

Our Lady of Fatima Parish

389 Port Hacking Road, Caringbah



Sunday Masses:

Vigil Mass on Saturday night 4pm & 5.30pm, Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am

(Reconciliation: Saturday - 10am -11am)

Adoration: Tuesday: 6pm-6.30pm, Wednesday: 8.45am-9.15am,

Friday: 8.45am-9.15am & Saturday: 9.45am-11am

Bookings are available too.

PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest: Rev Fr Julian Belich

Assistant Priest: Fr Moises Elias Tapia Carrasco

Deacon: Rev Mr Anderson Gallego Rodas

Administrative and Pastoral

Support: Mrs Mila Montgomery

Sacramental Coordinator: Mrs Wendy Macken

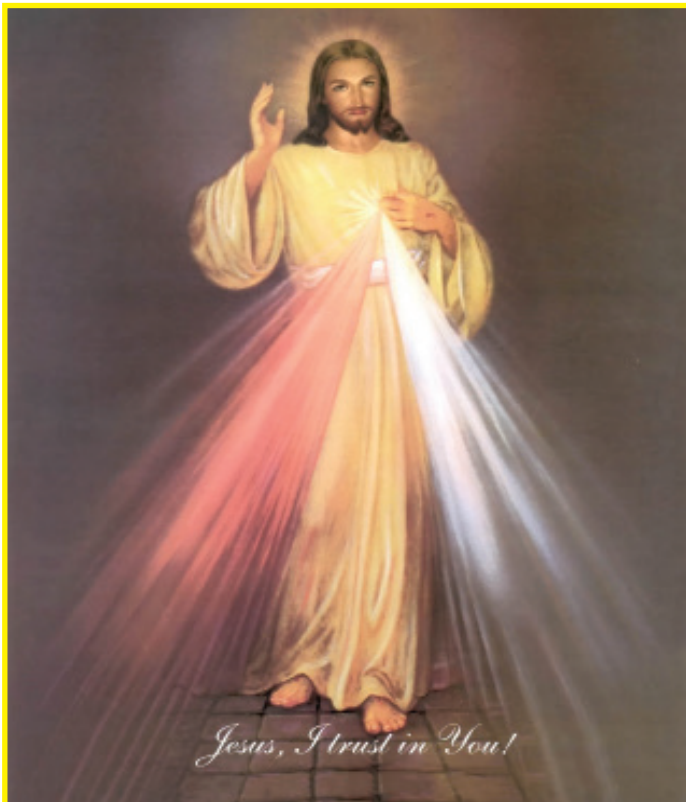
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Parish Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday and
Friday - 9am - 4pm



MASSES THIS WEEK

Monday No Mass

Tuesday 6.30pm St Martin I, Pope, Martyr (Opt)

Wednesday 9.15am

Thursday 7am

Friday 9.15am

Saturday 9.15am

Divine Office: Psalter Wk 2 with Easter propers



Please donate!

It is convenient and easy to make your Parish donation by using the QR Code. Please indicate your envelope number or your surname for reference purposes.

Or you can donate through Bank Transfer to the Parish Bank Account: BSB: 062784, Account Number: 413 5001, Account Name: Caringbah Parish Church Account.

Second Sunday of Easter 10-11 April 2021 DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Entrance Antiphon

1 Peter 2:2

LIKE newborn infants, you must long for the pure, spiritual milk, that in him you may grow to salvation, alleluia.

First Reading

Acts 4:32-35

The whole group was united, heart and soul.

Responsorial Psalm

117:2-4. 15-18. 22-24 R. v.1

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting.

Second Reading

1 St John 5:1-6

Anyone begotten by God has already overcome the world.

Gospel Acclamation

1 Corinthians 5:7-8

Alleluia, alleluia !

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me; happy those who have not seen me, but still believe!

Alleluia, alleluia !

Gospel Reading

John 20:19-31

After eight days, Jesus came in and stood among them.

Communion Antiphon

cf. John 20:27

Bring your hand and feel the place of the nails, and do not be unbelieving but believing, alleluia.

Thank you for your generosity and continued support



YOU ARE INVITED!
COME ALONG
to the
Bible Study after the 6.30 pm Mass.

Lectio: Mark with Dr. Tim Gray

Lectio: Mark: Faith Not Fear

Join Dr. Tim Gray in this powerful 14-part series to discover the Gospel of Mark like never before. Immerse yourself in this action-packed Gospel that offers Saint Peter's account of Christ's life and teaching. Combining the insights of Dr. Tim Gray with the masterful artistry of the Augustine Institute, this Lectio series uses the Church's rich tradition of Lectio Divina to help you better understand and better pray with the Gospel of Mark.

Commencing: Tuesday, 4 May 2021

Time: 7pm (after Mass)

Venue: Parish Meeting Room.

Note: Please bring your own Bible (Revised Standard Version).

Parish Diary 2021

Bible Study

Starting Tuesday, 4 May 2021 at 7pm

Family Masses - Every 3rd weekend of the month

17 April - Saturday Vigil - 4pm Mass

18 April - Sunday - 9.30am Mass

Catholic Apologetics

23 April - Friday at 7pm - Guest Speaker: Mr Robert Haddad

Working Bee: Every 4th Saturday of the month

24 April - Saturday - 11am to 1pm. Lunch provided

Sacraments 2021

Reconciliation: November 6, 13, 20 and 27

First Holy Communion: Saturday, 11 September
4pm & 5.30pm Masses

Sunday, 12 September
8am and 9.30am Masses

Confirmation: 18 June at 6pm
20 June at 1.30pm and 3.30pm

Catholic Weekly only \$2 a copy in the Church foyer

- Mothers spur the quiet fertility revolution
- A haven of healing and hope for women
- Faith in Auburn
- CDF ruling: All are welcome
- Movie review: Yes Day
- Dr Matthew Tan: The new pelagianism

Your are Invited!

The Parish is organising a new program called: Fatima Faith Explained – Catholic Apologetics

The first event will be held on Friday, 23, April 2021 at 7pm in the Meeting Room. The guest speaker will be Mr Robert Haddad and the topic is "Catholic Apologetics – How to Explain and Defend the Faith." Light Refreshments will be provided.

Scriptural context – Not an ending?

The final two verses of today's gospel passage (Jn 20:30-31) read like the conclusion to the whole gospel. They are a statement of finality about the purpose for writing the gospel and something of a blessing for those who read it. Yet, surprisingly, there is another whole chapter that follows this passage that deals with still more post-resurrection appearances. Most scripture scholars believe that the end of Chapter 20 was the original ending of the gospel and that Chapter 21 is a later addition – possibly added by the community for whom the gospel was originally written.

Have you thought? Those who have not seen

Jesus says to Thomas, 'You believe because you can see me. Happy are those who have not seen and yet believe.' That's us! Jesus' words in the gospel are meant for people like us living today. We are not in the position of Thomas and the other disciples who were able to see the risen Lord face to face and so convince themselves of his rising. The gospel recognises that to believe in the resurrection without that physical, personal encounter with Jesus is to be celebrated even more. Happy are we – blessed are we – who have not seen and yet still believe!

By Greg Sunter

Musicians wanted!

Currently we are unable to schedule any musician for the first Sunday of the month at 9.30am Mass. If you are able to help the parish please talk to the Priest after Mass or contact the Parish Office - 9524 7283.

MASS INTENTIONS

Please pray for the faithful departed

Recently DECEASED: Alicia Ayohan, Maxima Habonete, Giacomo "Jack" Borgese, Gerry Wallace, Louise Rosa, Peter Marchese, Laurie Dearnley and Bill Dearnley, Andro Sluttko Kubluchar, Bosena Jelusic, Charles Galletta.

Anniversaries of Death: Marie Maguire, John Walker, Brian James Franklin, Ron Gilchrist, Rita Agius.

ALSO: Jean Montgomery, Josip Cimpfe, Ana Cimpfe, Lorna Kane, Albert Montgomery and all the Souls in Purgatory.

May they rest in peace.

Sick: All the sick and those who are suffering in anyway.

PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM

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Full Name: _____ Tel. No. (Home) _____ (Mobile) _____

Postal Address: _____ Email: _____

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