Sacred Heart Parish

LUDDENHAM-WARRAGAMBA

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A

23 AUGUST 2020

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday 5.30pm at Luddenham Sunday 7.30am at Luddenham Sunday 9.30am at Warragamba

Please contact the parish office to pre-register for the 9.30am Mass at Warragamba.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Saturday 9.00am at Luddenham (3rd Saturday of Month, Greendale) Wednesday 9.00am at Warragamba Friday 9.30am at Luddenham (Eucharistic Adoration from 8.30am)

RECONCILIATION

By appointment. Please contact the parish office.

BAPTISMS

By appointment. Please contact the parish office to book.

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Please contact the Parish Office

PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest: Fr. Giovani Presiga Gaviria
Pastoral Associate: Carmel Fenton
Parish Secretary: Tracey Caruana
Admin Assistant: Colleen Nicholas
Pastoral Placement: Matthew Dimian

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday-Friday: 9:00am - 3:30pm

PARISH BARGAIN CENTRE

Weir Road, Warragamba

Tuesday: 9:30am - 4:00pm Thursday: 9:30am - 4:00pm Saturday: 9.30am-12.00pm

HOLY FAMILY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Principal: Mr. Anthony McElhone Assistant Principal: Miss Jodie Van As

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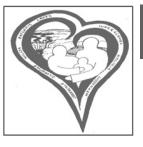
ITALIAN MASS

3rd Sunday of Month 11:00am

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WELCOME

If you are new to Sacred Heart Parish or have not registered as a parishioner, please call or stop by the parish office and consider what we have to offer. Perhaps you might be interested in joining one of our ministries, such as Minister of the Word or church cleaning.

COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS UPDATE

In order to comply with government regulations, all places of worship must have a COVID-19 Safety Plan in place. This plan is displayed in the foyer of the church. Please take some time to read it.

The main items covered in the plan are as follows:

Please sit in positions marked "PLEASE SIT HERE".

Please ensure you have recorded your name and contact details on the sheet in the foyer and sanitise your hands before and after. Remember to keep social distance while waiting to sign.

The wardens will walk through the church with a collection plate should you wish to make a donation. PLEASE DO NOT PASS THE PLATE ALONG THE PEW.

COMMUNION PROCESSION

Please come forward for communion one pew at a time and ensure social distancing of 1.5m between each other.

Please do not gather in the foyer or in the car park after Mass.

Please ensure social distancing of 1.5m is adhered to as you leave the church.

Thank you for your continued support during this difficult time.

NOTICE REGARDING WEARING OF FACE MASKS IN THE CHURCH

On consideration of the most recent NSW Health advice, the Diocese of Parramatta <u>highly recommends</u> all worshippers at Masses in the Diocese to <u>wear a mask</u> to, during and from Mass and other services.

We understand the inconvenience, but the health of our parishioners and the wider community is our highest concern.

Thank you for understanding.

Entrance Antiphon: Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me; save the servant who trusts in you, my God. Have mercy

one me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

Responsorial Psalm: Lord, your love is eternal; do not forsake the work of your hands.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! You are Peter, the rock on which I will build my Church; the gates of hell will

not hold out against it. Alleluia!

Next Sunday - 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A. Readings: Jer 20:7-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27.

BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL FOR RETIRED PREISTS - FATHER'S DAY APPEAL 2020

Owing to COVID19 pandemic and its social and financial impact on families, communities and Churches, the Clergy Support Foundation of the Diocese of Parramatta will not be holding its Annual Bishop's Collection for Retired Priests, i.e. the Father's Day appeal, this September. Like many other organisations, the CSF will use its own resources to support the retired priests in this financial year. Donations will always be accepted, however, via our BPOINT portal at www.parracatholic.org/csf or electronic funds transfer to BSB 067950 Account No 00001691 Account Name CSF No 1 with Reference your name. IF you would like a tax deductible receipt for your donation, please send email to csf@parracatholic.org with your name and address details.

The CSF Committee thanks you for your support of the Clergy Support Foundation over the last 15 years. May God bless you at this difficult time in all our lives.

CEDP Safeguarding eSafety Commissioner Webinars

Catholic Education and the Office for Safeguarding and Professional Standards are partnering with the eSafety Commissioner for a series of free webinars for parents and carers.

The second session, 'Tech, teens and time online' (for secondary students) will be held on Monday 7 September from 7pm to 8pm. To register, please visit bit.ly/39EtexJ. For more information, please contact safequarding@parra.catholic.edu.au or visit

https://safeguarding.org.au/prevention-education-and-training/

EMERGENCY APPEAL FOR LEBANON

Aid to the Church in Need Australia has launched a national emergency appeal for Lebanon, following the deadly explosion in Beirut on 4 August 2020.

The explosion has killed at least 135 people, injured 5000 and decimated the capital city. Entire livelihoods have been lost and more than 300,000 are without homes. The funds raised will be used to support the most immediate needs in Lebanon (such as food), but they will also respond to the physical and spiritual needs that will arise in the coming weeks, months and years.

To support the appeal, please call 1800 101 201, or donate online at www.aidtochurch.org/lebanon Or, if you prefer, there are leaflets in the foyer which can be completed and posted.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Recently Deceased: John Wood.

<u>Please remember</u>: Noel Nicholas (5th ann), David Gerhard (37th ann), Salvatore Lia, Theresa Lia, Mario Lia, Elizabeth Lia, Angelo Lia, Mary Lia, Horace Azzopardi, Carmen Azzopardi, Grace Tedesco, Gillian Attard, Giovanna Attard, Charles Attard, Mark Lia.

<u>Sick:</u> Deidre McCabe, Bernard Gauci, Riet Vanderburg, Olivia Mararek, Brian Tracey, Fr Chris Riley, Jessie Zammit, Cathy Inzitari, Lauren White, Elia Muscat, Diane Hill, Michelle Stait.

54-Day Rosary Novena for the Coronavirus

The National Rosary Crusade 54-Day Novena invites you to join them in prayer for a nation-wide 54-day rosary novena to Mary Help of Christians, the national patroness. The novenas will be run between 15 August, the Feast of the Assumption through to 7 October, the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. For more information, visit the group's Facebook page.

IN MEMORIUM

DAVID PATRICK GERHARD

23-8-66 - 25-8-83

We love and miss you very much.

Our hearts have a big hole that cannot be filled till we see you again.

Love always,

Mum & Dad, Peter, Rhonda, Donald, Anthony, Deb & Natalie and all their families.

Mass Ministers for this weekend

Vigil Mass

Reader: Br Joe Vassallo

Communion Minister: Josephine Grech

9.30am Mass

Readers: Lila Gerhard & Sandy Buhach

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