



St Felix deValois Parish

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday: 6pm (Vigil),
Sunday: 8am, 10am, 6pm,
12noon (Polish).

THIS WEEK'S MASSES

Tuesday - 8.00am
Wednesday - 8.00am
Thursday - 8.00am
Friday - 8.00am
Saturday - 8.00am

Nursing Home Masses

Tuesday - 10.30am Bupa Yagoona
Thursday - 10am Uniting

Vietnamese Mass

7 pm - 1st Thurs of each month.

Polish Mass

6 pm - 1st Friday of every month
plus every Friday during Lent, May,
June, October and November.

DEVOTIONS

Adoration & Benediction:

Tuesday 7.30pm - 8.30pm.
Saturday 7.00am - 8.00am.

Rosary: Saturday 8.25am.

Vietnamese Divine Mercy Prayer:

6.30pm - 1st Wed of each month.

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation:

Saturday 4.30 - 5.30 pm
Or by appointment.

Marriages: By arrangement with
at least 6 months notice.

Care for the Sick: Any time. Please
call the Presbytery.

Baptisms: Ring for an appointment

Congratulations Communicants

Rihanna	Abdenmour	Kaito	Mori
Caterina	Abdul Sater	Jamie	Moussa
Adefolawemimo	Adedeji	Veronica	Najjar
Amy	Adedeji	Gabriel	Nasser
Mayar	Alahmar	Johnny	Nguyen
Lucas	Amyouni	Suri	Nguyen
Jayden	Azar	Kimberly	Oliva
Lincoln Thi	Barrell	Joshua	Pacheco
Harley	Carvalho	Danica	Sambevaska
Natalie	Chalouhy	Mark	Santos
Luke	Dao	Nathan	Semann
Jasmine	Efendi	Christopher	Taouk
Matthew	El-Khoury	Anh	Tran
Alyssa	Frost	Brendan	Tran
Ava-Maria	Georgievski	Dylan	Tran
Olivia	Gulisano	Michelle	Trujillo
Austin Alban	Jacob	Samantha	Victor
Clarissa Clare	Lin	Candice	Vo
Jessica	Luu	Steven	Vu
Luca Phoenix	Luu	Tristan	Woodley
Amalia	Schifilliti	Elijah	Zaiter
		Leon	Zhong

Responsorial Psalm

R. You are a priest for ever, in the line of Melchizedek.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;
whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

Alleluia!

Comm Antiphon:

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me
and I in him, says the Lord.

This weeks readings: Genesis 14:18-20; 1 Corinthians
11:23-26; Luke 9:11-17.

Next Sunday: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: 1Kings 19:16, 19-21; Galatians 5:1, 13-18;
Luke 9:51-62.

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ - Year C - 19 June 2022

Corpus Christi procession at St Felix

A short Eucharistic Procession to celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi will be held after the 10am Mass on Sunday 19th June. The Procession will take place around the grounds of St Felix concluding with Benediction.

Walk With Christ Returns Sunday 19 June

Sydney, get set to celebrate our faith by Walking with Christ ...the first public Catholic celebration through the heart of Sydney since 2019.

Festivities begin at Martin Place, 1.30pm, with the procession commencing at 2:30pm
Please join us with your family and friends as we gather for the Feast of Corpus Christi.

New Donation Terminals

You may have noticed the new donation terminals in the Church foyer. These are the CommBank Smart Terminals and you will find they are more user friendly. You can choose a pre-set amount of \$5, \$10 or \$20 or choose another amount you may wish to donate to the Church. Then simply tap, swipe or insert your card to make your donation and confirm. This is a fast and convenient way of donating straight to the Church account. These donations are not individually recorded and a tax receipt cannot be issued. If you wish to donate to the Church via credit card or direct debit and would like a 30% tax rebate kindly complete the Planned giving form at the bottom of the page or email your details to Marie at the office in order to set you up as a Planned Giver.

World Meeting of Families - 24-26 June 2022

As requested by Pope Francis, and with the encouragement of Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP, the World Meeting of Families will be held locally in the Archdiocese of Sydney to celebrate the sanctity, beauty and vitality of family life from Friday 24 to Sunday 26 June.

On Friday, the celebration begins at parishes with the Feast of the Sacred Heart; followed by Saturday, where families join in a pilgrimage to sites and shrines throughout the Archdiocese; and culminating with celebrating the Eucharist with His Grace at St Marys Cathedral on Sunday with 10:30 am Mass, after which families participate in the 'Festival of Families' beside the cathedral with food, coffee, music, stalls and activities for children. Pick up a brochure in the Church foyer for more information or visit <https://www.sydneycatholic.org/world-meeting-of-families/>.

Planned Giving Envelopes 2022/23

The new sets of Planned Giving envelopes are now available for collection in the foyer. **Please ensure you check your name with corresponding address and you pick up the correct one.** If you are not a member of Planned Giving, you may contact the parish office to join the Planned Giving Program. *The tax deduction is 30%.*

Instead of Envelopes you could opt for periodic deduction using your credit card or direct debit which is more economical and efficient. If you would like to make this change please contact the parish office. **Receipts for your contributions for the end of this financial year will be issued at the beginning of July.** We would like to thank all contributors for your financial support of the parish. In addition to the financial benefits, your offering enhances the fellowship of the parish as well.

Last day for tax deductible donations for the end of this Financial Year is Sun 26 June.

PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM REQUEST FORM

Would you like to become a regular contributor to the Parish?

If so, please fill in this slip and return it to the Parish Office. Otherwise send an e-mail with your details to Marie at admin@stfelixparish.org.au

Name..... Telephone No.:

Address:.....

Email :

WOULD LIKE
ENVELOPES

WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE
USING CREDIT CARD

WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE
VIA DIRECT DEBIT

Reflection

Physical & Spiritual hunger

In our age of fast food and eating on the go, families often find that they are not eating meals together at a dinner table. As a family, look back over the past week and recall how many meals were eaten together and how many meals were eaten alone or on the run.

In the Bible, meals are seen as much more than a means to satisfy a physical need. The Hebrew people viewed eating a meal as a way of expressing and strengthening their relationship to one another under God's covenant. It is no coincidence that meals are often the setting of Jesus' teaching and miracles in the Gospels. In this Sunday's Gospel, we hear the story of Jesus feeding the crowd of 5,000 people.

Read this Sunday's Gospel, Luke 9:11b-17. Talk about the kinds of hungers that people have in addition to physical hunger. Describe the hungers that a family nourishes (love, compassion, forgiveness, laughter, and so on). Together give thanks for the food that Jesus gives us that we celebrate on this Sunday's feast of the Body and Blood of Jesus. Make a commitment to share in this Eucharistic meal together as a family.

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Holy Fathers Appeal

Next weekend there is a special collection to assist the work of our present Pope, Francis. Envelopes will be available for donations that will enable Pope Francis to do even more to advance his message of mercy, love and peace throughout the world.

Mass Intentions

Recently Deceased: Margaret Page; Irene Balsara; John Steven Morris

Anniversary: John Field; Daminh Dinh Van Duong

Deceased: Maria Mun; JB Nghi; Maria Ngo; Theresa Nga; Rosa Nguyet; Regis Bellefine

Sick: Tom Quilty, Jason Timbs & Bart Hennely, Dau (Xuan); Gerard Go; Fatima Fernandes; Marian Periera; baby Alan Dien Quan Nguyen; Monina Rodriguez Pineda; Tenshi Asriel Magdaleno Arcenas; Maria Carta; Teresita Martinez; Maria Kovatsun; Frannie; Madelyn Nicole; Jun Ibarra; Abida Gill; Vo Van Kiet; Maria Bui Thi Don; Josette Ackad; Nivea Wani; Diana Emilie Perez; Billy; Lagi Amoa; Clarence Ally; Jane Aquino; Glory Bereira; Jenny; Hoa Mai; Rosa House; Nivea Wanigesekera; Annick Duval; Henriette Tam Tinh Lam; Laura Malss; Rita Gattellari; Rolly Porto; Gordon West.

Weekly Rosters

19 JUNE				
Reader 1	Emmanuel Icard	Maxwell Asuzu	Helen Vujevic	Anthony Tran
Reader 2	Patrick Abourizk	Kiara Asuzu	Emanuela Viner	“ “
Acolyte	Joseph Bui (A)	An Dang (A)	Anthony Joseph (A)	Thanh Vu (A)
Choir	St Anne	SSOG	St Felix	Elias
26 JUNE				
Reader 1	Gloria Booby	Philip Castillo	Mary O'Hea	Harriet Owusu
Reader 2	Emmanuel Icard	Joseph Dang	Thu Ha Kim	“ “
Acolyte	Tuyen Tran (A)	An Dang (A)	Martin Tran (A)	Thanh Vu (A)
Choir	SMMC	SSOG	St Felix	Jess

	19 June	26 June	Notes: SSOG: Singing Servants of God SMMC: St Mary Mackillop's Choir Group 4: Margaret Eastburn, Denise Ashe, Eric Valencia, Bach Lam (Florist)
Altar Society	Group 3	Group 4 (see notes)	
Church Cleaners	Vinh Nguyen	Mai Hai	
SVDP	Andrew Nguyen	Thom Pham	

GOSPEL: Luke 9:11-17

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

They all ate and were filled.

Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them about the kingdom of God; and he cured those who were in need of healing.

It was late afternoon when the Twelve came to him and said, 'Send the people away, and they can go to the villages and farms round about to find lodging and food; for we are in a lonely place here.' He replied, 'Give them something to eat yourselves.' But they said, 'We have no more than five loaves and two fish, unless we are to go ourselves and buy food for all these people.' For there were about five thousand men. But he said to his disciples, 'Get them to sit down in parties of about fifty.' They did so and made them all sit down. Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them; then he broke them and handed them to his disciples to distribute among the crowd. They all ate as much as they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were collected they filled twelve baskets.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

First Hbly Communion

This Sunday over two special Masses we will be celebrating the Sacrament of First Holy Communion. The Candidates have been preparing over the last few weeks and have been guided by our wonderful primary school teachers. A huge thank you to all those involved with the Masses and preparations for this Sacrament especially to our Sacramental Co-ordinator, Gloria Booby and REC Terry Loo for their leadership. Please keep these children in your prayers as they come to receive Jesus for the first time.

Craft Stall

The ladies from the friendship group will be selling beautiful handmade items on Sunday 26 June after the 8am and 10am Masses. Please support them as all proceeds support the Parish.

Thank you

Many thanks to W.T Newey & Co. Property Agents at 30 Bankstown City Plaza, for your continued support in sponsoring our Planned Giving Envelopes again for this financial year. Contact our local Parishioner, Joe Michael for your real estate needs on 0418 414 867 or e-mail: sales@newey.com.au



A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney

Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with a crime are the police.

If you – or anyone you know – have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at (02) 9390 5810 or safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org

You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.

Catechist & Friendship Group: Bev Lamaro 0409 710 703; **Choir:** Alison De Sousa 0421 660 187;

Youth: Aurora Doueihy 0428 755 022; **Pastoral Council:** Patrick Abou-rizk 0416 035 993;

St Vincent de Paul: Diago Rodrigues 9791 5209 ; **Bankstown Josephite Companions:** Robyn Molloy 9707 1292;

Children's Liturgy: Marie El-Chaar 9709 3451; **Cemetery Committee:** Maureen Vincent 9790 4217;

Sacramental co-ordinator: Gloria Booby 0413 294 224; **Safeguarding Officer:** Anthony Chadrawy 9790 1933;

Polish Priests: 8783 0533; **De La Salle Brothers:** 9708 2692;

St. Felix Primary School: 9796 7875 Frances Bonanno - Principal;

LaSalle Catholic College: 9793 5600 Michael Egan - Principal;

Archdiocesan Website: www.sydney.catholic.org.au