

Fight the good fight of the faith and win for yourself the eternal life to which you were called when you made your profession and spoke up for the truth in front of many witnesses. Now, before God the source of all life and before Jesus Christ, who spoke up as a witness for the truth in front of Pontius Pilate, I put to you the duty of doing all that you have been told, with no faults or failures, until the Appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ, who at the due time will be revealed by God, the blessed and only Ruler of all, the King of kings and the Lord of lords, who alone is immortal, whose home is in inaccessible light, whom no man has seen and no man is able to see: to him be honour and everlasting power. Amen.

Gospel Acclamation **2 Cor 8:9**
Alleluia, alleluia!
Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor, to make you rich out of his poverty.
Alleluia!

Gospel **Lk 16:19-31**
A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke
During your life good things came your way just as bad things came the way of Lazarus. Now he is being comforted while you are in agony.
Jesus said to the Pharisees: 'There was a rich man who used to dress in purple and fine linen and feast magnificently every day. And at his gate there lay a poor man called Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to fill himself with the scraps that fell from the rich man's

table. Dogs even came and licked his sores. Now the poor man died and was carried away by angels to the bosom of Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried.

'In his torment in Hades he looked up and saw Abraham a long way off with Lazarus in his bosom. So he cried out, "Father Abraham, pity me and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, for I am in agony in these flames." "My son," Abraham replied "remember that during your life good things came your way, just as bad things came the way of Lazarus. Now he is being comforted here while you are in agony. But that is not all: between us and you a great gulf has been fixed, to stop anyone, if he wanted to, crossing from our side to yours, and to stop any crossing from your side to ours."

'The rich man replied, "Father, I beg you then to send Lazarus to my father's house, since I have five brothers, to give them warning, so that they do not come to this place of torment too." "They have Moses and the prophets," said Abraham "let them listen to them." "Ah no, father Abraham," said the rich man "but if someone comes to them from the dead, they will repent." Then Abraham said to him, "If they will not listen either to Moses or to the prophets, they will not be convinced even if someone should rise from the dead."

Communion Antiphon cf. Ps 118:49-50
Remember your word to your servant, O Lord, by which you have given me hope. This is my comfort when I am brought low.

Catholic Parish of Our Lady of the Southern Cross, Enmore

Archdiocese of Sydney

Serving the suburbs of Enmore, St Peters, Sydenham & Tempe

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

29 September 2019

World Day of Migrants & Refugees
Social Justice Sunday

Entrance Antiphon **Dn 3:31,29, 30,43,42**

All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgement, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy.

First Reading **Am 6:1. 4-7**

A reading from the prophet Amos
You who give yourself to licentiousness and revelry will be exiled.

The almighty Lord says this: Woe to those ensconced so snugly in Zion and to those who feel so safe on the mountain of Samaria. Lying on ivory beds and sprawling on their divans, they dine on lambs from the flock, and stall-fattened veal; they bawl to the sound of the harp, they invent new instruments of music like David, they drink wine by the bowlful, and use the finest oil for anointing themselves, but about the ruin of Joseph they do not care at all. That is why they will be the first to be exiled; the sprawlers' revelry is over.

Responsorial Psalm **Ps 145:6-10**
R. v.2

(R.) Praise the Lord, my soul!

1.It is the Lord who keeps faith for



ever, who is just to those who are oppressed. It is he who gives bread to the hungry, the Lord, who sets prisoners free. (R.)

2.It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind, who raises up those who are bowed down. It is the Lord who loves the just, the Lord, who protects the stranger. (R.)

3.He upholds the widow and orphan but thwarts the path of the wicked. The Lord will reign for ever, Zion's God, from age to age. (R.)

Second Reading **1 Tm 6:11-16**

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to Timothy
Obey the commandments until the coming of the Lord.

As a man dedicated to God, you must aim to be saintly and religious, filled with faith and love, patient and gentle.



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(available Tuesday to Sunday)
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MASSES AND SACRAMENTS		
Masses	Tuesday to Friday—9:15am Saturday—5:00pm Sunday—9:30am	
Confessions	Saturday 4:15—4:45pm <i>or</i> by appointment	
Exposition	Friday 7:30—8:30pm	
Adoration	Sunday 9:00—9:25am	
Baptisms	By appointment—about 1 month's notice required	
Marriages	By appointment—about 6 months' notice required	
COLLECTIONS LAST FORTNIGHT		
1st collection \$377.85 (supports the expenses of priest)	2nd collection \$386.90 (for running of parish) \$900.00 (donations from Tongan Baptist community to Tempe church)	Envelopes \$130.00 (part of 2nd collection)
Masses were recently celebrated for:. All souls in Purgatory, Tiulipe Mafi & Kapa Tuipulotu.		

<p>To all of the lovely parishioners who donated toiletries a BIG "Thank You." They have been dropped off to Newtown Mission and Hope House on Friday 20th September. Carmen (St Pius' School Family Educator)</p>
<p>Palms Trivia Night 7pm on Thursday, October 31 2019 , The Charlotte Room, Club Ashfield, 1-11 Charlotte Street, Ashfield (next to the station). <i>See noticeboard for details.</i></p>
<p>Artes Christi presents the play <i>The Hunchback of Notre Dame</i> to support rebuilding of Notre Dame in Paris. 4-20 October. Tickets www.theword.org.au See noticeboard and flyers for more details.</p>
<p>A Human Saint: John Henry Newman Talk 10 Oct at 6:30pm at Ryan Auditorium, Strathfield. RSVP 4 October. <i>See noticeboard.</i></p>
<p>Menalive Prayer Meeting: Thursday 10th Oct from 7-8pm in the sacristy.</p>
<p>Bible Society invites parishioners to a special <i>Thank You Fellowship Gathering</i> 9 or 10 October. RSVP by 23 Sep. <i>See noticeboard for details.</i></p>
<p>ACN thank you and the Indonesian Community for your donation of \$1086.</p>
<p>St Pius V Catholic Primary School Enrolling Now for 2020 Enrolment packs & school tours available. <i>See opposite page for contact details.</i></p>
<p>Formed in the Faith Deepen your knowledge of the Faith. Attend our 2nd talk led by deacon-to-be, Alfredo, after 1st Sunday of the month Mass. This week's topic is <i>Revelation and our Response of Faith.</i></p>
<p>We thank Maria Nguyen of Concord West parish for her \$500 donation.</p>
<p>Fishpond Do not feed the fish. Bread causes the water to go foul quickly.</p>
<p>Social Justice Sunday See noticeboard for summary of 2019/2020 statement by the Australian Catholic Bishops' Conference.</p>
<p>Plenary Council 2020 Last meeting 23 Oct at 7pm in the presbytery.</p>
<p>See noticeboard for: a forum on meditation and wellbeing, Fri 4 Oct and for a presentation on music and silence on Sat 5 Oct, both at Australian University, Strathfield.</p>
<p>A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney Abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with a crime are the police. If you – or anyone you know – have/has been abused, please contact the police. Alternatively, you can contact the Safeguarding and Ministerial Integrity Office at (02) 9390 5810 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. <i>This notice will be a permanent fixture in the bulletin as per the request of the Chancery Office. The Archdiocese policy, protocols and guidelines are public documents and are available on the Archdiocese website www.sydneycatholic.org.au.</i></p>