

## SAINT MARGARET MARY'S

### Weekend Masses

Saturday 6:00pm (Vigil)  
Sunday 9:00am (English)  
Sunday 10:30am (Italian)  
Sunday 5:00pm (Vietnamese)

### Weekday Masses

Tuesday – Saturday 9:00am  
(Wednesday - Italian)

### Reconciliation (1<sup>st</sup> Rite)

By appointment

### Baptisms

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month

### Weddings

By appointment

### Holy Hour

(English/Italian)  
Every 1st Friday of month 8:00am – 9:00am  
(Vietnamese)  
Every Sunday 3:00pm - 4:00pm

## MINISTRIES ROSTER

### NEXT SUNDAY

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER - YEAR A

#### Readings:

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17  
1 Peter 3:15-18  
John 14:15-21

#### Ministers:

(Sat/Sab) J Falzon  
(Sun/Dom 9:00am) C Megna  
(Sun/Dom 10:00am) G Nicolini

#### Commentators:

(Sat/Sab) N Ianno  
(Sun/Dom 9:00am) G Hunter

#### Readers:

(Sat/Sab) M Moraes  
(Sun/Dom 9:00am) P Sleiman  
(Sun/Dom 10:30am) R Pira

#### Counter:

G Huntero



## Welcome to St Margaret Mary's Parish

Salesians of Don Bosco

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School Principal: Mr Daniel Ryan 9383 6699

**SATURDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> & SUNDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2023**  
**5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER – YEAR A**



**I am the way,  
the truth  
and the life.**

**John 14:1-12**

## PARISH DIARY / DIARIO PARROCCHIALE

6 / 7 MAY 2023

5th SUNDAY OF EASTER - Year A

### MAY

10 Pastoral Council meeting - 6:30pm

12 School children attending the 9:00am  
Mass

13/14 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

13 Presentation of First Eucharist  
Candidates at the 6:00pm Mass

13/14 Cuppa after Mass

14 MOTHER'S DAY

19 School children attending the 9:00am  
Mass

20/21 THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

26 School children attending the 9:00am  
Mass

## FINANCE/FINANZE – 30/04/2023

### THANKSGIVING ENVELOPES

- Church \$229.15  
- Presbytery \$143.10

### LOOSE CASH

- Church \$567.65  
- Presbytery \$567.65

### DIRECT DEPOSITS TO CHURCH

- March \$300.00

### SUPPORTING OUR PARISH ELECTRONICALLY

#### CASHLESS PAYMENTS:

CDFPay for Parish:

<https://bit.ly/CDFpayBrunswickNorth>

#### OR DIRECT DEPOSIT:

Church A/C: BSB: 083-347 ACC: 542820812

Presbytery A/C: BSB: 083-347 ACC: 543011742

*Thank you/Grazie*

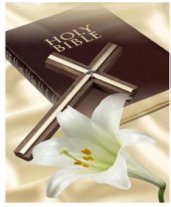
## PENSIERO DOMENICALE

Tutti abbiamo bisogno di una casa. Gesù ci assicura che alla fine della nostra vita ognuno di noi avrà una casa dove dimorerà, cioè la casa del nostro Padre celeste. Ci ha perfino promesso di prepararci un posto dove Lui dimorerà sempre con noi. Questo è veramente causa di immensa gioia per ognuno di noi.

## LIVING THE GOSPEL

Allow your own home and its various rooms to remind you of your Father's house this week. Be hospitable and open the doors of your home to someone in need of company.

Please remember in your prayers / Gentilmente ricordate nelle vostre preghiere:



### OUR SICK / NOSTRI MALATI

Concetta Ziella, Annie Nicolini, Tina Blanco.

### WE REMEMBER / RICORDIAMO

Lorenzo Nguyen, Domenico Delorenzo, John Bastian, Gordon Windsor, Noel, Marie, Felecity & Andrew Murray, Jean & Cordellia D'Cruze, Andrew & Alfred Bastian.

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

**RESPONSE:** Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.



### BUON COMPLEANNO / HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Tanti auguri a / congratulations to:

**Pasqualina Fragale** che celebra i suoi **92 anni** Maggio 7

**Fr Phil** who will celebrate his birthday on May 11.

Best wishes and good health to you! / Pace, buona salute e felicità!

### Thanksgiving Program - New Contributors

Would you like join our parish Thanksgiving Program?

If you are interested in becoming a contributor please see our priest or contact the office on 93866522 for a set of envelopes to be organised for you.

**Dear Thanksgivers,**

**We are seeking your assistance to help our weekend counters.**

**Could you please record the amount enclosed in your thanksgiving envelope prior to placing it in the collection. Thank you.**



The Welcoming Committee Is Organising

### **Mothers' Day Cuppa**

**When: Saturday 13th & Sunday 14th May after all Masses**  
**Where: Church gathering space.**

**All are welcome!**

At next Saturday's 6:00pm Mass we will see the presentations of our primary school First Eucharist candidates.

# SERVICE

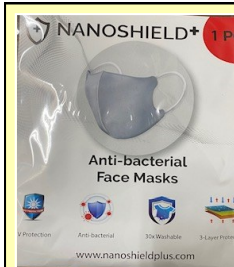
Service, help, aid to those in need is something most of us do quite naturally. For us Catholics it is something which could be part of our D.N.A., something which is integral to our baptism, our identity as followers of Christ. In today's reading from the ACTS of the APOSTLES, the Apostles are seen to be very concerned about the situation in which widows find themselves: left destitute with the death of their husbands they can only survive through someone's charity.

It is obvious that the Apostles have made the care of widows a prime concern, but there appears to be so many that they are actually having to give up some of their preaching to this worthy cause. Rather than cut down on one or the other, they simply invent a service which we now call DIACONATE. They would devote all their time and effort in caring for the widows and other needy people. A number of suitable young men were chosen for this purpose. Now both the preaching and the service to the needy are proceed hand in hand.

These days Deacons are not ordained for this purpose, but the Church continues to provide service to the needy in many and varied ways. In Australia we can think of the many Catholic hospitals and the work of the St Vincent the Paul Society just as an example, while as individuals we are always reminded of our duty of service which emanates from the invitation which is given to us at the end of Mass: **Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.**

### Project Compassion Our parish raised **\$2,494.50**

Your generosity will empower the world's most vulnerable communities to grow stronger and lift themselves out of poverty. Thank You!



Donated reusable Face Masks are available to parishioners in the gathering space.

**PLEASE ONLY TAKE ONE PER PERSON  
SO EVERYONE CAN BENEFIT FROM  
THIS GENEROUS DONATION.**