



St Bernard's Parish, Botany

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Fifth Sunday of Easter

28 April 2024
Year B

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Sunday Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm
Sunday: 7:00am and 9:00am
Croatian Mass: Sun 11:00am

Kid's Church

Sunday 9:00am during School days

Weekday Masses

Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri & Sat: 9:00am
Tuesday: 7:00pm Mass and Novena

Baptism:

By appointment
On Sundays at 10:15 am

Reconciliation:

Saturdays 9:30am – 10:15am

Confirmation:

Sunday 19th May 2024 at 3.30pm

Marriage:

By appointment (Six months' notice)

Divine Mercy Prayers & Benediction

Fridays 6:30pm

Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle

Prayers (Rosary & Act of Consecration)

Thursdays 9:30am to 10:00am

St Vincent de Paul Society Meetings

1st Weds of the month 6pm presbytery.

Entrance Antiphon: O sing a new song to the Lord, for he has worked wonders; in the sight of the nations he has shown his deliverance, alleluia.

Theme: We come to know Jesus through the Scriptures. Our commitment to be Christ's disciples is sustained through God's Word. But before we come to know Jesus, he makes us one with him. He has made his home with us. He compares his relationship with us to a vine and its branches. Jesus dwells in us, remains with us, and transforms us so that we might bear fruit in his name. He invites us to make our home with him. In love, he affirms his relationship with us; and in love, he also warns us that if we are not fruitful, we may be cut away and thrown into the fire. Let us, through Christian virtues like caring for the sick, looking after the homeless, and giving alms to the poor, bring God's blessing upon us. Together with faith, let us also continue works of love and charity in Jesus' name.

Communion Antiphon: I am the true vine and you are the branches, says the Lord. Whoever remains in me, and I in him, bears fruit in plenty, alleluia.

Confirmation 2024

Bishop Richard Umbers will celebrate the Confirmation Mass on Sun 19th May 2024 at 3:30pm. Please remember the candidates in your prayers.

Feast Days of the Week

29 April – Saint Catherine of Siena
2 May – Saint Athanasius
3 May – Saints Philip and James

Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge the Gadigal people of the Eora Nation as the traditional custodians of this land Islander peoples on this land.

Flowers & Candles Offering

Sponsors are needed to offer Altar Flowers especially for weekend of 9/06. Please complete the form at the foyer if you can support. Two people can offer flowers on the same dates.

Fr. Augusthy on Annual Leave

Fr Augusthy will be away **until Friday 10th May**. There will be adjustments to the Weekday Mass times.

Will be updated each Week.

29/4/24- Monday NO MASS

30/4/27 Tuesday Mass at 7.00 PM

01/5/24 Wednesday Mass at 9.00 Am

02/5/24 Thursday NO MASS

03/5/24 Friday Mass at 9.00 AM

04/5/24 Saturday NO MORNING MASS

NO CHANGES TO WEEKEND MASSES.

**For pastoral help, please contact.
Fr Peter Guy 96627188 / 0410 986 207**

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At (02)93905810 or
safeguardingenquiries@sydneycatholic.org

You may also want to speak to your Parish Priest who will be able to provide support and guidance. The Archdiocese has a legal obligation to report crimes to the police.

Prayer Requests

1. Mass Intentions

2. The Sick: Ryan Bacal, Gesalit Cabrera, Felicia Clark, Gabby Custodio, Terry Delaney, Grazia Ferraro, Ann Fiala, Steve Forster, Shayne Garrett, Adrian de Guzman, Mark Rodney Javier, Jonathan R Gorospe, Ruby Gorospe, Lourdes Infante, Carlos Lobo, Jeanette Magee, Mijo Markus, Gwen Menzies, Adriano Oliva, Teodoro Pineda, Nadia Radmilo, Sasha Rances, Chelsea Rooney, Michael C Smith, Deb Thomson, Diana Wiley, all the sick and suffering.

3. Recently Deceased: Ljubica Bernatovic, Rita Xuereb

4. Death Anniversary: Maria Dever, Rey Carantes, Berto Pagnas, Alipa Pagnas

5. Other Deceased: Anthony Xuereb, Margaret & Joseph Fenech, Therese & Alfred Scerri, Isabel Fenech, All Souls in purgatory



ROSTERS for Next Week

Sat 4 May- VIGIL SAT 5.30 PM

Readers: Janelle Panton/Margaret Carmody

Acolyte: Chris Hanna

Sun 5 May - SUNDAY 7.00 AM

Readers: Bernadine Lavender/
Ruby Gorospe

Acolyte: Socorro Lucas

Sun 5 May - SUNDAY 9.00 AM

Readers: Jimmy Ong/Michael Ong

Acolyte: Joseph Apolonio

Counters: Dever Family

Altar Society: (Group 3)

Gloria Nimmett & Joan Butler

Flowers Offering: Zenny Custodio

