



CATHOLIC PARISHES OF BONDÍ

St Patrick's and St Anne's Parish Bulletin

MASS TIMES

Monday - St Anne's
6.30pm Adoration & Confessions

Tuesday - St Anne's
7.15am

Wednesday - St Patrick's
7.15am

Thursday - St Patrick's
7.00pm Mass
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

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Supper at Emmaus, Matthias Stom, 1620-1640



PARISH STAFF

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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tues/Wed: 9.00 - 4.00 pm
Thurs: 10.00 - 3.00 pm
Fri: 10:00am - 4.00pm

PARISH CONTACT DETAILS

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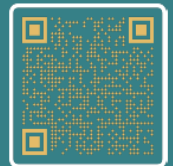
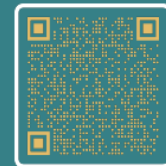
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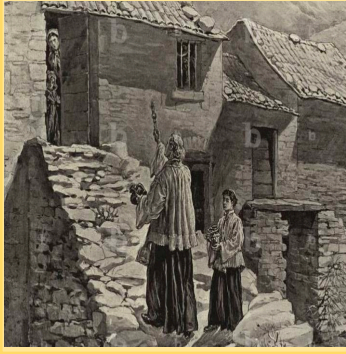


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Easter House Blessings

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.

Recently Deceased

Juana Isabel Perez, Vicki Roumanus, Hazel Mezger, Des Tracy, Ron Gibson, Steven Coleman

Anniversaries

Noelene Campbell, Fr Joao Moniz de Melo, Martin Borg, Gabor Weiner, Daphne Bird, Pauline Stewart, Lorna Stewart, Frederick Benson, Oriel Benson, Louise Pearsall, Murray James Tate, Graham Noonan, John Kemp, Jose Luis Herrera, Francis Robert Sadler

Prayers for the Sick

Raymi Fernandez, Julian Geraldo Gomez, Lolita Herrera, Juan Carlos Venegas, Amale Gittany, Ben Hall, Sr Mary Bohan, Ricardo Perez, Fr Pat Keenan

Special Intentions

Da Costa-Allen Family, Sadek Family

This Week's Mass Intentions

- Sun 19 Apr:** 8:00am Pro Populo
10:00am Juana Isabel Perez
5.00pm Special Intention
- Tues 21 Apr:** Noelene Campbell
- Wed 22 Apr:** Fr Joao Moniz De Melo
- Thurs 23 Apr:** Holy Souls
- Fri 24 Apr:** Holy Souls
- Sat 25 Apr:** Holy Souls
- Sun 26 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 2026

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 **24th May at St Mary's Cathedral at 10.30am Solemn Mass**. Father Robbie will prepare the candidates at three preparation sessions on **Tuesday: 5th May, 12th May and 19th May**.

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

BONDI CATHOLIC

TERM 2 STARTING 14 APRIL

BIBLE STUDY

7 PM

EVERY TUESDAY FORTNIGHT

ST ANNE'S CONFERENCE ROOM
(BELOW CHURCH)

14 / 4 28 / 4 12 / 5 26 / 5 9 / 6



Women's Night



Sr Rita
Living Authentic Joy



Sr. M. Rita Baysari was born and raised in Western Sydney. She was a teacher before moving to Germany to enter the community of the Schoenstatt Sisters of Mary. Now based in Sydney working closely with young girls and young adults we have the pleasure to hear her speak on how to live out authentic joy in today's world!

Monday 20th April

7pm, St Patrick's Bondi See you then!
Dinner provided. Please RSVP to events@bondicatholic.org.au

100% Tax-deductible donations for St Elizabeth's Hospital



St Elizabeth Hospital is an 85-bed charitable Catholic hospital located in Hyderabad, Pakistan. Its mission is to provide the best possible quality health care at the lowest possible cost with a preferential option for those in greatest need; to provide the highest level of Mother and Child care; and to be the leader in Hyderabad in providing Palliative Care.

We are pleased to support St Elizabeth hospital in its mission and this worthwhile cause. If you would like to join us in making a donation, you can do so by bank transfer or cheque.

Please note: Whether by cheque or bank transfer, do inform clearly in writing that the donation is for Fr Robert McCulloch - St Elizabeth Hospital Hyderabad and ask for a Tax receipt.

By bank transfer:

Account Name: Saint Columban Mission
BSB: 013373
Account No: 008684451

**St Elizabeth Hospital
Society, Hyderabad
Pakistan**

100% TAX-DEDUCTIBLE
DONATIONS

For more information, please watch the YouTube clip



About St Elizabeth Hospital



Not only is St Elizabeth a hospital, but a facility for training nurses and midwives to guarantee the future of Pakistani women and babies. St Elizabeth's Hospital was established in 1958 and is a non-profit institution. It is owned by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Hyderabad and is run on its behalf by the Medical Board of the Diocese. Since 1975, St Elizabeth has been staffed by Pakistani personnel.

In 2010, St. Elizabeth Hospital is the sole medical provider for 12,000 people in nearby villages. Free medication is provided. The major health issues that need attention are: provision of ante-natal, natal and post-natal care; infantile anaemia; general medical care for all sexes and age, including diagnosis, treatment, and provision of medicines; TB diagnosis with referral to the TB care center to the Government TB Sanatorium in Hyderabad; Hepatitis A, B and C diagnosis and treatment; treatment of common ophthalmic and skin conditions and diseases. In 2020, the hospital is providing free health care to 50,000 people.

For more, please watch the youtube clip:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AGnUJ962wKA>

Sacrament of First Confession



This year the Sacrament of First confession will take place on **Tuesday, 30th 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 or guardian to attend together with their child for the full four weeks.

The four preparation sessions will be held on: **Tuesday, 2 June, 9 June, 16 June and 23 June at 6.30pm in St Anne's Parish Hall (Oakley Road entrance).**

Please note that to receive First Confession a child must be baptised in the Catholic Church and be in Year 2 or above. If you would like to register your child please email the Parish Office at: admin@bondicatholic.org.au to obtain an enrolment pack.

Enrolments close on Thursday 7th May.



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

Cf Psalm 65:1-2

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

First Reading

Acts of the Apostles 2:14, 22-33

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

On the day of Pentecost, Peter stood up with the Eleven and addressed the crowd in a loud voice: ‘Men of Israel, listen to what I am going to say: Jesus the Nazarene was a man commended to you by God by the miracles and portents and signs that God worked through him when he was among you, as you all know. This man, who was put into your power by the deliberate intention and foreknowledge of God, you took and had crucified by men outside the Law. You killed him, but God raised him to life, freeing him from the pangs of Hades; for it was impossible for him to be held in its power since, as David says of him: I saw the Lord before me always, for with him at my right hand nothing can shake me.

So my heart was glad and my tongue cried out with joy: my body, too, will rest in the hope that you will not abandon my soul to Hades nor allow your holy one to experience corruption. You have made known the way of life to me, you will fill me with gladness through your presence.

‘Brothers, no one can deny that the patriarch David himself is dead and buried: his tomb is still with us. But since he was a prophet, and knew that God had sworn him an oath to make one of his descendants succeed him on the throne, what he foresaw and spoke about was the resurrection of the Christ: he is the one who was not abandoned to Hades, and whose body did not experience corruption. God raised this man Jesus to life, and all of us are witnesses to that. Now raised to the heights by God’s right hand, he has received from the Father the Holy Spirit, who was promised, and what you see and hear is the outpouring of that Spirit.’

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 15:1-2. 5. 7-11. R. v.11

(R.) Lord, you will show us the path of life.

1. Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you.
I say to the Lord: ‘You are my God.
O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup;
it is you yourself who are my prize. (R.)
2. I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel,
who even at night directs my heart.
I keep the Lord ever in my sight: since he is at
my right hand, I shall stand firm. (R.)
3. And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad;
even my body shall rest in safety.
For you will not leave my soul among the
dead, nor let your beloved know decay. (R.)
4. You will show me the path of life, the fullness
of joy in your presence,
at your right hand happiness for ever. (R.)

Second Reading

1 Peter 1:17-21

A reading from the first letter of St Peter

If you are acknowledging as your Father one who has no favourites and judges everyone according to what he has done, you must be scrupulously careful as long as you are living away from your home. Remember, the ransom that was paid to free you from the useless way of life your ancestors handed down was not paid in anything corruptible, neither in silver nor gold, but in the precious blood of a lamb without spot or stain, namely Christ;

who, though known since before the world was made, has been revealed only in our time, the end of the ages, for your sake. Through him you now have faith in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory for that very reason – so that you would have faith and hope in God.

Gospel Acclamation

See Luke 24:32

Alleluia, alleluia!

Lord Jesus, make your word plain to us: make our hearts burn with love when you speak. Alleluia!

Gospel

Luke 24:13-35

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Two of the disciples of Jesus were on their way to a village called Emmaus, seven miles from Jerusalem, and they were talking together about all that had happened. Now as they talked this over, Jesus himself came up and walked by their side; but something prevented them from recognising him. He said to them, ‘What matters are you discussing as you walk along?’ They stopped short, their faces downcast.

Then one of them, called Cleopas, answered him, ‘You must be the only person staying in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have been happening there these last few days.’ ‘What things?’ he asked. ‘All about Jesus of Nazareth’ they answered ‘who proved he was a great prophet by the things he said and did in the sight of God and of the whole people; and how our chief priests and our leaders handed him over to be sentenced to death, and had him crucified. Our own hope had been that he would be the one to set Israel free.

And this is not all: two whole days have gone by since it all happened; and some women from our group have astounded us: they went to the tomb in the early morning, and when they did not find the body, they came back to tell us they had seen a vision of angels who declared he was alive. Some of our friends went to the tomb and found everything exactly as the women had reported, but of him they saw nothing.’ Then he said to them, ‘You foolish men! So slow to believe the full message of the prophets! Was it not ordained that the Christ should suffer and so enter into his glory?’ Then, starting with Moses and going through all the prophets, he explained to them the passages throughout the scriptures that were about himself. When they drew near to the village to which they were going, he made as if to go on; but they pressed him to stay with them. ‘It is nearly evening’ they said ‘and the day is almost over.’ So he went in to stay with them. Now while he was with them at table, he took the bread and said the blessing; then he broke it and handed it to them. And their eyes were opened and they recognised him; but he had vanished from their sight. Then they said to each other, ‘Did not our hearts burn within us as he talked to us on the road and explained the scriptures to us?’ They set out that instant and returned to Jerusalem. There they found the Eleven assembled together with their companions, who said to them, ‘Yes, it is true. The Lord has risen and has appeared to Simon.’ Then they told their story of what had happened on the road and how they had recognised him at the breaking of bread.

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Communion Antiphon

Luke 24:35

The disciples recognized the Lord Jesus in the breaking of the bread, alleluia.

