

## St Joseph's Catholic Church Riverwood

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#### Coronavirus schedule of Masses

<b>Saturday</b>	6pm Vigil not during lockdown
<b>Sunday</b>	7:30 am not during lockdown 9:30 am (livestreamed)
<b>Tuesday</b>	6:30 am (livestreamed)
<b>Wednesday</b>	6:30 am (livestreamed)
<b>Thursday</b>	6:30 am (livestreamed)
<b>Friday</b>	6:30 am (livestreamed)
<b>Saturday</b>	9:00 am (livestreamed)

<b>Baptisms</b>	By appointment
<b>Marriages</b>	By appointment
<b>Confessions</b>	Not available during lockdown
<b>Exposition</b>	Not during lockdown

LIVESTREAMED MASSES ONLY

## 11 July 2021: 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### CORONAVIRUS UPDATE 10 July 2021

The Church is closed until at least midnight on Friday 16 July 2021, but it may be longer. The following may help you during this time.

- Riverwood St Joseph's livestreamed Masses. During lockdown we will livestream Masses at the following times:  
Sunday: 9.30am  
Tuesday-Friday: 6.30am  
Saturday: 9am
- Archdiocesan coronavirus website: <https://www.sydneycatholic.org/coronavirus-updates/>
  - This site provides continually updated details about the lockdown.
  - There is a link to a page with details of livestreamed Masses, including from Riverwood.
  - There are links to prayer resources as well as the Archbishop's Pastoral Letters and other directions.
- The Archbishop's 2020 advice about the Sunday obligation: "As previously communicated, all but priests are dispensed from attending Sunday Mass: the faithful can keep Sunday holy by setting aside some time for prayer at home, reading the Scriptures of the day, watching Mass on television or online, and/or asking God for the graces they would normally receive in Holy Communion."

**Masses and prayers:** Please pray for Warren Anderson (ann. 10/7), Spiro & Josephine Bajada, Henri, Yolande & Yves Zacaropoulos and the sick or those who need our prayers including Toni Stevens & Edvina Prest.

### Go Make Disciples Online Lay Leadership Series- "Christ-centred Leadership"

On Tuesday evenings in August, the Parish Renewal Team is offering an online leadership formation series for all serving in parishes and those seeking to serve. Led by the Asia Coordinator at The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network, Fr David Braithwaite SJ, the series will focus upon basics in Christian leadership and how we can grow as people who lead others to Christ. Bishop Richard Umbers will attend the first evening to introduce Fr Braithwaite and pray with those attending the series. If you are currently serving in your parish, please join us as a way to grow in your leadership and better serve Christ's Mission and His Church. To register go to <https://www.gomakedisciples.org.au/cas-events/> or for more information contact Tania Rimac at [tania.rimac@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:tania.rimac@sydneycatholic.org).

**Rosary Statue:** John & Sue Owen, 16 Mazarin St, Riverwood.

**Online public lecture to be given by Fr J Michael Jonas** (of On Eagles Wings fame), entitled, "Composing for a Church at Prayer". It will take place on 19 July at 10am via Zoom. This presentation will explore the theory and practice in creating liturgical music. Cost \$10 standard entry, \$5 student/pensioner concession. Registration by 15 July is essential at [www.acu.edu.au/PublicLectureCFL](http://www.acu.edu.au/PublicLectureCFL). For information contact the ACU Centre for Liturgy at [centreforliturgy@acu.edu.au](mailto:centreforliturgy@acu.edu.au) or phone 9701 4751.

**Working with Children Check updating of contact details:** A reminder that everyone who holds a WWCC is legally required to update their contact details within three months of changing them. Log into the website <https://www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/child-safe-organisations/working-with-children-check> and click on 'Update details' to lodge the change. Please contact Margaret in the Presbytery if you need help with this.

### Collections Last Week

1st: \$139	2nd: \$81	Envelopes: \$936	Tap & Go donations: \$0
Church Roof Fund: \$767,068			
<b>Money Counters Roster (if lockdown lifted)</b>	Sun 18 Jul	John Owen, Karl Helene	

### Parish Liturgy Roster (if lockdown is lifted by 17 July)

	<b>Acolytes and Ministers</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Altar Society</b>
Sat 17 Jul 6:00pm	Dcn William Fernandes	Norina Fincato	Mary Glen Judith Connolly Colleen Goddard
Sun 18 Jul 7:30am	James Dixon	Darijo Cakarun Dominic Roy	
Sun 18 Jul 9:30am	Sr Assunta	Tony Estep Edita Estep	

### Upcoming Parish Events

24 Jul	Sat	4 – 5.30pm	First Communion Preparation Session 1 in Church
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