

## GOSPEL: Matthew 28:16-20

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

*Baptise them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.*

The eleven disciples set out for Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had arranged to meet them. When they saw him they fell down before him, though some hesitated. Jesus came up and spoke to them. He said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptise them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

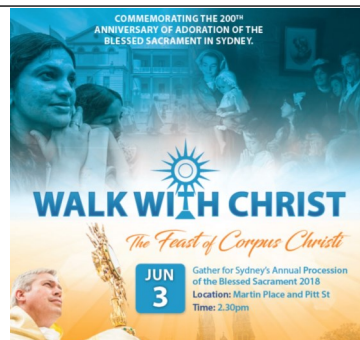
## Walk with Christ – 3 June 2018

All are invited to participate in this year's Walk With Christ Eucharistic Procession on the Feast of Corpus Christi, Sunday 3 June 2018.

Participants will gather at the corner of Pitt St and Martin Place in the CBD at 2:30pm. The procession will follow the Blessed Sacrament through the Sydney CBD, finishing at the St Mary's Cathedral Forecourt with Adoration and Benediction. If you are unable to join us for the Procession, you are more than welcome to join us for Adoration and Benediction from approximately 3:30pm in the St Mary's Cathedral Forecourt. The event will conclude at approximately 4:30pm.

The procession will help mark the 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of a little known, but most heroic and faith-filled time in the history of the Australian Church. In 1818, the Government forcibly removed the only Catholic priest in Australia, Fr Jeremiah O'Flynn, from Sydney. Fr O'Flynn's last pastoral act was to leave the Blessed Sacrament reserved in a faithful Catholic's home so that the colonists and prisoners could come to adore Christ present there. For two years, the Blessed Sacrament, in this lay Sydney home, was the source and centre of worship and consolation for the priestless Catholics of the Australian colony.

Please look for the Book of Life in our Church foyer to write your prayer intentions that will be offered at the end of the procession.



**Catechist:** Bev Lamaro 0409 710 703; **Choir:** Line Collet 0410 568 103;  
**Friendship Group:** Bev Lamaro 0409 710 703; **Youth :** Alison De Sousa 0421 660 187;  
**Pastoral Council:** John Sarkis 0400 606 297; **St Vincent de Paul:** John Ashe 9796 1055;  
**Childrens Liturgy:** Marie El-Chaar 9709 3451; **Cemetery Committee:** Maureen Vincent 9790 4217;  
**Sacramental co-ordinator:** Gloria Booby 0413 294 224; **Polish Priests:** 8783 0533;  
**De La Salle Brothers:** 9708 2692; **St. Felix Primary School:** 9796 7875 Frances Bonanno - Principal;  
**LaSalle Catholic College:** 9793 5600 Mr Michael Egan - Principal;  
**Archdiocesan Website:** www.sydney.catholic.org.au

## PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM REQUEST FORM

**Would you like to become a regular contributor to the Parish?**

If so, please fill in this slip and return it to the Parish Office. Otherwise send an e-mail with your details to Marie at [admin@stfelixparish.org.au](mailto:admin@stfelixparish.org.au)

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### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

**Saturday:** 6pm (Vigil),

**Sunday:** 8am,

10am (Children's Liturgy),

6pm, 12noon (Polish).

### THIS WEEK'S MASSES

**Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday,**

**Friday & Saturday - 8.00am.**

### Nursing Home Masses

NIL

### Vietnamese Mass

7 pm - 1st Thurs of each month.

### DEVOTIONS

**Benediction:** Saturday 7.00am.

**Rosary:** Saturday 8.25am.

**Divine Mercy Prayer:**

6.30pm - 1st Wed of each month.

### SACRAMENTS

**Reconciliation:**

Saturday 4.30 - 5.30 pm

Or by appointment.

**Marriages:** By arrangement with  
at least 6 months notice.

**Care for the Sick:** Any time.

Please call the Presbytery.

**Baptisms:** By appointment.

Preparation classes are held in the  
Presbytery on the 1st Sunday of  
each month after 10AM Mass .



*"....know that I am with you always;  
yes, to the end of time."*

*Matthew 28:20*

### Responsorial Psalm

**R.** Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

### Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit:  
to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

**Alleluia!**

**Comm Antiphon:** Since you are children of God, God has  
sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries  
out: Abba, Father.

**This weeks readings** - Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40;  
Romans 8:14-17; Gospel - Matthew 28:16-20

**Next Weekend:** *Corpus Christi* - Year B. **Readings** Exodus  
24:3-8; Hebrews 9:11-15; Gospel - Mark 14:12-16, 22-26.

# The Most Holy Trinity - Yr B - 27 May 2018

## Wedding Congratulations

*Andy Sun & Jenny Tran*

are married at St Felix this weekend. Please keep them in your prayers.



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## ACU short course

The ACU Centre for Liturgy is offering a public Short Course “From death to new life: preparing and celebrating Catholic funerals” at Strathfield in the Gleeson Auditorium on 4 Wednesday evenings in July. Leading scholars will investigate a Christian theology of dying and death and explore how the Order of Christian Funerals celebrates death in a specifically Catholic way. Experienced priests and funeral directors will discuss how they care for the dead and for those who grieve. There will also be an opportunity to prepare a Catholic funeral for yourself or a loved one. Registration is essential, at: [http://www.acu.edu.au/acu\\_centre\\_for\\_liturgy/short\\_courses](http://www.acu.edu.au/acu_centre_for_liturgy/short_courses). For more information phone 02-9701 4751.



### Mass Intentions:

**Recently Deceased:** Manuel Rodrigues Loreto; Sabinus Okoli Ezeoke; Margaret McDonald; Linda Clark; Theresa Badwi; Liong Heng Kwang; Chau Thi Le; Duong Van Lai

**Anniversary:** George & Cettina Pulo; Carmela Pulitano; Saide El-Sissi; Giuse Thin; Mathew Chu Van Minh; Paul Do Van Cao; Paul Phan Hop Trong; Phero, Anna, Andre;

Raymondo

**Deceased:** Maria Baly; Madalena Ng Thi Kim Oanh; Micae Nguyen Van Noi.

**Sick:** Jason Timbs & Bart Hennely, Dau (Xuan); Gerard Go; Fatima; Catherine & Lourdes Raspanti; Tim Logue; baby Alan Dien Quan Nguyen; Monina Rodriguez Pineda; Tenshi Asriel Magdaleno Arcenas; Rose Nuner; Maria Carta; Dinh Thi An; Teresita Martinez; Georgina Omeros; Maria Kovatsun; Frannie; Debbie Randall (nee Goodwin); Teresita Tenorio; Zenaida Elizondo; Maria Portia Mariano; Jessie Kovacevic

*(Please advise the office when the names of the sick can be removed)*

## Weekly Rosters

**Altar Society: 3/6/18 Group 1:** Gloria Walker, Margaret Chan, Lyn Rowe, Khanh Le, Thi Thuy Doan, Theresa Nguyen, Dorie Encarnacion, Michael & Jacinta Viner, Hien & Vu Bui *(Florist)*

**St Vincent de Paul:** 3/6/18 Thom Pham 10/6/18 Andrew Nguyen

**Church Cleaners: 1/6/18:** Polish Group **Children's Liturgy:** 3rd June - Ligaya

**Weekend Choirs: 3/6 Saturday 6pm** - St Anne's Choir.

**Sunday 8am** - Singing Servants of God. **10 am** - St Felix Choir **6pm** - Youth Choir.

### Readers & Ministers

	Sat 6pm	27 MAY	8am	10am	6pm
C	Gabrielle Nguyen	Mary Buckley	Jessica Vujevic	Charbel Eltarraf	
R	Emmanuel Icard	Maxwell Asuzu	Jennifer Nguyen	Kenneth Gan	
A	Tuyen Tran (A)	An Dang (A)	Thong Tran (A)	Thanh Vu (A)	
M	Gloria Booby	Thao Nguyen	Gordon West	Judy Jones	
M	Cindy Hoang	Melanie Campisi	Helen Vujevic	Jacinta Eltarraf	

### 3 JUNE

C	Patrick Abourizk	Thuy Linh Nguyen	Anthony Rowe	Lucia Mezentsef
R	Gabrielle Nguyen	Imelda Dela Cruz	Mary O'Hea	Kathleen Mezentsef
A	Joseph Bui (A)	An Dang (A)	Anthony Joseph (A)	Thanh Vu (A)
M	Emmanuel Icard	Mesake Mar	Tu Nguyen	Paul Ngoc
M	Gloria Booby	Robyn Molloy	Bev Lamaro	Phu Nguyen

Reflection

## Father, Son & Holy Spirit

The Solemnity of the Holy Trinity invites us to remember that God has revealed himself to us as one God in three Persons. As Jesus departed from his disciples, he shared with them the power to make disciples of all nations. He taught his disciples to invite others to share in the life of the blessed Trinity by sharing with others the gift of Baptism. This continues to be the mission of the Church. Each of us who has been baptized shares in the life of the blessed Trinity and also shares in the Church's mission of inviting others to share in God's love.

As you gather as a family, bring out pictures and other mementos of family celebrations of the Sacrament of Baptism. Talk about the significance of Baptism with your family. Read together today's Gospel, Matthew 28:16-20. Notice that Jesus taught his disciples to baptize all nations in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. What else does this remind you of? (the Sign of the Cross) Recall that whenever we pray the Sign of the Cross, we are reminding ourselves that we are united with God through our Baptism and share in the life of the blessed Trinity. Conclude by thanking God for sharing his life with us.

Pray together the Glory Be to the Father.

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## Feasts of the Week

### 31 May - The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Feast.

This feast celebrates the Virgin Mary's visit to her cousin Elizabeth, as told in the Gospel of Luke (*Luke 1:39-56*), and her example of faith in God's word and sensitivity to the Spirit. It was introduced into the Franciscan calendar by Saint Bonaventure (15 July) in the thirteenth century and was extended in 1389 to the entire Latin Church to heal the divisions in the Western Church of the time.

### 1 June - St Justin, martyr. Memorial.

Born about 100 at Nablus (Palestine). Died about 165 in Rome. After lengthy study of Greek philosophies, he acknowledged Christ as the source of all truth. A lay intellectual, Christian philosopher, and apologist. Remembered for his reasoned defence of Christian belief and practice and for the ultimate witness given by his martyrdom.

## Year of Youth Bloggers Workshop

The Australian Catholic youth website [www.Xt3.com](http://www.Xt3.com) is hosting a Year of Youth Bloggers Workshop. If you want to improve your writing skills\* and share your faith online we encourage you to register.

Date: Tuesday - 5 June 2018

Time: 5.30pm – 8.30pm

Venue: 133 Liverpool Street, Sydney (The Polding Centre)

Who: This event is for those 18-35 years of age.

\*You will need to submit a piece of writing before the workshop.

To find out more: [www.bloggersworkshop.com.au](http://www.bloggersworkshop.com.au)

## Immersed in your beauty

Mt Carmel Retreat Centre, 247 St Andrews road, Varroville

Presenter: Sr Nory Ordiz, CM. June 2nd: 10:00 am – 4:30 pm Cost: \$30. Pick-ups from Minto train station at 9.30am and 10am. (please remember to bring your own lunch)

“Let us rejoice, Beloved, and let us go forth to behold ourselves in your beauty...” (Stanza 36, Spiritual Canticle) St John of the Cross sees each person as gifted, with great potential. Reflecting on his poems, especially the Spiritual Canticle, he will lead us to the discovery of our true and authentic self which is full of God's beauty. For more info phone: 8795 3400 email: [retreats@carmelite.com](mailto:retreats@carmelite.com) or visit: [www.carmeliteretreats.com.au](http://www.carmeliteretreats.com.au)