

Welcome to
St. Patrick's Catholic
Church Mortlake



ST PATRICK'S PARISH
MORTLAKE

29th Sunday in
Ordinary Time
Year C
16th October 2022

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Sunday Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 6pm
Sunday: 9am; 10.30; 6pm

Weekday Services

- **Communion Service:** Monday 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.



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INVITATION TO LEAD

EUCCHARISTIC
ADORATION

Wednesdays
during
the school term
8:25-8:50am

To volunteer to lead the Service, either as individuals or as a family, please contact Fr Tom on 9743 1017 or thomas.stevens@sydneycatholic.org

THANK YOU – A NIGHT AT THE BAZAAR
TWILIGHT EVENING

A big **THANK YOU** to all for the hard work and planning that went into the very successful **NIGHT AT THE BAZAAR** by all our volunteers. To Stephanie Parker especially for your vision, hard work and creativity. It was once again a great gathering of the parish and local community with Live Music, Performances, Market Stalls, Food Stalls, Kids Zone and **FUN FOR ALL!**

There are just too many people to thank individually, so let us just say *"Thank you to each and every one of you who contributed to this wonderful evening"*. Let's continue to live in love and fun in our community.

Our next Twilight Evening is a *Christmas themed night* and will be held on Thursday, December 8th.

If you would like to volunteer for a future twilight evening, please contact twilight@stpatismortlake.org.au or call the office on 9743 1017

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FIRST READING

A reading from the book of Exodus
Ex 17:8-13

As long as Moses kept his arms raised, Israel had the advantage.

The Amalekites came and attacked Israel at Rephidim. Moses said to Joshua, 'Pick out men for yourself, and tomorrow morning march out to engage Amalek. I, meanwhile, will stand on the hilltop, the staff of God in my hand.' Joshua did as Moses told him and marched out to engage Amalek, while Moses and Aaron and Hur went up to the top of the hill. As long as Moses kept his arms raised, Israel had the advantage; when he let his arms fall, the advantage went to Amalek. But Moses arms grew heavy, so they took a stone and put it under him and on this he sat, Aaron and Hur supporting his arms, one on one side, one on the other; and his arms remained firm till sunset. With the edge of the sword Joshua cut down Amalek and his people.

The Word of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM – continued

4. The Lord will guard you from evil,
he will guard your soul.
The Lord will guard your going and coming
both now and for ever.

SECOND READING

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to
Timothy
2 Tm 3:14 – 4:2

This is how the people of God become equipped and ready for every good work.

You must keep to what you have been taught and know to be true; remember who your teachers were, and how, ever since you were a child, you have known the holy scriptures – from these you can learn the wisdom that leads to salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All scripture is inspired by God and can profitably be used for teaching, for refuting error, for guiding people's lives and teaching them to be holy. This is how the man who is dedicated to God becomes fully equipped and ready for any good work.

Before God and before Christ Jesus who is to be judge of the living and the dead, I put this duty to you, in the name of his Appearing and of his kingdom: proclaim the message and, welcome or unwelcome, insist on it. Refute falsehood, correct error, call to obedience – but do all with patience and with the intention of teaching.

The Word of the Lord

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 120. R. v.2

**(R.) Our help is from the Lord,
who made heaven and earth.**

1. I lift up my eyes to the mountains:
from where shall come my help?
My help shall come from the Lord
who made heaven and earth. (R.)

2. May he never allow you to stumble!
Let him sleep not, your guard.
No, he sleeps not nor slumbers,
Israel's guard. (R.)

3. The Lord is your guard and your shade;
at your right side he stands.
By day the sun shall not smite you
nor the moon in the night. (R.)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

The word of God is living and active;
it probes the thoughts and motives of our heart.

Alleluia

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GOSPEL

A reading from the holy Gospel according to
Luke
Lk 18:1-8

God will see those who cry to him vindicated.

Jesus told his disciples a parable about the need to pray continually and never lose heart. 'There was a judge in a certain town' he said 'who had neither fear of God nor respect for man. In the same town there was a widow who kept on coming to him and saying, "I want justice from you against my enemy!" For a long time he refused, but at last he said to himself, "Maybe I have neither fear of God nor respect for man, but since she keeps pestering me I must give this widow her just rights, or she will persist in coming and worry me to death."'

And the Lord said, 'You notice what the unjust judge has to say? Now will not God see justice done to his chosen who cry to him day and night even when he delays to help them? I promise you, he will see justice done to them, and done speedily. But when the Son of Man comes, will he find any faith on earth?'

The Gospel of the Lord

BAPTISMS THIS WEEKEND

We congratulate and welcome into our community **Viola Piraino, Austin Tisdale, Addison & Harriet Diehm and Nova McIlwain.**

May you always feel welcome and at home
here at St Pat's as you
grow in Faith.

Peace & Joy



ST PATRICK'S MORTLAKE



TERM 4 FAMILY MASSES

We are inviting families from Mortlake Public School to attend our Family Masses on Sundays at 10:30am followed by a cuppa & bikkie in the Parish Hall. See dates below.

23 OCTOBER
30 OCTOBER
13 NOVEMBER
20 NOVEMBER



FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

Monday: St Ignatius of Antioch
Tuesday: St Luke
Wednesday: Sts John de Brebeuf &
Isaac Jogues
Saturday: St John Paul II

BAROQUE CONCERT at St Pat's

Saturday Oct 29th 2022 at 2:00 pm

St Patricks Church, 33 Gale St, Mortlake

\$25 - \$20 conc – children free.

Pay at the door on day.

www.balmainbaroque.com

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: Bill Muldoon; Peter Gohery; Sr Bernice Bugler; Mary Patricia Jack; Tom O'Connor; Om Shrivastav; 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: Sr Judith Clark (1st anniv); Liliana & Anna Faraone; Antonio Mammiti; Alvaro Bianchi (20th anniv); Giuseppe Libro (15 anniv); Luca Cindric (18th anniv); John Roach (8th anniv); Joseph Triganza; Peter Ronald Cremona; 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: Peter Coyne; 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.



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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Every Wednesday 6.15am All welcome



PARISH HALL RENOVATION UPDATE

I am pleased to advise that the Parish Hall Renovations will begin on Monday 24th October 2022. The works will modernise the Parish Hall facilities and enable it to be used for meeting spaces for parish, school and community groups.

To donate to the Appeal see link below or contact the parish on admin@stpatsmortlake.org.au to be sent a Giving Form direct.

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

Thank You.

Please continue to keep our **HSC Students** in your prayers for their exams.

May they all do their best and have a serenity once it is finished, knowing that their futures are bright.