



# Sacred Heart Parish

*LUDDENHAM-WARRAGAMBA*

**PALM SUNDAY - YEAR 1/B**

**21 March 2021**



Holy Family Church - Luddenham



St Mary Church - Mulgoa



Sacred Heart Church - Warragamba



St Francis Xavier Church - Greendale

## PARISH TEAM

PARISH PRIEST: Fr. Giovanni Presiga Gaviria  
 PARISH SECRETARY: Tracey Caruana  
 ADMIN ASSISTANT: Colleen Nicholas  
 SACRAMENTAL COORDINATOR: Janet Borg  
 PASTORAL PLACEMENT: Matthew Dimian

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday-Friday: 8:30am - 3:30pm

## CONTACT US

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## PARISH BARGAIN CENTRE

16/18 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  
 Contact Number: 02 4773 7100

## HOLY MASS TIMES AND SACRAMENTS

Saturday: 6.00 pm (Vigil) at Luddenham  
 Sunday: 7.30 am at Luddenham  
 9.30 am at Warragamba (*Pre-registration required*)  
 Italian Mass: 11.00 am at Luddenham (*3rd Sunday of the month*)  
 Weekday Mass: 9.00 am at Warragamba - Wednesday  
 7.00 am at Mulgoa - Thursday  
 9.30 am at Luddenham - Friday  
 9.00 am at Luddenham - Saturday (*except 3rd Saturday*)  
 9.00 am at Greendale - 3rd Saturday of the month

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

8.30 am at Luddenham - Friday

## BAPTISMS AND MARRIAGES

Baptisms are held 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month by appointment only.  
 Marriages by appointment only at least 6 months prior to marriage.

## RECONCILIATION

Saturday after 9.00am Mass & from 5.00pm till Vigil Mass

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

By appointment. Please contact the Parish Office.



## WELCOME to SACRED HEART PARISH - Luddenham / Warragamba

If you are new to Sacred Heart Parish and would like to register as a parishioner please call or stop by the parish office and consider what we have to offer. You may like to join one of our many Ministries.

### Prayer to St Joseph

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,  
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.  
To you God entrusted his only son;  
in you Mary placed her trust;  
with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too,  
show yourself a father  
and guide us in the path of life.  
Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage,  
and defend us from every evil.  
Amen.



## SILVER CIRCLE

### WEEK 5

Winner is

**Esther Buttigieg**

Winning Number

**514**

### PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

#### Recently Deceased:

Fr Mick O'Callaghan  
Nora Violet

#### Please remember:

Charlie Borg (1st ann),  
Barbara Sawyer

#### Sick:

Fr Chris Riley SDB,  
Alison Megaritty

### DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

2.30PM, 11TH APRIL

#### ST NICHOLAS PARISH PENRITH

Stations of the Cross  
Homily & Benediction  
Reconciliation until 5pm  
Mass at 6pm

*The Cross is the word through  
which God has responded to  
evil in the world.*

*Sometimes it may seem that God  
does not react to evil, as if He is  
silent.*

*And yet, God has spoken, He  
has replied, and His answer is  
the Cross of Christ: a word  
which is love, mercy and  
forgiveness.*

### TAP AND GO DONATION MACHINE

You can now make an offering to the parish with a simple tap of your debit or credit card. The "Tap to Donate" machine is installed in the foyer of Holy Family Church. It works just like a 'tap and go' machine you would see at the shops. It is preset to donate \$10 with every tap. It offers the flexibility of making an offering quickly and without the need to carry cash, but please note that collections at mass will continue as usual.

|   | THIS WEEKEND                     |                |                              | NEXT WEEKEND - EASTER SUNDAY           |                   |                   |
|---|----------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|--|-------------------|-------------------|
|   | <i>Vigil</i>                     | <i>7.30 am</i> | <i>9.30 am</i>               | <i>Vigil</i>                           | <i>7.30 am</i>    | <i>10.00 am</i>   |
| <b>Acolytes</b>                             |                                  |                | Tony Vella                   | Tony Vella<br>Paul Rohan               | Paul Rohan        | Dominic Cocksedge |
| <b>Altar Servers</b>                        | Patrick Darbbey                  |                |                              | Patrick                                | Alicia            | Harry Darbbey     |
| <b>Ministers of the Word</b>                |                                  |                |                              |  |                   |                   |
| <b>Extraordinary Ministers of Communion</b> | Margaret Buttigieg<br>Rose Gauci | Debbie Brown   | Mary Vella<br>Angela Franich | Tony Vella<br>Paul Rohan<br>Mary Vella | <i>Not needed</i> | <i>Not needed</i> |
| <b>Data Projector</b>                       | Debbie Walters                   | Matthew Dimian | Theresa Lia                  |  |                   |                   |

***Please join us to celebrate the  
Passion and Resurrection of Jesus.***

**HOLY THURSDAY (1st April)**

**Mass of the Lord's Supper, 7pm**  
Holy Family Church, Luddenham

**GOOD FRIDAY (2nd April)**

**Stations of the Cross, 10am**  
Sacred Heart Church, Warragamba

**The Passion of the Lord, 3pm**

Holy Family Church, Luddenham

**EASTER VIGIL MASS**

**(Saturday 3rd April)**

7pm, Holy Family Church Luddenham

**EASTER SUNDAY MASS (4th April)**

7.30am, Holy Family Church, Luddenham  
10.00am, Holy Family Church, Luddenham

***Please note that there is  
no Mass at Warragamba on Easter Sunday***

**"Will You Stay Awake With Me?"**

After our Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday night, the Blessed Sacrament is transferred to the Chapel for Adoration.

On this Most Holy Night the Chapel represents the Garden of Gethsemane where our Saviour suffered the agony of knowing His fate. Here Jesus asked his friends to stay awake with Him.

We will be commemorating this solemn night by having Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from after Mass till 11.00pm.

During this time, we are asking for guardians to **'stay awake with the Lord'** in the Chapel and care for the Blessed Sacrament.

If you would offer the Lord half an hour of your time between 8.30pm and 11.00pm on Holy Thursday night, please write your name, preferred time and phone number on the sheet in the foyer.

Invite a friend to sit with you and the Lord.



*Daylight Saving  
Time Ends*

**DAYLIGHT SAVING ENDS  
AT 2.00AM ON  
EASTER SUNDAY  
(4th April)**

**Remember to turn your clocks  
back one hour.**

**Please keep in your prayers the  
children in our parish who are  
preparing to receive the  
Sacrament of  
First Holy Communion**



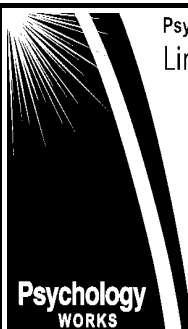
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**GOSPEL**

Mark 11:1-10

When they drew near to Jerusalem, to Bethphage and Bethany at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples, and said to them, 'Go into the village opposite you, and immediately as you enter it you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever sat; untie it and bring it.

If anyone says to you, "Why are you doing this?" say, "The Lord has need of it and will send it back here immediately".

And they went away, and found a colt tied at the door out in the open street; and they untied it. And those who stood there said to them, 'What are you doing, untying the colt?'

And they told them what Jesus had said; and they let them go. And they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their garments on it; and he sat upon it. And many spread their garments on the road, and others spread leafy branches which they had cut from the fields. And those who went before and those who followed cried out,

'Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is coming! Hosanna in the highest!'

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**FIRST READING**

Isaiah 50:4-7

The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue. So that I may know how to reply to the wearied he provides me with speech. Each morning he wakes me to hear, to listen like a disciple. The Lord has opened my ear. For my part, I made no resistance, neither did I turn away. I offered my back to those who struck me, my cheeks to those who tore at my beard; I did not cover my face against insult and spittle. The Lord comes to my help, so that I am untouched by the insults. So, too, I set my face like flint; I know I shall not be shamed.

The word of the Lord.

**R. Thanks be to God.**

**THE FORGIVENESS OF SINS.**

We see ourselves in the crowds who cried 'Hosanna to the Son of David' one day and 'Crucify Him' just a few days later. Like Peter and the other disciples we can be fickle followers of Jesus. We should not, however, imitate Judas and despair at our infidelity. Rather, we should look to Jesus who allowed his blood to be 'poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins'.  
Let us praise him with grateful hearts.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Ps 21:8-9, 17-20, 23-24

**R. My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?**

All who see me deride me.

They curl their lips, they toss their heads.

'He trusted in the Lord, let him save him; let him release him if this is his friend.' **R.**

Many dogs have surrounded me,

a band of the wicked beset me.

They tear holes in my hands and my feet.

I can count every one of my bones. **R.**

They divide my clothing among them.

They cast lots for my robe.

O Lord, do not leave me alone,

my strength, make haste to help me! **R.**

I will tell of your name to my brethren

and praise you where they are assembled.

'You who fear the Lord give him praise;

all sons of Jacob, give him glory.

Revere him, Israel's sons.' **R.**

**SECOND READING**

Philippians 2:6-11

His state was divine, yet Christ Jesus did not cling to his equality with God but emptied himself to assume the condition of a slave, and became as men are, and being as all men are, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross.

But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all other names so that all beings in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld, should bend the knee at the name of Jesus and that every tongue should acclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Philippians 2:8-9

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ,  
king of endless glory!**

**Christ became obedient for us even to death,  
dying on the cross.**

**Therefore God raised him on high  
and gave him a name above all other names.**

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ,  
king of endless glory!**

**GOSPEL**

Mark 14:1 - 15:47

The Passion of our Lord, Jesus Christ.