



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

NIL

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



Responsorial Psalm

R. You are my inheritance, O Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Speak, O Lord, your servant is listening;
you have the words of everlasting life.

Alleluia!

Comm Antiphon:

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.

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

Next Sunday: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Isaiah 66:10-14; Galatians 6:14-18;
Luke 10:1-12, 17-20.

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C - 26 June 2022

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.

Hbly Fathers Appeal

This 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.

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.

Catholic Help with Alcoholism and Addiction

Do you, a family member, or friend need help with an addiction concern? You can reach out to the Calix Society. Calix is an association of Catholic alcoholics, drug addicts, and family members and friends affected by addiction, who are maintaining their sobriety through participation in their Catholic faith and a 12 Step program. We welcome anyone concerned with the illness of alcoholism or addiction who wish to join with us in prayer for *the virtue of total abstinence, promoting our spiritual development, and striving for the sanctification of the whole personality of each member.*

Contact calixsydney@outlook.com for meeting times and resources. Perhaps this could be a crucial step toward recovery and saving a life.

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

Jesus is priority

Parents are always striving to help their children to set priorities. Children need to learn to finish homework before watching TV or going out to play. They need to know that they have to finish their chores before they can go out with their friends. They need to know that paying attention to curfews for their safety is more important than being popular.

As a family, talk about these examples of setting priorities. Share examples of how you learned to prioritize as you were maturing. Explain that in this Sunday's Gospel reading, Jesus talks about the importance of making him the number-one priority in our lives.

Read aloud Luke 9:51-62. Talk about how going to Sunday Mass as a family is an important way of keeping God at the centre of our lives. Talk about other ways that the family can make Jesus a priority.

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The Chain of Mary Association

A member from the Chain of Mary Association will be speaking across all Masses next weekend to invite you to join their campaign and sharing a decade of the Rosary. Please make them welcome.

Mass Intentions

Recently Deceased: Margaret Page; Irene Balsara

Anniversary: Margaret Goodwin

Deceased: Maria Mun; JB Nghi; Maria Ngo; Theresa Nga; Rosa Nguyet; Phero Nguyen Thai Hanh; Ine Nguyen Thi Phan; Giuse Nguyen Huu Loc; Micae Lai Dinh Trung

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

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
3 JULY				
Reader 1	Patrick Abourizk	Robyn Molloy	Emanuela Viner	Anthony Eltarraf
Reader 2	Gloria Booby	Imelda Dela Cruz	Thu Ha Kim	" "
Acolyte	Tuyen Tran (A)	An Dang (A)	Anthony Joseph (A)	Thanh Vu (A)
Choir	SMMC	SSOG	St Felix	Elias

	26 June	3 July	Notes: SSOG: Singing Servants of God SMMC: St Mary Mackillop's Choir Group 1: Gloria Walker, Lyn Rowe, Khanh Le, Thi Thuy Doan, Theresa Nguyen, Dorie Encarnacion, Hien & Vu Bui (<i>Florist</i>)
Altar Society	Group 4	Group 1 (<i>see notes</i>)	
Church Cleaners	Mai Hai	Polish Group	
SVDP	Thom Pham	J Obeid	

GOSPEL: Luke 9:51-62

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Jesus resolutely set his face towards Jerusalem. I will follow you wherever you will go.

As the time drew near for him to be taken up to heaven, Jesus resolutely took the road for Jerusalem and sent messengers ahead of him. These set out, and they went into a Samaritan village to make preparations for him, but the people would not receive him because he was making for Jerusalem. Seeing this, the disciples James and John said, 'Lord, do you want us to call down fire from heaven to burn them up?' But he turned and rebuked them, and they went off to another village.

As they travelled along they met a man on the road who said to him, 'I will follow you wherever you go.' Jesus answered, 'Foxes have holes and the birds of air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.'

Another to whom he said, 'Follow me,' replied, 'Let me go and bury my father first.' But he answered, 'Leave the dead to bury the dead; your duty is to go and spread the news of the kingdom of God.' Another said, 'I will follow you, sir, but first let me go and say good-bye to my people at home.' Jesus said to him. 'Once the hand is laid on the plough, no one who looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.'
The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Catholic Weekly

In this week's edition

- Over 13 thousand Sydneysiders Walk for Christ
- Archbishop Fisher leads retreat for U-S bishops
- Honouring the homeless who've died in the pandemic

Available for \$2 after Mass today.

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;
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