



CATHOLIC PARISHES OF BONDI

St Patrick's and St Anne's Parish Bulletin

MASS TIMES

Monday - St Anne's
No Mass
6.30pm Adoration & Confessions

Tuesday - St Anne's
7:15am

Wednesday - St Patrick's
7:15am

Thursday - St Patrick's
7:00pm
7.30pm Adoration & Confessions

Friday - St Anne's
9:15am

Saturday - St Anne's
9:00am

Sunday:
St Anne's - 8.00am & 5.00pm
St Patrick's - 10.00am

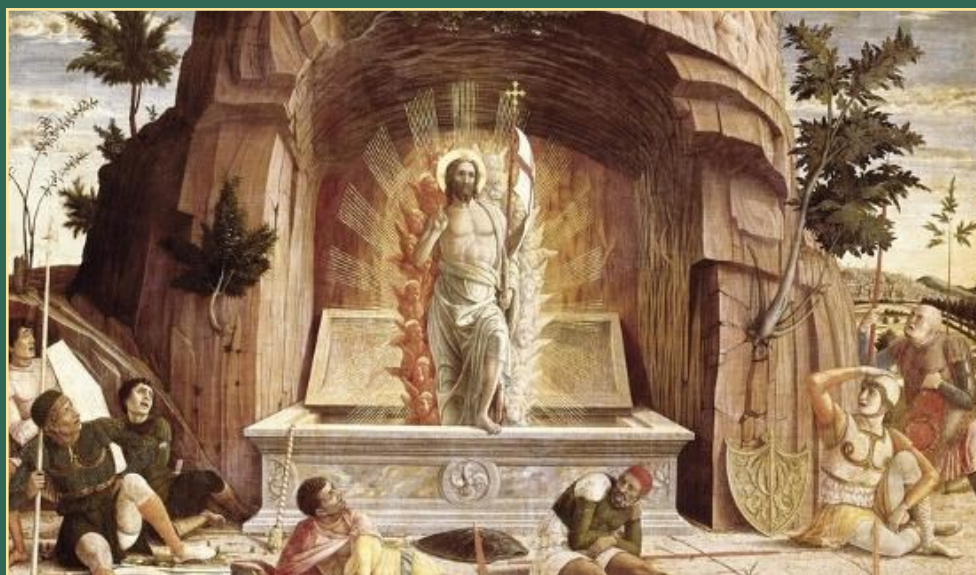
CONFESSION TIMES

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

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

Sunday: half an hour before each Mass

The Resurrection by Andrea Mantegna



PARISH STAFF

Fr. Anthony Robbie - **Parish Priest**
Safeguarding Support Officer
Michael Murphy - **Music Director**

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tues/Wed/Thurs: 10.00 - 12:30pm,
1:30pm - 5.00pm
Fri: 10:00am - 2:00pm

PARISH CONTACT DETAILS

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Bondi Beach

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EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

Recently Deceased

Father David Coffey, Szczepan Debicki, Michael Bird, Ana Candida Nascimento, Seamus Hughes, Lona Beatrice Lee, Richard Broatch, Doug Peterson, William Hayward, Sean James Rae, John Radic, Patricia Dunn, Joy Jenkins, Iveta Gulcikova

Anniversaries

Thomas Brian Sheehy, Louise Pearsall, Samira Abouzeid, Karl Jaeger, Nabil Bety, Francis Robert Sadler, Adalberto Omar Giordano, Frances (Molly) Sheehy, Eve Salter, Val Ruff, James Coleman, Daphne Bird, Geoffrey Leo Coffey, Jose Luis Herrera, Luz Marina Ocampo Quinones, Rosalbina Blanco, Mary Moore

Prayers for the Sick

Leonie Roser, Cynthia Nolan, Christine Aguirre, Fernando Nora Villalobos, Toody Peterson, Angeles, Maria Barbara, Diana Margaret Duguid, Margaret Murphy and Fred Molloy, Thaddeus West, Barbara Bristowe, Sarena McKinney, John McKinney, Nicola Macgregor, Maria Dolores Herrera, John Alvarez

Special Intentions

This Week's Mass Intentions

Sun 20 Apr: 8.00am Holy Souls
10.00am Martin Borg

Tues 22 Apr: Holy Souls

Wed 23 Apr: Holy Souls

Thurs 24 Apr: Holy Souls

Fri 25 Apr: Holy Souls

Sat 26 Apr: Father David Coffey

Sun 27 Apr: 8:00am Holy Souls
10:00am Martin Borg
5.00pm Special Intention

Accommodation



From time to time the office receives requests to find rooms to share or offers of rooms available. We have several requests from young Catholic men and women looking for flatmates at the moment. Please contact the office if you have a room or are looking for a room and we will try to put people in touch with each other.

Parish Primary School

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



Adult Confirmations 2025

Parishioners who are above school age and who are not yet confirmed may wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation. It is generally necessary to receive the Sacrament before receiving the Sacrament of Matrimony so couples contemplating marriage should be especially encouraged to get themselves confirmed.

The Confirmations will be on 8th June at St Mary's Cathedral. Father Robbie will prepare the candidates at three preparation sessions on 6 May, 20th and 27th May.

Please phone the Parish office or send an email to admin@bondicatholic.org.au to enrol.



Jubilee 2025

The parish has been deeply honoured by being nominated a jubilee centre of pilgrimage for the Jubilee year of 2025. St Anne's Shrine enjoys the same dignity as the four great pilgrimage churches of Rome and during the course of the year we hope that many pilgrims from across Sydney and beyond will take advantage of the opportunity offered. Archbishop Fisher taking advantage of the Pope's invitation, has issued a decree nominating several churches across the archdiocese as pilgrimage sites for 2025 with the capacity to earn a plenary indulgence twice a day. Sincere thanks to the archbishop for the compliment he has paid to our beautiful church.

Receiving the Plenary Indulgence:

For the year 2025 a plenary indulgence is granted up to twice a day under the usual conditions to the Faithful who

- devoutly visit the church
- receive Holy Communion at Mass and make their Confession within a few days
- pray for the intentions of the Pope.



EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad, alleluia" (Resp. Ps.). Easter is the most joyful day of the year because "the Prince of life, who died, now reigns immortal" (Sequence). If Jesus had not risen, his incarnation would have been in vain, and his death would not have given life to men. "If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile" (1 Cor 15:17), exclaims St. Paul. Who indeed can believe in and hope in a dead man? But Christ is not dead, he is living. "You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified"—the angel said to the women—"He has risen, he is not here" (Mk 16:6). At first this announcement caused fear and alarm, so much so that the women "fled . . . and said nothing to anyone for they were afraid" (ib. 8). But with them, or perhaps a little ahead of them, was Mary Magdalen who, as soon as she saw "that the stone had been taken away," ran immediately to notify Peter and John: "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him" (Jn 20:1-2). They both ran in haste, and when they entered the tomb they saw "the linen cloths lying, and the napkin which had been on his head . . . rolled up in a place by itself" (ib. 6-7); they saw and believed. This was the newborn Church's first act of faith in the risen Christ, evoked by the solicitude of a woman and the sign of the wrappings lying in the empty tomb. If some one had tried to take away the body secretly, who would have troubled to strip the corpse and remove the linens so carefully? God was using simple things to enlighten the disciples who "as yet did not know the Scripture that he must rise from the dead" (ib. 9), nor what Jesus had himself foretold concerning his resurrection. Peter, the head of the Church, and John, "the one whom Jesus loved" (ib. 2), have the merit of accepting "the signs" of the risen Lord: the news brought by a woman, the empty tomb, the wrappings left there. "Signs" of the resurrection are still to be found in the world, although in other forms: the heroic faith and evangelical life of so many humble and hidden persons, the vitality of the Church which no external persecutions and internal struggles have been able to weaken, the Eucharist, which is the living presence of the risen Christ who continues to draw men to himself. It is for each of us to accept these signs, to believe as the Apostles believed, and to strengthen our faith continually.

From Divine Intimacy by Father Gabriel of St. Mary Magdalen OCD

SACRAMENT OF FIRST CONFESSION

This year the Sacrament of First confession will take place on **Tuesday, 10th June at 6:30pm at St Anne's Church Bondi Beach.**

In order to prepare for receiving the Sacrament we will have a programme of instruction which will run for four weeks. It will be necessary for the parent/guardian to attend together with their child for the full four weeks.

The four preparation sessions will be held consecutively on **Tuesday's - 13 May, 20 May, 27 May and 3 June at 6.30pm in St Anne's Parish Hall (Oakley Road entrance).**

Please note that to receive First Confession a child must be baptized in the Catholic Church and be in Year 2 or above.

If you would like to register your child for First Confession, please email the Parish Office at:

admin@bondicatholic.org.au to obtain an enrolment pack.
Please note: Enrolments close on Thursday May 8.



MONDAY 12 MAY 6.30 PM

ST ANNE'S NORTH BONDI



Fr Marcus Holden comes to us from the UK where he is the popular parish priest of the vibrant St Bede's Clapham Junction, one of the main parishes for younger Catholics in London.

Fr Holden was co-author of the famous Evangelium Catechetical Programme, which is used around the world and has been the driving force of a wide number of evangelising initiatives.

He is currently Episcopal Vicar for Evangelisation and Catechesis in the Archdiocese of Southwark and has just been named the next rector of the Pontifical Beda College in Rome.

Fr Marcus Holden will come to address our combined groups on the evening of Monday 12th May.

The night we will have to transfer our operations to St Anne's as St Patrick's will be closed for the long awaited re-lighting.

May I ask you to compose the graphic for the evening please? Here is the text that we can use:

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Lights in St Patrick's Church

The long awaited replacement of the fluorescent tubes in St Patrick's church is shortly to begin. The aged fluorescent tubes have been failing for some time and are in urgent need of replacement. They will be removed altogether and replaced by ornamental church lanterns which should be both more beautiful and provide a much better quality of light in the church. **The church will need to be closed for a week from 12-16 May** for the works to be carried out safely. This will not impede the Sunday Masses, but **all weekday Masses will have to be transferred to St Anne's Shrine** for those days. Donations to help with the cost of the lighting are of course always welcome.



EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

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

I have risen, and I am with you still, alleluia.
You have laid your hand upon me, alleluia.
Too wonderful for me, this knowledge, alleluia, alleluia.

First Reading

Acts of the Apostles 10:34. 37-43

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

We have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead.

Peter addressed Cornelius and his household: 'You must have heard about the recent happenings in Judaea; about Jesus of Nazareth and how he began in Galilee, after John had been preaching baptism. God had anointed him with the Holy Spirit and with power, and because God was with him, Jesus went about doing good and curing all who had fallen into the power of the devil. Now I, and those with me, can witness to everything he did throughout the countryside of Judaea and in Jerusalem itself: and also to the fact that they killed him by hanging him on a tree, yet three days afterwards God raised him to life and allowed him to be seen, not by the whole people but only by certain witnesses God had chosen beforehand. Now we are those witnesses – we have eaten and drunk with him after his resurrection from the dead – and he has ordered us to proclaim this to his people and to tell them that God has appointed him to judge everyone, alive or dead. It is to him that all the prophets bear this witness: that all who believe in Jesus will have their sins forgiven through his name.'

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 117:1-2. 16-17. 22-23. R. v.24

(R.) This is the day the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad.

or

(R.) Alleluia!

1. Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, for his love has no end.
Let the sons of Israel say:
'His love has no end.' **(R.)**
2. The Lord's right hand has triumphed; his right hand raised me up.
I shall not die, I shall live and recount his deeds. **(R.)**
3. The stone which the builders rejected has become the corner stone.
This is the work of the Lord, a marvel in our eyes. **(R.)**

Second Reading

Colossians 3:1-4

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Colossians

Since you have been brought back to true life with Christ, you must look for the things that are in heaven, where Christ is, sitting at God's right hand. Let your thoughts be on heavenly things, not on the things that are on the earth, because you have died,

and now the life you have is hidden with Christ in God. But when Christ is revealed – and he is your life – you too will be revealed in all your glory with him.

Sequence

Christians, to the Paschal Victim offer sacrifice and praise.

The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb;
and Christ, the undefiled,
hath sinners to his Father reconciled.
Death with life contended: combat strangely ended!

Life's own Champion, slain, yet lives to reign.
Tell us, Mary: say what thou didst see upon the way.

The tomb the Living did enclose;
I saw Christ's glory as he rose!

The angels there attesting;
shroud with grave-clothes resting.

Christ, my hope, has risen: he goes before you into Galilee.

That Christ is truly risen from the dead we know.

Victorious king, thy mercy show!

Gospel Acclamation

1 Corinthians 5:7-8

Alleluia, alleluia!

Christ has become our paschal sacrifice;
let us feast with joy in the Lord.
Alleluia!

Gospel

John 20:1-9

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

It was very early on the first day of the week and still dark, when Mary of Magdala came to the tomb. She saw that the stone had been moved away from the tomb and came running to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one Jesus loved. 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb' she said 'and we don't know where they have put him.'

So Peter set out with the other disciple to go to the tomb. They ran together, but the other disciple, running faster than Peter, reached the tomb first; he bent down and saw the linen cloths lying on the ground, but did not go in. Simon Peter who was following now came up, went right into the tomb, saw the linen cloths on the ground, and also the cloth that had been over his head; this was not with the linen cloths but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple who had reached the tomb first also went in; he saw and he believed. Till this moment they had failed to understand the teaching of scripture, that he must rise from the dead.

Communion Antiphon

1 Corinthians 5:7-8

Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, alleluia;
therefore let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread of purity and truth, alleluia, alleluia.

