



SACRED HEART PARISH

LUDDENHAM-WARRAGAMBA

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

YEAR B

3 November 2024



Holy Family Church - Luddenham



St Mary Church - Mulgoa



Sacred Heart Church - Warragamba



St Francis Xavier Church - Greendale

PARISH TEAM

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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday: 9.00 am - 3.30pm

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PARISH BARGAIN CENTRE

16/18 Weir Road, Warragamba
 Tuesday & Thursday: 9:30am - 4:00pm

HOLY FAMILY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Principal: Ms Donna Mc Fadzean
 Assistant Principal: Ms Jodie Van As
 Contact Number: 02 4773 7100

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.

CELEBRATION OF SACRED HEART PARISH WARRAGAMBA

**Sunday 10th November Weir Rd Warragamba
Commencing after Mass with Bishop Vincent till
12.30pm - please join us for
A Sausage Sizzle , Free Jumping Castle & Coffee
van with Snacks available - sponsors welcomed**



PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Recently Deceased:

Damian Giugovaz,
Paul Azzopardi.

Please Remember:

*All those whose names are in our
Book of Remembrance.*

Sick:

Matthew Khairy, James
Compton, Richard Curtis, Lynne
Clarke, Fr Bob Bossini.

MET Annual Bishop Vincent Vatican II Lecture: 20 November

You are invited to Bishop Vincent's annual lecture on Vatican II on Wednesday 20 November, 6:30pm – 8:30pm at the Bishop Bede Heather Centre, 1-5 Marion Street Blacktown, cnr Flushcombe Road. Register for limited seating via <https://parracatholic.org/events/vatican-ii-lecture/> for more information contact met@parracatholic.org

GOD'S HOUSEKEEPERS NEEDED

Are you able to spare a couple of hours once every 5-6 weeks to help clean Luddenham Church? We currently have 4 teams cleaning the church. With a few more people, each team would only need to clean every five to six weeks, instead of every four weeks. Please contact the parish office if you can help.

NOVEMBER MASS INTENTIONS

November is the month we remember those who have died. If you have someone who you would like remembered, and would like them included in the "Book of Remembrance" during the month of November, please complete a Mass Offering envelope (available in the foyer) with a small donation and place it in the box in the foyer or on the collection plate.

Please note that individual Masses will only be offered and names recorded in the bulletin for those whose anniversaries occur in November.

	2/3 NOVEMBER			9/10 NOVEMBER		
	Vigil	7.30 am	9.30am	Vigil	7.30 am	9.30am
Minister of the Altar	Br Joe Vassallo	Grace Buda	David Egan	Carmel Fenton	Paul Rohan	Colleen Nicholas
Ministers of the Word	Youth Readers	Marta Jennings Christian Pervan	Theresa Lia John Cutajar	Liz Murko Silvia Genovese	Moira Bryan Mary Powell	Leia Ruzic Br Barry
Data Projector	Youth Choir	Lily Attard	Colleen Nicholas	Deb Walters	Lily Attard	James Cutajar
Housekeepers	4-8 November: Alice & Lily			11-15 November: Esther, Rose & Moira		
Flowers	4-8 November: Marta			11-15 November: Sylvia & Lorraine		

Menard's Ordination



Menard will be ordained at
7.30pm on
Thursday 21st November
at St Patrick's Cathedral,
Parramatta.

All our parishioners are
invited.

Please keep Menard in your prayers.

Gospel Reflection—Discipleship

Jesus said the Scribe was “not far from the kingdom of God” because he had touched on the essence of living—loving God and loving others as a single, but distinct reality. But he is not quite part of it yet. He was not yet, and apparently did not become, a full disciple of Jesus.

What makes such a disciple? Jesus says:
By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another (John 13:35).

Or are you a disciple because you never miss Mass, or you have special devotion to Our Lady? No, it is none of these by itself. What is essential and sufficient is to love God in loving others and to love others in loving God. One might ask, is that it? Yes, that's it.

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Craft Market Greystanes

OLQP CAMILLERI HALL: SATURDAY 16
198 OLD PROSPECT ROAD: NOVEMBER 2024
GREYSTANES 2145: 8AM - 2PM

COME & ENJOY THE ANNUAL CRAFT MARKET GREYSTANES

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Devonshire Tea / Sausage Sizzle
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Mount Schoenstatt Shrine Time Holy Hour for Youth and Young Adults

The Mount Schoenstatt community invite young and young adults for Holy Hour every fourth Sunday of the month from 7pm to 8pm at the Mt Schoenstatt Shrine, 230 Fairlight Road, Mulgoa, followed by a social gathering afterwards. There will be opportunities for praise and worship, prayer, reflection, confession and benediction. For more information, please contact Sr M Rita on 0493 026 628 or rrita@schoenstatt.org.au

Calix Society: 12 Step Recovery and Catholic Spirituality

Are you or a loved one troubled by addiction or alcoholism? The Calix Society is a way to recovery that incorporates 12 Step recovery and Catholic Spirituality. Sydney Unit meets Monthly at St Joseph, Enfield. Mass (5:30pm) and “About Calix” talk (6:30 - 7:30pm). We also meet weekly via zoom and have an annual retreat. Contact: Tim 0401 600 422 or Kevin 0435 668 382 or calixsydney@outlook.com.

See: <https://www.calixsociety.org/>

St Nicholas of Myra Penrith Pavillion of Fellowship Raffle

St Nicholas of Myra Parish is holding a fundraising raffle to help construct our Pavilion of Fellowship. The prize is a 7-day holiday in a Bali Villa for 6 people (flights not included).

For more information and to purchase tickets visit <https://www.raffletix.com.au/pavilionoffellowship>

PARISH DIARY

Children's Liturgy

Saturday 2 November Vigil Mass, Luddenham
Sunday 3 November 9.30 Mass, Warragamba
Saturday 16 November Vigil Mass, Luddenham

Rosary

Sunday 24 November 9am, Warragamba
Sunday 8 December (before 9.30 Mass)

WINBOURNE PRESENTATIONS 2024 WITH BR (DR) BARRY DONAGHUE

Saturday 16 November: Church Old and New (half day).

Saturday 23 November: Celtic Spirituality (full day).

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

First Reading**Deuteronomy 6:2-6**

Moses said to the people: 'If you fear the Lord your God all the days of your life and if you keep all his laws and commandments which I lay on you, you will have a long life, you and your son and your grandson. Listen then, Israel, keep and observe what will make you prosper and give you great increase, as the Lord the God of your fathers has promised you, giving you a land where milk and honey flow.

'Listen, Israel: the Lord our God is the one Lord. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength. Let these words I urge on you today be written on your heart.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

R. *I love you, Lord, my strength.*

I love you, Lord, my strength, my rock,
my fortress, my saviour.
My God is the rock where I take refuge;
my shield, my mighty help, my stronghold.
The Lord is worthy of all praise:
when I call I am saved from my foes. **R.**

Long life to the Lord, my rock!
Praised be the God who saves me.
He has given great victories to his king
and shown his love for his anointed. **R.**

Second Reading**Hebrews 7:23-28**

There used to be a great number of priests under the former covenant, because death put an end to each one of them; but this one, because he remains for ever, can never lose his priesthood. It follows, then, that his power to save is utterly certain, since he is living for ever to intercede for all who come to God through him.

To suit us, the ideal high priest would have to be holy, innocent and uncontaminated, beyond the influence of sinners, and raised up above the heavens; one who would not need to offer sacrifices every day, as the other high priests do for their own sins and then for those of the people, because he has done this once and for all by offering himself. The Law appoints high priests who are men subject to weakness; but the promise on oath, which came after the Law, appointed the Son who is made perfect for ever.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

All who love me will keep my words,
and my Father will love them,
and we will come to them.
Alleluia!

Gospel**Mark 12:28-34**

One of the scribes came up to Jesus and put a question to him, 'Which is the first of all the commandments?' Jesus replied, 'This is the first: Listen, Israel, the Lord our God is the one Lord, and you must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind and with all your strength. The second is this: You must love your neighbour as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these.' The scribe said to him, 'Well spoken, Master; what you have said is true: that he is one and there is no other. To love him with all your heart, with all your understanding and strength, and to love your neighbour as yourself, this is far more important than any holocaust or sacrifice.' Jesus, seeing how wisely he had spoken, said, 'You are not far from the kingdom of God.' And after that no one dared to question him any more.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord, Jesus Christ.

