

St Joseph's Catholic Church Riverwood

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15 November 2020: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

| Coronavirus schedule of Masses | | Baptisms | By appointment |
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| Saturday | 6 pm (Vigil for Sunday) | Marriages | By appointment |
| Sunday | 7:30 am & 9:30 am (livestreamed) | Confessions | Saturday after 9am Mass & 5:00 - 5:45 pm |
| Tuesday | 6:15 am | Exposition | Friday, 7:30 to 8:30pm (with benediction) |
| Wednesday | 6:15 am | | |
| Thursday | 6:15 am | | |
| Friday | 6:15 am | | |
| Saturday | 9:00 am | | |

Roof Replacement Project: The Project has finished but the Parish is at this stage unable to pay our invoices for the last 6 weeks of the project. We are grateful for your previous generous support of the project, but we need to ask your help to pay these bills because the Parish is unable to pay off any debt.

CORONAVIRUS UPDATE 13 November 2020

- Masses.** Restrictions were eased in Churches from 23 October. Given the dimensions of the Church, we are now allowed 110 people, which complies with the 4m² rule (with the exception of people from the same household).
- Face masks** are recommended, Holy Communion will be administered in silence.

MASS ATTENDANCE

Please note that everyone attending Mass must be in the Church and have provided contact details before Mass starts so it would be appreciated if you were to arrive 10 – 15 minutes early. The door must be closed when Mass starts.

LIVESTREAMING

The Sunday Mass livestream starts at about 9.25am each Sunday and can be accessed at bit.ly/stjriverwood or via the QR code sent to our email subscribers.

SUPPORTING THE PARISH DURING THE CORONAVIRUS

You can help the parish survive by donating online either through our website by credit card (click on the "SUPPORT US" button on the top right-hand side of home page) or through setting up a regular monthly transfer via internet banking. Please phone (Tues, Thu or Fri) or email the Parish for our bank account details.

Masses and prayers: Please pray for John Albatti (died recently), Elizabeth Chao (died 10/11), Simon Lau (died 1/11), Gertrude (Trudi) Homan (died recently), Fr Paul Francis Stenhouse MSC (ann. 19/11), Norma Stewart (ann. 15/11), Henri, Yolande & Yves Zacaropoulos and the sick or those who need our prayers including Rita Kortmann & Ben Gandy.

Becoming Catholic: If anyone would like to learn about the Catholic faith, perhaps with a view to becoming Catholic, please contact Fr John.

Solemnity of Christ the King: 22 November 2020: Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP will be launching a video message to mark this special occasion details of which we will be shared with parishes next week. As the level of community transmission of COVID-19 declines, Catholics are called to return to Mass, if they are well enough, rather than continuing to rely upon livestreamed Masses where we miss out on receiving the Blessed Sacrament, the source and summit of our faith. As we prepare to welcome the birth of Our Lord, Advent is a wonderful time for Catholics to return to Mass who may not have done so over recent months due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Documentary on ABC TV on the Emmaus Community in Perth: A talented Adelaide-based film-maker, Lara Damiani has produced a documentary, "A Place to Call Home" on the work of the Emmaus Community in Perth, providing a home for adults who live with mental illness. The documentary will air on ABC TV's Compass program on Sunday 22 November at 11am, followed by streaming on ABC iView until 22 December.

Collections Last Week

| 1st: \$243 | 2nd: \$424 | Envelopes: \$938 |
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| Church Roof Fund: \$757,881 Charitable Works Fund: \$376 | | |
| Money Counters Roster | Sun 15 Nov | John Owen, Karl Helene |
| | Sun 22 Nov | Geoff Stevens, Darijo Cakarun |

Parish Liturgy Roster

| | Acolytes and Ministers | Lectors | Altar Society |
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| Sat 14 Nov 6:00pm | Dcn William Fernandes | Pamela Moreira Norina Fincato | Jennifer Emanuel |
| Sun 15 Nov 7:30am | James Dixon | Darijo Cakarun Dominic Roy | |
| Sun 15 Nov 9:30am | Sr Assunta | Tony Estep Edita Estep | |
| Sat 21 Nov 6:00pm | James Dixon | Terri Tiojanco | Mary Glen Judith Connolly Colleen Goddard |
| Sun 22 Nov 7:30am | Dcn William Fernandes | Darijo Cakarun Dominic Roy | |
| Sun 22 Nov 9:30am | Sr Assunta | Aleksandra Gorka-Stolzman Lydia Atmadja | |