

# St Joseph's Catholic Church Riverwood

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## St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Riverwood

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Schedule of Masses		Baptisms	By appointment
<b>Saturday</b>	6 pm (Vigil for Sunday)	<b>Marriages</b>	By appointment
<b>Sunday</b>	7:30 am, 9:30 am	<b>Confessions</b>	Saturday after 9am Mass & 5:00 - 5:45 pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	7:30 am	<b>Exposition</b>	Cancelled this Friday
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:00 am		
<b>Thursday</b>	7:30 am in the Convent		
<b>Friday</b>	9:00 am		
<b>Saturday</b>	9:00 am (Rosary 8:40)		

## 4 November 2018: 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time P719 in St Paul's Sunday Missal

### ROOF DONATIONS

Thank you so much to those who have donated to the rebuilding of the roof. If you would like to donate you can pay the money straight into our bank account via online banking.

BSB: 062 784 Account no: 26705001. Reference: Your Name and "Roof".

Online donations via credit card are also now available. Go to our website and click on "SUPPORT US" button on the top right-hand side of home page.

**Masses and prayers:** Please pray for Dr Woo (died recently), Pauline Fleming (ann. 4/11), Kevin Sisson (ann. 5/11), Simon Elchaar (ann. 4/11), Henri, Yolande & Yves Zacaropoulos, Natale Tesoriero, Grazia Lauricella, Giuseppina Tesoriero, Gaetano Ortado, Maria Ortado, Frances Russo, Francis Edward Devitt and the sick or those who need our prayers, including Mary Elchaar & Patsy Rozario.

**The Parish Morning Tea** is on this Sun 4 Nov after the 9.30am Mass in the Parish Centre.

**William Fernandes Ordination to the Diaconate:** St Mary's Cathedral at 7pm on 9 November. All welcome to attend (no adoration at Riverwood on that night).

**Church structure crisis update.** Fascia boards are completed on approx. 60% of the roof. 70% of roof rafters are in position. Bracing & battening of rafters is taking place. We are waiting on delivery of roof tiles.

**Parish Volunteers:** We recently contacted Lectors, Money Counters and Mass Wardens to request that they obtain a Working with Children Check to comply with Archdiocesan Safeguarding requirements. Thank you to all those who have responded. The Archdiocese has also requested that our volunteers read and sign a code of conduct and submit it to the Parish Office and complete Safeguarding Induction Training. The induction training can be done online at this link: <https://goo.gl/forms/fSnOR2irB2COg0wG3>

Our Catechists have already complied with these requirements, but Margaret will be in contact with other volunteers over the coming weeks regarding both matters (the Code of Conduct will be emailed to you or arrangements made for you to obtain a copy).

**Seniors Christmas Luncheon** will be held on Wednesday 21 November at 12pm. Please add your name to the list on the table in the church foyer if you would like to attend/assist.

**Volunteers Needed** to assist with driving guests to the Seniors Luncheon and to assist with serving lunch on Wednesday 21/11/18. Sign on sheets are at the back of the Church.

**Charitable Works Fund (CWF) Appeal.** This weekend is the CWF appeal which allows us to contribute to the various social and pastoral programs of the Archdiocese of Sydney. Special appeal envelopes have been provided. Donations of \$2 and over are tax deductible.

**Rosary Statue:** Andrew & Michele D'Cruze, 3 Hannans Rd, Riverwood.

### Collections Last Week

1st: \$867	2nd: \$403	Envelopes: \$1,170
Church Roof Replacement Fund: \$111,937		
<b>Money Counters Roster</b>	Sun 4 Nov	Colleen Goddard, Tony Monaghan
	Sun 11 Nov	Christina Coogan, Tricia Haren

### Parish Liturgy Roster

	Acolytes and Ministers	Lectors	Altar Servers
Sat 3 Nov 6:00pm	James Dixon	Tony Elchaar Kevin Seymour	Jacinta A, Harrison C, Adam D, Noah D
Sun 4 Nov 7:30am	TBA	Darijo Cakarun Dominic Roy	Zara B, Kira B, Teana B, Tom B, Joseph T
Sun 4 Nov 9:30am	William Fernandes	Charles Limpus Catherine Sisson	Zachary D, Nathan H, Margaret O, Annabelle S
Sat 10 Nov 6:00pm	James Dixon	Maureen Carters Steffi Robin	Harrison C, Adam D, Noah D, Margaret O
Sun 11 Nov 7:30am	William Fernandes	Darijo Cakarun Dominic Roy	Janemarie A, Kira B, Teana B, Tom B, Isabella Cl
Sun 11 Nov 9:30am	Sr Assunta	Christine North Mona Ekawati	Isabella Ch, Michelle M, Marceline O, Nicholas O
Readings for 10/11 Nov: P722 in St Paul's Sunday Missal			
<b>Altar Society</b>			
Sat 3 Nov	Gim O'Brien, Tricia Haren		
Sat 10 Nov	Jennifer Emanuel, Gail Meredith		

### Upcoming Parish Events

7 Nov	Wed	7:00pm	First Confession Liturgy
9 Nov	Fri	7.30 – 8.30pm	NO ADORATION TONIGHT (William Fernandes' Ordination to the Diaconate)
10 Nov	Sat	2:00pm	First Confessions

