

# SACRED HEART PARISH

# LUDDENHAM-WARRAGAMBA

# 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B 11 August 2024



Holy Family Church - Luddenham

# **PARISH TEAM**

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR: Fr. Galbert Albino
DEACON: Deacon Charles Abela
PARISH SECRETARY: Bernadette Morton
ADMIN ASSISTANT: Colleen Nicholas

PARISH OFFICE HOURS Tuesday - Friday: 9.00 am - 3.30pm

Janet Borg

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PARISH BARGAIN CENTRE 16/18 Weir Road, Warragamba

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



St Mary Church - Mulgoa

#### **HOLY FAMILY PRIMARY SCHOOL**

SACRAMENTAL COORDINATOR:

Principal: Ms Donna Mc Fadzean
Assistant Principal: Ms Jodie Van As
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Sacred Heart Church - Warragamba



St Francis Xavier Church - Greendale

# **HOLY MASS TIMES AND SACRAMENTS**

Saturday: 5.30 pm (Vigil) at Luddenham

Youth Mass - 1st Saturday of the month.

Children's Liturgy - 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month

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**

First Friday of month at 9.30am Mass or by appointment.



We acknowledge the Traditional Custodians who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation.

# SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY Thursday 15th August

Mass times are 11.40am and 7pm at Holy Family Church, Luddenham

Last week, we advertised a Mass for 9.30am. Please note that this has been changed to 11.40am. It will be a Holy Family School Mass.

Parishioners are welcome to attend.

# PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS Recently Deceased:

Helen Nohra, Bishop Emeritus Kevin Manning

#### **Please Remember:**

Maurie Genovese (19th ann), Lina Leonello (2nd ann)

#### Sick:

Paul Azzopardi, James Compton, Paul Refalo, Richard Curtis, Lynne Clarke, Fr Bob Bossini.

# Helen Nohra's funeral

will be at Holy Family Church, Luddenham, this Wednesday, 14 August, at 11am.

## Memorial Mass for Lina Leonello

11am, Saturday 17 August Holy Family Church, Luddenham

# St Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal 2024 FOOD & TOILETRIES

Thank you to everyone for your generosity.

Your kind donations will help many families in our community.

# Spur on Deacon Menard and get #Active4Vocations today!

It's National Vocations Awareness Week and our very own Deacon Menard Gaspi will be getting #Active4Vocations with his Holy Spirit Seminarian brother Macky Amores, Fr Matthew Dimian, and a faithful group of Diocesan parishioners in the 14km City2Surf, this

Sunday 11 August, to promote priestly vocations and support our seminarians' formation. Please spur Deacon Menard and the team on with your prayers and a donation to help our seminarians become priests. Scan this QR code to donate or visit tinyurl.com/Active4Vocations.

If you feel called to the priesthood, please speak with Fr Galbert or visit parracatholic.org/contribute/discern-my-vocation/priesthood

# <u>CHANGES TO WEEKDAY MASSES</u> FROM MONDAY 12 AUGUST-FRIDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

Please note that we will not be having morning Masses on Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays during the above dates.

On Fridays, we will have Rosary and prayers at 8.30am and a Liturgy of the Word with Communion at 9.30am.

	10/11 AUGUST			17/18 AUGUST		
	Vigil	7.30 am	9.30am	Vigil	7.30 am	9.30am
Minister of the Altar	Fiona Clarke	Grace Buda	David Egan	Michael Tolentino	Paul Rohan	Colleen Nicholas
Ministers of the Word	Liz Murko Silvia Genovese	Marta Jennings Christian Pervan	Karen Rogan Tony Sciberras	Janet Borg Dina Burrell	Moira Bryan Mary Powell	Yasmine Br Jeff
Data Projector	Deb Walters	Lily Attard	Theresa Lia	Pedro Calungsod Choir	Lily Attard	James Cutajar
Housekeepers	12-16 August: Alice & Lily			19-23 August: Esther, Rose & Moira		
Flowers	12-16 August: Marta			19-23 August: Sylvia & Lorraine		

#### **ACBC** Absent from the Table Survey

The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference is undertaking a research project aimed at investigating why some Catholics do not participate in regular weekly Sunday Mass. The survey is for those who self-identify as Catholics and are 18 years and over, and who do not regularly attend weekly Mass on Sunday. The survey is anonymous. **Closing date is 20 August.** 

The survey and information about the project can be found at <a href="https://bit.ly/AbsentFromTheTableSurvey">https://bit.ly/AbsentFromTheTableSurvey</a>

## **EFTPOS MACHINES IN CHURCH**

We have installed EFTPOS machines in Luddenham and Warragamba Churches.

Donations to the parish can be made using a debit or credit card. Select the amount you wish to donate and tap your card.



#### **CELEBRATING 200 YEARS OF WINBOURNE**

Winbourne will be having an Open Day on Sunday 25th August, 10am-3pm 1315 Mulgoa Road, Mulgoa

Market Stalls, Coffee Van, Food Vans, Mini Wedding Expo, History talks and tours, Emergency Service Display

#### DONATIONS FOR FLOWERS

If you would like to make a donation towards purchasing flowers for our churches, please put your contribution in an envelope marked "Flowers for Church", and place it on one of the collection plates at Mass. Thank you to our parishioners who have already contributed.

#### **COMMUNION TO THE SICK**

If you know of anyone in the parish who is sick or housebound and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact the parish office.



## Catholic Care Bringing Up Great Kids Parenting Group: Begins 3 September

Parents and caregivers are welcome to join a parenting group designed by the Australian Childhood Foundation run over four sessions at Catholic Care's Mamre House, Orchard Hills, from Thursday 3 September from

I 10am to 1pm. The course is supported by the free Mamre Creche.

Numbers are limited, so express your interest by contacting (02) 8843 2500 or 0439 917 129 by 15 August.

#### PARISH DIARY

Children's Liturgy

Saturday 17 August Sunday 1 September Saturday 7 September Vigil Mass, Luddenham 9.30am Mass, Warragamba Vigil Mass, Luddenham

Rosary

Sunday 11 August Sunday 25 August 9am, Warragamba (before 9.30 Mass)

# WINBOURNE PRESENTATIONS 2024 WITH BR (DR) BARRY DONAGHUE

Saturday 17 August: Being Peaceful Change (half day)

9.30am to 12.30pm. "Before you speak of peace, you must first have it in your heart" (St Francis of Assisi). How might we achieve this unity and carry it forward? \$15 per person. Includes tea/coffee.

Saturday 14 September: Sin & Redemption (half day)

For more information or to book, contact (02) 4773 5555 or email info@winbourne.org

#### First Reading

#### Kings 19:4-8

**Gospel Acclamation** 

Elijah went into the wilderness, a day's journey, and sitting under a furze bush wished I am the living bread from heaven, he were dead. 'O Lord,' he said 'I have had enough. Take my life; I am no better than my ancestors.' Then he lay down and went to sleep. But an angel touched him and said, 'Get up and eat.' He looked round, and there at his head was a scone baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank and then lay down again. But the angel of the Lord came back a second time and touched him and said, 'Get up and eat, or the journey will be too long for you.' So he got up and ate and drank, and strengthened by that food he walked for forty days and forty nights until he reached Horeb,

The word of the Lord.

the mountain of God.

#### Thanks be to God.

#### Responsorial Psalm

**R.** Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise always on my lips; in the Lord my soul shall make its boast. The humble shall hear and be glad. R.

Glorify the Lord with me. Together let us praise his name. I sought the Lord and he answered me; from all my terrors he set me free. R.

Look towards him and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed. This poor man called; the Lord heard him and rescued him from all distress. R.

The angel of the Lord is encamped around those who revere him, to rescue them. Taste and see that the Lord is good. He is happy who seeks refuge in him. **R.** 

# **Second Reading Ephesians 4:30-5:2**

Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God who has marked you with his seal for you to be set free when the day comes. Never have grudges against others, or lose your temper, or raise your voice to anybody, or call each other names, or allow any sort of spitefulness. Be friends with one another, and kind, forgiving each other as readily as God forgave you in Christ.

Try, then, to imitate God as children of his that he loves and follow Christ loving as he loved you, giving himself up in our place as a fragrant offering and a sacrifice to God.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Alleluia, alleluia! says the Lord: whoever eats this bread will live forever. Alleluia!

# Gospel

John 6:41-51

The Jews were complaining to each other about Jesus, because he had said, I am the bread that came down from heaven.' 'Surely this is Jesus son of Joseph' they said. 'We know his father and mother. How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"?' Jesus said in reply, 'Stop complaining to each other. 'No one can come to me

unless he is drawn by the Father who sent me, and I will raise him up at the last day.

It is written in the prophets: They will all be taught by God,

and to hear the teaching of the Father, and learn from it.

is to come to me.

Not that anybody has seen the Father, except the one who comes from God:

he has seen the Father.

I tell you most solemnly,

everybody who believes has eternal life.

'I am the bread of life.

Your fathers ate the manna in the desert and they are dead;

but this is the bread that comes down from heaven,

so that a man may eat it and not die.

I am the living bread which has come down from heaven.

Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh, for the life of the world.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord, Jesus Christ.

# **ACBC 2024-2025 Social Justice Statement** Launch: 20 August

All are warmly invited to attend the official launch of the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference's 2024-2025 Social Justice Statement, 'Truth & Peace: A Gospel Word in a Violent World' on Tuesday 20 August from 10am to 12pm in St Paul's Catholic College Sports Hall, Greystanes, adjoining Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish, Greystanes.

Please RSVP your attendance via this link: https://forms.office.com/r/1Wd96tbps0