



CATHOLIC PARISHES OF BONDÍ

St Patrick's and St Anne's Parish Bulletin

MASS TIMES

Monday - St Anne's
6.00pm Mass
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 Mass
9.30am Rosary

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

Christ appearing to St Peter on the Appian Way, Annibale Carracci, 1580



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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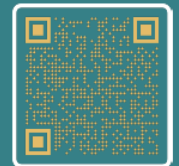
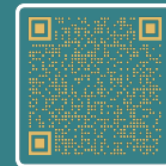
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Feast and Memorial Day

- 29 June Sts Peter and Paul, Apostles
- 30 June Martyrs of the See of Rome
- 3 July St Thomas, Apostle
- 4 July St Elizabeth of Portugal

Recently Deceased

Luigi Guerrera, George Sheehan, Fay Clark, Luigi Placer, Ricardo Perez, Juana Isabel Perez, Vicki Roumanus

Anniversaries

Ted Sime and Lucie Ruff, Rosalbina Blanco, Harold and Joan Sadler, Tess King, Rosabla Blanco. Saydi El Bety and Adele Milan, Maurice Micallef, Henry Forrester, John Jekyll, Fay Clark, Samira, Abouzeid, Deceased members Abouzeid Family, Deceased members of Sayde Family,

Prayers for the Sick

Archbishop Semus Horgan, Albino Canelas, Leone Roser, Raymi Fernandez, Julian Geraldo Gomez, Lolita Herrera, Juan Carlos Venegas, Amale Gittany, Ben Hall, Sr Mary Bohan

Special Intentions

Da Costa-Allen Family, Sadek Family

This Week's Mass Intentions

- Sun 28 June:** 8:00am Pro Populo
10:00am Luigi Guerrera
5.00pm Special Intention
- Mon 29 June:** Special Intention
- Tues 30 June:** Rosalbina Blanco
- Wed 1 July:** Holy Souls
- Thurs 2 July:** Holy Souls
- Fri 3 July:** Holy Souls
- Sat 4 July:** Ted Sime and Lucie Ruff
- Sun 5 July:** 8:00am Holy Souls
10:00am Pro Populo
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
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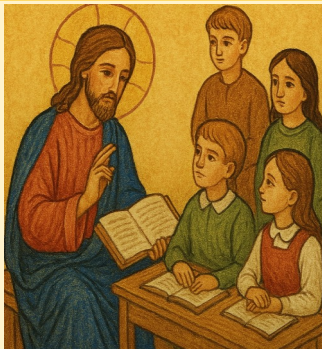


Reflection on the 4th Sunday In Ordinary Time by Father Gabriel of St Mary Magdalen, O.C.D.

May I be dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus (Rom 6:11)

Today the Liturgy of the Word leads us to consider the characteristics of the true disciple of Jesus. They are outlined by the Lord himself in austere words which cannot be lightly dismissed: "He who loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and he who loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and he who does not take his cross and follow me is not worthy of me" (Mt 10:37-38). The following of Christ demands a radical commitment expressed in a total love which is high above every other love; Jesus must be loved more than father or mother or children or self, more than life itself. This does not mean denying ourselves the love of family or neighbor—that would be absolutely contrary to the law of God—but it does mean never putting love for creatures ahead of our love for Christ. When circumstances bring us to a cross-road in life where it is either creatures or God, as Christians we have to make a resolute choice even if it imposes heavy sacrifices on our hearts. In fact we really become capable of a greater love for our neighbor and for those close to us, precisely when we have consecrated our whole heart to Christ, for only supernatural love can make us surmount all the barriers and reservations of selfishness. Jesus' admonition to take up our cross and follow him is, in great part, particularly directed toward overcoming our selfishness, which not only stands in our way of our loving God, but is also an obstacle to our love for neighbour and even for those very close to us. If sometimes we have to oppose creatures in order to be faithful to Christ, it is not because we do not love them but rather that we love them with a truer love, which by not descending to compromise is capable of raising them up to God. "He who finds his life will lose it"—says Jesus—"and he who loses his life for my sake will find it" (ib. 39). Just as by handing our heart over entirely to Jesus, we find it again, enriched with a divine power of love, so also, by renouncing self to the extreme limit—even to the loss of life itself—we find our true life again in Christ, that eternal life which no one can take from us. Few are asked to witness their love by giving up their life for Christ, but every Christian is asked to live so disposed as never to recoil before sacrifice. With this in mind we meditate upon the second reading in which St. Paul reminds us of our duty as persons baptized "in the death" of Christ. The consequence is clear: one who is baptized must be so dead to sin as to eliminate it from his life. The Apostle considers any other line of behavior abnormal; according to his thought, any one baptized in Christ's death is to rise again for ever with him and like him, "in newness of life" (ib.). So it was necessary to repeat that we need to die to whatever diverts us from generous service of the Lord, and to renounce everything that compromises that absolute preference, that primacy of the love we owe him. Only thus is a Christian a worthy disciple of Christ, intimately associated with him in death and life.

**Share the Gift of Faith
Become a Catechist!**



Our Parish is looking for volunteers to share the Gospel with our school children. No prior teaching experience is required. Commitment is just one hour a week during school term.

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SMALL GROUP STUDY

COMMENCING: TUESDAY 14 JULY

TIME: 6.30 PM

LOCATION: ST PATRICK'S CHURCH HALL

DURATION: TUESDAYS FOR 9 WEEKS

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Friday 17 July 2026

7pm
St Anne's Catholic Church,
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Works by: Gjeilo, MacMillan, Byrd & more

Concession \$30
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BONDI COMMUNITY FIESTA
SUNDAY 28th JUNE

5:00 PM MASS | St Anne's Church
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM EVENT | St Anne's Hall (Next Door)

LIVE DJ & MUSIC (Salsa, Cumbia, Reggaeton)
FREE SALSA LESSONS (6:30 PM)
SOUTH AMERICAN FOOD STATION (Empanadas, Tacos, Arepas, Churros!)
DRINKS, DANCING AND GOOD VIBES!

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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

Psalm 46:2

All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy!

First Reading

2 Kings 4:8-11. 14-16

A reading from the second book of the Kings

One day as Elisha was on his way to Shunem, a woman of rank who lived there pressed him to stay and eat there. After this he always broke his journey for a meal when he passed that way. She said to her husband, ‘Look, I am sure the man who is constantly passing our way must be a holy man of God. Let us build him a small room on the roof, and put him a bed in it, and a table and chair and lamp; whenever he comes to us he can rest there.’

One day when he came, he retired to the upper room and lay down. ‘What can be done for her?’ he asked. Gehazi (his servant) answered, ‘Well, she has no son and her husband is old.’ Elisha said, ‘Call her.’ The servant called her and she stood at the door. ‘This time next year,’ Elisha said ‘you will hold a son in your arms.’

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 88:2-3. 16-19. R. v.2

(R.) Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord.

- I will sing for ever of your love, O Lord; through all ages my mouth will proclaim your truth. Of this I am sure, that your love lasts for ever, that your truth is firmly established as the heavens. **(R.)**
- Happy the people who acclaim such a king, who walk, O Lord, in the light of your face, who find their joy every day in your name, who make your justice the source of their bliss. **(R.)**
- For it is you, O Lord, who are the glory of their strength; it is by your favour that our might is exalted: for our ruler is in the keeping of the Lord; our king in the keeping of the Holy One of Israel. **(R.)**

Second Reading

Romans 6:3-4. 8-11

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

When we were baptised in Christ Jesus we were baptised in his death; in other words, when we were baptised we went into the tomb with him

and joined him in death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the Father’s glory, we too might live a new life.

But we believe that having died with Christ we shall return to life with him: Christ, as we know, having been raised from the dead will never die again. Death has no power over him any more. When he died, he died, once for all, to sin, so his life now is life with God; and in that way, you too must consider yourselves to be dead to sin but alive for God in Christ Jesus.

Adam prefigured the One to come, but the gift itself considerably outweighed the fall. If it is certain that through one man’s fall so many died, it is even more certain that divine grace, coming through the one man, Jesus Christ, came to so many as an abundant free gift.

Gospel Acclamation

1 Peter 2:9

Alleluia, alleluia!
You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy people. Praise God who called you out of darkness and into his marvellous light. Alleluia!

Gospel

Matthew 10:37-42

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: ‘Anyone who prefers father or mother to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who prefers son or daughter to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who does not take his cross and follow in my footsteps is not worthy of me. Anyone who finds his life will lose it; anyone who loses his life for my sake will find it.

‘Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me; and those who welcome me welcome the one who sent me.

‘Anyone who welcomes a prophet because he is a prophet will have a prophet’s reward; and anyone who welcomes a holy man because he is a holy man will have a holy man’s reward.

‘If anyone gives so much as a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is a disciple, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.’

Communion Antiphon

Cf Psalm 102:1

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

