



St Francis of Assisi Parish

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PARISH BULLETIN THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER 18TH APRIL 2021

PARISH PRIEST	Fr Anthony Girolami	ASSISTANT PRIEST	Fr Jose Mathew
PASTORAL ASSOCIATE	Sr Ignacia Coching - 9407 6720	YOUTH MINISTER	Carmel Walsh - 9407 6704
OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR	Bernice Quinn - 9407 6700	PARISH BOOKKEEPER	Paul - 9407 6722
SCHOOL PRINCIPAL	Mark Basile - 9407 3100		

WEEKEND MASS TIMES Saturday vigil: 5:00 pm; Sunday: 9:00 am, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm
WEEKDAY MASS TIMES Monday – Saturday 9:15 am.

RECONCILIATION Wednesday 7:30 pm - Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 Wednesday evening after Mass and Novena

ADORATION Saturday 9:45 am
 Saturday 9:45 am – 10:30 am concluding with Benediction

VIGIL MASS: 1st Friday of the month 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm
FILIPINO MASS: 2nd Sunday of the month at 12 noon. **Next Mass:** 7th May
MALTESE MASS: 3rd Saturday of the month at 4 pm. Confession 3:30. Rosary 3:40. **Next Mass:** 9th May
ST ANTHONY'S PRAYER GROUP MASS: 1st, 2nd & 3rd Tuesdays of the month at 7 pm. **Next Mass:** 15th May
INDONESIAN FAMILY GROUP MASS: 3rd Saturday of the month at 7 pm. **Next Mass:** 20th April
MASS WITH HEALING PRAYERS: 2nd Sat of the month 6:30 pm. Rosary, Mass, Adoration. **Next Mass:** 15th May
NOVENA TO ST ANTHONY (MALAYALAM): Every Tuesday at 7:00 pm. **Next Mass:** 8th May
LEGION OF MARY: Every Thursday at 10:15 am in the church fellowship area. Contact Jackie - 0422 443 324.
WORD OF LIFE PRAYER GROUP: Every Friday at 7:30 pm in the chapel. (9th April - Easter Blessings)
PASSIONIST FAMILY GROUP: Contact Alfons and Helen Glatzel - 9404 2050.
DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET: Every Friday at 3:00 pm in the chapel and after Friday morning 9:15am mass.
LIFE TEEN: Contact Carmel - millpark.youthministry@cam.org.au for further details.
JESUS YOUTH PRAYER GROUP: Every Thursday at 7 pm in the Chapel. Contact Lovely - 0411 208 706.

SAPIENTIA PROJECT WHAT IS IT?

Later this year our parish will participate in a new programme called the Sapientia Project. It is designed to give responses to the current issues we are facing as a society. Different speakers who are experts in their field will be presenting. Stay tuned for more details.



Theological Talks in Catholic Parishes

MASS BOOKINGS - All bookings will commence Tuesday at 10:00am for the week ahead. Phone bookings for the entire week will only be taken on Tuesdays from 10 am to 4 pm on 9407 6701. If your call goes to voicemail, please remember to leave your name and number and we will get back to you. Bookings are required for all liturgical ceremonies in the Church.

TryBooking online bookings can be made by 5:00pm the previous day throughout the week, if seats are available. Please arrive 15 to 20 minutes prior to Mass to enable list checking requirements to occur without difficulty. Please be aware that entry is not permitted once Mass begins. We thank you for your understanding.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

RECENTLY DECEASED:
DEATH ANNIVERSARIES: Timothy Abenir.
THOSE WHO ARE ILL: David Wallace, Sharon Barber, Herve Incoul, Vicki Heath, Rosy See, Domenic Schiavone, Adele Girolami, Dominic Schiavello.

The newsletter will be available each week in the Presbytery foyer and on our website www.cam.org.au/millpark

Dear Parishioners,

As we continue to make head way please remember to book in and follow sanitisation requirements. May I remind you if you are feeling unwell, please do not come to the church until you have recovered.

Face masks while not mandatory are still optional.

Congratulations to Margaret Samuel and Regina Hunning who received recognition awards from our local federal MP – Andrew Giles for their generous voluntary work in the general community. God bless them for using their talents so generously.

May Easter Blessings continue for you,

Fr. Anthony Girolami

CHAPEL HOURS

The chapel will open on **Wednesday mornings** for the **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** from 6:30am until 7:30pm. On all other days, Tuesday to Sunday, the chapel will open at 7:30am and close at 6:00pm. **Please note the chapel is closed all day on Mondays.**



Caritas Australia would like to THANK YOU for supporting Project Compassion 2021.

IF YOU STILL HAVE YOUR PROJECT COMPASSION BOX OR SET OF ENVELOPES AT HOME, PLEASE BRING THEM BACK NEXT WEEK.

Or visit www.caritas.org.au to make your donation online.

www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion
1800 024 413



YOU ARE INVITED TO ALPHA!! The Alpha Course continues this Thursday . . . It's not too late to join!

Explore questions of life and faith and make new friendships at Alpha! Alpha is an exciting refresher Course in the Christian faith. The second session of the Alpha Course is on this Thursday 22nd April, in St Francis Hall, 7.00 pm - 9.30 pm. Enquiries: 9407 6700. Pick up a flyer after Mass. Personal invitation. All young adults are invited to remain in the church after Mass to hear an announcement about the Alpha course.

GODSTART PARTY FOR 4-YEAR-OLDS

There will be a **Birthday Party** for all children in the parish who **turn 4** this year, **NEXT SUNDAY, 25th April**, starting at 11:30am in the Church Fellowship Area (after 10:30 am Mass). All 3-4 year-old children and their families are invited. RSVP: 9407 6700. For further details ask for Ruth Lees.



PARISH CELLS OF EVANGELISATION

The **Cells All Leaders Meeting** will be on this Tuesday, 20th April, at **7.30 pm** in the Community Room.

Catechist Classes 2021

Catechist classes will begin on Tuesday 27th April at 4:15pm - 5:00pm. Enrolments are now open. An enrolment form and payment form are available on our website (under application forms tab) or from the parish office (Tuesdays or Fridays). These forms can be emailed back to us. Alternatively, we will have an enrolment day on Tuesday 20th April in the Church from 4pm - 5pm if you prefer to enroll face-to-face. This year, classes will run during terms two and three, every Tuesday from 4:15-5:00pm.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact May Park at mpark@sfmillpark.catholic.edu.au

MOTHER'S DAY STALL

The **Wellness Group** will have the Mother's Day stall next weekend (24/25th April). Your support will be greatly appreciated.



RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults has recommenced each Thursday at 7:30 pm in the Community Room. If you know of anyone interested in the Catholic faith please invite them along. It is not too late to join. For further details please contact Fr Anthony.

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI SCHOOL ENROLMENT FOR 2022 PREPS

Enrolments for 2022 are now being taken. Enrolment packs can be collected from the School Office or downloaded from the school website www.sfmillpark.catholic.edu.au

Open Day: Saturday 1 May 9.00 am - 11:30 am

School Tours: Tours are conducted every Tuesday at 9:30 am throughout terms 1 & 2 - bookings essential.

Applications close May 21st 2021. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the School on 9407 3100 or email the Principal, Mr Mark Basile at principal@sfmillpark.catholic.edu.au

