

Welcome to St. Patrick's Catholic Church Mortlake



ST PATRICK'S PARISH
MORTLAKE

**27th Sunday in
Ordinary Time
Year C**
2 October 2022

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Sunday Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 6pm

Sunday: 9am; 10.30; 6pm

Weekday Services

- **Communion Service:** Mon and Saturday 8am
- **Weekday Mass:** Tuesday to Friday 8am
- **Reconciliation:** Saturday 5.30pm
- **Baptisms:** 11.45am on the 2nd, 3rd & 4th Sundays of the month.

Please call the parish secretary with all enquiries.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF THE EUCHARIST

Would you like to become an Extraordinary
Minister of the Eucharist?

The Australian Catholic University is offering a training program for **new and experienced** ministers to gain the skills and confidence needed for this important liturgical ministry. If you decide to become a minister:

- The parish will sponsor those wishing to become ministers for this five-week on-line program being offered by ACU. **The next course will be in February.**
- Those who complete the course will be certified for five years.

We wish to recommence the ministry of Eucharistic Ministers at the weekend Masses and urgently need volunteers for Masses, in particular for the 10.30 Mass on Sunday.

Please contact Kevin Nelson Smith to register your interest on 0490119 131 or email: kevin.nelson.smith@gmail.com or contact the Parish Office 9743 1017 parish@stpatismortlake.org.au



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Annual Animal Blessing

Sunday 9 October 2022
bring your pets of all creations to be
blessed during 10.30am Mass
on the Parish Green

**all
welcome**

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FIRST READING

A reading from the prophet Habakkuk
Hab 1:2-3; 2:2-4

The just will live by faithfulness

How long, Lord, am I to cry for help
while you will not listen;
to cry 'Oppression!' in your ear
and you will not save?
Why do you set injustice before me,
why do you look on where there is tyranny?
Outrage and violence, this is all I see,
all is contention, and discord flourishes.
Then the Lord answered and said,

'Write the vision down,
inscribe it on tablets
to be easily read,
since this vision is for its own time only:
eager for its own fulfilment, it does not deceive;
if it comes slowly, wait,
for come it will, without fail.
See how he flags, he whose soul is not at rights,
but the upright man will live by his faithfulness.'

The Word of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM - continued

3. O that today you would listen to his voice!
'Harden not your hearts as at Meribah,
as on that day at Massah in the desert
when your fathers put me to the test;
when they tried me, though they saw my
work.'
(R.)

SECOND READING

A reading from the second letter of
St Paul to Timothy
2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14

Never be ashamed of witnessing the Lord.

I am reminding you to fan into a flame the gift
that God gave you when I laid my hands on you.
God's gift was not a spirit of timidity, but the
Spirit of power, and love, and self-control. So
you are never to be ashamed of witnessing to
the Lord, or ashamed of me for being his
prisoner; but with me, bear the hardships for the
sake of the Good News, relying on the power of
God.

Keep as your pattern the sound teaching you
have heard from me, in the faith and love that
are in Christ Jesus. You have been trusted to look
after something precious; guard it with the help
of the Holy Spirit who lives in us.

The Word of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 94:1-2. 6-9. R. v.8

(R.) If today you hear his voice,
harden not your hearts.

1. Come, ring out our joy to the Lord;
hail the rock who saves us.
Let us come before him, giving thanks,
with songs let us hail the Lord. (R.)

2. Come in; let us bow and bend low;
let us kneel before the God who made us
for he is our God and we
the people who belong to his pasture,
the flock that is led by his hand. (R.)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

The word of the Lord stands for ever;
it is the word given to you, the Good News.

Alleluia

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

Tuesday: St Francis of Assisi
Wednesday: St Faustina Kowalska
Thursday: St Bruno
Friday: Our Lady of the Rosary

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GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to
Luke Lk 17:5-10

If you had faith!

The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith.' The Lord replied, 'Were your faith the size of a mustard seed you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea", and it would obey you.

'Which of you, with a servant ploughing or minding sheep, would say to him when he returned from the fields, "Come and have your meal immediately"? Would he not be more likely to say, "Get my supper laid; make yourself tidy and wait on me while I eat and drink. You can eat and drink yourself afterwards"? Must he be grateful to the servant for doing what he was told? So with you: when you have done all you have been told to do, say, "We are merely servants: we have done no more than our duty."'

The Gospel of the Lord

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

A special event at this Sunday's 10:30am Mass with **Francesco Antione Di Leo** receiving his First Holy Communion.

The event was delayed pending the arrival from overseas of Francesco's relatives who are so looking forward to the service.

We wish Francesco and his family all the best for this weekend's service and celebration.

St Patrick's Mortlake invites you to

A Night at the Bazaar

LIVE MUSIC - PERFORMANCES - MARKET STALLS - FOOD STALLS

KIDS ZONE - FUN FOR ALL!

HERE ON PARISH GROUNDS

Sponsored by Matt Roffe & team at

RE/MAX
KRG

Thursday October 13th

5pm - 8pm



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If you or someone you know would like to help with setting up the event or as a volunteer during the event, please reach out to

Heidi (admin@stpatismortlake.org.au)

or fill in your details on the

Volunteer Registration forms on clipboards

placed at the left side of the Church and Narthex entrances

Thank you in advance!

The Twilight Event Committee.

SAVE THE DATE - BAROQUE CONCERT

at St Pat's, Mortlake

Saturday Oct 29th 2022

at 2:00 pm

\$25 - \$20 conc - children free.

Pay at the door on day.

www.balmainbaroque.com

WEDNESDAY MORNING ADORATION

During school term times from 8.25-8.50am there is parishioner led Adoration, music and reflection time in the Church. All welcome.

If You would like to lead a session, let Fr Tom know and he can explain and train you in leading these prayers for our community.

E: thomas.stevens@sydneycatholic.org

At St. Patrick's Parish Mortlake, the welfare and wellbeing of our children and vulnerable members of our Parish is of the utmost importance. The safeguarding office can be contacted on 9390 5810 if you wish to speak on any issue.

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RECENTLY DECEASED: Tom O'Connor; Marcia Bendeich; Antonio Mammoliti; Joseph Galea; Rev Tony Ward UK; John O'Dea; William (Bill) Patterson; Marjorie Findlay; Ted Sulkowicz; Argenide (Jenny) Salata; Antonietta Scavo; Sr Veronica O'Neill RSM; Mary Relton; Norah Gallagher; Beverley Smith; Edna Lavery; Brent Courtney; Zig Inge; Cosmo Lasorsa; Antonio Zappia; Anna Maria Miccinati; Eileen Barry; Mary Tubman (Ire); Terry Liston; Luigi Calligaro (Italy); Bridget Morkan (Ire); Joyce Buxton; Agnese Grego; Frank Santucci; Rodolfo Hernandez.

ANNIVERSARIES: Charles Xuereb (4th anniv); ; Peter Delahunty (1st anniv); Michael Harfield (26th anniv); Jean Doyle (24th anniv); Deceased members of the Vassall Family; Adrian Moore (8th anniv); Mary Bolster; Peter Bolster; Giovanni Profilio (22nd anniv); Giuseppe Libro; Gina Musumeci; Nata Ferraro; Anthony Neylan; Oliver Coleman (1st anniv); Angelo Falgiatori; Carmelo Puglisi; Robert Rago; Assunta Favero; Joseph Bezzina (2nd anniv); Concetta Severino; Damian King (2nd anniv); Antonietta Scavo; Sam Ferlatuo.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY: Sue Wheelahan; Andrew Spiewerka; Katrina Hillard; Miron, Robert Garritano; Baby Anthony; Felicia Bugeja; Om Shrivastav; Marie Dulihanty; Arcella Family, Bella; Martin Maguire; Margaret Attard; Eileen Kenny (Ire); Margaret McMurray; Steph; Margaret Elias; Mick Breen; Philomena Delahunty; Nance Walker; Diane Shore; Renee; Kevin Walker; Nico Relton.

To have your petition included, please phone Carmel Moliterno 9736 1718



The Man Walk provides an opportunity for men of all ages to get together to walk, talk and support each other in a regular and healthy way. We want to make it ok to talk, and we want to make it ok for men to ask for help if they need it.



First walk
Wednesday
October 5th
6.15am

The Details:

Meet us weekly at 6.15am
on Wednesday mornings

Location: St Patrick's Church,
33 Gale St, Mortlake

Duration: 45-60 minutes

More information:

<https://themanwalk.com.au/>
thomas.stevens@sydneycatholic.org



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PARISH HALL RENOVATION APPEAL

The Parish Hall renovations will commence on Monday, 24 October and will last approximately 7 weeks.

This Appeal seeks to raise \$150,000 as a contribution to the costs of the works.

The works seek to modernise the Parish Hall facilities and will enable fit for purpose meeting spaces for parish, school and community groups.

Details of the renovations can be found at the church entrances or via the link below.

<https://www.stpatsmortlake.org.au/parish-hall-renovation-and-appeal/>

Please direct any enquiries to the parish at admin@stpatsmortlake.org.au or if you wish to be sent a Parish Hall Giving Form.

Thank You.