



St Felix deValois Parish

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday: 6pm (Vigil),

Sunday: 8am, 10am, 6pm,
12noon (Polish).

THIS WEEK'S MASSES

Tuesday - 8.00am

Wednesday - 8.00am

Thursday - 8.00am

Friday - 8.00am

Saturday - 8.00am

Nursing Home Masses

Tuesday - 10.30am Bupa Yagoona

Friday - 11.00am Bupa Greenacre

Vietnamese Mass

7 pm - 1st Thurs of each month.

Polish Mass

6 pm - 1st Friday of every month
plus every Friday during Lent, May,
June, October and November.

DEVOTIONS

Adoration & Benediction:

Tuesday 7.30pm - 8.30pm.

Saturday 7.00am - 8.00am.

Rosary: Saturday 8.25am.

Vietnamese 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: Ring for an appointment

Fete 2022

Next Saturday 19th November

10am - 4pm

Come along to join the fun and support the Parish



Responsorial Psalm

R. The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Lift up your heads and see;
your redemption is near at hand.

Alleluia!

Comm Antiphon:

To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God
the Lord.

This weeks readings: Malachi 3:19-20;
2Thessalonians 3:7-12; Luke 21:5-19.

Next Sunday: *Our Lord Jesus Christ, king of the Universe.*

Readings: 2 Samuel 5:1-3; Colossians 1:12-20;
Luke 23:35-43.

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C - 13 November 2022

SVPD Piety Shop

The 2023 St Columban Calendar and Josephite Calendar will be on sale at the Vinnies Piety Shop for \$10.00 each from this weekend. Please support your local Vinnies.

CWF Thank you

On behalf of this parish, we sincerely thank you for supporting the Charitable Works Fund (CWF) November Appeal. Through your generous gift, we are able to continue in our mission to provide care for the most vulnerable in our community through our CWF agencies and ministries, and to promote the good works of our faith in our seminaries, schools and universities. For more information, please visit www.ourfaithourworks.org/cwf Please return all donations envelopes by the end of the week.

Altar Servers' Training Program

An Altar Servers' Training Program has been arranged for **Saturday 10th December 2022 from 9:00AM to 1.00PM** (lunch provided). Children who have made their First Holy Communion are invited. The main activity of the training is for children to practice serving at Mass. During breaks, however, children will have a chance to make friends and play games together. To register your child please collect an application from Fr Van or contact the Parish Office.

Redefining Normal: Mental Health, Alcohol and Other Drugs Workshop

Hosted by the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney's Justice and Peace Office
A practical workshop for individuals, families, carers, faith and community leaders.
Thursday 1 December, 8:30am-1:00pm at 38 Renwick St, Leichhardt. Registrations open online:
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/redefining-normal-mental-health-alcohol-other-drugs-aod-workshop-tickets-421083380727>

Wedding Congratulations

Paul Fortunato & Gabrielle Haddad
Paul Nguyen & Anh Thy Nguyen

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



Baptism

This week, we welcome into the Catholic faith:

Patrick James Aguiar
Cristina Annie Misquitta

May they always know the love of God and feel His guiding hand throughout their life.



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

Name..... Telephone No.:

Address:.....

Email :

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ENVELOPES

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WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE
USING CREDIT CARD

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WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE
VIA DIRECT DEBIT

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Reflection

Trust in God

Children, while innocently naïve about most world events, are also profoundly sensitive to the concerns felt by adults. We can help children interpret adult concerns by sharing information about current events in appropriate ways. We can also put these concerns in the light of God's kingdom and the assurance of God's care for us.

Discuss with your children one or more current events or a situation in your family which shows difficulties that may challenge our trust in a God who cares for us. Then read together today's Gospel, Luke 21:5-19. Notice how Jesus said that even when his disciples are persecuted, God would be with them.

Together with your children, talk about ways in which God might bring good out of the difficult events you discussed. Talk together about some actions you might take as a family to make better the situations you discussed. Conclude by praying for the needs of the people involved in the events you named. In prayer, place each of these difficult situations into God's hands.

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Mass Intentions for November

November is a special time when we pray for all our deceased family, friends, relatives and all souls in Purgatory. Offerings for the deceased during November will be collected and remembered as a whole at each Mass. All names will be placed on the altar and remain there for the entire month. Please note that during the month of November, no separate Mass intentions will be mentioned; every Mass will be offered for all intentions that are placed on the altar.

Mass Intentions

Recently Deceased: Doris Micallef; Tom Quilty; Thi Cat Tran; Maria Trinh Thi Hoa

Anniversary: Anna Pham Thi Ly

Deceased: Names for the month of November are on the Altar.

Sick: Annick Duval; Jason Timbs & Bart Hennely, Dau (Xuan); Gerard Go; Fatima Fernandes; Marian Periera; baby Alan Dien Quan Nguyen; Monina Rodriguez Pineda; Tenshi Asriel Magdaleno Arcenas; Maria Carta; Teresita Martinez; Maria Kovatsun; Frannie; Jun Ibarra; Abida Gill; Vo Van Kiet; Maria Bui Thi Don; Josette Ackad; Billy; Lagi Amoa; Clarence Ally; Jane Aquino; Glory Bereira; Jenny; Hoa Mai; Rosa House; Nivea Wanigesekera; Henriette Tam Tinh Lam; Laura Malss; Rita Gattellari; Rolly Porto; Aranka Novak; Hoa Vu; Michael Connor.

Weekly Rosters

| 13 NOVEMBER | | | | |
|-------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Reader 1 | Viviane Chayna | Philip Castillo | Thu Ha Kim | Anthony Tran |
| Reader 2 | " " | " " | " " | " " |
| Acolyte | Joseph Bui (A) | An Dang (A) | Martin Tran (A) | Thanh Vu (A) |
| Choir | St Anne | SSOG | Jessica Nohra | Elias |

| 20 NOVEMBER | | | | |
|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Reader 1 | Gloria Booby | Joseph Dang | Helen Vujevic | Nhung Bui |
| Reader 2 | " " | " " | " " | " " |
| Acolyte | Joseph Bui (A) | An Dang (A) | Anthony Joseph (A) | Thanh Vu (A) |
| Choir | St Anne | SSOG | St Felix | Elias |

| | 13 November | 20 November | Notes: <u>SSOG:</u> Singing Servants of God <u>SMMC:</u> St Mary Mackillop's Choir <u>Group 3:</u> Youth Group, Tram Vu (<i>Florist</i>) |
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| Altar Society | Group 2 | Group 3 (<i>see notes</i>) | |
| Church Cleaners | El Shaddai Group | Vinh Nguyen | |
| SVDP | Thom Pham | J Obeid | |

GOSPEL: Luke 21:5-19

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Your endurance will win you your life.

When some were talking about the Temple, remarking how it was adorned with fine stonework and votive offerings, Jesus said, 'All these things you are staring at now - the time will come when not a single stone will be left on another: everything will be destroyed.' And they put to him this question: 'Master,' they said 'when will this happen, then, and what sign will there be that this is about to take place?'

'Take care not to be deceived,' he said 'because many will come using my name and saying, "I am he" and, "The time is near at hand." Refuse to join them. And when you hear of wars and revolutions, do not be frightened, for this is something that must happen but the end is not so soon.' Then he said to them, 'Nation will fight against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be great earthquakes and plagues and famines here and there; there will be fearful sights and great signs from heaven.

'But before all this happens, men will seize you and persecute you; they will hand you over to the synagogues and to imprisonment, and bring you before kings and governors because of my name - and that will be your opportunity to bear witness. Keep this carefully in mind: you are not to prepare your defence, because I myself shall give you an eloquence and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to resist or contradict. You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, relations and friends; and some of you will be put to death. You will be hated by all men on account of my name, but not a hair of your head will be lost. Your endurance will win you your lives.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.



St Felix Parish Fete

JOIN US FOR FOOD, DESSERT, RIDES, GAMES, LIVE ENTERTAINMENT, REPTILE ZOO, DUNK TANK AND OUR RAFFLE DRAW.

SAT 19 NOVEMBER 2022
10AM - 4PM

ST FELIX DE VALOIS CATHOLIC CHURCH | 550 CHAPEL ROAD BANKSTOWN NSW 2200

Logos: St Felix de Valois Parish Bankstown, URBAN, BANKSTOWN RD, MY FUTURE CAPITAL, SHOEGRAB

To find out more reach out to us today

Unlimited Rides Pass

Start the day off in style, purchase an Unlimited Ride Wristband for only \$15.00 online.

They can be purchased from today via this link [CompassTix - Home](#) or scan this QR code.

On the day you can also purchase the unlimited ride wristband via the Info Booth for \$25. Tokens can also be purchased for individual rides at \$5 per ride on the day only.

Join us on Saturday 19 November 2022 from 10.00am till 4.00pm for a fun-filled day of entertainment, food, memories and more.

The St Felix Parish Fete tradition continues!



A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney

Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with a crime are the police. If you – or anyone you know – have been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at (02) 9390 5810 or 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.

Catechist & Friendship Group: Bev Lamaro 0409 710 703; **Choir:** Alison De Sousa 0421 660 187;
Youth: Aurora Doueihy 0428 755 022; **Pastoral Council:** Patrick Abou-rizk 0416 035 993;
St Vincent de Paul: Diago Rodrigues 9791 5209 ; **Bankstown Josephite Companions:** Robyn Molloy 9707 1292;
Children's Liturgy: Marie El-Chaar 9709 3451; **Cemetery Committee:** Maureen Vincent 9790 4217;
Sacramental co-ordinator: Gloria Booby 0413 294 224; **Safeguarding Officer:** Anthony Chadrawy 9790 1933;
Polish Priests: 8783 0533; **De La Salle Brothers:** 9708 2692;
St. Felix Primary School: 9796 7875 Frances Bonanno - Principal;
LaSalle Catholic College: 9793 5600 Michael Egan - Principal;
Archdiocesan Website: www.sydney.catholic.org.au