



# Sacred Heart Parish

LUDDENHAM-WARRAGAMBA

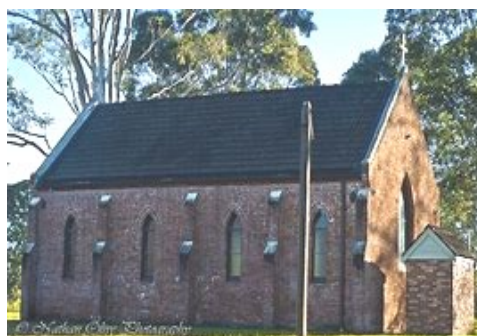
5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

YEAR 2/C

3 April 2022



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: Bernadette Morton  
ADMIN ASSISTANT: Colleen Nicholas  
SACRAMENTAL COORDINATOR: Janet Borg

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday: 9.00 am - 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

## HOLY FAMILY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Principal: Mr. Anthony McElhone  
Assistant Principal: Amanda Cassar  
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  
Italian Mass: 11.00 am at Luddenham (3rd Sunday of the month)  
Spanish Mass: 7.30 pm at Luddenham (4th Saturday 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 or be placed in our mailing list please call the parish office.

### VOLUNTEER CARERS ...

... for children aged 0 to 5 years are needed for Mamre Crèche located at Mamre House, 181 Mamre Road, Orchard Hills. This program is a service of CatholicCare Western Sydney and the Blue Mountains, which supports Sudanese Refugee Families. We are looking for motivated, caring people who enjoy interacting with young children and can volunteer some of their time in supporting the staff at the Crèche. If you are interested, please contact Iolanda Martino, Crèche Co-ordinator, CatholicCare Social Services (02) 8843 2506 (Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday between 9.00am & 2.00pm) or email [iolanda.martino@ccss.org.au](mailto:iolanda.martino@ccss.org.au)

### PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

#### Recently deceased:

Nick Saliba, David Clarke,  
Victor Sultana,  
Tony Refalo,  
Justyna Senkowycz



#### Anniversaries:

Terry Stubbs, Ivan Rezo

#### Always remembered:

Locke, Cocksedge, Tangy, Scully,  
Blitzendorf and Sheard Families

#### Sick:

Anne Xuereb, Rose Lopreiato,  
Margaret Elias, Lee Casaselli,  
Alison Megaritty,  
Fr Chris Riley SDB, Francis Gatt,  
Monica Muscat, Lucy Andaloro,  
Guillermo Delcastillo, Paul Refalo  
Emmanuel Bauso

### A message from Aid to the Church in Need Australia



Aid to the Church in Need has launched a national emergency appeal for Ukraine. ACN is committed to strengthening and supporting the Catholic Church in Ukraine, as we have done for the past 70 years. The immediate emergency help will support the work of the Church in Ukraine by assisting priests, brothers, and religious sisters to continue their pastoral and outreach programs. We will continue to stand by our brothers and sisters in faith as they undergo trying times and seek to bring peace to a country that is surrounded by turmoil and unrest. Can you provide aid to the Catholic people in Ukraine? They need your help! Visit [www.aidtochurch.org/ukraine](http://www.aidtochurch.org/ukraine)

### Prayer for Peace and Justice in Ukraine

*God of peace and justice,  
who change the hardened heart  
and break the power of violence,  
we entrust the people of  
Ukraine to you.*

*Protect them in this time of peril;  
let them know not death but life,  
not slavery but freedom.*

*You are Father of all;  
we are brothers and sisters.*

*Give us strength  
to live that truth in love,  
choosing peace not war.  
Through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.*



Australian Catholic Bishops Conference

	THIS WEEKEND			NEXT WEEKEND		
	Vigil	7.30 am	9.30 am	Vigil	7.30 am	9.30 am
<b>Minister of the Altar</b>	Michael Tolentino		Colleen Nicholas	Domenic Cocksedge	Paul Rohan	Tony Vella
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Ethan & Kian Tolentino			Mikayla & Patrick Camilleri		
<b>Ministers of the Word</b>	Janet Borg	Marta Jennings Christian Pervan	Carmel Fenton Trish Kelly	Angela & Georgia Calderwood	Moira Bryan Mary Powell	Karen Rogan Anthony Sciberras
<b>Extraordinary Minister of Communion</b>	Margaret Buttigieg	Mary Powell	Fiona Clarke	Grace Cutajar	Debbie Brown	Mary Vella
<b>Data Projector</b>	Debbie Walters	Lilly Attard	Theresa Lia	Debbie Walters	Lilly Attard	Theresa Lia
<b>Housekeepers</b>	Esther Buttigieg, Rose Muscat, Moira Bryan					



## stations of the cross

7.00pm

Every Friday during Lent

**Friday - 8th April at  
Sacred Heart—Warragamba**

### PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Planned Giving Envelopes are a means for the Parish to have some certainty on dependable income necessary to pay all the Parish expenses which includes utilities, maintenance and insurances of 4 churches in our parish. These envelopes are part of the 2nd Collection which is the only income for our Parish besides generous donors and fundraising activities. The latter two and any loose money in the 2nd collection are unpredictable therefore Planned Giving Envelopes are the only income considered if needing a loan for a project, employing new personnel, etc.

The 1st Collection goes to the Diocese for the fair distribution of funds to the Diocesan priests' stipends, retirement fund and pastoral care. Please consider joining our Planned Giving Program to give stability to our Parish.

## EASTER RECONCILIATION

**Tuesday  
12th April, 7.00pm  
Holy Family Church,  
Luddenham**



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

HOLY THURSDAY (14th April)

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

GOOD FRIDAY (15th April)

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

The Passion of the Lord, 3pm  
Holy Family Church, Luddenham

EASTER VIGIL MASS (Saturday 16th April)

7pm, Holy Family Church, Luddenham

EASTER SUNDAY MASS (17th April)

8.30am, Sacred Heart Church, Warragamba  
10.00am, Holy Family Church, Luddenham

### VIGIL MASS

**Please note that the time of our Vigil Mass  
will change to 5.30pm  
from next Saturday, 9th April.**

## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

COME & CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY WITH OUR PARISH AT

**ST NICHOLAS OF MYRA CHURCH, 326 HIGH ST, PENRITH**

**2:30PM on 24th APRIL 2022**

- ◆ Blessing of Divine Mercy Image
- ◆ Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- ◆ Stations of the Cross
- ◆ Homily and Benediction
- ◆ Reconciliation till 5PM
- ◆ Afternoon Tea from 4:15PM – 5:15PM
- ◆ Divine Mercy Mass 6PM



**JESUS I TRUST IN YOU**

## Entrance Antiphon

Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause  
against a nation that is faithless.  
From the deceitful and cunning rescue me,  
for you, O God, are my strength.

## First Reading

Isaiah 43:16-21

Thus says the Lord,  
who made a way through the sea,  
a path in the great waters;  
who put chariots and horse in the field  
and a powerful army,  
which lay there never to rise again,  
snuffed out, put out like a wick:  
No need to recall the past,  
no need to think about what was done before.  
See, I am doing a new deed,  
even now it comes to light; can you not see it?  
Yes, I am making a road in the wilderness,  
paths in the wilds.  
The wild beasts will honour me,  
jackals and ostriches,  
because I am putting water in the wilderness  
(rivers in the wild)  
to give my chosen people drink.  
The people I have formed for myself  
will sing my praises.  
The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## Responsorial Psalm

Ps 125

**R. The Lord has done great things for us;  
we are filled with joy.**

When the Lord delivered Zion from bondage,  
it seemed like a dream.  
Then was our mouth filled with laughter,  
on our lips there were songs. **R.**

The heathens themselves said: 'What marvels  
the Lord worked for them!'  
What marvels the Lord worked for us!  
Indeed we were glad. **R.**

Deliver us, O Lord, from our bondage  
as streams in dry land.  
Those who are sowing in tears  
will sing when they reap. **R.**

They go out, they go out, full of tears,  
carrying seed for the sowing:  
they come back, they come back, full of song,  
carrying their sheaves. **R.**

## Second Reading

Phillipians 3:8-14

I believe nothing can happen that will outweigh the  
supreme advantage of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord.  
For him I have accepted the loss of everything, and I  
look on everything as so much rubbish if only I can  
have Christ and be given a place in him. I am no longer  
trying for perfection by my own efforts, the perfection  
that comes from the Law, but I want only the perfec-  
tion that comes through faith in Christ, and is from  
God and based on faith. All I want is to know Christ  
and the power of his resurrection and to share his  
sufferings by reproducing the pattern of his death.  
That is the way I can hope to take my place in the res-  
urrection of the dead. Not that I have become perfect  
yet: I have not yet won, but I am still running, trying to  
capture the prize for which Christ Jesus captured me. I  
can assure you my brothers, I am far from thinking  
that I have already won. All I can say is that I forget  
the past and I strain ahead for what is still to come; I  
am racing for the finish, for the prize to which God  
calls us upwards to receive in Christ Jesus.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel Acclamation

Joel 2 12-13

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!  
With all your heart turn to me,  
for I am tender and compassionate.  
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!**

## Gospel

John 8:1-11

The scribes and Pharisees brought a woman along  
who had been caught committing adultery; and  
making her stand there in full view of everybody, they  
said to Jesus, 'Master, this woman was caught in the  
very act of committing adultery, and Moses has or-  
dered us in the Law to condemn women like this to  
death by stoning. What have you to say?' They asked  
him this as a test, looking for something to use against  
him. But Jesus bent down and started writing on the  
ground with his finger. As they persisted with their  
question, he looked up and said, 'If there is one of you  
who has not sinned, let him be the first to throw a  
stone at her.' Then he bent down and wrote on the  
ground again. When they heard this they went away  
one by one, beginning with the eldest, until Jesus was  
left alone with the woman, who remained standing  
there. He looked up and said, 'Woman, where are  
they? Has no one condemned you?' 'No one, sir,' she  
replied. 'Neither do I condemn you,' said Jesus 'go  
away, and don't sin any more.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

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