

bestow; Thou in toil art comfort sweet; Pleasant coolness in the heat; Solace in the midst of woe. Light immortal, light divine, Visit thou these hearts of thine, And our inmost being fill: If thou take thy grace away, Nothing pure in man will stay; All his good is turned to ill. Heal our wounds, our strength renew; On our dryness pour thy dew; Wash the stains of guilt away: Bend the stubborn heart and will; Melt the frozen, warm the chill; Guide the steps that go astray. Thou, on us who evermore Thee confess and thee adore, With thy sevenfold gifts descend: Give us comfort when we die; Give us life with thee on high; Give us joys that never end.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love.

Alleluia!

Gospel John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

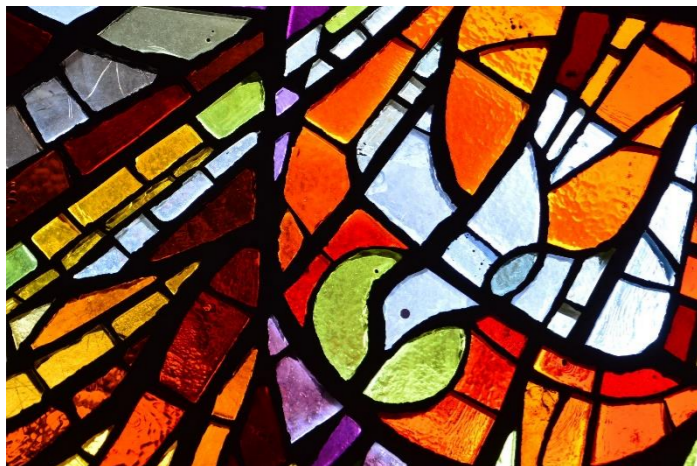
A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

The Spirit of truth will guide you into all the truth.

Jesus said to his disciples: 'When the Advocate comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who issues from the Father, he will be my witness. And you too will be witnesses, because you have been with me from the outset. I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.'

Communion Antiphon Acts of the Apostles 2:4,11

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.



Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Oh Holy Spirit, You are the Third Person of the Blessed Trinity. You are the Spirit of truth, love and holiness, proceeding from the Father and the Son, and equal to Them in all things. I adore You and love You with all my heart. Teach me to know and to seek God, by whom and for whom I was created. Fill my heart with a holy fear and a great love for Him. Give me compunction and patience, and do not let me fall into sin.

Increase faith, hope and charity in me and bring forth in me all the virtues proper to my state of life. Help me to grow in the four cardinal virtues, Your seven gifts and Your twelve fruits.

Make me a faithful follower of Jesus, an obedient child of the Church and a help to my neighbor. Give me the grace to keep the commandments and to receive the sacraments worthily. Raise me to holiness in the state of life to which You have called me, and lead me through a happy death to everlasting life. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord.



Prayer for Christian Unity 2024

We pray, O gracious Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit, that we all may be one as you are one. In your community of complete unity, we have our beginning and our end. To you we pray, asking for the gift of visible unity among all who believe in your Christ.

As we commemorate this Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, we are reminded by your Word that all human beings are our neighbors and that we are to love them like ourselves and in the same way we love you. Help us to overcome the barriers and divisions we have nurtured against your will.

Grant to us, O Lord, a new Spirit of love and solidarity, that we may proclaim your good news to all of creation. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ, who with you and the Holy Spirit are one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Catholic Parish of Our Lady of the Southern Cross, Enmore

Archdiocese of Sydney

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

Pentecost Sunday – Year B

19 May 2024

Entrance Antiphon

Rm 5: 5; cf. 8:11

The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Spirit of God dwelling within us, alleluia.

First Reading

Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak different languages.

When Pentecost day came round, the apostles had all met in one room, when suddenly they heard what sounded like a powerful wind from heaven, the noise of which filled the entire house in which they were sitting; and something appeared to them that seemed like tongues of fire; these separated and came to rest on the head of each of them. They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak foreign languages as the Spirit gave them the gift of speech.

Now there were devout men living in Jerusalem from every nation under heaven, and at this sound they all assembled, each one bewildered to hear these men speaking his own language. They were amazed and astonished. 'Surely' they said 'all these men speaking are Galileans? How does it happen that each of us hears them in his own native language? Parthians, Medes and Elamites; people from Mesopotamia, Judaea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya round Cyrene; as well as visitors from Rome - Jews and proselytes alike - Cretans and Arabs; we hear them preaching in our own language about the marvels of God.'

Responsorial Psalm Ps 103:1. 24. 29-31. 34. R. v.30

R/ Lord, send out your Spirit and renew the face of the earth.

1. Bless the Lord, my soul! Lord God, how great you are, How many are your works, O Lord! The earth is full of your riches. R/

2. You take back your spirit, they die, returning to the dust from which they came. You send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the earth. R/

3. May the glory of the Lord last for ever! May the Lord rejoice in his works! May my thoughts be pleasing to him. I find my joy in the Lord. R/



Second Reading

Galatians 5:16-25

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians
If you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since self-indulgence is the opposite of the Spirit, the Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it is precisely because the two are so opposed that you do not always carry out your good intentions. If you are led by the Spirit, no law can touch you. When self-indulgence is at work the results are obvious: fornication, gross indecency and sexual irresponsibility; idolatry and sorcery; feuds and wrangling, jealousy, bad temper and quarrels; disagreements, factions, envy; drunkenness, orgies and similar things. I warn you now, as I warned you before: those who behave like this will not inherit the kingdom of God. What the Spirit brings is very different: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, trustfulness, gentleness and self-control. There can be no law against things like that, of course. You cannot belong to Christ Jesus unless you crucify all self-indulgent passions and desire. Since the Spirit is our life, let us be directed by the Spirit.

Sequence

The sequence may be said or sung. Holy Spirit, Lord of light, From the clear celestial height Thy pure beaming radiance give. Come, thou Father of the poor, Come with treasures which endure; Come, thou light of all that live! Thou, of all consolers best, Thou, the soul's delightful guest, Dost refreshing peace



Parish Administrator—Reverend Father Christopher Higgins
(available Tuesday to Sunday)
 Parish Permanent Deacon – Reverend Mister Alfredo Bouroncle
 Parish Secretary—Bernadette Hickey
(Office hours—Tuesday 8-3pm & Thursday 8-5pm)



Our Parish respectfully acknowledges the Gadigal people of Eora nation as traditional caretakers of the land.

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MASSES AND SACRAMENTS

Masses	Tuesday – 7:00pm Wednesday to Friday—9:15am Saturday—5:00pm – (6:30pm – Portuguese) Sunday—9:30am – (12:00 noon - Indonesian)
Church Open	Wednesdays & Thursdays – 9:45-11:00am
Confessions	Saturday 4:15—4:45pm <i>or</i> by appointment
Adoration & Benediction	Mon 3:00 – 3:50pm, Tues to Fri 8:00 – 8:50am & Sun 9:00—9:25am
Baptisms	By appointment—about 1 month’s notice required
Marriages	By appointment—about 6 months’ notice required

COLLECTIONS for weekends of 27/28 April & 4/5 May 2024

1st collection \$839.70 (supports the priest’s expenses)	2nd collection \$848.25 (for running of parish)	Envelopes \$290.00 (part of 2nd collection)	Candle offerings \$146.20 (part of 2nd collection)
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Masses for: Jose Serrao (RIP), Delilah Andrade (post-op recovery), deceased members of Di’s & St Therese’s family, Holy Souls of Purgatory, Suzana Jesus, Conceicou Vasconceles, Gabriel Aulson.

A message from the Archdiocese of Sydney: Child sexual abuse is a crime. The appropriate people to deal with crimes 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 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. *(Archdiocesan permanent notice)*
Safeguarding Children information can be found in folder at the back of the church.

Church Tap Machines These are not working. If you wish to donate electronically, you are welcome to contact the office for our bank details. Unfortunately, we are not allowed to publish these here.

CWF Appeal May Appeal Please return envelopes by Sunday 19 May.

Project Compassion Appeal The parish and The Catholic Indonesian Community raised **\$6419.60**.

Church Garden John Vu suggests we advertise to ask for volunteers to do gardening in the church garden. Please see Father if you are interested.

Who Gives A Loaf? We Do... Gift of Bread's Community Workshop in Tempe is seeking volunteer drivers to collect and deliver bread to those in need. Whether you drive our vans or use your own vehicle, your time can make a significant difference in our mission to share bread, connect people and reduce waste. If you can spare at least 4 hours a week, consider joining us! Please email your interest to volunteer@giftofbread.org.

Parenting for Life and Love Raising respectful kids in a highly sexualised world. Jason Evert, Canterbury Leagues Club, 26 Bridge Rd Belomore, **20 May 7pm** Free event

Walk with Christ 2024 On the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, we invite all Catholics to unite and honour the real presence by attending the Walk With Christ Eucharistic Procession through the Sydney CBD. This joyful public proclamation seeks to manifest the spiritual joy at the presence of the Saviour in the Eucharist (and His role as benevolent spiritual ruler). Like, for instance, the crowds who welcomed Christ into Jerusalem singing “Hosanna to the Son of David” and the wise virgins who accompanied the bridegroom at his arrival to the feast, so does the faithful of Sydney in their devotion accompany the Eucharistic Lord through its streets. WHEN: **Sunday, 2 June** with a festival beginning at 1:00pm in Martin Place. The procession begins at 2:30pm sharp from the corner of Martin Place and Pitt Street. For more information Walk with Christ, visit: <https://www.sydneycatholic.org/walkwithchrist>

Online training program for Ministers of the Word will be starting **on 4 June**. The four-week online training program will teach new and experienced Ministers of the Word practical skills, such as timing, spacing, the use of emphasis and silence, and arguably the most useful skill – correctly pronouncing Biblical words, names, and places. Completed over four weekly online modules, with live (Zoom) classroom sessions (held on a Tuesday evening), the training program also offers a step-by-step guide on how to write the Prayer of the Faithful, and how to proclaim the Word in the Sequences, additional readings at the Easter and Pentecost vigils, and lay-led celebrations of the Word. The time commitment is four hours of live classroom (Zoom), plus around 2 hours of personal work each week on the training platform. The cost of the program is \$80pp and a 20% discount is offered to parishes who are sponsoring 5 or more people to attend. More information about the program, including how to register, can be found on our webpage <https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/institutes-academies-and-centres/acu-centre-for-liturgy/pastoral-training/ministers-of-the-word-information>

Enmore parish is happy to pay half of the fee. Please see Father if you are interested.

Ignite Youth Conference 26-29 September 2024 Cathedral Precinct, Waitara *Leaflets at back of the church.*

Conscience and Vaccines – A Critical Analysis from a Catholic Perspective by Fr Ambrose Astor This can be bought in book format. Or, to read the collection of articles, visit <https://www.fli.org.au/tag/fr-ambrose-astor/> See noticeboard for book cover picture.

“A person’s a person no matter how small” (Dr Seuss) Save Unborn Babies’ Lives Every life saved is a future family, a growing family tree, and our world being changed. Would you prayerfully consider donating to help us pring, post, place cards, grow and save more babies? *Find cards at the back of the church.*

CatholicCare Sydney are looking for ways to support our **BariStars program** - BariStars is a mobile café, custom built to give CatholicCare Disability participants valuable hospitality employment skills. To learn more about this program, visit: <https://www.catholiccare.org/disability-services/baristars-coffee-with-ability-mobile-cafe/>

Fr Ananda Maddineni would like to invite you for a **16-day pilgrimage, departing on 28th of October 2024**. This pilgrimage features Fatima, Avila, Loyola, Lourdes, Rocamadour, Nevers, Paris, Medjugorje, Zagreb, for an all-inclusive price of \$8390. The fare includes Return Economy Airfares + Local Transfers in Deluxe coaches + Stay in Premium Hotels + All Breakfasts & Dinners + Catholic Priest + English speaking professional guides. For enquiries & bookings call 03 8839 6615 or 1300 721 561 or email us pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au