



## CATHOLIC PARISHES OF BONDI

### St Patrick's and St Anne's Parish Bulletin

#### MASS TIMES

##### **Monday:**

6:30pm Adoration/Confessions  
at St. Anne's

##### **Tuesday:**

7:15am Mass at St. Anne's

##### **Wednesday:**

7:15am Mass at St. Patrick's

##### **Thursday:**

7pm Mass  
7:30pm Adoration/Confessions  
at St. Patrick's

##### **Friday:**

9:15am Mass at St. Anne's

##### **Saturday:**

9am Mass at St. Anne's

##### **Sunday:**

8am Mass & 5pm Mass at St. Anne's  
10am Mass at St Patrick's

#### CONFESSION TIMES

Monday 6:30 - 7:30pm St Anne's

Thursday 7:30 - 8:30pm St Patrick's

Sunday: half an hour before each Mass

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the parish notices?



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#### THE PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



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Bondi NSW 2026

**St. Anne's:** 47 Mitchell Street  
Bondi Beach NSW 2026

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tues, Wed, Fri: 9:30am - 12:30pm,  
1:30pm - 4:30pm

Thurs: 10:30am - 2:30pm

#### PARISH STAFF

Fr. Anthony Robbie - **Parish Priest**

Marian Abi Khattar - **Parish Manager & Parish  
Safeguarding Support Officer**

Eugene Raggio - **Music Director**

Frank Riotto - **Director of Administration**

**Recently Deceased**

Michael Sheekey, Sr Margaret Mary Birgan and Fr Ken Sargent

**Deceased**

Nahi, Adel Beaini & Family, Bill, Anna Khoury & Family, Kablan, Mariam El-Bety and Family, Nabil El-Bety and All The Holy Souls

**Prayers for the Sick**

Maria Joao Rodrigues de Araujo, Jason Dickson, Maria Barbara, Diana Margaret Duguid and Margaret Murphy

**Special Intentions**

John McKinney, Da Costa Family and Allen Family

**This Week's Mass Intentions:**

**Tues 21 Nov:** Michael Sheekey RIP

**Wed 22 Nov:** No Mass

**Thurs 23 Nov:** Nabil El-Bety RIP


**Fri 24 Nov:** Fr Ken Sargent RIP


**Sat 25 Nov:** John McKinney


**Sun 26 Nov: 8:00am** Pro Populo  
**10:00am** Vicky Pendleton RIP  
**5:00pm** Holy Souls

**STAY CONNECTED**

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 [www.bondicatholic.org.au](http://www.bondicatholic.org.au)

**From the Archdiocese of Sydney**

Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with crimes are the police. If you, or anyone you know, have been abused, please contact the police. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.

**PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Galilee Catholic Primary School  
60B Blair Street,  
North Bondi NSW 2026  
**Ph:** 9130 7082



**Upcoming Feast Days**

**21 November:**

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**22 November:**

St. Cecilia

**23 November:**

St. Clement I, Pope

**24 November:**

St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc and Companions

**Choir Repertoire**

**At 10am Mass, the choir will sing:**

**Offertory:** 'Exsultate Justi' (Viadana)

**Communion:** 'Ecce Quam Bonum' JWV. 20 (Rheinberger)

**At 5pm Mass, the choir will sing:**

**Offertory:** 'Beati Omnes qui timent Dominum' (Purcell)

**Communion:** 'De Profundis' (G Reutter, Attr. Mozart)

**Wednesday Morning Mass Cancelled**

Please note that there will be no Mass on Wednesday morning 22 November.



**ORDER OF MALTA AUSTRALIA**

**THE ORDER OF MALTA INVITES YOU TO THE ANNUAL LOURDES DAY MASS**

**PRESIDED OVER BY THE MOST REVEREND ANTHONY FISHER OP OF SYDNEY**



**SATURDAY, 2 DECEMBER 2023 AT 10AM  
ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL SYDNEY**

The Order of Malta's annual Lourdes Day Mass at St Mary's Cathedral is celebrated for the intentions of all Catholic families, but those in need of physical or spiritual healing and support are particularly encouraged to participate and receive a bottle of water brought from the shrine at Lourdes. All those in attendance will receive a blessing from Archbishop Fisher for good health.

**The Order of Malta have been serving the sick and the poor for over 900 years. Help us continue this work.**

[www.orderofmalta.org.au](http://www.orderofmalta.org.au)



Bondi Catholic Parishes  
and  
Order of Malta Australia  
Present

# A CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Featuring the choir of St Anne's Shrine  
directed by Eugene Raggio.

Concluding with Solemn Benediction.  
Refreshments in the hall to follow.

FRIDAY, 8TH OF DECEMBER AT 7.30PM  
at the Shrine of St Anne  
47 Mitchell Street, Bondi, 2026

Free parking in the grounds of Galilee  
Catholic School. Access via Oakley Road



## November Masses

November Mass Offering Envelopes  
are available in both churches.

Please print clearly on the envelopes  
and place on the collection plates.

The Bishops of New South Wales, in  
accordance with Canon 952 §1, have  
decreed that . . . It is acceptable, in  
the case of November and Legacy  
Masses, to assume that \$20 is the  
offering for each of those Masses.

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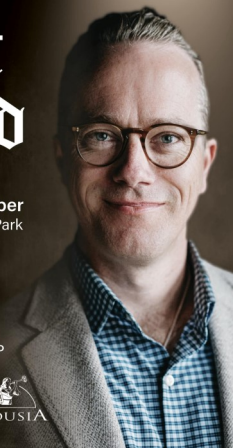
The names in November Mass  
Offerings will not be published in  
the parish bulletin. They will  
however be written on a list to be  
placed on the church noticeboards.

## Matt LIVE Fradd

MEN'S NIGHT  
Wednesday 6 December  
Novotel, Sydney Olympic Park  
6.30pm - 9.30pm

Tickets \$50 each  
includes drinks

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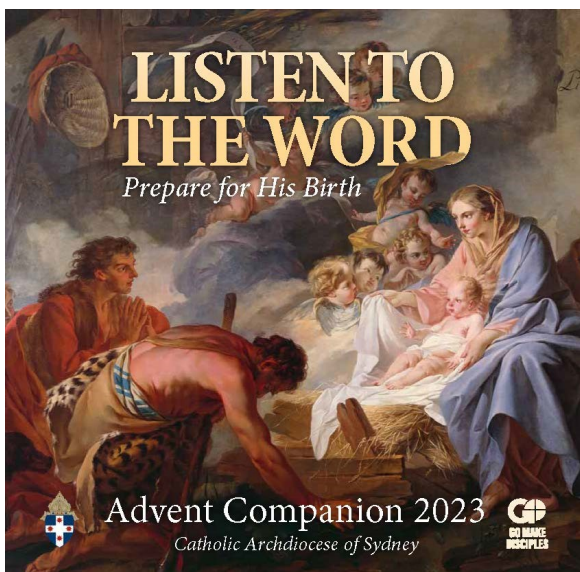
(18+ event) with drinks included.

Limited tickets, not to be missed!

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## LISTEN TO THE WORD

Prepare for His Birth



Advent Companion 2023

Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney



### Advent Companion

The Parish Renewal  
Team has created an  
Advent Companion to  
support the faithful in  
their preparation for  
celebrating the birth of  
Jesus.

Copies are available in  
both churches for  
people to take home.

## GIVE EASILY TO SUPPORT OUR PARISH AND SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

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**GLORIA**

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

**Amen**

**NICENE CREED**

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (*all bow*) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, Catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.

**Amen**

**Entrance Antiphon**

**Jeremiah 29:11,12,14**

The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.

**First Reading**

**Proverbs 31:10-13. 19-20. 30-31**

**A reading from the book of Proverbs**

A perfect wife – who can find her? She is far beyond the price of pearls. Her husband’s heart has confidence in her, from her he will derive no little profit. Advantage and not hurt she brings him all the days of her life. She is always busy with wool and with flax, she does her work with eager hands. She sets her hands to the distaff, her fingers grasp the spindle. She holds out her hand to the poor, she opens her arms to the needy. Charm is deceitful, and beauty empty; the woman who is wise is the one to praise. Give her a share in what her hands have worked for, and let her works tell her praises at the city gates.

**Responsorial Psalm**

**Ps 127:1-5. R. v.1**

**(R.) Happy are those who fear the Lord.**

- O blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways! By the labour of your hands you shall eat. You will be happy and prosper. **(R.)**
- Your wife like a fruitful vine in the heart of your house; your children like shoots of the olive, around your table. **(R.)**
- Indeed thus shall be blessed the man who fears the Lord. May the Lord bless you from Zion in a happy Jerusalem all the days of your life. **(R.)**

**Second Reading**

**1 Thessalonians 5:1-6**

**A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians**

You will not be expecting us to write anything to you, brothers, about ‘times and seasons’, since you know very well that the Day of the Lord is going to come like a thief in the night. It is when people are saying, ‘How quiet and peaceful it is’ that the worst suddenly happens, as suddenly as labour pains come on a pregnant woman; and there will be no way for anybody to evade it.

But it is not as if you live in the dark, my brothers, for that Day to overtake you like a thief. No, you are all sons of light and sons of the day: we do not belong to the night or to darkness, so we should not go on sleeping, as everyone else does, but stay wide awake and sober.

**Gospel Acclamation**

**John 15:4. 5**

**Alleluia, alleluia!** Live in me and let me live in you, says the Lord; my branches bear much fruit. **Alleluia!**

**Gospel**

**Matthew 25:14-30**

**A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew**

Jesus spoke this parable to his disciples: ‘The kingdom of heaven is like a man on his way abroad who summoned his servants and entrusted his property to them. To one he gave five talents, to another two, to a third one; each in proportion to his ability. Then he set out. The man who had received the five talents promptly went and traded with them and made five more. The man who had received two made two more in the same way. But the man who had received one went off and dug a hole in the ground and hid his master’s money. Now a long time after, the master of those servants came back and went through his accounts with them. The man who had received the five talents came forward bringing five more. ‘Sir’, he said ‘you entrusted me with five talents; here are five more that I have made.’ His master said to him, ‘Well done, good and faithful servant; you have shown you can be faithful in small things, I will trust you with greater; come and join in your master’s happiness.’ Next the man with the two talents came forward. ‘Sir,’ he said ‘you entrusted me with two talents; here are two more that I have made.’ His master said to him, ‘Well done, good and faithful servant; you have shown you can be faithful in small things, I will trust you with greater; come and join in your master’s happiness.’ Last came forward the man who had the one talent. ‘Sir,’ said he ‘I had heard you were a hard man, reaping where you have not sown and gathering where you have not scattered; so I was afraid, and I went off and hid your talent in the ground. Here it is; it was yours, you have it back.’ But his master answered him, ‘You wicked and lazy servant! So you knew that I reap where I have not sown and gather where I have not scattered? Well then, you should have deposited my money with the bankers, and on my return I would have recovered my capital with interest. So now, take the talent from him and give it to the man who has the five talents. For to everyone who has will be given more, and he will have more than enough; but from the man who has not, even what he has will be taken away. As for this good-for-nothing servant, throw him out into the dark, where there will be weeping and grinding of teeth.’”

**Communion Antiphon**

**Psalm 72:28**

To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord.

