



Catholic Parish of St. Canice

We acknowledge the Gadigal people, the traditional custodians on whose land this Church was built.

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Mass Times

Sunday– 8:30am & 10:30am
Tuesday to Friday– 7:00am
Saturday– 9.00am Vigil- 6:00pm
Public Holidays– 9:00am

Reconciliation

Before Vigil & Sunday masses or on request

Anointing

Healing Mass

11:00am - First Friday of each month - otherwise by request

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Three Women

At the foot of a cross each woman stood,
And, looking up, beheld some good
Which only life could satisfy.
And each one asked:
‘Why should he die?
Was this what life was all about
— To wear one’s soul and body out
Only to see a loved one’s face
Hang down from the height of such disgrace?
How each of us in years gone past
Had prayed each step would be the last
Our lad would take along the way
That led to this God-forsaken day!
(Please, I’d implore him, do not go
Upon the road to Jericho,
Do not, with bold companions, try
Your luck with travellers passing by...)
My pleas were all in vain, for he
Would only say: “Mother, let me be!”
For him the die was cast, it seemed,
And what one often fearfully dreamed
Was bound to happen as it should
Upon this criminal cross of wood,
Nor all our common grief combine
To turn our tears into wine...’

A mother stood beneath each tree
United, at last, on Calvary.

Bruce Dawe



Entrance Antiphon:

Turn your eyes, O God, our shield; and look on the face of your anointed one; one day within your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

Entrance Hymn

No 423 (Gather) Lord Of Creation

Opening Prayer

O God, who have prepared for those who love you good things which no eye can see, fill our hearts, we pray, with the warmth of your love, so that, loving you in all things and above all things, we may attain your promises, which surpass every human desire.

First Reading: Isaiah 56: 1, 6-7

Thus says the Lord: "Maintain justice, and do what is right, for soon my salvation will come, and my deliverance be revealed. "And the foreigners who join themselves to the Lord, to minister to him, to love the name of the Lord, and to be his servants, all who keep the sabbath, and do not profane it, and hold fast my covenant— these I will bring to my holy mountain, and make them joyful in my house of prayer; their burnt offerings and their sacrifices will be accepted on my altar; for my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples."

Responsorial Psalm: 6:00pm Saturday: Sunday 8.30am, 10.30am

O God, let all the nations praise you!

Second Reading: Romans 11: 13-15, 29-32

Now I am speaking to you Gentiles. Inasmuch then as I am an apostle to the Gentiles, I glorify my ministry in order to make my own people jealous, and thus save some of them. For if their rejection is the reconciliation of the world, what will their acceptance be but life from the dead! The gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. Just as you were once disobedient to God but have now received mercy because of their disobedience, so they have now been disobedient in order that, by the mercy shown to you, they too may now receive mercy. For God has imprisoned all in disobedience so that he may be merciful to all.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus preached the Good News of the kingdom, and healed all who were sick. Alleluia!

Gospel: Matthew 15: 21-28

Jesus went away to the district of Tyre and Sidon. A Canaanite woman from that region came out, and started shouting, "Have mercy on me, Lord, Son of David; my daughter is tormented by a demon." But he did not answer her at all. And his disciples came and urged him, saying, "Send her away, for she keeps shouting after us." He answered, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." But the woman came and knelt before him, saying, "Lord, help me." He answered, "It is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs." She said, "Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters' table." Then Jesus answered her, "Woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." And her daughter was healed instantly.

Offertory Hymn:

No 490 (Gather) Make Me A Channel of Your Peace

Communion Antiphon:

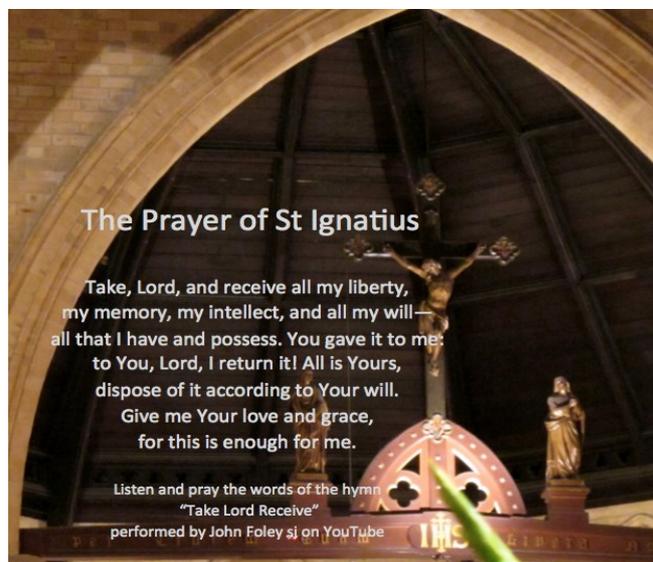
With the Lord there is mercy; in him is plentiful redemption.

Communion Hymn:

No 505 (Gather) Will You Love Me

Recessional Hymn:

No 404 (Gather) Christ Be Our Light



Let us pray for:

Recently Deceased: Robert Barnes, Winston Lindsay, Cardinal Edward Bede Clancy AC, Sr. Philomene Tiernan *rscj*, Anna De Giorgi, Thelma Harpley, Tom Daly *sj*, John Madigan, Joan O'Grady, Winifred Hinds, Jeremy Proctor, Jean Spencer, Michael Lordan, Scott Mitchell, Jane Rowlands, Rosario Borja, Frans Van Der Lugt *sj*, Joan Beverley O'Hagan, John McInerney, Val Campbell, Annetta Barone.

Anniversaries: Jadvyga Venclovas, Antanas Svedas, Frank T Brennan (Father of Sir Gerard), Bridget Ohlsson.

Recently ill: Jill Rolfe, Zoe Dudley, Lee Tillam, Paul Taylor, Desmond Whelan, Geraldine Kavanagh-Ohlsson, Cythnia Daniel, Tony Musgrave, Wayne Laphorne, Richard Ellul, Eric Robinson, Siena Mainali, Brian Loughry, Alex Pemberton, Charlie Soussa, Davina Kohler, Colin Walke, Helen, Margaret Shoditsch, Elisa Pier De Siun Young, John Myers, Jeannette McSwini, Rosemary Nugent, Robert McCormack, Jean McInerney, Bernard McCauley.

Next Week's Readings: 24 August 2014

First Reading: Isaiah 22: 15, 19-23
 Second Reading: Romans 11: 33-36
 Gospel: Matthew 16: 13-20

Roster for Eucharistic Celebrations

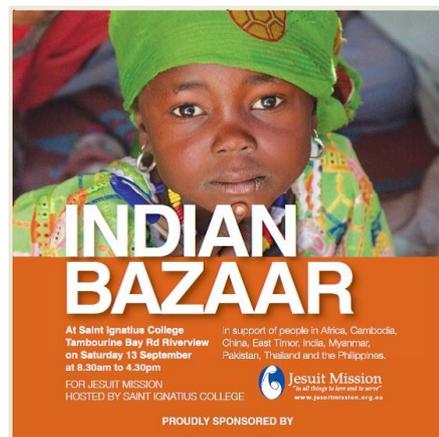
23-24 Aug 2014	Vigil 6pm	8.30am	10.30am
Greeters	M Topui	H Campbell	M Musgrave
Readers	B McSoriley	A Hurst	C Sexton
Ministers of the Eucharist	SVC students	As available	B Clulow M Musgrave K Walsh M Walsh

Winter Luncheon: For Our Lady's Nurses for the Poor - 35 Dudley Street, Coogee. **21 August 2014.** Price: \$20. Time: 11.30am for 12noon. For bookings, pls call 9665 6331.

Mass for Pregnant Mothers: Are you expecting a baby or know someone who is? You are warmly invited to attend the annual 'Mass for Pregnant Mothers to be celebrated by Bishop Peter A Comensoli at St Mary's Cathedral on Sunday 24th of August at 10:30am. Morning tea will follow in St Mary's Cathedral Chapter Hall. **RSVP and enquiries** can be directed to LMFEvents@sydneycatholic.org or call 9390 5290.

Jesuit Mission: The **Indian Bazaar** will be held at **Riverview College Saturday 13 September 2014** and the Indian Elephant Stall is collecting quality items such as silver plated items, china, jewellery, manchester, handbags, table decorations etc to sell at the Bazaar. Small lots are fine. Please contact Jesuit Mission on (02) 9955 8585 or Joan on (02) 9955 3641. Alternatively, items can be left at the Parish Office, marked for Jesuit Mission, open Monday to Friday, 9.00am - 5.00pm.

Indian Bazaar - 13 September 2014 - SIC OIU Wine Auction Donations of wine urgently needed. Clear your cellars of GOOD QUALITY wines! Deliveries please by Wednesday 10 September 2014 to the Jesuit Mission Office, 31 West Street North Sydney or to Paul Brogan at 12 Mooramba Ave, Riverview. Phone enquiries: 9955 8585



Parish Notices

In his Homily at the Requiem for Robert Barnes, Thursday 14 August 2014, Father Steve Sinn sj expanded on the message in Matthew's Gospel on the Beatitudes read in the Mass.

He said, "God honours the hungry, the poor, the powerless, the people who hunger for what is right, who show mercy, the peacemakers, the pure in heart and the persecuted because they stand up for a world built on love, God's kingdom. To be blessed by God is to be honoured. God honours these people. God honours Robert."

Thank you Fr Steve.

We welcome **Pascal Herington** this Sunday at 10.30am Mass while he is on a three week holiday from Berlin, Germany where he is studying and expanding his musical career. You will always be welcome at St Canice's, Pascal!



St Ignatius Day Feast Day Mass - 3 August: If you would like to re-visit or see some of the events of the day, there is a link on the parish webpage. At this time, it includes a 4-minute video 'Introduction to the Mass', some photos from the Social Gathering in the forecourt afterwards; Prayers of the Faithful, and the Homily "The Man of Loyola" by Justin Glyn's SJ. <http://www.stcanice.org.au/wordpress/?p=2608>.

September 6 - one day retreat: Anchor of the Soul: Fr Paul Maunder OCD. Cost: donation. 930am – 4pm. Please bring your own lunch. Tea and coffee provided. **September 26-28 - weekend retreat. The 'rich mine' of weakness.** Cost: \$220 (discounts available). Where: Mt Carmel Retreat Centre, 247 St Andrews Road, Varroville, NSW, 2566 (just off the M5). Inquiries: 02 8795 3400,

Proclaim 2014: There is still opportunity for parishes to participate in *Proclaim 2014*. Listen and watch Fr Michael White and Tom Corcoran, authors of *Rebuilt*, share their experiences and how they helped their parish grow on the Live conference webcast. Go to www.proclaimconference.com.au/livestream on Thursday 21st August and Saturday 23rd August at 10:30am.

Province Residential Retreat - from 28 September - 7 October 2014 at Peter Canisius House, Pymble, presented by Brendan Byrne SJ. 'To Live is Christ' (Phil 1:21). There is a choice of a 4 day retreat from 28/9/14 - 3/10/14: cost \$495.00: **OR** 8 days from 28/9/14 - 7/10/14: cost \$891.00. For more details please see the pamphlet at the back of the Church.

St Canice's Vinnies Conference News: Monthly BBQs take place at Gorman House, the drug rehab facility at St Vincent's Hospital. Gorman House is located in Boundary Street near MacDonald St, Darlinghurst. Meeting and sharing with the patients over a BBQ is a wonderful way of reaffirming their desire for a better, fuller life. If you want to know more, please ring Mick McIntyre on 0414 853 650. Thank you.



Musicians Tim Fisher (flute) and William Sandwell (trumpet) at St Ignatius' Day celebration Mass at St Canice's - 3 August 2014.

To re-live some special moments, please click on <http://www.stcanice.org.au/wordpress/?p=2608>

2014
Women's
Night of
Spirituality

MC
Caroline Jones
Presenter/ ABC TV
Australian Story

Guest Speaker
Dr Dorothy Hoddinott AO
Principal, Hordell
High School, Fellow
of the University of
Sydney Senate

Guest Speaker
Lanneke Jones
Musician, Teacher,
Musical Director

Guest Speaker
Rabbi Jacqueline Nisio
Rabbi at Beth Shalom
Synagogue, Sydney

a night of inspiration with
Story & Song
Music
Josie and the Emeralds

Tuesday 9th September 7.30pm - 9.30pm
St Mary's Church North Sydney, followed by supper in RDC

Limited parking
in Church grounds
and under the Rtn
Dyor Centre

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