

SACRED HEART PARISH

LUDDENHAM-WARRAGAMBA

THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD YEAR 1/A 9 April 2023



Holy Family Church - Luddenham

PARISH TEAM

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Tuesday & Thursday: 9:30am - 4:00pm



St Mary Church - Mulgoa

HOLY FAMILY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Ms Donna Mc Fadzean Principal: Assistant Principal: Ms Andrea Martin Contact Number 02 4773 7100



Sacred Heart Church - Warragamba

HOLY MASS TIMES AND SACRAMENTS

Saturday: 5.30 pm (Vigil) at Luddenham Sunday: 7.30 am at Luddenham

9.30 am at Warragamba

11.00 am at Luddenham (3rd Sunday of the month) Italian Mass: 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.





St Francis Xavier Church - Greendale



Wishing you all a Happy and Holy Easter. May this Easter time bring you peace.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS Recently deceased:

Charlie Vella

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Anniversaries:

David Clarke



Michael Buttigieg, Grace Buttigieg, Joseph Muscat, Jim Muscat, Phillippa Muscat, Charles Muscat, Josephine Muscat, Jim Vella, Margaret Elias, Liam Canterella

Sick:

Michelle Muscat, Michael Pace, Gaetano Mandarano, Mary Attard, Charlie Vella, Marcia Marmulla, Elia Muscat, Margaret Condon, Paul Attard, Josephine Bartolo, Therese Felli, Emmanuel Bauso, Charlie Cutajar, Lee Casaselli, Rose Lopreiato, Monica Muscat, David Allison Huerta, Guillermo Delcastillo, Trudi Darley-Jones

CONGRATULATIONS

We welcome into our Catholic Community through Eucharist and Confirmation our RCIA Candidate, Samantha Stojak, this weekend. We pray for Samantha and her family.



Lord, the resurrection of Your Son has given us new life and renewed hope. Help us to live as new people in pursuit of the Christian ideal. Grant us wisdom to know what we must do, the will to want to do it, the courage to undertake it, the perseverance to continue to do it, and the strength to complete it. Amen.

Waken sleeping butterfly, burst your narrow prison. Spread your golden wings and fly,

Christ the Lord is risen!

Spread your wings and tell the story, How he rose, the Lord of glory!



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	THIS WEEKEND			NEXT WEEKEND		
	Vigil/7.00pm	8.30 am /Warr	10.00 am/Ludd	Vigil	7.30 am	9.30 am
Minister of the Altar	Br Joe Vassallo	David Egan Fiona Clarke	Paul Rohan Grace Buda	Michael Tolentino	Grace Buda	Colleen Nicholas
Altar Servers	Anyone to Serve	_	Elisa Camilleri	Matilda Calderwood	Elisa Camilleri	
Ministers of the Word	-	Carmel Fenton Theresa Lia	Benedetta Massignani Mel Elmer	Angela Calderwood Georgia Calderwood	Marta Jennings Christian Pervan	Karen Rogan Anthony Sciberras
Extraordinary Minister of Communion	Rose Gauci	-	Moira Bryan	Josephine Grech	Mary Powell	Angela Franich
Data Projector	Janet Borg	Colleen Nicholas	Janet Borg	Debbie Walters	Lilly Attard	Mel Elmer
Housekeepers	Karen Buda, John Cutajar					





PROJECT COMPASSION BOXES

Please return your Project Compassion Boxes ASAP.

There is a basket in the foyer for you to place
your boxes in.

HOLY WATER

Holy water will be available during the Season of Easter for you to replenish the bottles you received last year or any other bottles you may want to fill.

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 16th APRIL 2023

- Blessing of Divine Mercy Image
- Chaplet of Divine Mercy
- Stations of the Cross
- Homily and Benediction
- Reconciliation till 5.00pm
- Afternoon Tea from 4:15pm – 5:15pm
- Divine Mercy Mass 6:00pm

Jesus promised, "I want to grant a complete pardon to the souls that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of My Mercy." Diary 1109

The Lord Jesus said to Sister Faustina:

"At three o'clock implore My mercy, especially for sinners; and, if only for a brief moment, immerse yourself in My Passion, particularly in My abandonment at the moment of agony.

This is the hour of great mercy for the whole world"

(Diary 1320).

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

Our Vigil Masses are at 5.30pm for the duration of this winter daylight saving time.

ANZAC DAY MASS

Anzac Day Mass will be celebrated at Sacred Heart Church, Warragamba at 9.00am.



FEAST OF ST GEORGE PRECA

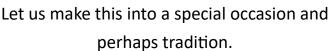
We will be celebrating the Feast of St George Preca on Sunday 7th May at 11.30am.

Afterwards we will gather for a meal.

Please bring a plate to share.

St George Preca is the first Maltese saint and the Maltese community of our parish and surrounding parishes should be proud

in honouring him here at
Holy Family Church, Luddenham.
All are welcome. Please tell all
your family and friends.



A HUGE THANK YOU...

.... to everyone who helped in anyway preparing our Church for our Easter Ceremonies and those who were part of the Liturgies by serving at the altar, proclaiming the Word and providing beautiful music.

Easter is a feast which gives us hope and encouragement in this world of pain, sorrows, and tears. It reminds us that life is worth living. It is our belief in the Real Presence of the Risen Jesus in our souls, in His Church, in the Blessed Sacrament, and in Heaven that gives meaning to our personal, as well as to our common, prayers.

Sequence

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: You must have heard about the recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil.' Now I, and those with me, can witness to everything he did throughout the countryside of Judaea and in Jerusalem itself: and also to the fact that they killed him by hanging him on a tree, yet three days afterwards God raised him to life and allowed him to be seen, not by the whole people but only by certain witnesses God had chosen beforehand. Now we are those witnesses - we have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead - and he has ordered us to proclaim this to his people and to tell them that God has appointed him to judge everyone, alive or dead. It is to him that all the prophets bear this witness: that all who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 117:1-2,16-17,22-23

R. This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.
Let the sons of Israel say:
'His love has no end.' R.

The Lord's right hand has triumphed; his right hand raised me up. I shall not die, I shall live and recount his deeds. **R.**

The stone which the builders rejected has become the corner stone. This is the work of the Lord, a marvel in our eyes. R.

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 5:6-8

You must know how even a small amount of yeast is enough to leaven all the dough, so get rid of all the old yeast, and make yourselves into a completely new batch of bread, unleavened as you are meant to be. Christ, our passover, has been sacrificed; let us celebrate the feast, by getting rid of all the old yeast of evil and wickedness, having only the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Christians, to the Paschal Victim offer sacrifice and praise.

The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb; and Christ, the undefiled, hath sinners to his Father reconciled. Death with life contended: combat strangely ended!

Life's own Champion, slain, yet lives to reign. Tell us, Mary: say what thou didst see upon the way.

The tomb the Living did enclose;
I saw Christ's glory as he rose!
The angels there attesting;
shroud with grave-clothes resting.
Christ, my hope, has risen: he goes before you into Galilee.

That Christ is truly risen from the dead we know. Victorious king, thy mercy show!

Alleluia, alleluia!
Christ has become our paschal sacrifice;
let us feast with joy in the Lord.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 28:1-10

After the sabbath, and towards dawn on the first day of the week, Mary of Magdala and the other Mary went to visit the sepulchre. And all at once there was a violent earthquake, for the angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled away the stone and sat on it. His face was like lightning, his robe white as snow. The guards were so shaken, so frightened of him, that they were like dead men. But the angel spoke, and he said to the women, 'There is no need for you to be afraid. I know you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is not here, for he has risen, as he said he would. Come and see the place where he lay, then go quickly and tell his disciples. "He has risen from the dead and now he is going before you to Galilee; it is there you will see him." Now I have told you.' Filled with awe and great joy the women came quickly away from the tomb and ran to tell the disciples.

And there, coming to meet them, was Jesus. 'Greetings' he said. And the women came up to him and, falling down before him, clasped his feet. Then Jesus said to them, 'Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers that they must leave for Galilee; they will see me there.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.