

St Joseph's Catholic Church Riverwood

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Schedule of Masses		Baptisms	By appointment
Saturday	6 pm (Vigil for Sunday)	Marriages	By appointment
Sunday	7.30 am, 9.30 am	Confessions	Saturday after 9am Mass & 5:00-5:45 pm
Tuesday	7.30 am	Exposition	Friday, 7:30 to 8:30pm (with benediction)
Wednesday	9 am		
Thursday	7.30am in the Convent		
Friday	9 am		
Saturday	9 am (Rosary 8:40)		

18 June 2017: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

P355 in St Paul's Sunday Missal

Masses and prayers: Please pray for Michael O'Shannessy (died 25/5), Sergio Fracarossi (ann. 18/6), Geoffrey Gale (ann. 19/6), Phero Ngo Thien Tuyen (anniversary), Beverley Blechynden (ann. 17/6), Patrick Coogan (ann. 17/6), Henri Zacaropoulos and those who are sick or who need our prayers, including, Chris Blenkinsopp, Frank Toohey, Margaret Wood, Yolande Zacaropoulos, Betty McLaren, John, George, Michael, Joseph, John, Joshua and Georgia.

Masses this week: This Friday 23 June, we celebrate the Feast of the Sacred Heart with 9am Mass. St Joseph's students Year 3 - 6 will be attending. All welcome.

Parish Assembly: There will be a parish meeting on Sunday 2 July 2017 at 10.30am following the 9.30am Mass. There are several important challenges and needs to be discussed, including:

- Plans for the church: Proposed Erskine St colonnade and external shrines, the front entrance, internal shrine to St Mary MacKillop, and so forth.
- Completion of the Baptistry
- Youth Ministry
- Child Care Centre (proposed school site development)

Rosary Statue: Christine North, 20 Clarendon Rd, Peakhurst.

Alive Youth Group: This Friday 23 June, from 6pm - 7:30pm, Alive youth group will wrap up the term in the Parish Centre. Year 5 & 6 students welcome to come and spend time together! Call Nick Weir on 0452208151 or aliveym.riverwood@gmail.com

Annual Marriage Mass & Renewal of Vows is on Sunday 2 July 2017 at St Mary's Cathedral, Sydney at 10.30 am. Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Anthony Fisher. Married couples wishing to renew their vows should register with the Life, Marriage and Family Centre on 9307 8404 or LMFevents@sydneycatholic.org. Registered couples celebrating 50th, 55th, 60th, or 65th wedding anniversaries will receive a special certificate.

Online Youth Survey: Last week the Australian Bishops released an online youth survey to seek feedback for the Youth Synod in 2018 www.catholic.org.au/youthsurvey. This survey will provide an important means for our young people aged 16-29 to communicate their needs, hopes and desires for our Church with our Australian Bishops.

Position Vacant – Housekeeper/Cook: Applications are invited for the position of Housekeeper/Cook based at an Auxiliary Bishop's residence located in the Inner West of Sydney in the Sydney Archdiocese. Details of this position, including the job description may be viewed at www.catholicjobsonline.com.au. Applications close 19 June 2017.

Parish 2020 Prayer: *Unite us as Church and anoint us with a common vision, so that we may be of one mind and one spirit, working with joy for the growth of your Kingdom.*

Collections Last Week

1st: \$664	2nd: \$326	Envelopes: \$950
Money Counters Roster	Sun 18 Jun	John Owen, Karl Helene
	Sun 25 Jun	Geoff Stevens, Darijo Cakarun

Parish Liturgy Roster

	Acolytes and Ministers	Lectors	Altar Servers
Sat 17 Jun 6:00pm	James Dixon	Sue Shepherd Norina Fincato	Adam D, Noah D, Jennifer-Tyler L, Zachary N, Alexander N
Sun 18 Jun 7:30am	William Fernandes	Darijo Cakarun Ian Brown	Kira B, Teana B, Christian L, Joseph T
Sun 18 Jun 9:30am	TBA	Tony Estep Edita Estep	Zachary D, Margaret O, Nicholas O, Chris P
Sat 24 Jun 6:00pm	James Dixon	Tom Patel Ada Patel	Harrison C, Jennifer-Tyler L, Zachary N, Alexander N
Sun 25 Jun 7:30am	William Fernandes	Darijo Cakarun Ian Brown	Jacinta A, Kira B, Teana B, Joseph T
Sun 25 Jun 9:30am	TBA	Paula van Oploo Geoff Stevens	Zachary D, Christian L, Margaret O, Chris P

Readings for 24/25 June: Page 407 in St Paul's Sunday Missal

Altar Society

Sat 17 Jun	Mary Glen, Judith Connolly, Sr Mary Ephrem
Sat 24 Jun	Nicole Helene, Helen Walter, Denise Orazi

Upcoming Parish Events

17 Jun	Sat	11:00am	Parish Finance Committee Meeting
20 Jun	Tue	10:30am	Banks Lodge Aged Care Mass
20 Jun	Tue	7:30pm	Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
23 Jun	Fri	7:30 – 8:30pm	Exposition and Benediction

