

## 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 Anne's 7.15am

Thursday- St Anne'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**

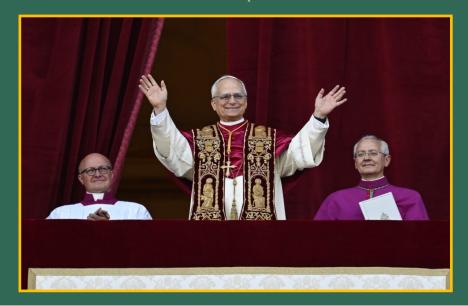
**Monday - St Anne's** 6:30 - 7:30pm

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

Sunday: half an hour before each Mass



## His Holiness Pope Leo XIV



## **PARISH STAFF**

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

## **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

**Tues/Wed/Thurs:** 9.00 - 12:30pm, 1:30pm - 5.00pm **Fri:** 10:00am - 5.00pm

## PARISH CONTACT DETAILS

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## SUNDAY 18/5/25 | FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR C

## Prayer for Leo XIV, our Pope.

May the Lord preserve him, and give him life, and make him blessed upon the earth, and deliver him not up to the will of his enemies.

Our Father.. Hail Mary..
O God, shepherd and ruler of all the faithful,
look favorably on your servant Leo XIV,
whom you have set at the head of your Church as her shepherd;

grant, we pray, that by word and example
he may be of service to those over whom he presides
so that, together with the flock entrusted to his care,
he may come to everlasting life.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## **Recently Deceased**

Pope Francis, Dr Harry Rich, Yvonne Tannous, Father David Coffey, Szczepan Debicki, Michael Bid, Ana Candida Nascimento, Seamus Hughes, Lona Beatrice Lee, Richard Broatch

#### Anniversaries

Fay Clark, Maria Da Costa, John Sadler, Adelina Pelosi, Tony Finlay, Henry Forrester, John Jekyll, George and Saydi El Bety, Farid Beini, Jim McGinty, Brian Thomas Sheehy, Luke Allen, Louise Pearsall, Samira Abouzeid

## **Prayers for the Sick**

Joseph Kazzi, Angeles Basauilbaso, 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

#### **Special Intentions**

Da Costa Family-Allen Family, Sadek Family

## **This Week's Mass Intentions**

Sun 18 May: 8.00am Pro Populo

10.00am Angeles Basauilbaso5.00pm Special Intention

Tues 20 May: Holy Souls
Wed 21 May: Holy Souls

Thurs 22 May: Holy Souls
Fri 23 May: John Sadler

Sat 24 May: Maria Da Costa

Sun 25 May: 8:00am Fay Clark

10:00am Pro Populo5.00pm Special Intention

#### **Parish Primary School**

Galilee Catholic Primary School 60B Blair Street, North Bondi

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## Prayer of Entrustment to Mary Help of Christians to be recited on Her Feast Day, the 24th of May,



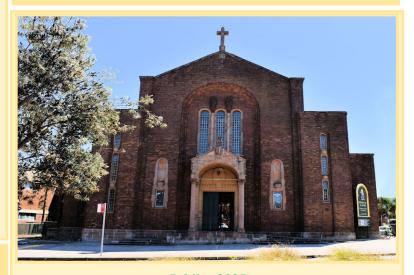
Mary Help of Christians is the Patroness of Australia, Mother of Mercy, Queen of Heaven and earth and refuge of sinners.

To you, we entrust our country, our families, our hearts, our souls, and all we have.

And so that this entrustment may be truly effective and lasting, we renew today the promises of our Baptism and Confirmation; and we undertake to live as good Christians — faithful to God, the Church, our own Bishop and the Holy Father.

We desire each day to honour you under the title, Help of Christians, by reciting three "Hail Marys", asking for your intercession for God's peace and protection for our country and our families.

Mary Help of Christians, pray for us.



## 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.



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#### **St Augustine Prayer**

O Christ, you have given us a new commandment, that we love one another as you have loved us. You call it new because you strip away the old man and clothe us with the new. In fact it is not just any love that renews man, but the love which you distinguish from the one that is purely human when you add: as I have loved you. This new commandment renews only the one who accepts it and obeys it. . . . Lord, make this love renew us, make us new men, heirs of the New Testament, men who sing the new canticle. Make this love which has renewed all the just of ancient times, the patriarchs and prophets, as later the blessed Apostles—make it continue to renew the nations and gather in the whole human race, no matter how much spread throughout the world make of all a single new people, the body of your bride. cf St. Augustine, In Io 65:1

#### **Easter House Blessings**

It is an old Catholic custom to arrange the blessing of the home during the Easter season.

Please contact the parish office to arrange for Father Robbie to come and bless your house during these weeks.

## **CWF Parish Appeal**

The Charitable Works Fund (CWF) May 2025 Appeal is being held this weekend.





Please keep alive the vital ministries of the Church in service to those who need it most. In hospitals, churches, schools, communities and families, your donation is making our world a loving, caring and compassionate place. Give generously. Your tax-deductible gift changes lives. Thank you!

Donate at www.ourfaithourworks/give-to-cwf or complete the envelopes provided (on the bulletin tables). Please place all cash donation envelopes in the collection plate. For Credit Cards and Cheques please send the donations directly to the CWF using the envelopes provided (postage paid). All donations contribute to our quotas (St Anne's: \$38 400 & St Patrick's: \$17 900).



#### **Feast and Memorial Days**

20 May St Bernadine of Siena, priest

21 May St Christopher Magallanes, priest and companions

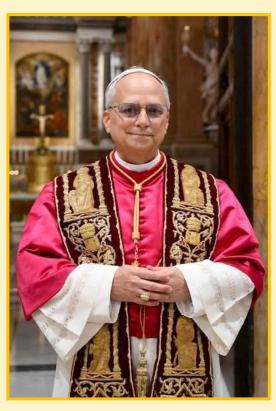
22 May St Rita of Cascia. Religious

24 May Our Lady, Help of Christians

#### 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.

## **His Holiness Pope Leo XIV**



The Parish of Bondi joins people throughout the world in giving thanks to God for the election of our new Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV. May our Holy Father Pope Leo XIV encourage the faithful as they gather to worship the Lord. God grant the dear Holy Father every blessing to guard and guide His flock.





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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**

O sing a new song to the Lord, for he has worked wonders; in the sight of the nations he has shown his deliverance, alleluia.

## **First Reading**

Acts of the Apostles 14:21-27

## A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

Paul and Barnabas went back through Lystra and Iconium to Antioch. They put fresh heart into the disciples, encouraging them to persevere in the faith. 'We all have to experience many hardships' they said 'before we enter the kingdom of God.' In each of these churches they appointed elders, and with prayer and fasting they commended them to the Lord in whom they had come to believe.

They passed through Pisidia and reached Pamphylia. Then after proclaiming the word at Perga they went down to Attalia and from there sailed for Antioch, where they had originally been commended to the grace of God for the work they had now completed.

On their arrival they assembled the church and gave an account of all that God had done with them, and how he had opened the door of faith to the pagans.

## Responsorial Psalm

Ps 144:8-13. R. cf. v.1

# (R.) I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.

- The Lord is kind and full of compassion slow to anger, abounding in love.
   How good is the Lord to all, compassionate to all his creatures. (R.)
- 2. All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord, and your friends shall repeat their blessing.

  They shall speak of the glory of your reign and declare your might, O God, to make known to men your mighty deeds and the glorious splendour of your reign. (R.)
- 3. Yours is an everlasting kingdom; your rule lasts from age to age. (R.)

## **Second Reading**

Revelation 21:1-5

## A reading from the book of the Apocalypse

I, John, saw a new heaven and a new earth; the first heaven and the first earth had disappeared now, and there was no longer any sea. I saw the holy city, and the new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, as beautiful as a bride all dressed for her husband. Then I heard a loud voice call from the throne, 'You see this city? Here God lives among men. He will make his home among them; they shall be his people, and he will be their God; his name is God-with-them. He will wipe away all tears from their eyes; there will be no more death, and no more mourning or sadness. The world of the past has gone.'

Then the One sitting on the throne spoke: 'Now I am making the whole of creation new.'

## Gospel Acclamation John 13:34

Alleluia, alleluia! I give you a new commandment: love one another as I have loved you. Alleluia!

#### **Gospel**

John 13:31-35

# A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

When Judas had gone Jesus said:

'Now has the Son of Man been glorified, and in him God has been glorified. If God has been glorified in him, God will in turn glorify him in himself, and will glorify him very soon. My little children, I shall not be with you much longer. I give you a new commandment: love one another; just as I have loved you, you also must love one another. By this love you have for one another, everyone will know that you are my disciples.'

## **Communion Antiphon**

I am the true vine and you are the branches, says the Lord.
Whoever remains in me, and I in him, bears fruit in plenty, alleluia.

