.



**WE PRAY FOR OUR
DECEASED RELATIVES
& FRIENDS:**

ABELA Sal, Mary, Carmelo, Tony, Doris,
ACOSTA Flory, Anthony, Nikudin, Nene,
Cele, Ramon, AGIUS Charles, Georgina,
ALLEN Joan, ANDERSON Alexander,
Douglas, Violet, AQUILINA Nicholas,
Antonia, Lina, Grace, Maurice, Joseph, John,
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BARLAW Melvin, BARTOLO Charlie,
BEZZINA John, Margarita, Sam, Mary, Luke,
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Teresa, Stefano, BOLZAN Angelo, Florinda,
BONANNO Joseph, John, Maryanne, Sam,
Tony, BORG Joe, BUSLUTTL Mary, Charlie,
CALLEGARI Angelo, Erica, Giacomo,
CAMILLERI Emanuel, Mary,
CARBONE Giuseppe, CARNIATO Antonio,
Clorinda, Giuliano, Felice, Salute, Giuseppe,
CARSON Noel, CASHA Josephine, George,
CATANZARITI Rosa, Pasquale, Maria,
CAUCHI John, Josephine, CHETCUTI Dominic,
Salena, Loretta, Paul, Agnes, Carmelo,
CIANTAR Frank, CICONE Giuseppe,
COLOJIURI Domenico, COLUSSO Marcello,
Anna, Espedito, Giuseppina, COLVER Ernie,
CONDOTTA Evasio, CORDINA Gaetano,
Agnes, DAL COL Emma, Aldo,
DEBONO Bernette, FALZON Mario, Guy,
Lawrence, Carmena, Franz,
FARRUGIA Tony, Michael, Josephine,
FAVERO Doviilio, FAVOTTO Lino, Sylvia,
Angelo, FERRARIS Giuseppina,
FOWLER Robert, GALEA Jim, Daniella,
Marija, Nina, Laurence, Paul, Karen,
Emanuel, Josephine, GAUCI Carmena,
Lawrence, Leli, Alfred, Rose,
GAZIA Gaetano, GRABIS Betty, Bill, Inara,
GRIMA John, Anthony, Carmel, Joseph, Sam,
Maria, Charlie, Carmen, Tony,
GRIXTI Christina, Joseph, HALL Sr Annette,
KNOWLES Imee, Charlie,
LAGANA Giuseppe, LEBIC Michael,
MARIANO Marylon, MARSHALL Kevin,
McHALE Patrick, Martin, Maura,
McLEAN Flora, MENEGAZZI Giuseppe,
Adelina, MENOLOTTO Lino, Miranda,
MICALLEF Carmen, MIFSUD Charlie,
Josephine, MILLSON Colleen, Barry, Marie,
Keith, MONTAGLIANI Carlo,
MONTELEONE Francesca, Giuseppe,
NICOLSON Doris, PANGALLO Maria,
PAUL Penny, PORTELLI Anthony,
RANIERI Michele, Caterina, Giuseppe, Luigi,
Giuseppe, Teresa, Maria, SALIBA Grace, Joe,
Louis, Julian, Charlie, SARMIENTO Milagros,
SCHEMBRI Joseph, Joe, SCHIAVON Olindo,
SECCO Dennis, Stephen, SERGI Joe, John,
Domenic, Concentina, Lina, SERVI Enrico,
SPEZZA Augusto, Giuseppe, Mariannina,
TABONE Emanuel, Marcel, Margaret,
TACCONE Augusto, TIMPANO Carmela,
Francesco, Antonina, TOSELLO Antonio,
Sarah, Geltrude, Gino, Candida, Evaristo,
Salute, Fiorino, Carlotta, TREGELLIS Louis
Everett, TRIMBOLI Pasquale, Paolo,
Domenico, VASSALLO Jean, John,
VELLA Frank, Luke, Marianna, Moses,
Melania, Rose, Charlie, Joe, Reno, Westin,
Teresa, WEBB Audrey, XUEREB Paul,
Victoria, John, Rosaria, Emanuel, Olympia,
ZAMMIT Carl, George, Angela.

Deceased members of the Acosta, Aziak,
Cauchi, Gauci, Grech, Grima, Inzitari,
Mifsud, Perri, Ranieri, Saliba, Sergi, Tabone,
Ubaldo, Vella, Xuereb & Zanetti families.

All Souls in Purgatory.
All Relatives and Friends.
May they rest in peace. Amen

WE PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS.
Mary Attard, Joe Azzopardi, Seak Yek Heng.
*May God's love give them strength
and courage.*

Monday 07 November: *(Luke 17:1-6)* 9.00am Morning Mass
Tuesday 08 November: *(Luke 17:7-10)* 9.00am Morning Mass
Wednesday 09 November: *(John 2:13-22)*
The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica,
9.00am Morning Mass
Thursday 10 November: *(Luke 17:20-25) St Leo the Great,*
9.00am Morning Mass
Friday 11 November: *(Luke 17:26-37) St Martin of Tours,*
9.00am Morning Mass
Saturday 12 November: *(Luke 18:1-8) St Josaphat,*
5.30pm Rosary, 6.00pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 13 November: *(Malachi 3:19-20, 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12, Luke 21:5-19)*
8.00am Mass,
9.30am Rosary - Our Lady of Loreto, 10.00am Mass,
6.00pm Evening Mass

MONTHLY DEVOTIONS



Tuesday - 29 November 8.00am Devotion to St Michael the Archangel
followed by Morning Mass
Friday - 02 December First Friday, 8.00am Adoration, 9.00am Morning Mass
Saturday - 03 December First Saturday - Devotion to Immaculate Heart of Mary,
8.00am Adoration, Rosary & Mass
Wednesday - 07 December: 8.00am Adoration & Devotion to St Joseph,
9.00am Morning Mass

REMEMBRANCE MASS & COMPASSIONATE COMPANIONS: Thursday 17 November at 10.30am. All are welcome, especially those who grieve the death of loved ones and those who support them.

CHARITABLE WORKS FUND COLLECTION: This weekend at all Masses we will hold our CWF collection. This supports a range of charities and ministries which are all working hard at ensuring the most vulnerable in our communities receive the support they need in the lead up to Christmas. Please give generously. You can also learn more and donate securely at www.ourfaithourworks.org/cwf.

SACRISTAN FOR WEEKEND WEDDINGS: We are looking for parishioners to work with our current sacristans and to take on the role for some of the weddings, especially Sundays. If you are interested and can make the commitment this role needs, please contact the Parish office. All training is provided.

NOVEMBER MASS INTENTIONS: Envelopes are available in the magazine rack for those wishing to offer Mass for deceased loved ones during the month of November. Due to the number of requests it is not possible to announce names prior to each Eucharistic celebration. Instead, all intentions will be included in the bulletin list.

DECEASED RELATIVES MASS: For some, 2022 has brought an experience of death in our families. Christmas is a time when we especially miss our loved ones. We invite parishioners and friends who have lost loved ones during the last twelve months to join us on Friday 25 November at 7.00pm for Eucharist. We invite you to bring a framed photograph or symbol of your loved one to this Mass.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS' CHRISTMAS MASS: On Thursday 24 November at 10.00am students from Horsley Park and Kemps Creek Public Schools who attend Scripture classes with our Parish catechists will celebrate their annual Christmas Mass. All parishioners, especially those who have previously ministered as catechists, are invited to attend to support our catechists in their ministry and to be with our young parishioners for this special celebration.

NEEDED URGENTLY: Are you able to spare an hour or so every 6 weeks?. Do you like coming to church and seeing it clean? If you are able to assist, please contact the Parish office. All support is appreciated.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION IN 2023: The Archdiocese has advised that Confirmation in 2023 will be celebrated at St Mary's Cathedral as a combined celebration for all 10 parishes in the Western Deanery, which includes Horsley Park. Confirmation will possibly be celebrated Sunday, 08 October 2023, which is during the school holidays, however this date is yet to be confirmed by the Archdiocese. Details of number of family and friends able to attend the celebration will be determined and advised by the Archdiocese once number of candidates is finalised. Parishioners who wish to have their child celebrate this sacrament at the Cathedral are requested to contact the Parish office to register their interest *by 21 November*. The number of children wishing to participate will determine whether the celebration of Confirmation in 2023 will go ahead for this Parish.

CHRISTMAS AT THE CATHEDRAL: St Mary's Cathedral forecourt from 8–25 December. Festivities begin at 7.00pm with Christmas market stalls, food, fun activities for the kids and live entertainment.

SYDNEY STREET FEST 2022: Friday 18 November. Archbishop Anthony Fisher will host a free luncheon for Sydney's homeless in the forecourt of St Mary's Cathedral from 12.00pm–2.00pm. A large number of guests are expected and volunteers from parishes are invited to help serve food and to sit and accompany guests during lunch. A great opportunity to show support and solidarity with Sydneysiders experiencing homelessness. Register your interest at <https://bit.ly/StreetFeast2022>

PALMS AUSTRALIA CALL TO GLOBAL MISSION: A number of overseas parishes in Asia, the Pacific and Africa are seeking Australian Catholics for Global Mission. For those of the faithful who hear the call, Palms Australia is offering an opportunity to live and use your professional expertise in education, health, administration, trades, agriculture and more, to mentor others in an overseas community. Sharing your skills will strengthen the capacity of workers overseas to serve their communities for generations to come. Communities in American Samoa, Cambodia, Kiribati, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tanzania, Thailand, Timor-Leste and Zambia are seeking to fill a variety of roles. Enquiries via www.palms.org.au or call 9560 5333 / 0422 472 567.

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.

MYSTERY OF FAITH

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

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and 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 to St Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil;
may God rebuke him, we humbly pray and do you, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

ROSTERS

COUNTING GROUPS:

THIS WEEK GROUP 2:
Sam Said & Family

NEXT WEEK GROUP 3
Angelo Basso,
Peter Basso

CLEANING GROUPS:

THIS WEEK GROUP 6:
Penelope Tabone,
Margaret Deguara,
Nicole Azzopardi,
Caroline Culleton,
Joanne Hogbin

NEXT WEEK GROUP 1:
Diane Borg,
Lily Bugeja,
Denis Schembri,
Michelle Gauci,
Patricia Stuardo,
Louise Louis,
Marie Monzon

ACTIVITIES IN NOVEMBER

Thurs 17, 10.30am:
Remembrance Mass
& Compassionate
Companions

Thurs 24: 10.00am
Public Schools
Christmas Mass

Fri 25, 7.00pm:
Deceased Relatives
Mass

Sun 27: First Sunday
of Advent

ACTIVITIES IN DECEMBER

Thurs 15, 10.30am:
Remembrance Mass
& Compassionate
Companions



SAFEGUARDING - A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney

Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with crimes are the police. If you, or anyone you know, have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding & Ministerial Integrity Office at 9390 5810 or safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org. You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to police.



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